

BIDENOMICS AND THE ECONOMY

1. What would you most like to see improved in the economy?

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| Lower prices on goods, services, and gas | 64% |
| Higher wages | 20% |
| Lower interest rates on mortgages and credit cards | 9% |
| More jobs | 7% |

2. What do you think President Joe Biden is most focused on?

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| More jobs | 43% |
| Higher wages | 25% |
| Lower prices on goods, services, and gas | 23% |
| Lower interest rates on mortgages and credit cards | 9% |

3. What do you think Democrats are most focused on?

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| More jobs | 35% |
| Higher wages | 33% |
| Lower prices on goods, services, and gas | 24% |
| Lower interest rates on mortgages and credit cards | 8% |

4. What do you think Republicans are most focused on?

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| Lower prices on goods, services, and gas | 54% |
| Lower interest rates on mortgages and credit cards | 18% |
| More jobs | 18% |
| Higher wages | 9% |

5. What do you think Donald Trump is most focused on?

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| Lower prices on goods, services, and gas | 49% |
| More jobs | 24% |
| Lower interest rates on mortgages and credit cards | 15% |
| Higher wages | 12% |

6. Have you heard of Bidenomics?

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| Heard a lot | 29% |
| Heard a little | 43% |
| Never heard of | 28% |

7. What does Bidenomics mean to you?

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8. Do you think Bidenomics is good or bad at addressing the following problems?

| | Good | Bad |
|--|-------------|------------|
| More jobs | 55% | 45% |
| Higher wages | 50% | 50% |
| Lower prices on goods and services | 44% | 56% |
| Lower gas prices | 44% | 56% |
| Low interest rates on mortgages and credit cards | 41% | 59% |

9. Overall, do you think Bidenomics is good or bad for the economy?

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| Good for the economy | 51% |
| Bad for the economy | 49% |

10. Below are some facts about U.S. economic performance. For each, say whether you have heard this and believe it, heard this and don't believe it, haven't heard this but believe it, or haven't heard this but don't believe it.

| Economic Facts: Heard vs. Have not heard | Heard | Have not heard |
|--|--------------|-----------------------|
| U.S. interest rates have increased from 0.1 percent to 5 percent since 2021. | 64% | 36% |
| The U.S. has created 13.9 million new jobs since 2021. The unemployment rate has stayed below 4 percent for 20 months in a row. | 61% | 39% |
| The U.S. has created 815,000 new manufacturing jobs since 2021. | 54% | 46% |
| U.S. inflation has decreased from 8.3 percent to 3.2 percent since 2021. | 53% | 47% |
| From June 2022 to June 2023, U.S. gas prices decreased by more than a dollar, and since 2021 U.S. oil output has increased by 16 percent. | 47% | 53% |
| Inflation-adjusted income in the U.S is up 3.5 percent since 2021, and low-wage workers have seen the largest wage gains over the last year. | 47% | 53% |
| The U.S. economy grew by 6 percent in 2021 and 2 percent in 2022, adding \$4.4 trillion. | 46% | 54% |
| Inflation has come down faster and economic growth has been stronger in the U.S. than in the United Kingdom, Italy, Germany, and France. | 46% | 54% |
| The U.S. federal deficit has been reduced by over \$1.7 trillion since 2021. | 44% | 56% |

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| Inflation has come down faster and economic growth has been stronger in the U.S. than in the United Kingdom, Italy, Germany, and France. | 45% | 55% |
| U.S. inflation has decreased from 8.3 percent to 3.2 percent since 2021. | 38% | 62% |
| The U.S. federal deficit has been reduced by over \$1.7 trillion since 2021. | 35% | 65% |

11. President Biden has described his approach to economics as “Bidenomics.” Below are five descriptions of “Bidenomics.” For each, say whether you believe, or do not believe the description:

| | Believe | Do Not Believe |
|--|----------------|-----------------------|
| Since I’ve taken office, I’ve made sure that “Made in America” is no longer a slogan, it’s a reality. The CHIPS and Science Act I signed into law makes historic investments in companies to build advanced manufacturing facilities here in America. And that’s been coupled with major private investments totaling nearly \$300 billion in American manufacturing. We’re creating things here in America. | 51% | 49% |
| Since I’ve taken office, we’ve created 13.9 million new jobs. The unemployment rate has stayed below 4% for 20 months in a row—the longest stretch in 50 years. We’ve achieved a 70-year low in unemployment rate for women, record lows in unemployment for African Americans, Hispanic people, and people with disabilities—folks who have been left behind in previous recoveries and left behind for too long. | 49% | 51% |
| When the Inflation Reduction Act was passed, inflation was 8.3%. It’s now down to 3.2% and it’s going to go lower. But here’s the point: It’s the lowest among the world’s leading economies. Take every major economy in the world. We have the lowest inflation rate. At the same time, wages are growing faster than inflation, and this matters. | 42% | 58% |
| Since 2022, we’ve brought gas prices down by more than a dollar and they’re still getting lower. My administration has been focused on one priority: bringing down gas prices for everyday Americans. That’s why my administration has authorized more oil and gas exploration than any past president and why we’re generating 12.9 million barrels of oil per day here in America. Every dollar we bring down gas prices is a dollar families can use to put food on their tables and lead a dignified life. | 42% | 58% |
| I’ve said it before and I’ll say it again: We’ve cut the deficit by over \$1 trillion since we’ve taken office. The laws that I signed will cut it by another \$1 trillion over the next 10 years. And my budget would cut it by another \$2.5 trillion over 10 years. I’m committed to bringing spending under control and working in a bipartisan manner to further reduce the deficit. | 40% | 60% |

