

October 2025 Polling

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Methodology: polling

J.L. Partners polled a nationally representative sample of 1,004 registered voters.

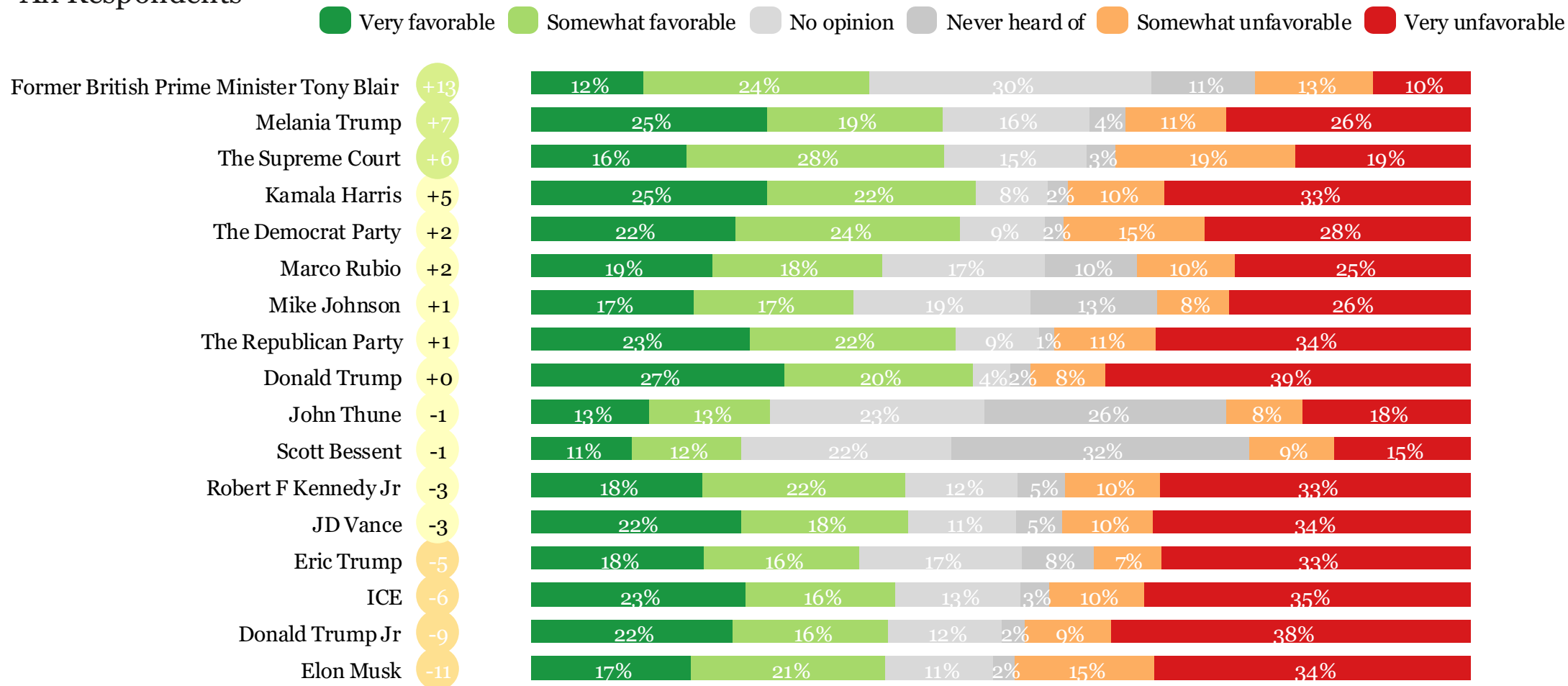
- Fieldwork dates of October 14 – October 15, 2025
- Sample of 1,004 registered voters collected online
- Quotas were added to ensure representative data:
 - On region, 2024 presidential vote, partisan ID, age, gender, ethnicity, education and density
- The sample was weighted back to the population using data on the same variables:
 - On region, 2024 presidential vote, partisan ID, age, gender, ethnicity, education and density
- 20-minute duration
- Margin of error: 3.1%



Approval and favorability

Former British PM Tony Blair is seen most favorably among public sector peers; Elon Musk and Trump Jr. trail behind

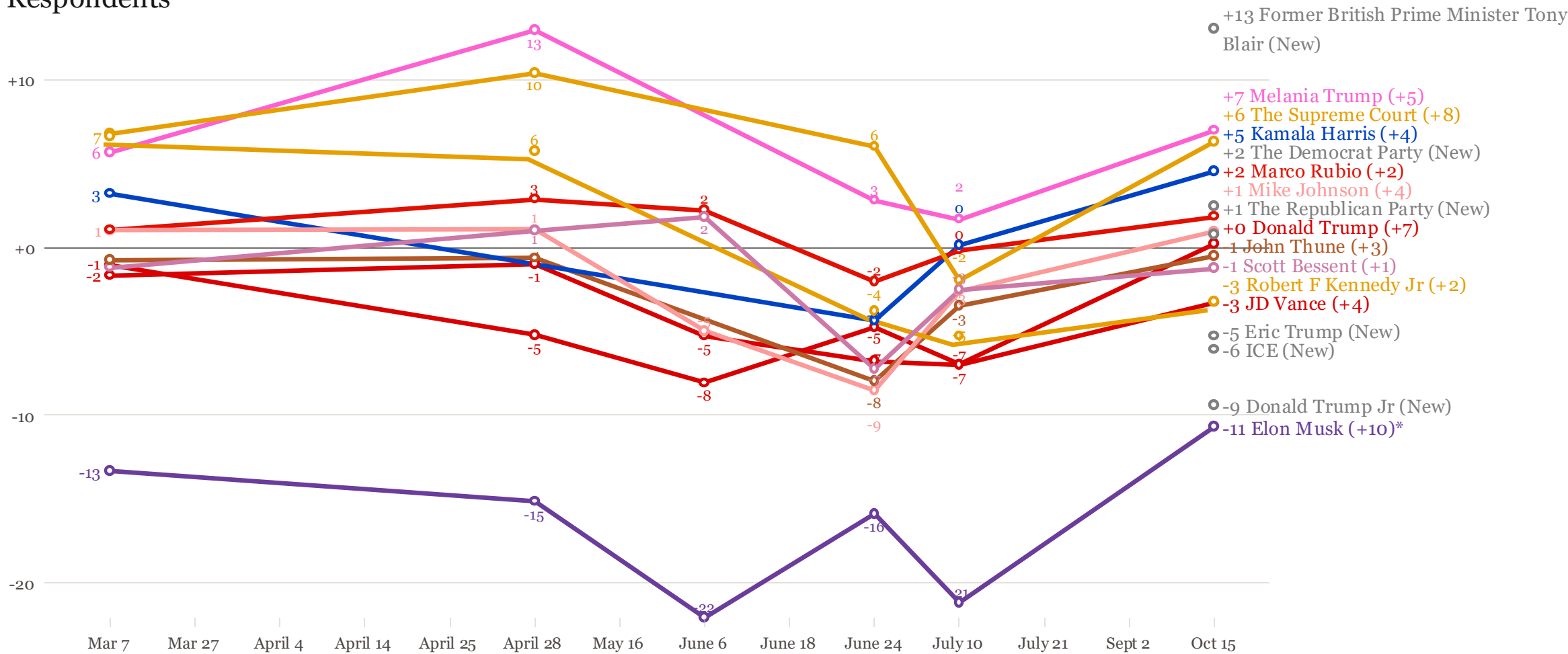
All Respondents



Q: How favorable or unfavorable a view do you have of the following?

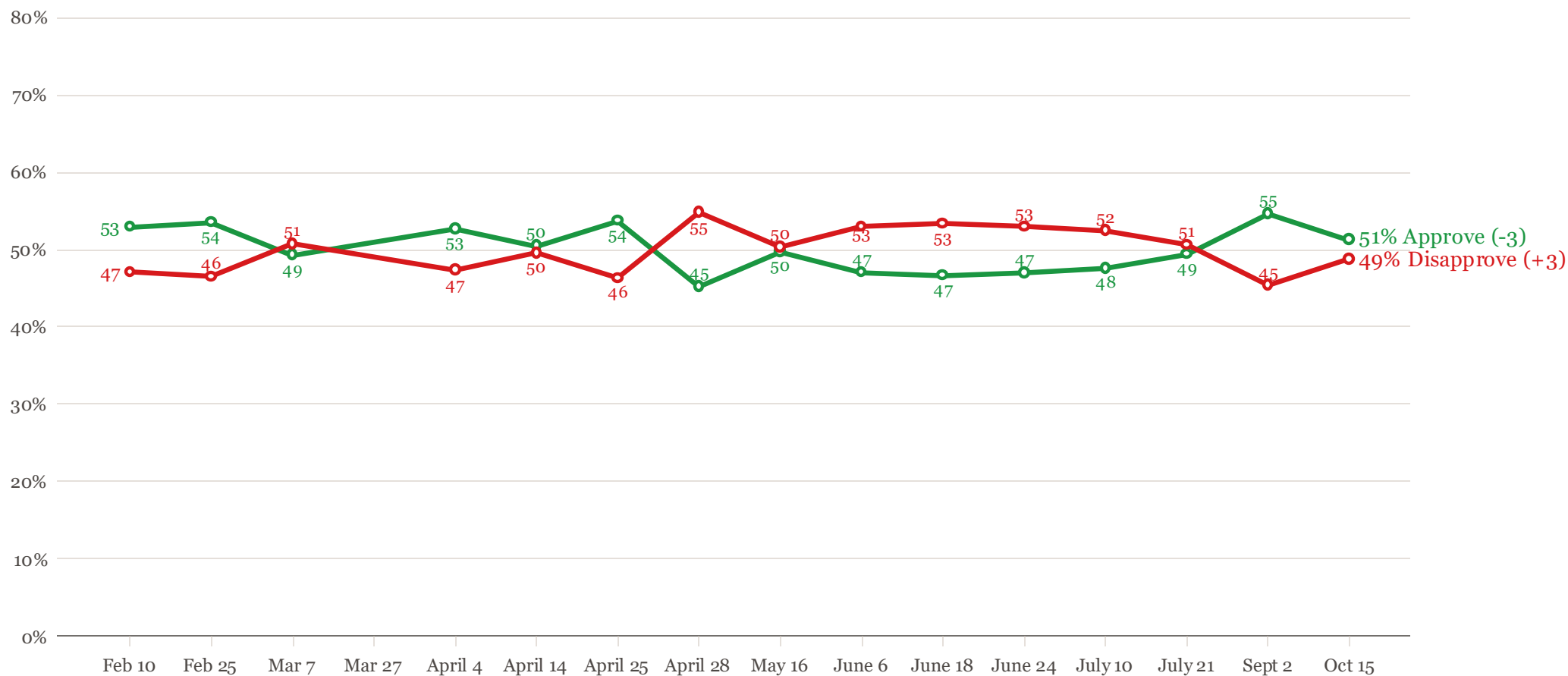
Elon Musk and the Supreme Court have seen the biggest boost in positivity since the summer

All Respondents



Q: How favorable or unfavorable a view do you have of the following?

