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Full text: In general, do you approve of the way your [MEMBERE], is handling their job?

Response	Value
Strongly approve	1
Somewhat approve	2
Somewhat disapprove	4
Strongly disapprove	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: MEMBERAPPROVE_2_POST

Full text: In general, do you approve of the way [MEMBER 2, if BIPARTISAN townhall] is handling their job?

Response	Value
Strongly approve	1
Somewhat approve	2
Somewhat disapprove	4
Strongly disapprove	5
Not sure	6

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Variable name: MEMBERAPPROVE1_ISSUE_POST

Full text: Now thinking about the issue of [COVID-19] specifically, do you approve of the way [MEMBER] is handling [COVID-19]?

Response	Value
Strongly approve	1
Somewhat approve	2
Somewhat disapprove	4
Strongly disapprove	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: MEMBERAPPROVE2_ISSUE_POST

Full text: Now thinking about the issue of [COVID-19] specifically, do you approve of the way [2nd MEMBER, if BIPARTISAN]] is handling [COVID-19]?

Response	Value
Strongly approve	1
Somewhat approve	2
Somewhat disapprove	4
Strongly disapprove	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: MEMBERTRUST1_POST

Full text: How often can you trust [MEMBER] to do what is right?

Response	Value
All of the time	1
Most of the time	2
Some of the time	3
Rarely	4
Never	5
Don't know	6

Variable name: MEMBERTRUST2_POST

Full text: How often can you trust [2nd MEMBER, if BIPARTISAN] to do what is right?

Response	Value
All of the time	1
Most of the time	2
Some of the time	3
Rarely	4
Never	5
Don't know	6

Variable name: CONGAPPROVE_POST

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Full text: In general, do you approve of the way the U.S. Congress is handling its job?

Response	Value
Strongly approve	1
Somewhat approve	2
Somewhat disapprove	4
Strongly disapprove	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: CONGTRUST_POST

Full text: How often do you trust the U.S. Congress to do what is right?

Response	Value
All of the time	1
Most of the time	2
Some of the time	3
Rarely	4
Never	5

Variable name: GOVTRUST_POST

Full text: How often can you trust government to do what is right?

Response	Value
All of the time	1
Most of the time	2
Some of the time	3
Rarely	4
Never	5

Variable name: DISHONEST_POST

Full text: In your opinion, how many of the people running the government are dishonest?

Response	Value
Nearly all	1
Quite a few	2
Not very many	3
Hardly any	4

Variable name: MEMBERPID1_POST

Full text: Is [MEMBER] a Democrat, Republican, or what?

Response	Value
Democrat	1
Republican	2

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Response	Value
Other party	3
Not sure	4

Variable name: MEMBERPID2_POST

Full text: Is [2nd MEMBER, if BIPARTISAN] a Democrat, Republican, or what?

Response	Value
Democrat	1
Republican	2
Other party	3
Not sure	4

Variable name: VOTE_INTENTION_POST

Full text: In talking to people about elections, we often find that a lot of people are not able to vote because they aren't registered, or they just don't have time. How likely do you think it is that you will vote in the 2020 U.S. general election?

Response	Value
I will definitely vote	1
I will most likely vote	2
I don't know whether or not I will vote	3
I will most likely not vote	4
I will definitely not vote	5
I am not eligible to vote	6

Variable name: REELECT1_POST

Full text: If an election for [House of Representatives / Senate] were held today, would you vote to re-elect your current [Congressperson / Senator], [MEMBER]?

Response	Value
Definitely	1
Probably	2
I'm not sure	3
Probably not	4
Definitely not	5
Don't know	6

Variable name: REELECT2_POST

Full text: If an election for [BODY OF GOVERNMENT] [MEMBER] were held today, would you vote to re-elect your current [MEMBER], [2nd MEMBER, if BIPARTISAN]?

Response	Value
Definitely	1

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Response	Value
Probably	2
I'm not sure	3
Probably not	4
Definitely not	5
Don't know	6

Variable name: DELEGATE1_ALT

Full text: Do you think your [Congressperson / Senator], [MEMBER], should follow majority opinion in \$district_ref1 or exercise their own judgment when making decisions?

