

**2024 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL
WAVE 151 JULY 2024
FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE
AUGUST 5-11, 2024**

Note: The questions presented below are part of a larger survey conducted on the American Trends Panel. For all questions, the 98 ("don't know" in phone mode) and 99 (refusal in phone mode and no answer in web mode) codes are combined in the data for analytical purposes.

PN = Programming note

CODEBOOK FOR ATP SAMPLE VARIABLES TO BE USED IN SURVEY PROGRAMMING LOGIC

X_CITIZEN

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 99 Refused

Note: Flag to identify citizens filtered on VOTEGEN24.
Source: Frame file variable F_CITIZEN.

X_PARTYSUMFINAL

- 1 Rep/Lean Rep
- 2 Dem/Lean Dem
- 9 DK/Refused/No lean

Note: Flag to identify republicans, republican leaners and non-leaners.
Source: Frame file variable F_PARTYSUM_FINAL. Same codes as F_PARTYSUM_FINAL.

X_FORM

- 1 Form 1
- 2 Form 2

Note: Flag to randomly assign panelists to one of two forms (Form 1, Form 2) and weight within form
ATP source: Randomly assigned for each survey.

X_CHNGCHECKW150

- 1 Changing to online gift codes (based on W150 response)
- 2 Continuing to receive checks
- 3 Other

Note: Flag to identify incentive types on the closing screen.
Source: CHNGCHECK from W150.

- If CHNGCHECK_W150=1, X_CHNGCHECKW150=1
 - If CHNGCHECK_W150=2,99, X_CHNGCHECKW150=2
 - Otherwise, X_CHNGCHECKW150=3
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 -----**MAIN QUESTIONNAIRE BEGINS HERE**-----

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE OR PREVIOUSLY RELEASED

QUE: VOTEGEN24**ASK IF CITIZEN (X_CITIZEN=1):****[PN: ROTATE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1 WITH OPTIONS 3, 4, 98 AND 99 ALWAYS HELD LAST IN ORDER; RECORD ROTATION IN DATA FILE.]**

If the 2024 presidential election were being held today, would you vote for...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Donald Trump, the Republican
- 2 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Kamala Harris, the Democrat **[PN: IF CATI:]** Kamala **(PRONO: COM-uh-la)** Harris, the Democrat
- 3 Robert F. Kennedy Jr., a third-party candidate
- 4 **[PN: IF WEB:]** None/Other candidate **[PN: IF CATI:]** None of these or another candidate
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank

QUE: VOTEGEN24_LEAN**ASK IF NONE/OTHER CANDIDATE OR SKIPPED VOTEGEN24 (VOTEGEN24=4, 98, 99):****[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS IN THE SAME ORDER AS VOTEGEN24. RECORD ROTATION IN DATA FILE. ONLY SHOW OPTION 4 IF RESPONDENT TRIES TO SKIP QUESTION]****[PN: SOFT PROMPT MESSAGE AFTER FIRST SKIP SHOULD READ:** *If you would not support any of the candidates, please select answer choice None/Other. If you would like to skip, click Next...* **]**

As of today, do you...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

[PN: INTERVIEWER: DO NOT READ OPTION 4 UNLESS RESPONDENT SAYS "DON'T KNOW" OR WANTS TO SKIP. THEN SOFT PROMPT: *If you would not support any of these candidates you can say none or someone else? IF STILL DEPENDS OR DON'T KNOW, ENTER AS "Don't Know".* **]**

- 1 Lean more toward Donald Trump
- 2 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Lean more toward Kamala Harris **[PN: IF CATI:]** Lean more toward Kamala **(PRONO: COM-uh-la)** Harris
- 3 Lean more toward Robert F. Kennedy Jr.
- 4 **[PN: IF WEB:]** None/Other candidate **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ UNLESS SKIPPED OR RESPONDENT SAYS DON'T KNOW)** None of these or another candidate
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank

QUE: ST_2

ASK ALL:

[PN: ROTATE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1 HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; RECORD ROTATION IN DATA FILE.]

In your view, do you think the immigration system in this country...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Requires no changes
- 2 Requires only minor changes
- 3 Requires major changes
- 4 Needs to be completely rebuilt
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

TXT:

[PN: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF LGIMMCTRL and ILIMMCTRL; RECORD RANDOMIZATION]

QUE: LGIMMCTRL

ASK ALL:

[PN: ROTATE OPTIONS 1-5/5-1, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; RECORD ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

How much control do you think the U.S. government has over the number of immigrants who enter the country legally?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Complete control
 - 2 Almost complete control
 - 3 A moderate degree of control
 - 4 Little control
 - 5 No control
 - 98 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Don't know
 - 99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank
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TXT:

[**PN: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF LGIMMCTRL and ILIMMCTRL; RECORD RANDOMIZATION**]

QUE: ILIMMCTRL

ASK ALL:

[**PN: ROTATE OPTIONS IN SAME ORDER AS LGIMMCTRL; RECORD ROTATION IN DATA FILE**]

How much control do you think the U.S. government has over the number of immigrants who enter the country illegally?

[**PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)**

- 1 Complete control
- 2 Almost complete control
- 3 A moderate degree of control
- 4 Little control
- 5 No control
- 98 [**PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know**
- 99 [**PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [**PN: IF WEB:] Web blank****

QUE: IMMCRN

ASK ALL:

[**PN: ROTATE OPTIONS IN SAME ORDER AS MEDESC_TYP; RECORD ROTATION IN DATA FILE**]

How concerned are you about the number of immigrants entering the country illegally?