Trump's approval rating has ticked down to 51% but remains in positive territory

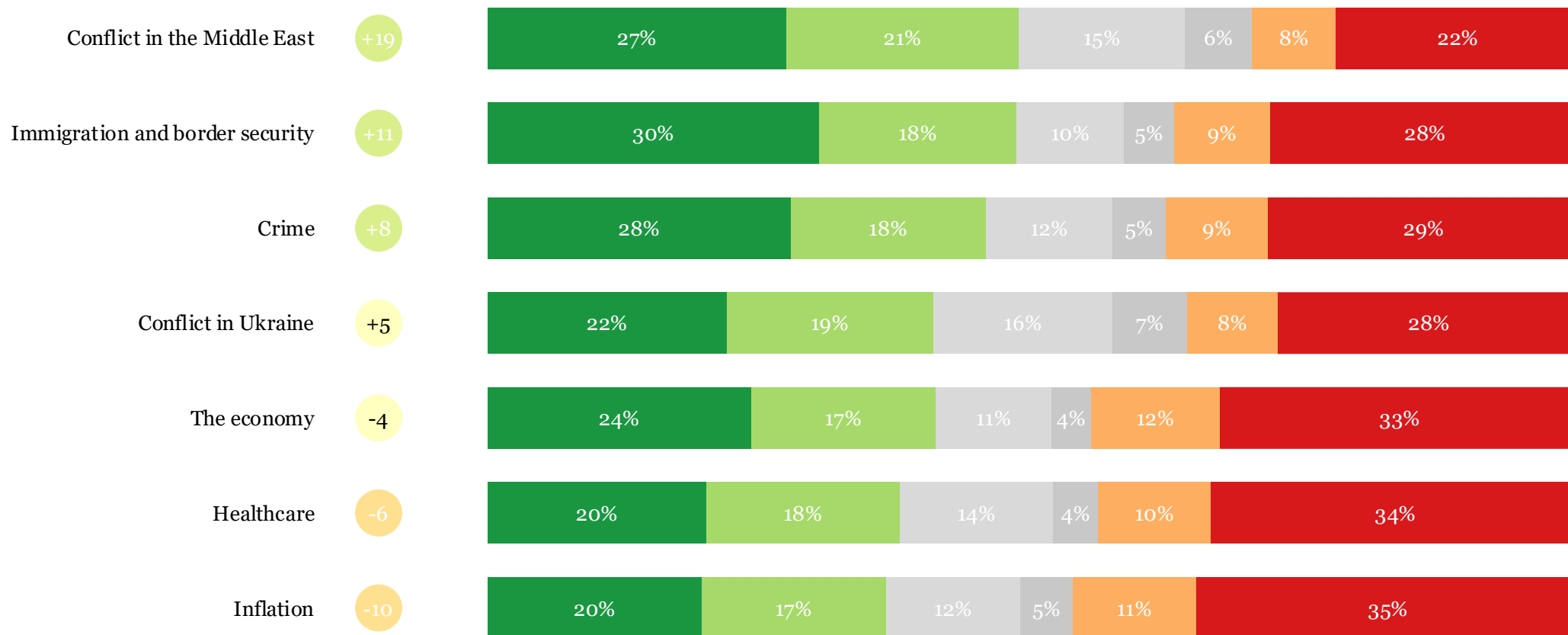


Q: Do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as President?

Voters show strongest approval for Trump's handling of the Middle East, immigration, and crime

All Respondents

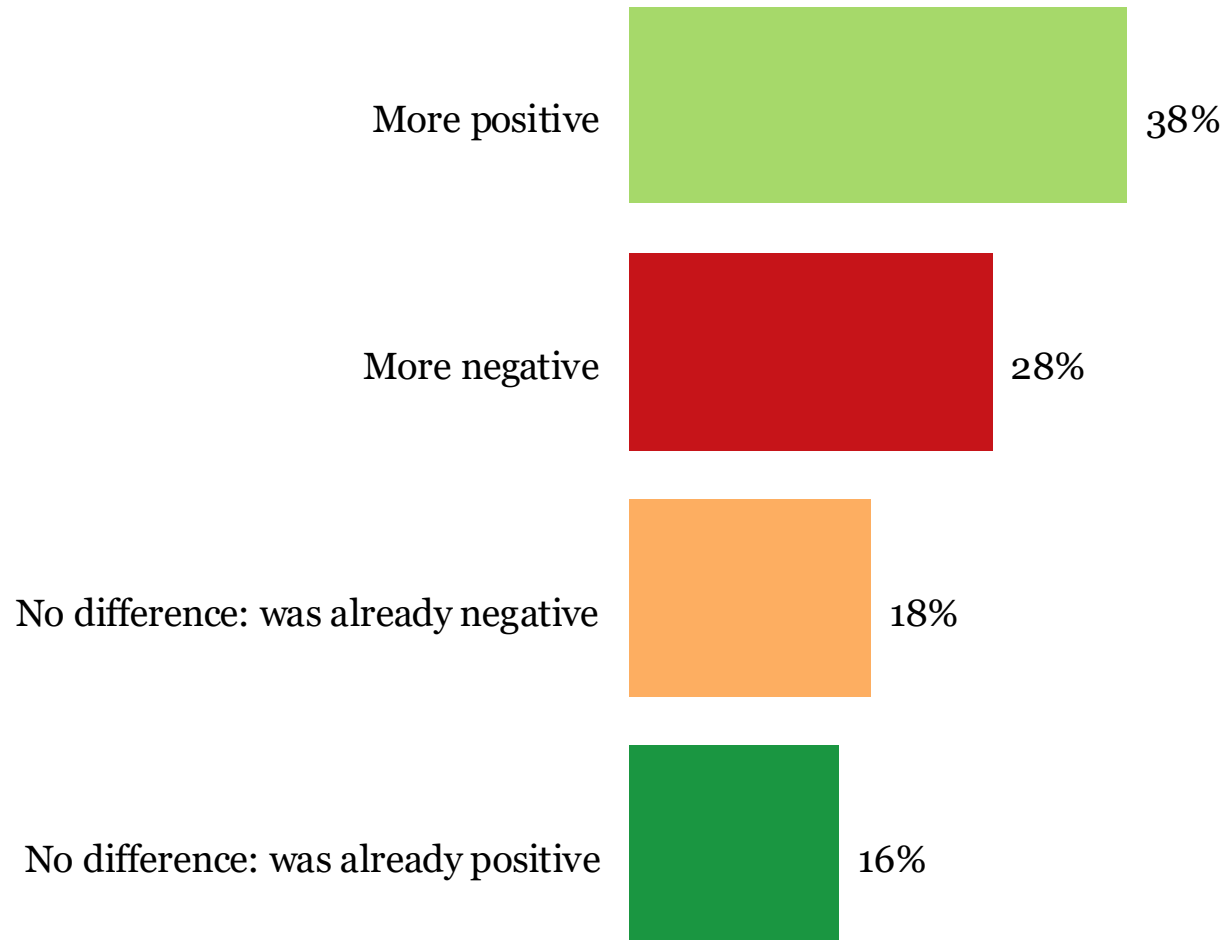
Strongly approve Somewhat approve Neither approve nor disapprove Unsure Somewhat disapprove Strongly disapprove



Q: Do you approve or disapprove of Donald Trump's handling of the following issues?

More than one-third (38%) of voters say their view of Trump has become more positive in the last couple of weeks

All Respondents



Q: Overall, would you say your view of Donald Trump has become more positive or negative in the last couple of weeks?

Increasingly negative views of Trump are stemmed in economic concerns, such as tariffs, inflation and the cost of living

Asked to those who said they had a more negative view of Trump over the past few weeks



Top response themes

1. Dishonesty/corruption (c.60 mentions)

- "His lies and push of disinformation is appalling."
- "He just continues to do whatever benefits himself, he lies, he is uneducated, racist."
- "He has lied since day one of his 2nd term."

2. Authoritarianism/abuse of power (c.45 mentions)

- "He is becoming less and less mentally stable... an embarrassment to our country."
- "He's deploying military on American cities for intimidation."
- "He is acting like a dictator and not like a President."

