

**2025 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL
WAVE 167 POLITICS SURVEY
FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE
APRIL 7-13, 2025**

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_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

-----**MAIN QUESTIONNAIRE BEGINS HERE**-----

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PREVIOUSLY RELEASED

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TXT:

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BAT: DEMACT_IMPDP

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ASK ALL:

[PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS IN SAME ORDER AS TRUMPACT_IMPDP; ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5/5-1 BASED ON ROTATION_GEN, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION AND ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

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[PN: IF CATI: **READ FOR FIRST ITEM:**] How important is it for Democratic elected officials to **(INSERT ITEM)? (READ LIST)**

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BATTERY ITEMS:

CMN Find areas of common ground where they can work with Donald Trump
PUSH Push hard against Donald Trump's policies when they disagree

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

- 1 Extremely important
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BAT: DEMOFF_EFF

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