

**2024 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL
WAVE 151 AUGUST 2024
FINAL TOPLINE
August 5–11, 2024
TOTAL N=9,201**

Note: "All U.S. adults" refers to all U.S. adults, regardless of race. White, Black and Asian adults include those who report being only one race and are not Hispanic. Hispanics are of any race. Asian adults are representative of English-speakers only.

All numbers are percentages unless otherwise noted. Percentages greater than zero but less than 0.5% are replaced by an asterisk (*). A hyphen (-) indicates that the sample size for a given subgroup is too small to report for that question or that the responses for a given subgroup are not displayed. Rows/columns may not total 100% or to NETs due to rounding. The questions presented below are part of a larger survey conducted on the American Trends Panel.

"No answer" includes web respondents who do not answer the question as well as telephone respondents who refuse to answer or who say they don't know how to answer. In cases where "not sure" was offered as an explicit option to web and telephone respondents, the "no answer" category includes only web skips and telephone refusals.

This survey was conducted primarily online, with some interviews conducted by live telephone. This topline shows the programming language for online administration. For details on how questions were slightly modified for phone administration, visit the [questionnaire](#).

American Trends Panel surveys conducted between October 2016 and June 2024 were conducted fully online (with tablets and data plans provided to adults without home internet). American Trends Panel surveys conducted prior to October 2016 were conducted primarily online, with some respondents completing by mail. For additional details, visit the [methodology](#).

PN = Programming note

	Sample size	Margin of error at 95% confidence level
All U.S. adults	9,201	+/- 1.3 percentage points
White adults	6,390	+/- 1.5 points
Black adults	863	+/- 4.2 points
Hispanic adults	974	+/- 4.0 points
Asian adults	528	+/- 5.5 points

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE OR PREVIOUSLY RELEASED**LG_IMLVL****ASK ALL:****[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1 HOLDING 3, 98, AND 99 LAST]**Should legal immigration into the United States be...

<u>All U.S. adults</u>		<u>White</u>	<u>Black</u>	<u>Hispanic</u>	<u>Asian</u>
30	Increased	27	30	32	46
22	Decreased	24	20	24	8
46	Kept at its present level	47	47	42	44
2	No answer	2	3	2	1

IMCRT**ASK ALL:****[PN: RANDOMIZE BATTERY ITEMS. ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-3/3-1 HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST]**In deciding whether people from other countries should be allowed to legally immigrate to the United States, how much priority should be given to each of the following?

		<u>All U.S. adults</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Black</u>	<u>Hispanic</u>	<u>Asian</u>
HIGHSKILL	People who are highly skilled workers (such as scientists, doctors, nurses, computer programmers, etc.)					
	Top priority	42	38	39	55	62
	Some priority	45	48	46	35	33
	No priority	11	12	11	7	5
	No answer	2	2	4	3	*
FAMILY	People who have close family members already living in the U.S.					
	Top priority	19	17	21	26	28
	Some priority	59	61	56	55	54
	No priority	19	20	19	15	15
	No answer	3	2	4	4	3
LABOR	People who can fill labor shortages like agricultural workers, home health aides, or childcare workers					
	Top priority	25	21	24	36	39
	Some priority	54	56	54	47	50
	No priority	18	21	17	13	8
	No answer	3	2	5	5	2
UNDERREP	People who come from countries not well represented in the U.S.					
	Top priority	5	3	9	7	6
	Some priority	33	27	46	44	43
	No priority	58	66	41	44	49
	No answer	4	3	5	5	2

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