3. Economy/inflation/tariffs (c.42 mentions)

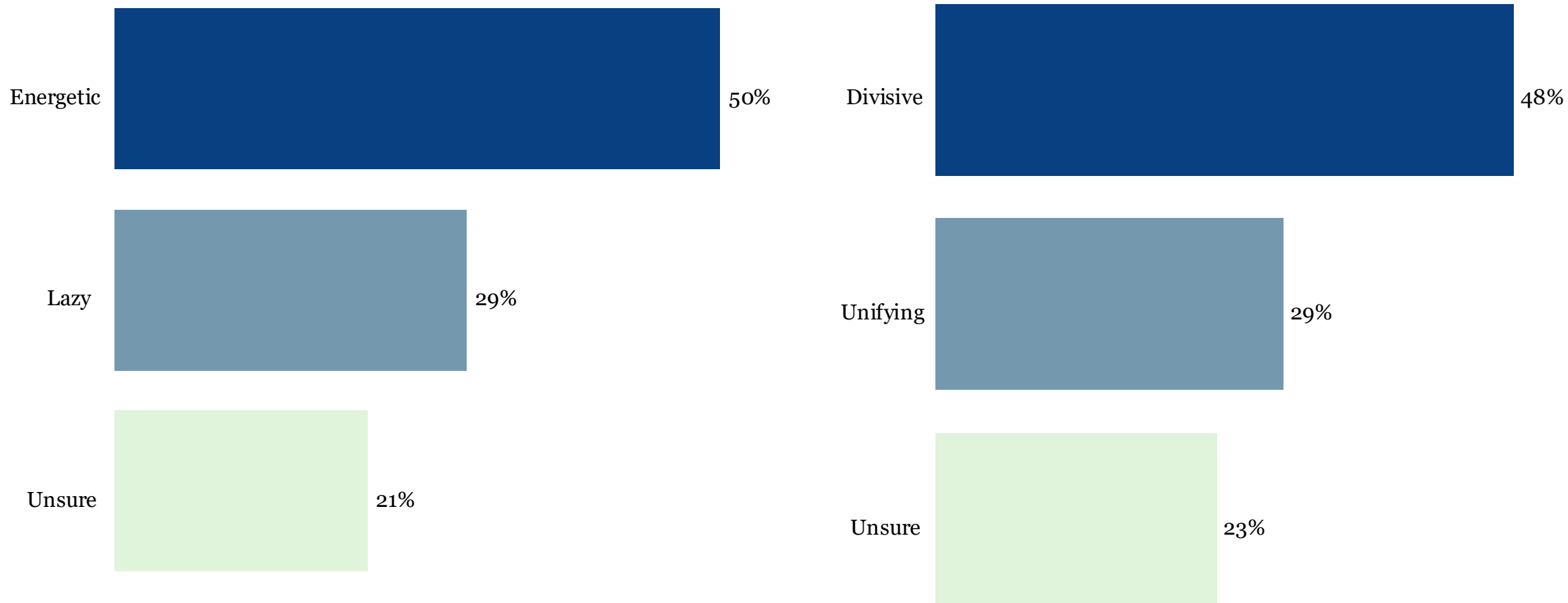
- "Inflation prices are out of control."
- "He added tariff and it's hurting."
- "I can't afford groceries and basic necessities with me and 2 jobs."

Please note the government shutdown only received c.12 mentions.

Q: Why has your view of Trump become more negative? Please write a sentence or two explaining your answer.

About half of the electorate would describe the Trump administration as “energetic” and “divisive”

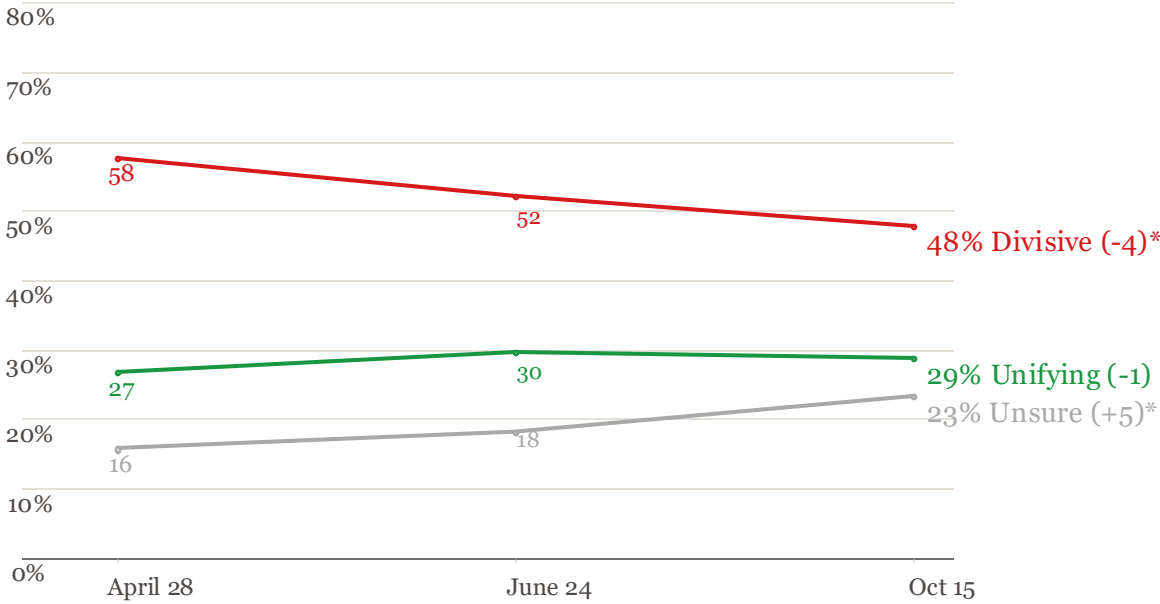
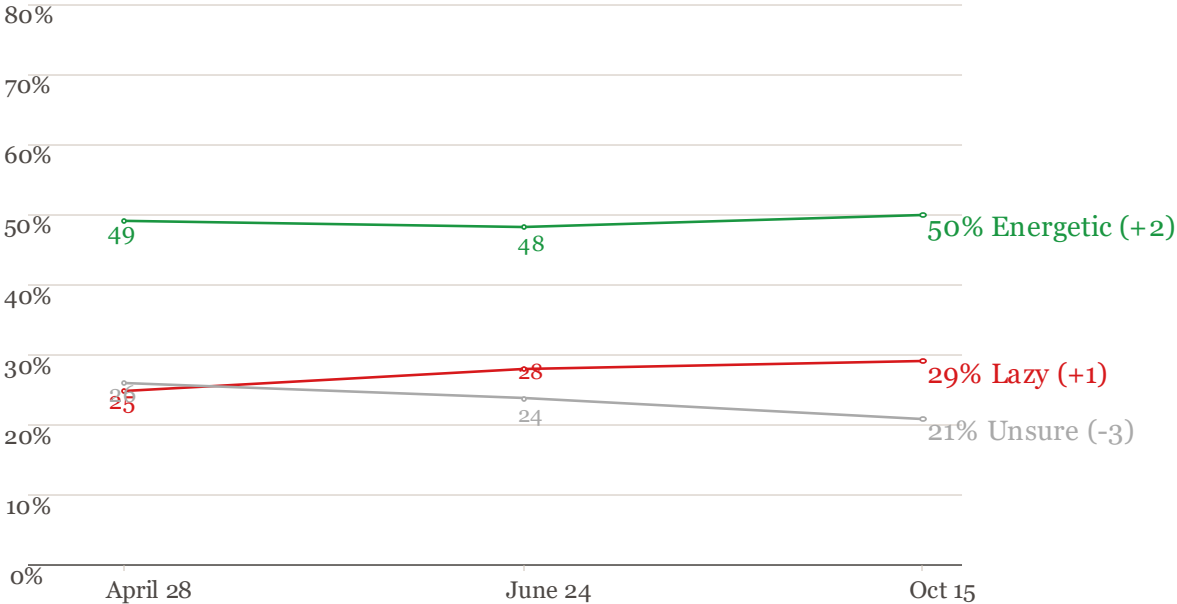
All Respondents



Q: For each of the following pair of words, choose which most sums up Trump and the Trump administration so far:

10% fewer people would describe Trump’s administration as “divisive” since this spring

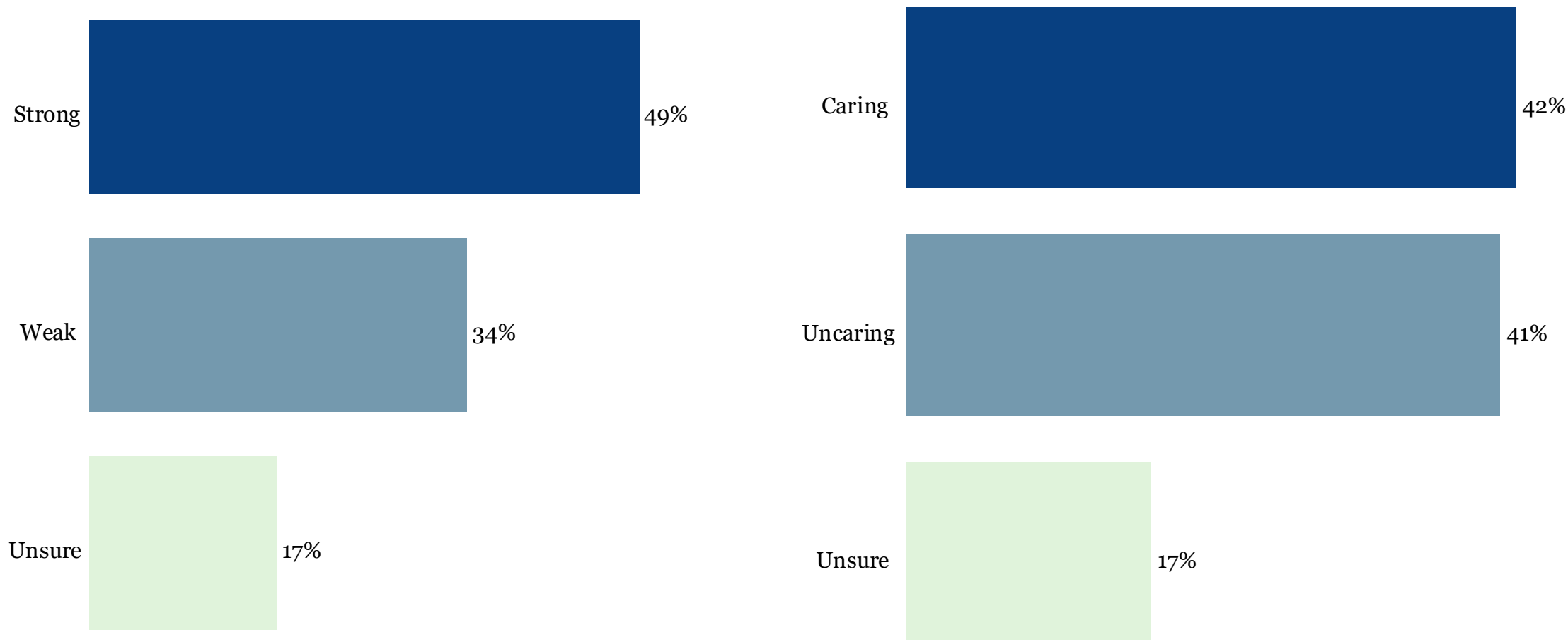
All Respondents



Q: For each of the following pair of words, choose which most sums up Trump and the Trump administration so far:

Half of voters would describe the Trump administration as “strong”, but are divided on whether it’s “caring”

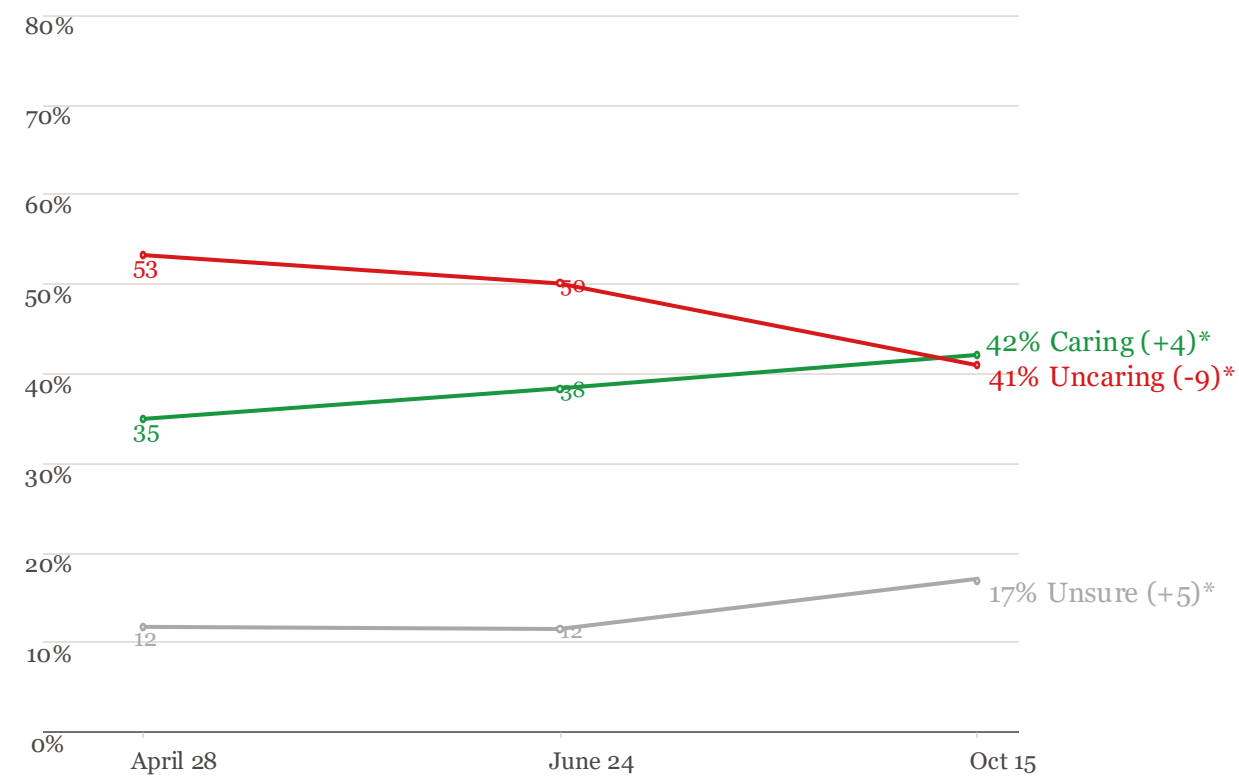
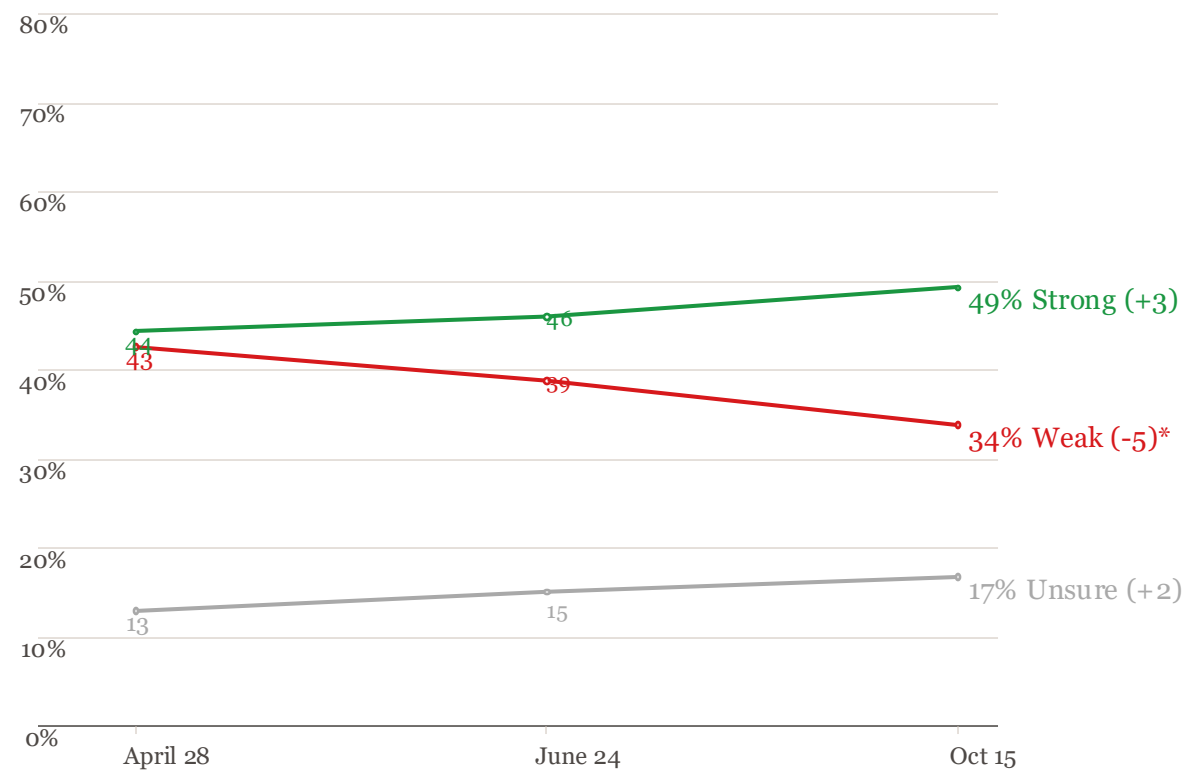
All Respondents



Q: For each of the following pair of words, choose which most sums up Trump and the Trump administration so far:

Since this spring, fewer people would sum up Trump’s administration as "weak" and “uncaring”

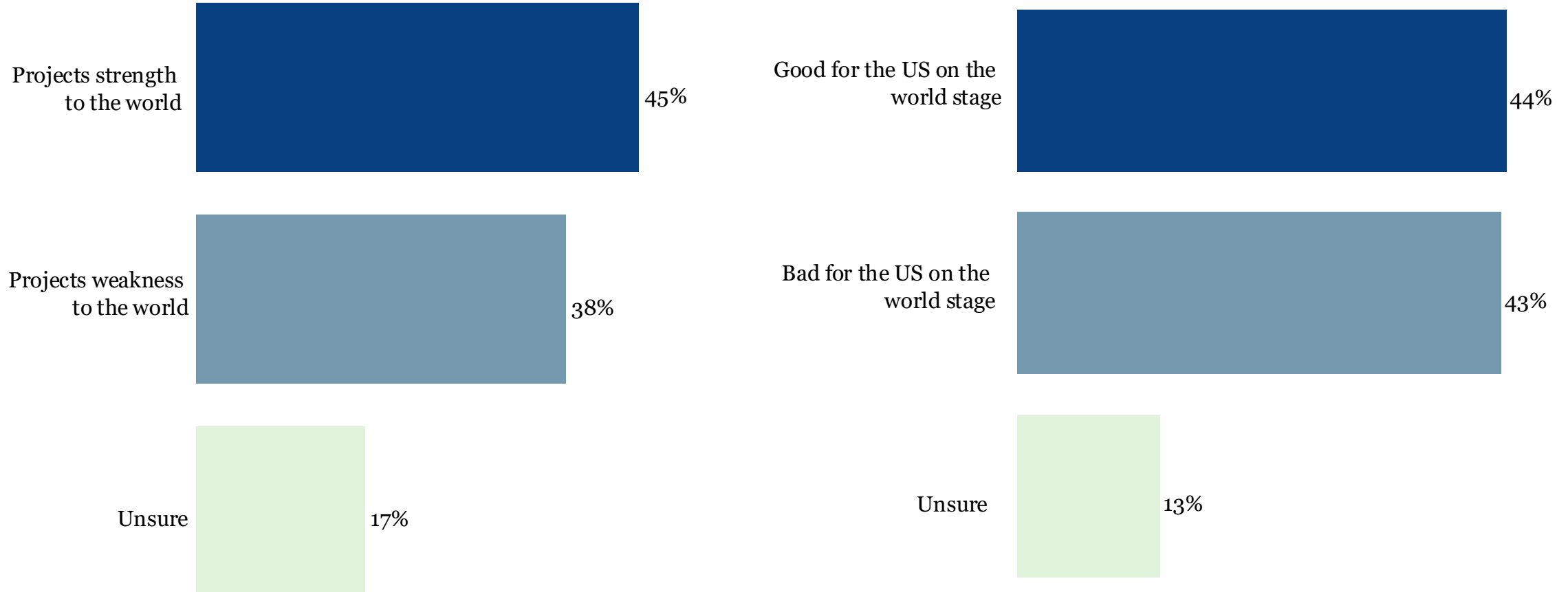
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Voters are split on whether Trump projects strength onto the world, and what this means for the US on the world stage