12. Below are four explanations from the Biden administration about how Bidenomics handles inflation. Select which most appeals to you:

| | Appeal |
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| Biden's plan to fight inflation is simple: fight record corporate profits. The reason we've seen inflation fall by two thirds without losing jobs is that corporate profits are coming back down to earth. Biden is fighting junk fees, monopolies, and other exploitative practices that raise inflation. | 33% |
| Biden's plan to fight inflation is simple: reduce the out-of-control government spending driving up prices. The reason we've seen inflation fall by two thirds without losing jobs is because Biden has already passed \$1.7 trillion in deficit reduction, and he has a plan to pass another \$2 trillion. When the government spends less, that brings down prices for everyone. | 26% |
| Biden's plan to fight inflation is simple: make it cheaper to move goods across the supply chain. The reason we've seen inflation fall by two thirds without losing jobs is because of the bipartisan infrastructure bill Biden worked across the aisle to pass. We're building better roads and bridges, functioning ports and high speed railways. | 22% |
| Biden's plan to fight inflation is simple: bring down the price of gas. The reason we've seen inflation fall by two thirds without losing jobs is that gas prices have dropped a dollar. Biden approved a record number of permits to increase domestic oil and gas production and signed legislation to invest in wind, solar, and other clean energy. His all-of-the-above energy strategy will bring gas prices down more. | 18% |

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13. Below is a list of groups and institutions. For each, say whether they are more liberal than, more conservative than, or close to your views.

| | Far more liberal than me | Somewhat more liberal than me | Close to my views | Somewhat more conservative than me | Far more conservative than me |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| Donald Trump | 6% | 6% | 32% | 15% | 41% |
| Joe Biden | 43% | 14% | 28% | 11% | 5% |
| The Democratic Party nationally | 42% | 18% | 27% | 8% | 5% |
| The Republican Party nationally | 6% | 11% | 27% | 17% | 40% |
| Kamala Harris | 44% | 16% | 27% | 9% | 4% |

14. When it comes to their political opinions, generally speaking, have the following become more extreme, less extreme, or stayed about the same in recent years?

| | More extreme | Stayed about the same | Less extreme |
|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| The Republican Party | 53% | 39% | 8% |
| The Democratic Party | 50% | 42% | 8% |
| My family and friends | 21% | 76% | 3% |
| Myself | 17% | 77% | 6% |

15. Do you think President Biden is too liberal, too conservative, or just about right?

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|---------------------------|-----|
| Much too liberal | 42% |
| A little too liberal | 11% |
| About right | 34% |
| A little too conservative | 8% |
| Much too conservative | 5% |

16. Do you think Donald Trump is too liberal, too conservative, or just about right?

| | |
|---------------------------|-----|
| Much too liberal | 5% |
| A little too liberal | 6% |
| About right | 36% |
| A little too conservative | 12% |
| Much too conservative | 41% |

17. What words and phrases would you use to describe the Democratic Party?

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18. What words and phrases would you use to describe the Republican Party?

[OPEN-ENDED]

19. What are things you like about Joe Biden?

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20. What are things you dislike about Joe Biden?

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21. When making decisions, do you think Joe Biden prioritizes liberal activists or the American public?

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| Liberal activists | 52% |
| American public | 48% |

22. When making decisions, do you think Donald Trump prioritizes conservative activists or the American public?

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| Conservative activists | 55% |
| American public | 45% |

23. How much do you think the Democratic Party focuses on the following groups when making policy decisions?

| | A lot | A little | Not at all |
|-----------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Their political donors | 66% | 29% | 5% |
| LGBTQ people | 58% | 32% | 10% |
| The media | 54% | 35% | 11% |
| Elites | 52% | 32% | 16% |
| The rich | 51% | 34% | 15% |
| Immigrants | 50% | 38% | 12% |
| Labor unions | 49% | 40% | 10% |
| Activists | 49% | 42% | 9% |
| Big business | 48% | 37% | 14% |
| College-educated people | 41% | 47% | 12% |
| Black people | 40% | 44% | 16% |
| Women | 40% | 45% | 16% |
| Extremists | 40% | 34% | 26% |
| Academics | 38% | 45% | 17% |
| Racists | 34% | 30% | 36% |
| Muslims | 32% | 47% | 21% |
| White people | 31% | 40% | 29% |
| Latino people | 30% | 51% | 19% |
| Working-class people | 30% | 38% | 32% |
| Men | 29% | 45% | 26% |
| Middle-class people | 29% | 37% | 33% |
| Jews | 25% | 46% | 29% |
| Small business | 24% | 41% | 35% |
| Non-college-educated people | 21% | 43% | 36% |
| People like me | 20% | 38% | 42% |
| Asian people | 19% | 51% | 30% |
| Christians | 17% | 45% | 38% |