Response	Value
Always follow the majority opinion	1
Usually follow the majority opinion, but occasionally exercise their own judgment	2
Follow the majority opinion about half the time, and exercise their own judgment about half the time	3
Usually exercise their own judgment, but occasionally follow the majority opinion	4
Always exercise their own judgment	5

Variable name: DELEGATE2_ALT

Full text: Do you think your [Congressperson], [2nd MEMBER, if BIPARTISAN]], should follow majority opinion in \$district_ref2 or exercise their own judgment when making decisions?

Response	Value
Always follow the majority opinion	1
Usually follow the majority opinion, but occasionally exercise their own judgment	2
Follow the majority opinion about half the time, and exercise their own judgment about half the time	3
Usually exercise their own judgment, but occasionally follow the majority opinion	4
Always exercise their own judgment	5

Variable name: virus_threat

Full text: How serious of a threat do you think COVID-19 is?

Response	Value
Extremely serious	1
Very serious	2
Somewhat serious	3
Not very serious	4

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Response	Value
Not at all serious	5

Variable name: virus_people

Full text: How would you describe the way most Americans are thinking about COVID-19?

Response	Value
They are not taking the risks seriously enough	1
They are behaving appropriately	2
They are overreacting to the actual risks of contracting the virus	3
Not sure	4

Variable name: STAKES

Full text: Some people are affected by certain issues more so than others. For what reasons do you think COVID-19 may affect you? Check all that apply.

Alias	Name
STAKES_1	I am worried I or someone I am close to will contract COVID-19
STAKES_2	I am worried that COVID-19 will disrupt my daily life
STAKES_3	I am worried that COVID-19 will disrupt my local economy
STAKES_4	I or someone I know has already contracted COVID-19
STAKES_5	COVID-19 has already disrupted my daily life
STAKES_6	COVID-19 has already disrupted my local economy
STAKES_7	None of these

Response	Value
not selected	2
selected	1

Variable name: mixmessage

Full text: Thinking about the mix of information and guidance you have gotten about the COVID-19 outbreak, which better describes you?

Response	Value
I have mostly seen the same set of facts and recommendations	1
I have mostly seen conflicting facts and recommendation	2

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Variable name: feelinformed_post

Full text: How much would you say you [agree or disagree] with the following statement; 'I feel like I have all of the information and guidance necessary to keep myself and my family safe during the outbreak.'

Response	Value
Strongly agree	1
Somewhat agree	2
Somewhat disagree	4
Strongly disagree	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: vaxavail

Full text: Which of these statements best describes the availability of a vaccine for COVID-19?

Response	Value
A vaccine will be available in about a year or more	1
A vaccine will be available in the next couple of months	2
Not sure	3

Variable name: virusorigin

Full text: From what you've seen or heard, do you think it is most likely the current strain of COVID-19. . .

Response	Value
Came about naturally	1
Was developed in a lab	2
Not sure	3

Variable name: paytest

Full text: How should the government handle pricing for citizens who have reason to believe they have been exposed to COVID-19 and voluntarily get tested for it?

Response	Value
The government should make this testing free	1
The government should set limits on how much hospitals can charge for this testing	2
The government should not interfere with the price for this testing	3

Variable name: testcenters

Full text: Do you [support or oppose] having the government provide funding to set up emergency centers to test people for COVID-19?

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Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: vaccine

Full text: A vaccine for COVID-19 is under development and should be ready for public use in 12 to 18 months. In your view, how should the government handle pricing for the COVID-19 vaccine?

Response	Value
The government should make the COVID-19 vaccine free for all	1
The government should set limits on how much companies can charge for a dose of the COVID-19 vaccine	2
The government should not interfere with the price of the COVID-19 vaccine	3

Variable name: defenseproduction

Full text: Do you [support or oppose] taking emergency steps through the Defense Production Act to require companies to produce vital medical supplies, including personal protective equipment?

Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: sickleave

Full text: Do you [support or oppose] requiring businesses to provide at least two weeks of paid leave for employees who contract COVID-19?

Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

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Variable name: shelterinplace

Full text: Do you support or oppose closing all schools and non-essential businesses as part of a “shelter in place” order to slow the spread of COVID-19?

Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: quarantine_individual

Full text: Do you [support or oppose] mandatory at-home quarantines for any individual who tests positive for COVID-19? This would make it illegal for these citizens to leave their homes until they are no longer infected or contagious.

Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: quarantine_city

Full text: Do you [support or oppose] quarantining localities (i.e. cities or counties) with high rates of COVID-19 infection? This would make it illegal for citizens to leave these localities until infection rates decline.

Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: restrict_international

Full text: Do you [support or oppose] restricting travel to and from countries with high rates of COVID-19 infection?

Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

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Variable name: restrict_domestic

Full text: Do you [support or oppose] restricting travel to and from states with high rates of COVID-19 infection?

Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: unemployment

Full text: Do you [support or oppose] having the government provide cash assistance to people who are either laid off, furloughed, or are otherwise unable to work due to COVID-19?

Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: bailout

Full text: Do you [support or oppose] having the government provide cash assistance to businesses that are adversely affected by COVID-19?

Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: taxcut

Full text: Do you [support or oppose] having the government provide temporary tax cuts to businesses that are adversely affected by COVID-19?

Response	Value
Strongly support	1
Somewhat support	2
Somewhat oppose	4
Strongly oppose	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: criteria

Full text: What criteria do you think we should use to determine when businesses and schools should re-open?

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Please select up to three options.

Alias	Name
criteria_1	When an effective treatment is widely available
criteria_2	When we have a widely available vaccine
criteria_3	When it is possible to test widely for immunity to COVID-19
criteria_4	After infections have peaked nationally
criteria_5	After infections have peaked in the state
criteria_6	If a given municipality or county has a low number of infections
criteria_7	If unemployment exceeds 25%, allow non-essential businesses to reopen
criteria_8	If the total stimulus approaches \$10 trillion, i.e. about 50% of our national debt
criteria_9	We should already be opening up businesses and schools for healthy individuals under age 65
criteria_10	Businesses and schools should already be open

Response	Value
not selected	2
selected	1

Variable name: openwedge

Full text: Even if it's not exactly right, which of the following is closest to your view?

Response	Value
We shouldn't allow people to go back to work too soon and risk a resurgence of COVID-19 infections, which might lead to more economic damage anyway	1
We shouldn't wait too long to allow people to go back to work and prolong the economic damage, which might lead to more deaths and suffering from other causes	2

Variable name: opendecide

Full text: Who should have the most influence on when we reopen schools and businesses?

Response	Value
National public health officials (e.g., Centers for Disease Control)	1
State public health officials	2
Local elected representatives (e.g., mayors and county officials)	3

Response	Value
Governors	4
The President	5

Variable name: trustgov_virus

Full text: How well prepared do you think the federal government is for dealing with an epidemic such as COVID-19?

Response	Value
Completely prepared	1
Mostly prepared	2
Not very prepared	3
Not at all prepared	4

Variable name: virus_preparedness_us

Full text: How well prepared do you think the state of \$state is for dealing with an epidemic such as COVID-19?

Response	Value
Very prepared	1
Somewhat prepared	2
Not very prepared	3
Not at all prepared	4

Variable name: virus_preparedness_local

Full text: How well prepared do you think your local government is for dealing with an epidemic such as COVID-19?

Response	Value
Very prepared	1
Somewhat prepared	2
Not very prepared	3
Not at all prepared	4

Variable name: prospective_attention

Full text: In the future, would you say that you will. . .

Response	Value
Pay very close attention to the issue of COVID-19	1
Pay some attention to the issue of COVID-19	2
Pay little attention to the issue of COVID-19	3
Pay no attention to the issue of COVID-19	4

Variable name: party_own

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Full text: Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think \$party_name_order is more likely to make the right decisions when it comes to COVID-19?

Response	Value
The Democratic Party	1
The Republican Party	2
No difference	3
Not sure	4

Variable name: changebehavior_post

Full text: Some people are going about their daily lives at the moment as normal, while others have had their routines change dramatically as COVID-19 has spread. How would you say that each of your following behaviors have changed as a result of COVID-19, also known as COVID-19?

Alias	Name
corona_prep_mask	Worn a face mask when in public
corona_prep_stayedhome	Stayed home
corona_prep_changeplans	Changed or canceled travel plans
corona_prep_socialplans	Changed or canceled social plans
corona_prep_avoidpeople	Avoided events where there would be more than a few people
corona_prep_avoidpublictransit	Avoided public transportation
corona_prep_workfromhome	Worked from home instead of going to your usual place of work
corona_prep_washhands	Washed your hands more often or more thoroughly than last month
corona_prep_avoidtouch	Avoided touching your eyes, nose, or mouth
corona_prep_distance	Kept a distance of at least six feet from other people

Response	Value
It has changed dramatically	1
It has changed somewhat	2
It has only changed a little	3
It has not changed at all	4
Not sure	5

Variable name: shelterstay

Full text: If required “shelter in place” were only advisory (“safer at home”) would that change how much you stay at home?

