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Q1. Thinking ahead to the November general election, are you almost certain that you will vote, very likely to vote, somewhat likely to vote, not very likely to vote, or not at all likely to vote?

	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
Almost certain	57%	58%	57%	43%	54%	62%	63%	60%	52%	60%	54%	58%	62%	58%
Very likely	38%	38%	38%	48%	39%	35%	36%	38%	39%	35%	44%	35%	36%	40%
Somewhat likely	3%	3%	4%	7%	6%	1%	1%	1%	7%	4%	1%	5%	1%	1%
Not very likely	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Not at all likely	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%

Q2. Regardless of whether you intend to vote in the November general election, would your preference be to vote in person on Election Day, vote in person before Election Day, or vote by mail?

	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
In person on Election Day	25%	29%	21%	15%	30%	26%	25%	29%	18%	14%	31%	30%	31%	28%
In person before Election Day	36%	37%	37%	41%	33%	43%	29%	35%	40%	29%	54%	28%	29%	39%
Vote by mail	32%	28%	36%	37%	29%	25%	42%	31%	35%	51%	9%	34%	37%	28%
Don't know/Refused	7%	6%	6%	7%	7%	6%	4%	5%	7%	6%	6%	7%	3%	5%

Q3. If the 2020 presidential election were held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were: (with leaners)

	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
Joe Biden, the Democrat	46%	41%	53%	53%	42%	40%	57%	41%	58%	89%	5%	41%	56%	30%
Donald Trump, the Republican	42%	48%	37%	26%	40%	54%	37%	52%	24%	3%	93%	36%	38%	61%
Jo Jorgenson, the Libertarian	3%	3%	3%	7%	7%	2%	1%	2%	6%	1%	1%	9%	4%	1%
Howie Hawkins of the Green Party	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Vol: Someone else	1%	1%	1%	4%	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Vol: Not voting	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Don't know/Refused	7%	7%	7%	9%	12%	4%	5%	5%	10%	5%	2%	13%	2%	7%

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Q4. Have you decided you'll definitely vote for [CANDIDATE NAME] or is there still some chance you could change your mind?														
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	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
Definitely vote for candidate	90%	90%	90%	73%	91%	93%	94%	95%	82%	93%	94%	83%	96%	94%
Could change mind	9%	9%	9%	27%	9%	6%	6%	5%	17%	7%	4%	17%	3%	6%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Q5. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president? Is that strongly or somewhat?														
	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
Strongly approve	37%	40%	35%	24%	28%	48%	37%	47%	17%	4%	78%	33%	37%	54%
Somewhat approve	10%	14%	7%	10%	20%	7%	4%	8%	14%	2%	17%	13%	4%	11%
Somewhat disapprove	5%	4%	5%	15%	5%	2%	2%	1%	10%	3%	0%	11%	0%	1%
Strongly disapprove	43%	37%	49%	43%	42%	37%	52%	40%	50%	84%	4%	37%	54%	31%
Don't know/Refused	6%	5%	4%	6%	4%	6%	4%	3%	9%	6%	1%	6%	4%	3%
[Q6-Q8 ROTATED] Q6. I'm going to read a few names of people or organizations in public life and I'd like you to tell me whether you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable impression of each? - Donald Trump														
	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
Very favorable	35%	39%	33%	21%	31%	45%	35%	45%	19%	2%	83%	26%	30%	55%
Somewhat favorable	10%	13%	7%	14%	12%	10%	7%	12%	8%	2%	12%	17%	13%	11%
Somewhat unfavorable	6%	7%	6%	9%	11%	5%	3%	2%	14%	5%	1%	14%	1%	2%
Very unfavorable	45%	39%	52%	52%	43%	38%	54%	41%	54%	89%	4%	39%	55%	31%
Don't know/Refused	3%	4%	1%	4%	3%	2%	1%	0%	4%	2%	0%	4%	0%	0%

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Q7. I'm going to read a few names of people or organizations in public life and I'd like you to tell me whether you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable impression of each? - Joe Biden