24. How much do you think the Republican Party focuses on the following groups most when making policy decisions?

| | A lot | A little | Not at all |
|-----------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Their political donors | 71% | 25% | 4% |
| Big business | 63% | 31% | 6% |
| The rich | 62% | 32% | 6% |
| White people | 55% | 36% | 9% |
| Christians | 53% | 35% | 12% |
| Elites | 52% | 33% | 14% |
| Men | 51% | 41% | 9% |
| Extremists | 43% | 33% | 25% |
| The media | 38% | 38% | 24% |
| Racists | 36% | 33% | 30% |
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| College-educated people | 26% | 54% | 20% |
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| Jews | 24% | 48% | 27% |
| People like me | 21% | 39% | 40% |
| Women | 21% | 51% | 29% |
| Black people | 20% | 46% | 34% |
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| Labor unions | 17% | 45% | 38% |
| Latino people | 17% | 51% | 32% |
| LGBTQ people | 13% | 38% | 49% |
| Muslims | 13% | 42% | 45% |
| Asian people | 12% | 53% | 35% |

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| BIDEN ACCOMPLISHMENTS |
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25. Below are some of President Biden's first-term accomplishments. For each, say whether you have heard of the policy:

| Progressive Issues | Have heard of | Have not heard of |
|---|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Canceling \$10,000 in student debt | 84% | 16% |
| Sending \$1,400 checks to Americans during the coronavirus pandemic | 84% | 16% |
| Standing with striking workers demanding higher pay | 71% | 29% |
| Increasing taxes on the wealthy | 70% | 30% |
| Pardoning all prior federal offenses of simple possession of marijuana | 60% | 40% |
| Providing credits for companies that develop clean energy and customers who switch to cleaner home appliances or an electric vehicle | 58% | 42% |
| Banning states from blanket policies that prevent transgender athletes from playing in the league that aligns with their preferred gender | 55% | 45% |
| Suing big tech companies for exploitative practices | 48% | 52% |
| Creating the American Climate Corps program to train young people for jobs in clean energy and climate resilience | 47% | 53% |

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| Mainstream Issues | Have heard of | Have not heard of |
|--|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Sending military aid to Ukraine to help them defend themselves | 82% | 18% |
| Withdrawing U.S. troops from Afghanistan | 75% | 25% |
| Allowing Medicare to negotiate prescription drug pricing to lower the cost of prescription drugs | 65% | 35% |
| Capping insulin at \$35 a month for seniors | 64% | 36% |
| Passing a bipartisan bill to invest in new infrastructure | 63% | 37% |
| Expanding access to medication abortion | 62% | 38% |
| Expanding the Child Tax Credit to reduce child poverty | 55% | 45% |
| Banning companies from charging hidden or misleading “junk fees” for products and services | 55% | 45% |
| Engaging in global diplomacy to advance American interests and end conflicts | 54% | 46% |
| Passing the bipartisan CHIPS and Science bill to revitalize domestic manufacturing and create jobs | 53% | 47% |
| Passing laws limiting access to guns for men convicted of domestic violence | 50% | 50% |
| Capping out-of-pocket Medicare prescription drug spending at \$2,000 a year | 49% | 51% |
| Easing oil and gas sanctions on Venezuela in return for holding free elections which will bring down U.S. gas prices | 42% | 58% |

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| Sending military aid to Israel to help them defend themselves | 75% | 25% |
| Constructing an additional 20 miles of border barriers on the U.S.-Mexico border | 59% | 41% |
| Reaching a bipartisan debt-ceiling agreement that cuts government spending and reduces the federal debt | 52% | 48% |
| Increasing the amount of oil and gas drilling in the U.S.to lower gas prices | 48% | 52% |
| Reducing the federal deficit by \$1.7 trillion | 46% | 54% |
| Increasing federal funding for the police | 46% | 54% |
| Deploying the most agents ever to the U.S.-Mexico border to reduce illegal immigrant flows | 43% | 57% |
| Preventing China from using American-made advanced AI chips | 40% | 60% |
| Instituting a ban on asylum claims from immigrants who enter the country illegally | 40% | 60% |
| Adopting a new rule preventing migrants from making asylum claims if they didn't first seek asylum in other countries they passed through | 39% | 61% |
| Keeping sentences for violent crimes like carjacking lengthy after DC tried to reduce them | 38% | 62% |
| Approving more permits for domestic oil and gas drilling than any previous president | 38% | 62% |

26. Below are some of President Biden's first-term accomplishments. For each, say whether you support or oppose the policy:

| Progressive Issues | Support | Oppose |
|---|----------------|---------------|
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