Response	Value
Definitely	1
Probably	2
Probably not	3

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Response	Value
Definitely not	4
Not sure	5

Variable name: sharepost

Full text: Would you be willing to share what you have learned at the forum with a colleague, friend, or loved one?

Response	Value
Yes	1
No	2
Not sure	3

Variable name: panelistpost

Full text: How much would you say you [agree or disagree] with the following statement: "I feel like the panelists at the forum presented a clear and consistent set of facts and recommendations to help keep myself, my family, and the community safe during the outbreak."

Response	Value
Completely agree	1
Mostly agree	2
Somewhat agree	3
Don't really agree	4
Don't really agree at all	5

Variable name: forumuseful

Full text: Generally speaking, how useful do you think the forum was?

Response	Value
Very useful	1
Somewhat useful	2
Not very useful	3
Not at all useful	4

Variable name: CARE_SELF

Full text: Please indicate the extent to which you [agree or disagree] with the following statement: "Public officials don't care what people like me think."

Response	Value
Strongly agree	1
Somewhat agree	2
Somewhat disagree	4
Strongly disagree	5
Not sure	6

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Variable name: INFLUENCE_SELF

Full text: Please indicate the extent to which you [agree or disagree] with the following statement: "People like me can't influence government decisions."

Response	Value
Strongly agree	1
Somewhat agree	2
Somewhat disagree	4
Strongly disagree	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: COMPLICATED_SELF

Full text: Please indicate the extent to which you [agree or disagree] with the following statement: "Sometimes politics and government seem so complicated that a person like me can't really understand what is going on."

Response	Value
Strongly agree	1
Somewhat agree	2
Somewhat disagree	4
Strongly disagree	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: IDEAS_SELF

Full text: Please indicate the extent to which you [agree or disagree] with the following statement: "People like me have ideas about politics and policy that people in government should listen to."

Response	Value
Strongly agree	1
Somewhat agree	2
Somewhat disagree	4
Strongly disagree	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: dempols

Full text: We would like to get your feelings toward various groups using what is called the feeling thermometer scale. Ratings between 50 degrees and 100 degrees mean that you feel favorable and warm toward the group. Ratings between 0 degrees and 50 degrees mean that you don't feel favorable toward the group and that you don't care too much for that group. You would rate the group at the 50 degree mark if you don't feel particularly warm or cold toward it. How do you feel toward. . .

Summary	Value
Min.	0
1st Qu.	6
Median	50
Mean	48.15
3rd Qu.	85

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Summary	Value
Max.	100
NA's	6
SD	38.18

Variable name: reppols

Full text: We would like to get your feelings toward various groups using what is called the feeling thermometer scale. Ratings between 50 degrees and 100 degrees mean that you feel favorable and warm toward the group. Ratings between 0 degrees and 50 degrees mean that you don't feel favorable toward the group and that you don't care too much for that group. You would rate the group at the 50 degree mark if you don't feel particularly warm or cold toward it. How do you feel toward. . .

Summary	Value
Min.	0
1st Qu.	7
Median	33
Mean	39.22
3rd Qu.	70
Max.	99
NA's	4
SD	33.19

Variable name: demord

Full text: Now we would like to get your feelings toward ordinary members of the two major parties. By ordinary members of the parties, we mean people in the general public who would call themselves Democrats or Republicans, NOT politicians. How do you feel toward. . .

Summary	Value
Min.	0
1st Qu.	31
Median	51
Mean	55.49
3rd Qu.	88
Max.	100
NA's	8
SD	34.19

Variable name: repord

Full text: Now we would like to get your feelings toward ordinary members of the two major parties. By ordinary members of the parties, we mean people in the general public who would call themselves Democrats or Republicans, NOT politicians. How do you feel toward. . .