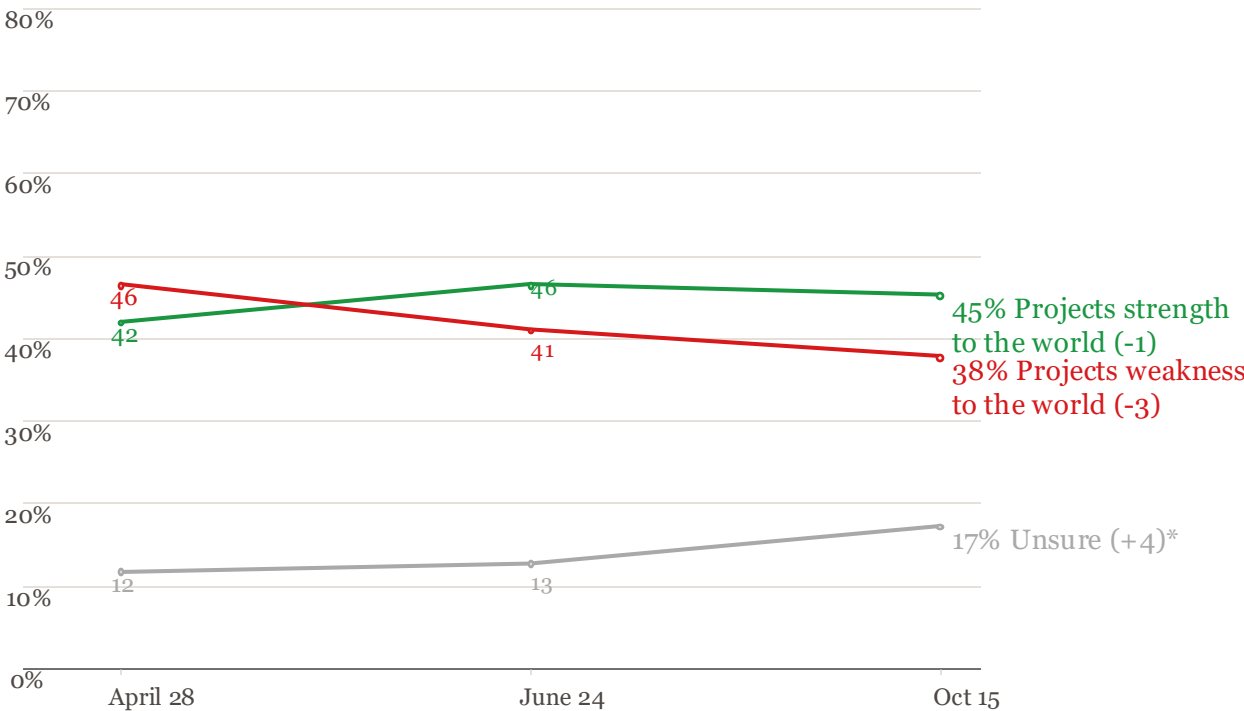
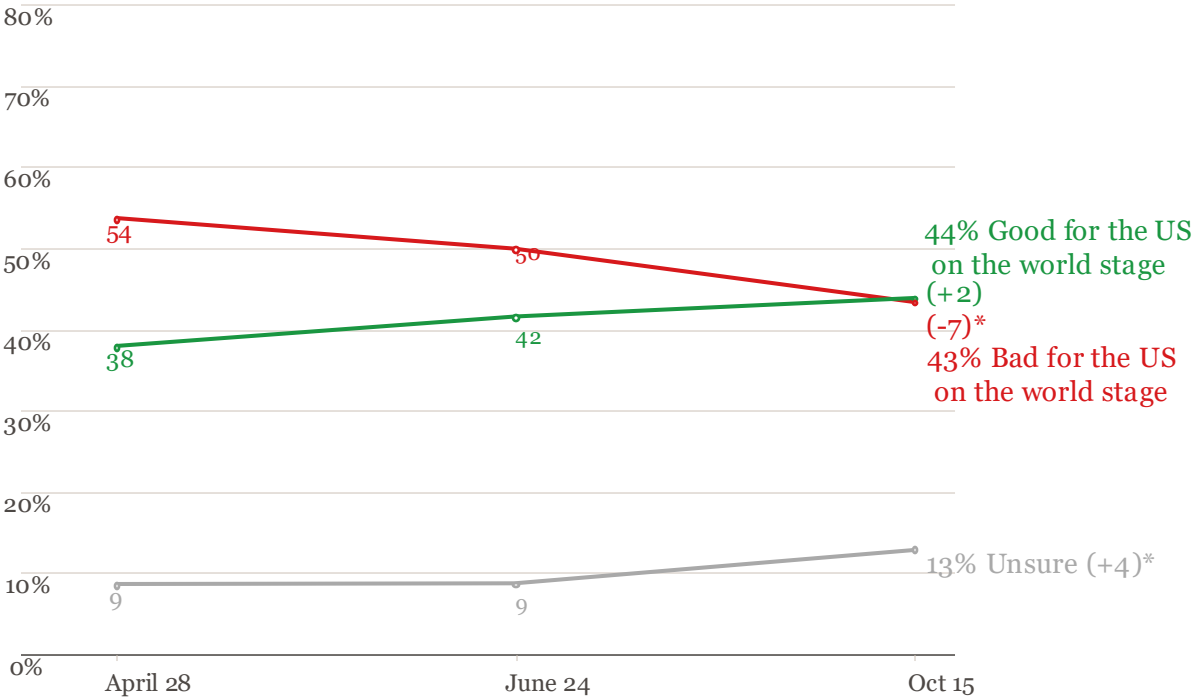
All Respondents



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Share of voters who say the Trump administration is “bad for the U.S on the world stage” has decreased since this spring

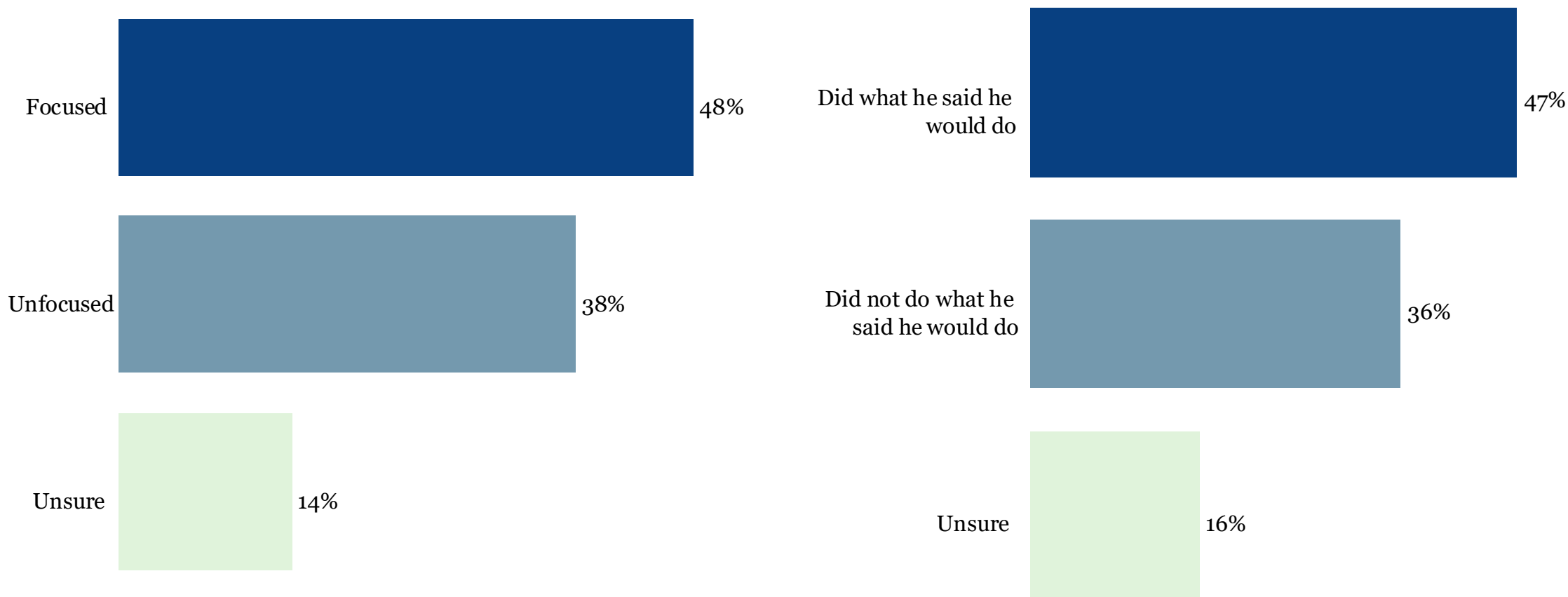
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Almost half of voters say Trump is “focused”, and did what he said he would do