	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
Very favorable	31%	27%	36%	14%	22%	29%	51%	29%	36%	69%	3%	19%	37%	24%
Somewhat favorable	21%	19%	23%	43%	27%	16%	10%	16%	30%	24%	11%	29%	24%	11%
Somewhat unfavorable	12%	15%	9%	14%	17%	14%	6%	13%	12%	3%	13%	22%	13%	12%
Very unfavorable	31%	35%	29%	22%	29%	37%	32%	39%	17%	2%	70%	27%	25%	49%
Don't know/Refused	4%	4%	3%	6%	5%	3%	1%	3%	5%	2%	3%	4%	1%	4%

Q8. I'm going to read a few names of people or organizations in public life and I'd like you to tell me whether you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable impression of each? - The Black Lives Matter Movement

	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
Very favorable	34%	28%	41%	51%	39%	25%	35%	29%	44%	62%	8%	31%	36%	24%
Somewhat favorable	18%	18%	18%	22%	15%	15%	22%	18%	19%	22%	11%	22%	22%	16%
Somewhat unfavorable	8%	8%	8%	5%	7%	11%	6%	7%	9%	7%	7%	9%	7%	7%
Very unfavorable	32%	40%	26%	14%	35%	42%	28%	41%	18%	2%	69%	31%	33%	46%
Don't know/Refused	8%	6%	8%	8%	4%	7%	9%	5%	10%	7%	5%	7%	3%	6%

Q9. What is the more important issue to you in the presidential race: [CHOICES ROTATED]

	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
Addressing the coronavirus pandemic	39%	39%	39%	45%	28%	37%	52%	34%	51%	70%	12%	34%	49%	23%
Addressing law and order	52%	52%	54%	52%	59%	57%	45%	60%	40%	22%	84%	56%	47%	69%
Don't know/Refused	8%	9%	6%	3%	13%	7%	3%	6%	9%	8%	4%	10%	4%	8%

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Q10. Do you think that your state is moving too quickly or too slowly to ease social distancing restrictions and reopen, or is it about right?														
	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
Too quickly	14%	15%	13%	25%	17%	12%	10%	10%	22%	22%	4%	15%	11%	8%
Too slowly	36%	43%	30%	36%	44%	38%	27%	40%	27%	13%	62%	35%	35%	44%
About right	46%	38%	55%	37%	37%	47%	59%	48%	47%	61%	32%	47%	49%	47%
Don't know/Refused	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	5%	4%	2%	3%	5%	1%
Q11. What do you think is a bigger problem in America today? [CHOICES ROTATED]														
	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
Riots in American cities	41%	46%	38%	31%	38%	49%	43%	51%	25%	13%	75%	40%	42%	57%
Racism in the criminal justice system	53%	49%	58%	66%	56%	49%	51%	44%	71%	85%	20%	53%	55%	37%
Don't know/Refused	6%	6%	4%	3%	6%	3%	6%	5%	5%	2%	5%	7%	2%	6%
Q12. And what comes closer to your view: [CHOICES ROTATED]														
	Gender			Age				Race/Ethnicity		Party ID			Race/Education	
	Total	M	F	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Non-White	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth	Whites with BA+	Whites without BA+
The federal government's priority should be to limit the spread of the coronavirus, even if it hurts the economy	49%	46%	54%	57%	43%	43%	62%	41%	67%	84%	13%	50%	56%	30%
The federal government's priority should be to restart the economy, even if it increases the risk to public health	40%	46%	35%	33%	45%	49%	32%	49%	24%	7%	75%	42%	38%	57%
Don't know/Refused	11%	8%	11%	10%	12%	8%	7%	10%	9%	9%	12%	8%	6%	13%

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Nature of the Sample	
Nevada Likely Voters	
Gender	
Male	49%
Female	50%
Age	
18 to 29	13%
30 to 44	23%
45 to 64	34%
65 and older	25%
Race/Ethnicity	
White	60%
Non-White	37%
Party Identification	
Democrat	36%
Republican	32%
Independent/Other	30%
Region	
Las Vegas/North Las Vegas	27%
Reno/Sparks	13%
Rest of Clark	42%
Rural	6%
West	11%
Race & Education	
Whites with Bachelor's degree or higher	24%
Whites with less than Bachelor's degree	36%
Education	
High school or less	26%
Some College	37%
Bachelor's degree	23%
Graduate degree	13%
2016 Vote	
Hillary Clinton	36%
Donald Trump	37%
Other	6%
Didn't vote	18%