Summary	Value
Min.	0
1st Qu.	21

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Summary	Value
Median	50
Mean	46.87
3rd Qu.	75
Max.	100
NA's	6
SD	31.04

Variable name: OPENASK

Full text: If you could ask your member of Congress one thing about [COVID-19], what would it be?

Summary
Variable is an open response or text variable

Variable name: OPENTELL

Full text: If you could tell your member of Congress one thing about [COVID-19], what would it be?

Summary
Variable is an open response or text variable

Variable name: AFFECTSELF

Full text: In your own words, how has [COVID-19] affected you personally?

Summary
Variable is an open response or text variable

Variable name: AFFECTOTHERS

Full text: In your own words, how has [COVID-19] affected your friends, family, or local community?

Summary
Variable is an open response or text variable

Variable name: track

Full text: Would you say things in this country today are. . .

Response	Value
Generally headed in the right direction	1
Off on the wrong track	2
Not sure	3

Variable name: app_dtrmp

Full text: Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as President?

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Response	Value
Strongly approve	1
Somewhat approve	2
Somewhat disapprove	3
Strongly disapprove	4
Not sure	5

Variable name: e14_presvote12

Full text: Which candidate did you vote for in the 2012 Presidential election?

Response	Value
Barack Obama	1
Mitt Romney	2
Other candidate	3
I did not vote	4

Variable name: e14_presvote12_t

Full text: Who did you vote for in the election for President?

Summary
Variable is an open response or text variable

Variable name: turnout16

Full text: Did you vote in the election on Tuesday, November 8, 2016?

Response	Value
Yes	1
No	2

Variable name: presvote16post

Full text: Who did you vote for in the election for President in 2016?

Response	Value
Hillary Clinton	1
Donald Trump	2
Gary Johnson	3
Jill Stein	4
Evan McMullin	5
Other	6
Did not vote for President	7

Variable name: presvote16post_t

Full text: Who did you vote for in the election for President?

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Summary

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Variable name: turnout18post

Full text: Did you vote in the November 2018 general election?

Response	Value
Yes	1
No	2

Variable name: housevote18post

Full text: In the elections for U.S. House of Representatives, who did you vote for in the district where you live?

Response	Value
Democratic candidate	1
Republican candidate	2
Independent candidate	3
Other candidate	5
Did not vote for U.S. House	6

Variable name: housevote18post_t

Full text: Who did you vote for in the election for U.S. House?

Summary

Variable is an open response or text variable

Variable name: pid3

Full text: Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a . . . ?

Response	Value
Democrat	1
Republican	2
Independent	3
Other	4
Not sure	5

Variable name: pid3_t

Full text:

Summary

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Variable name: pid7

Full text: Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a . . . ?

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Response	Value
Strong Democrat	1
Not very strong Democrat	2
Lean Democrat	3
Independent	4
Lean Republican	5
Not very strong Republican	6
Strong Republican	7
Not sure	8

Variable name: pid3_condensed

Full text: Party ID (3 category)

Response	Value
Democrat	1
Republican	2
Independent/Other	3

Variable name: ideo5

Full text: In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Response	Value
Very liberal	1
Liberal	2
Moderate	3
Conservative	4
Very conservative	5
Not sure	6

Variable name: ideo3

Full text: Ideology (3 category)

Response	Value
Liberal/Very Liberal	1
Moderate	2
Conservative/Very conservative	3

Variable name: pp18_polactions

Full text: Some people participate in politics in various ways other than voting, while others do not. Which of the following, if any, have you done in the last 6 months? (Check all that apply)

Alias	Name
pp18_polactions_1	Volunteered for a candidate, political party, or other political organization

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Alias	Name
pp18_polactions_2	Attended a rally or protest
pp18_polactions_3	Called or wrote to an elected official
pp18_polactions_4	Attended a town hall held by an elected official
pp18_polactions_5	Posted about politics on social media
pp18_polactions_6	Made a donation to a candidate, party, or other political organization
pp18_polactions_7	Other
pp18_polactions_8	I have not done any of the above

Response	Value
not selected	2
selected	1

Variable name: pp18_polactions_t

Full text: Some people participate in politics in various ways other than voting, while others do not. Which of the following, if any, have you done in the last 6 months? (Check all that apply)

Summary
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Variable name: SOURCES

Full text: In the past week, did you get news from any of the following sources? Please select all that apply:

Alias	Name
SOURCES_1	CNN
SOURCES_2	Fox News
SOURCES_3	MSNBC
SOURCES_4	Other Cable News TV Networks
SOURCES_5	Local TV News
SOURCES_6	National nightly network TV news
SOURCES_7	News websites or apps
SOURCES_8	Your local daily print newspaper
SOURCES_9	National print newspapers
SOURCES_10	News on the radio
SOURCES_11	Late night comedy shows
SOURCES_12	Facebook
SOURCES_13	Twitter
SOURCES_14	Reddit
SOURCES_15	YouTube
SOURCES_18	Podcasts
SOURCES_16	Other social media such as LinkedIn, Instagram, or Snapchat

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Alias	Name
SOURCES_17	None of these

Response	Value
not selected	2
selected	1

Variable name: socialmediause

Full text: Which of the following social media platforms have you used recently? Please select all that apply.

Alias	Name
socialmediause_1	Discord
socialmediause_2	Facebook
socialmediause_3	Instagram
socialmediause_4	LinkedIn
socialmediause_5	Pinterest
socialmediause_6	reddit
socialmediause_7	Snapchat
socialmediause_8	Tik-Tok
socialmediause_9	Tumblr
socialmediause_10	Twitch
socialmediause_11	Twitter
socialmediause_12	WhatsApp, GroupMe, or another texting app
socialmediause_13	YouTube
socialmediause_14	Other
socialmediause_15	I do not use social media

Response	Value
not selected	2
selected	1

Variable name: socialmediause_t

Full text:

Summary
Variable is an open response or text variable

Variable name: birthyr

Full text: In what year were you born?

Summary	Value
Min.	1936

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Summary	Value
1st Qu.	1953
Median	1960
Mean	1965
3rd Qu.	1978
Max.	1995
SD	15.47

Variable name: age5

Full text: What is your age?

Response	Value
18-29	1
30-44	2
45-54	3
55-64	4
65+	5

Variable name: gender

Full text: Are you. . . ?

Response	Value
Male	1
Female	2

Variable name: educ

Full text: What is the highest level of education you have completed?

Response	Value
No HS	1
High school graduate	2
Some college	3
2-year	4
4-year	5
Post-grad	6

Variable name: educ4

Full text: What is the highest level of education you have completed?

Response	Value
High school or less	1
Some college	2
College grad	3
Postgrad	4

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Variable name: educ2

Full text: What is the highest level of education you have completed?

Response	Value
Less than college	1
College	2

Variable name: race

Full text: What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

Response	Value
White	1
Black	2
Hispanic	3
Asian	4
Native American	5
Middle Eastern	8
Mixed	6
Other	7

Variable name: race_t

Full text:

Summary
Variable is an open response or text variable

Variable name: race4

Full text: What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

Response	Value
White	1
Black	2
Hispanic	3
Other	4

Variable name: race3

Full text: What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

Response	Value
White/other	1
Black	2
Hispanic	3

Variable name: race2

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Full text: What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

Response	Value
White	1
Non-white	2

Variable name: hispanic

Full text: Are you of Spanish, Latino, or Hispanic origin or descent?

Response	Value
Yes	1
No	2

Variable name: anychild

Full text: At any point in your life have you been a parent or guardian of a child, or not?

Response	Value
Yes	1
No	2

Variable name: child18

Full text: Are you the parent or guardian of any children under the age of 18?

Response	Value
Yes	1
No	2

Variable name: marstat

Full text: What is your marital status?

Response	Value
Married	1
Separated	2
Divorced	3
Widowed	4
Never married	5
Domestic / civil partnership	6

Variable name: sexuality

Full text: With which group do you most closely identify?

Response	Value
Heterosexual / straight	1
Lesbian / gay woman	2

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Response	Value
Gay man	3
Bisexual	4
Other	5
Prefer not to say	6

Variable name: urbancity

Full text: How would you describe the place where you live?

Response	Value
City	1
Suburb	2
Town	3
Rural area	4
Other	5

Variable name: urbancity_t

Full text: How would you describe the place where you live?