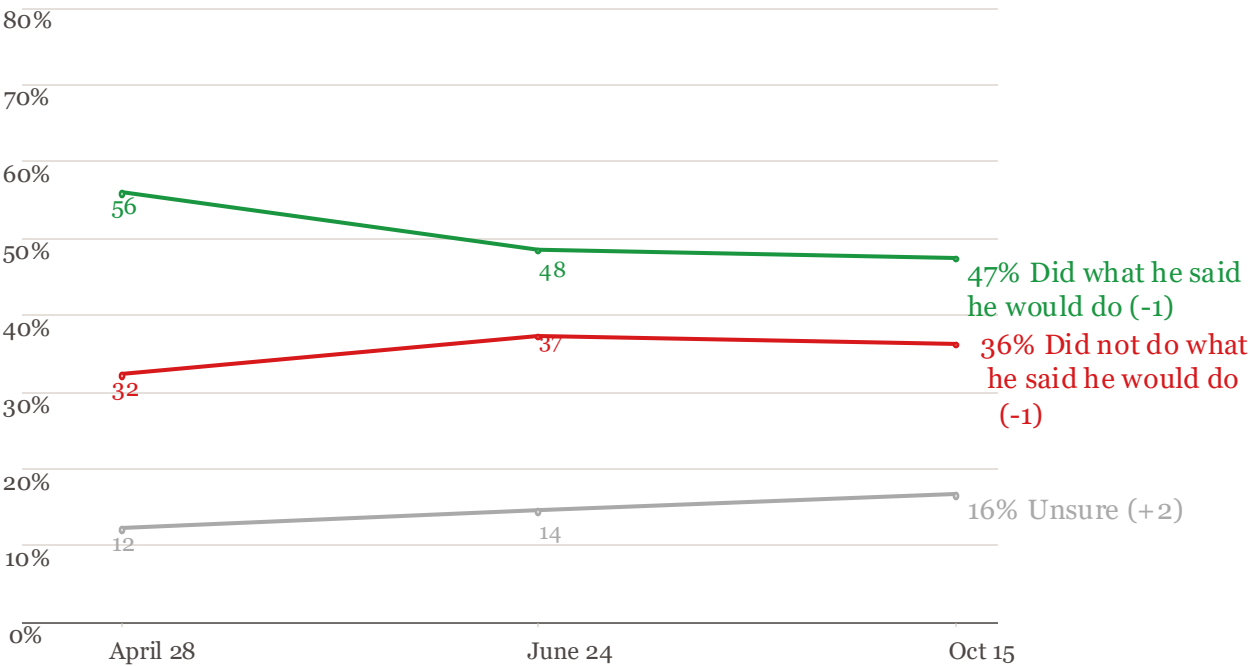
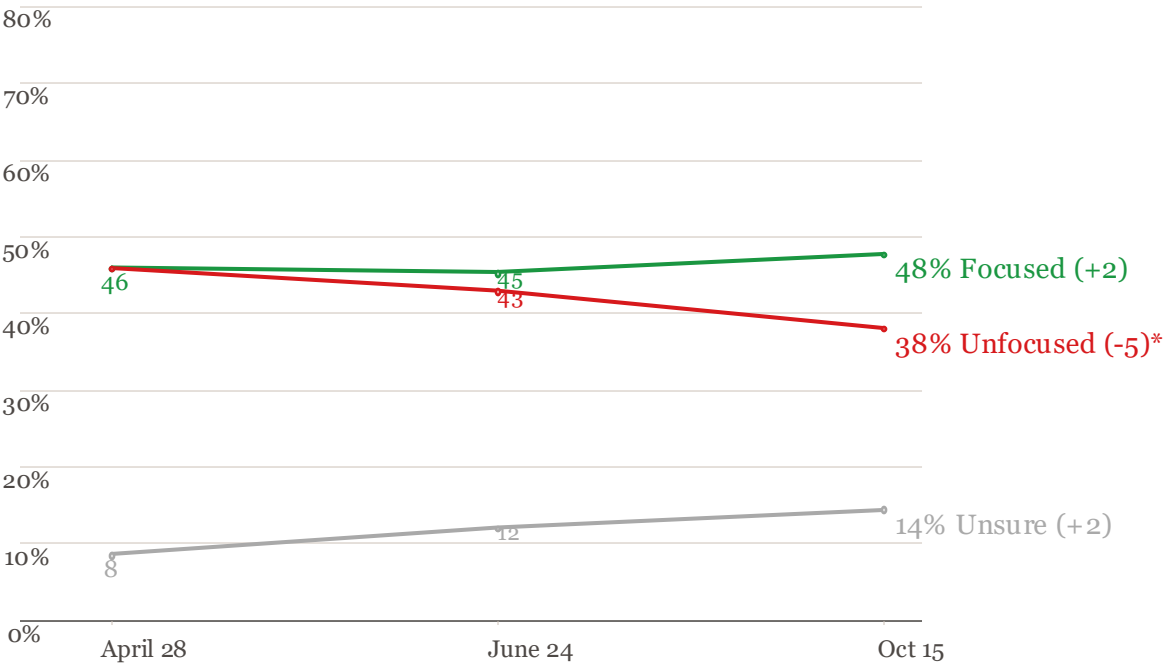
All Respondents



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Fewer people see the Trump administration as “unfocused”, compared to the summer

All Respondents



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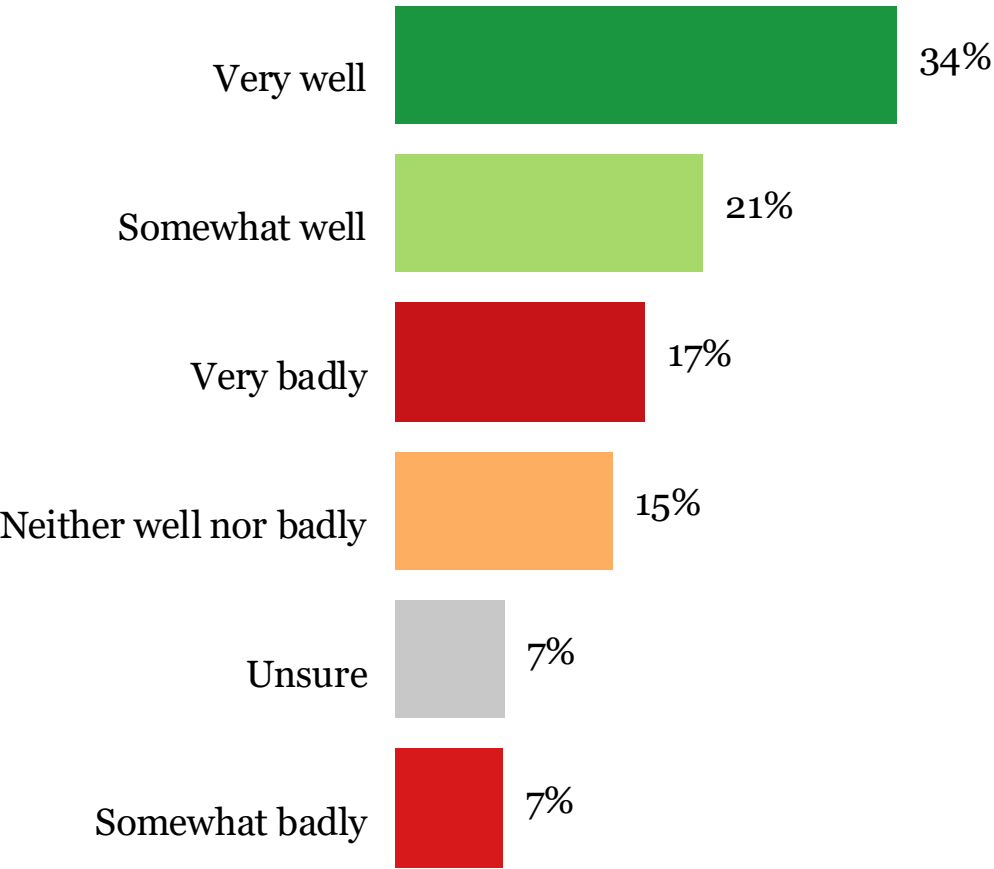


Peace in the Middle East and Antisemitism

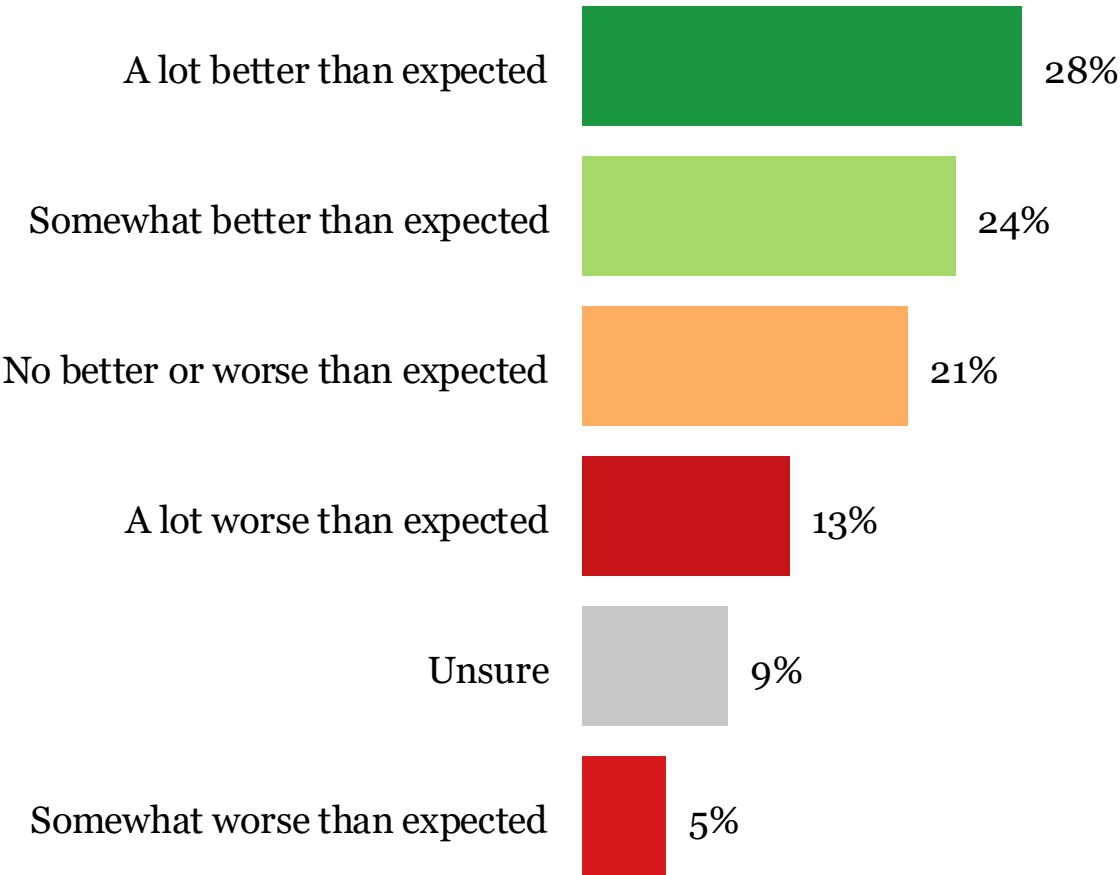
Most Americans feel that Trump has not only done well on peace in the Middle East, but has done better than expected

All Respondents

Has Trump done well or badly?