[**PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)**

- 1 Extremely concerned
- 2 Very concerned
- 3 Somewhat concerned
- 4 Not too concerned
- 5 Not at all concerned
- 98 [**PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know**
- 99 [**PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [**PN: IF WEB:] Web blank****

BAT: IMMSUPPORT**ASK ALL:**

[**PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; ROTATE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; RECORD ROTATION AND RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE**]

[**PN: IF WEB:**] How much would you favor or oppose each of the following U.S. immigration policies?

[**PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR FIRST ITEM:**] How much would you favor or oppose each of the following U.S. immigration policies? First, **(INSERT ITEM)**? **(READ LIST)**

[**PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS:**] How about **(INSERT ITEM)**? **(READ AS NECESSARY: How much would you favor or oppose (INSERT ITEM)? (READ LIST IF NECESSARY))**

BATTERY ITEMS:

BRDER	Improving security along the country's borders
REF	Admitting more civilian refugees from countries where people are trying to escape violence and war
SKILL	Legally admitting more high-skilled immigrants
DIV	Legally admitting immigrants from all over the world to ensure the nation's immigrant population is diverse
LABOR	Legally admitting immigrants who can fill labor shortages
DEPORT	Enforcing mass deportations of immigrants living in the country illegally
STUD	Allowing international students who receive a college degree in the U.S. to legally work and stay in the country
MARRY	Allowing undocumented immigrants to legally work and stay in the country if they are married to a U.S. citizen

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

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| 1 | Strongly favor |
| 2 | Somewhat favor |
| 3 | Somewhat oppose |
| 4 | Strongly oppose |
| 98 | [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know |
| 99 | [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank |

QUE: LGLSTATUS**ASK ALL:**

[**PN: ROTATE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; RECORD ROTATION IN DATA FILE**]

Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.?

[**PN: IF CATI:**] **(READ LIST)**

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| 1 | They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally |
| 2 | There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met |
| 98 | [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know |
| 99 | [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank |

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

QUE: LG_IMLVL

ASK ALL:

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1 HOLDING 3, 98, AND 99 LAST. RECORD ROTATION IN DATA FILE.]

Should legal immigration into the United States be...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Increased
- 2 Decreased
- 3 Kept at its present level
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

BAT: IMMSEB

ASK ALL:

[PN: RANDOMIZE BATTERY ITEMS. RECORD RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE.]

[PN: IF WEB:] Should each of the following be eligible for public assistance provided by state and local governments?

[PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR FIRST ITEM:] Should each of the following be eligible for public assistance provided by state and local governments? First, **(INSERT ITEM)**? **(READ LIST IF NECESSARY)**

[PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEM:] Next, should **(INSERT ITEM)** be eligible for public assistance provided by the state and local governments? **(READ LIST IF NECESSARY)**

BATTERY ITEMS:

- LGL Immigrants who are living in the U.S. legally
- ILGL Immigrants who are living in the U.S. illegally

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

QUE: IMMSTS**ASK ALL:**

[**PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1, HOLDING 3, 98 AND 99 LAST. RECORD ROTATIONS IN THE DATA FILE.**]

Do you think the increasing number of immigrants in the United States will make life...

[**PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)**

- 1 Better for people like you
- 2 Worse for people like you
- 3 No different for people like you
- 98 [**PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know**
- 99 [**PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [**PN: IF WEB:] Web blank****

TXT:

[**PN: IF X_FORM=1, SHOW LGIMPCT FIRST FOLLOWED BY ILLIMPCT. IF X_FORM=2, SHOW ILLIMPCT FIRST, FOLLOWED BY LGIMPCT. RECORD ORDER IN DATA FILE.]**

BAT: LGIMPCT**ASK ALL:**

[**PN: RANDOMIZE BATTERY ITEMS IN SAME ORDER AS ILLIMPCT; ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1 HOLDING OPTION 3, 98, AND 99 LAST. INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE**]

[**PN: IF WEB:]** What type of impact do you think immigrants living in the country legally are having on each of the following areas?

[**PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR FIRST ITEM:]** What type of impact do you think immigrants living in the country legally are having on each of the following areas? First, **(INSERT ITEM)? (READ LIST)**

[**PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS:]** What about on **(INSERT ITEM)? (READ AS NECESSARY: What type of impact do you think immigrants living in the country legally are having on (INSERT ITEM)? (READ LIST IF NECESSARY))**

BATTERY ITEMS:

- CRIME Crime
- ECON The U.S. economy
- VALUE Social and cultural values
- TECH Science and technological innovation
- PUBRES Public resources (such as housing, education, health care, etc.)

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

- 1 Making things better
- 2 Making things worse
- 3 Not having much effect
- 98 [**PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know**
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TXT:

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BAT: ILLIMPCT**ASK ALL:**

[**PN: RANDOMIZE BATTERY ITEMS IN SAME ORDER AS LGIMPCT; ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS IN THE SAME ORDER AS LGIMPCT. RECORD RANDOMIZATION AND ROTATION IN THE DATA FILE]**

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ECON	The U.S. economy
VALUE	Social and cultural values
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ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

QUE: KNOWIMM**ASK ALL:**

Do you personally know someone in your community who was born outside of the United States?

[**PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST IF NECESSARY)**

1	Yes
2	No
98	[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99	[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank

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