Summary
Variable is an open response or text variable

Variable name: urbancity3

Full text: Combined 'city,' 'suburb/town,' 'rural area/other' classification

Response	Value
Urban	1
Suburban	2
Rural	3

Variable name: faminc_new

Full text: Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

Response	Value
Less than \$10,000	1
\$10,000 - \$19,999	2
\$20,000 - \$29,999	3
\$30,000 - \$39,999	4
\$40,000 - \$49,999	5
\$50,000 - \$59,999	6
\$60,000 - \$69,999	7
\$70,000 - \$79,999	8
\$80,000 - \$99,999	9
\$100,000 - \$119,999	10

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Response	Value
\$120,000 - \$149,999	11
\$150,000 - \$199,999	12
\$200,000 - \$249,999	13
\$250,000 - \$349,999	14
\$350,000 - \$499,999	15
\$500,000 or more	16
Prefer not to say	97

Variable name: faminc5

Full text: Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

Response	Value
Less Than \$30,000	1
\$30,000 - \$59,999	2
\$60,000 - \$99,999	3
\$100,000 - \$149,999	4
\$150,000+	5
Prefer not to say	6

Variable name: employ

Full text: Which of the following best describes your current employment status?

Response	Value
Full-time	1
Part-time	2
Temporarily laid off	3
Unemployed	4
Retired	5
Permanently disabled	6
Homemaker	7
Student	8
Other	9

Variable name: job

Full text:

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Variable name: primary_occupation

Full text: What best describes your primary occupation?

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Response	Value
Entertainment, music, and arts	1
Government administration	2
Hospitality	3
Legal professional	4
Community and social services	5
Protective services, including military	6
Writer, editor, journalist, media	7
Teacher, instructor, librarian	8
Sales and related occupations	9
Business/finance support	10
Personal care	11
Food preparation and service	12
Management	13
Office, administrative, legal support	14
Engineer	15
Life, physical, and social science	16
Computer programmer, coder, or developer	17
Healthcare professional	18

Variable name: union_combined

Full text: Are you a current or retired member of a labor union? If no, is any member of your household a union member? Check all that apply.

Alias	Name
union_combined_1	Yes, current member
union_combined_5	Yes, retired member
union_combined_2	Yes, someone in household is a current member
union_combined_6	Yes, someone in household is a retired member
union_combined_3	No one in household is a member
union_combined_4	Not sure

Response	Value
not selected	2
selected	1

Variable name: newsint

Full text: Some people seem to follow what's going on in government and public affairs most of the time, whether there's an election going on or not. Others aren't that interested. Would you say you follow what's going on in government and public affairs ...

Response	Value
Most of the time	1
Some of the time	2

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Response	Value
Only now and then	3
Hardly at all	4
Don't know	7

Variable name: religpew

Full text: What is your present religion, if any?

Response	Value
Protestant	1
Roman Catholic	2
Mormon	3
Eastern or Greek Orthodox	4
Jewish	5
Muslim	6
Buddhist	7
Hindu	8
Atheist	9
Agnostic	10
Nothing in particular	11
Something else	12

Variable name: religpew_t

Full text: What is your present religion, if any?

Summary
Variable is an open response or text variable

Variable name: pew_bornagain

Full text: Would you describe yourself as a "born-again" or evangelical Christian, or not?

Response	Value
Yes	1
No	2

Variable name: pew_churatd

Full text: Aside from weddings and funerals, how often do you attend religious services?

Response	Value
More than once a week	1
Once a week	2
Once or twice a month	3
A few times a year	4
Seldom	5

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Response	Value
Never	6
Don't know	7

Variable name: lostwork

Full text: Have you or someone in your household lost a job, been put on leave, or otherwise had your hours reduced because of the COVID-19 pandemic?

Response	Value
Yes	1
No	2
No, but expect to	3

Variable name: PRECARIETY

Full text: Which of the following do you have? Check all that apply.

Alias	Name
PRECARIETY_1	Money set aside in case of an emergency?
PRECARIETY_2	A checking account at a bank or creditunion?
PRECARIETY_3	A savings account?
PRECARIETY_4	A place where you cash checks that is not a bank?
PRECARIETY_5	A credit card, such as Visa or MasterCard?
PRECARIETY_6	A loan from a bank or credit union, such as for a car?
PRECARIETY_7	A car, truck, or other vehicle?
PRECARIETY_8	Stocks or mutual funds?

Response	Value
not selected	2
selected	1

Variable name: response_id

Full text:

Summary
Variable is an open response or text variable