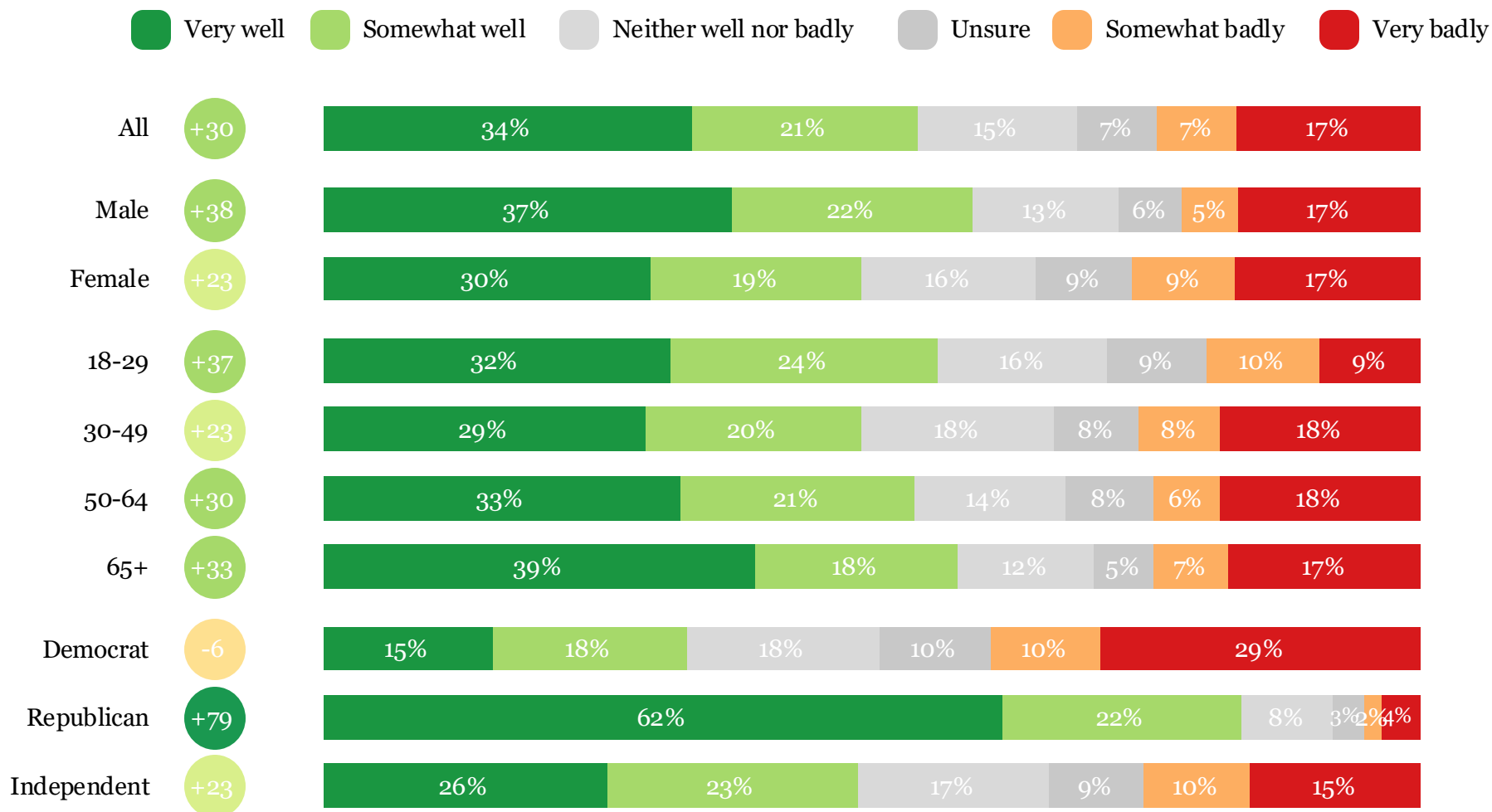
Has Trump done better or worse than you expected?



Q: Do you think Donald Trump has done well or badly on peace in the Middle East?

Q: Overall, has Donald Trump's handling of peace in the Middle East been better or worse than you expected?

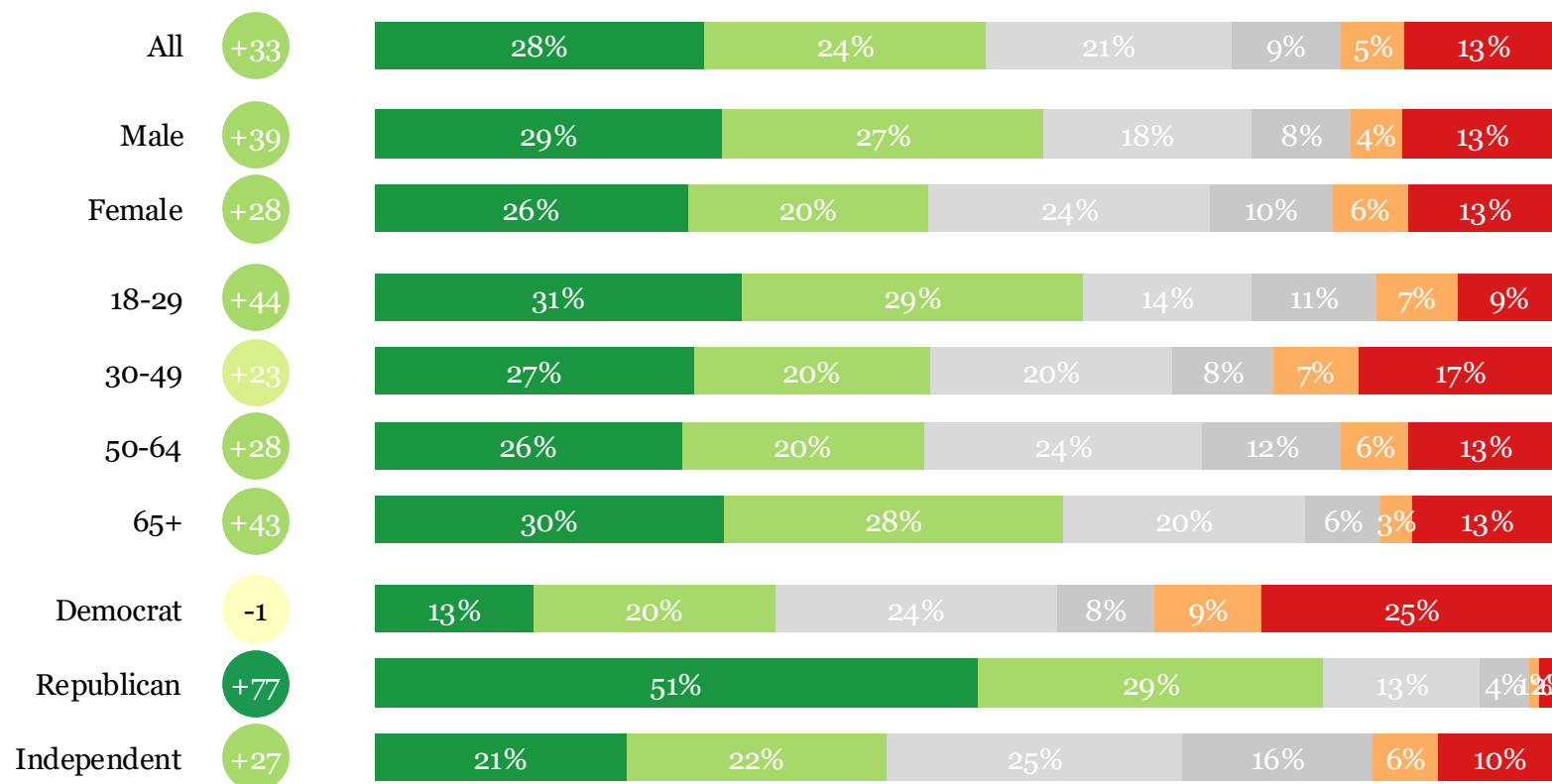
The majority (62%) of Republican voters say Trump has done very well on peace in the Middle East



Q: Do you think Donald Trump has done well or badly on peace in the Middle East?

The youngest and eldest of the electorate are much more likely to feel Trump has exceeded expectations regarding the Middle East

■ A lot better than expected
 ■ Somewhat better than expected
 ■ No better or worse than expected
 ■ Unsure
 ■ Somewhat worse than expected
 ■ A lot worse than expected



Q: Overall, has Donald Trump's handling of peace in the Middle East been better or worse than you expected?

Half (50%) of the public would prefer for pro-Palestine protests to stop in the U.S. now that a ceasefire has been secured

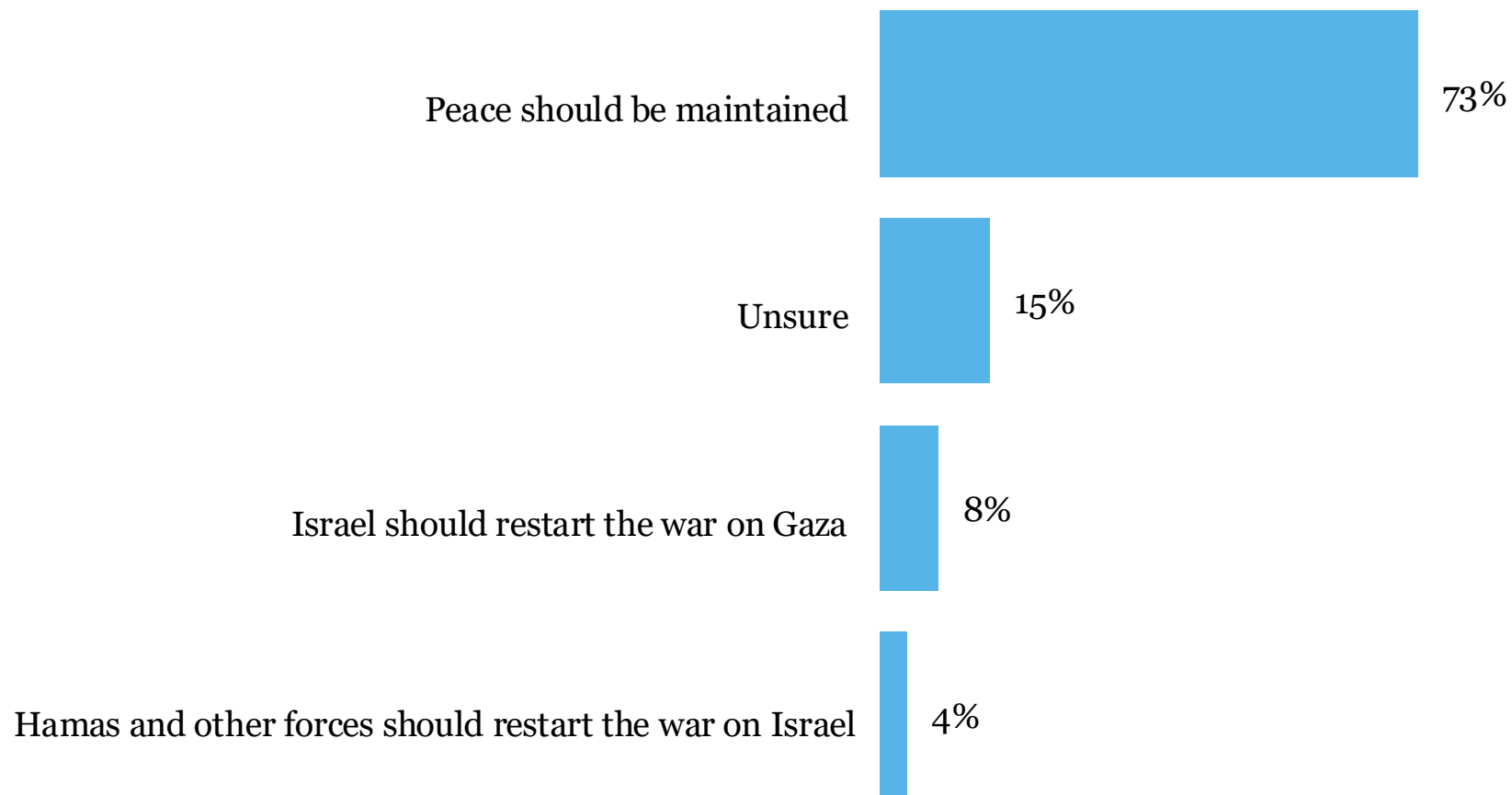
All Respondents



Q: Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?

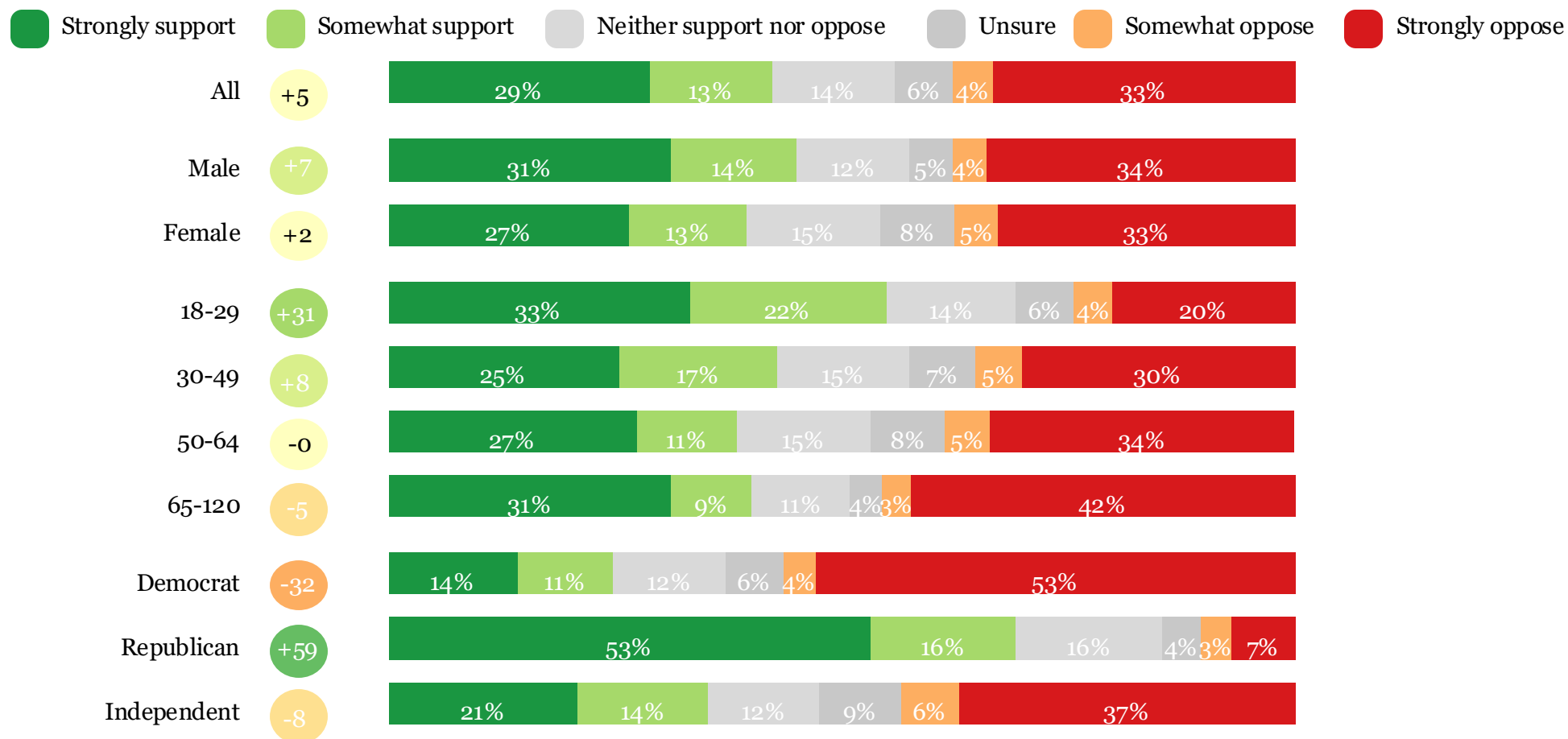
About 7 in 10 voters would like to see Peace maintained in the Middle East

All Respondents



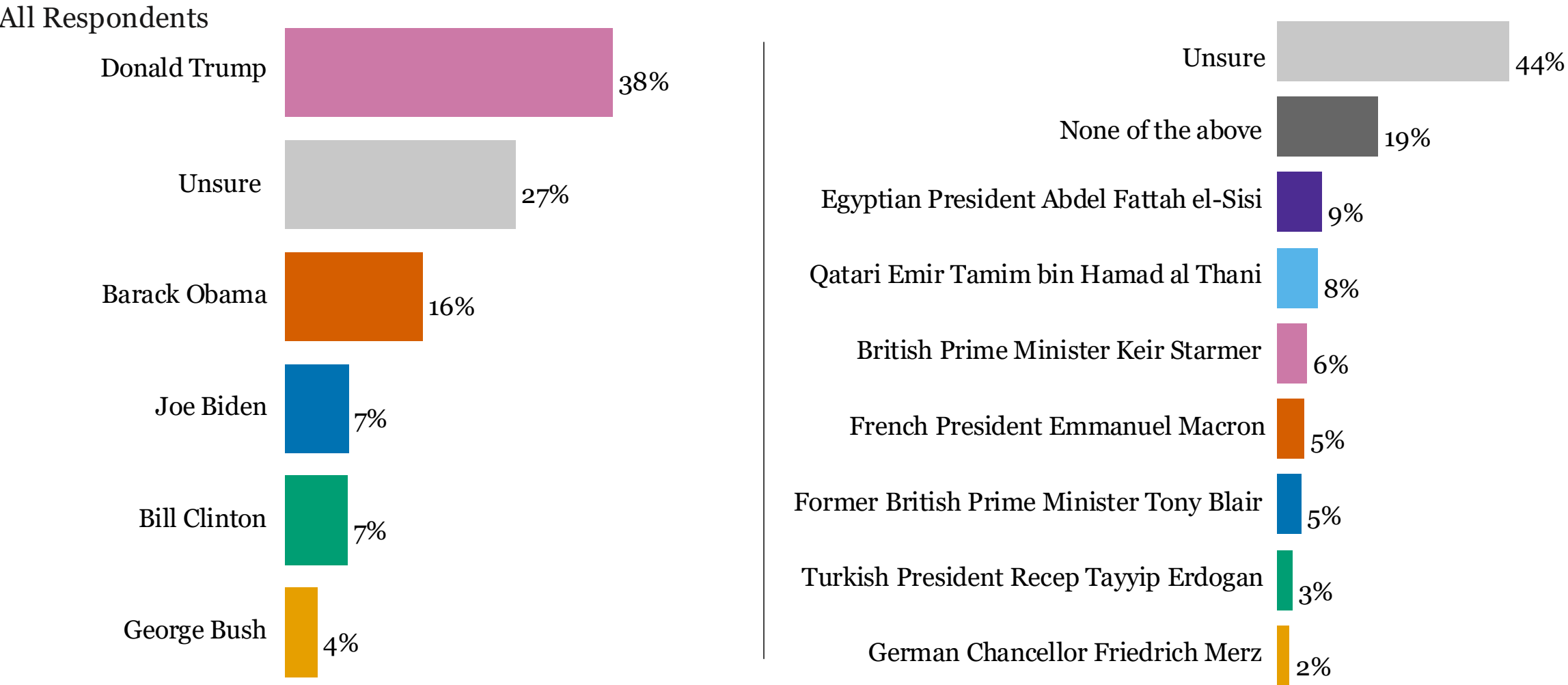
Q: What should happen in the Middle East next?

Trump winning the Nobel Peace Prize is polarizing; the same proportion of the public strongly oppose and support this



Q: Do you support or oppose Donald Trump being awarded the Nobel Peace Prize next year?

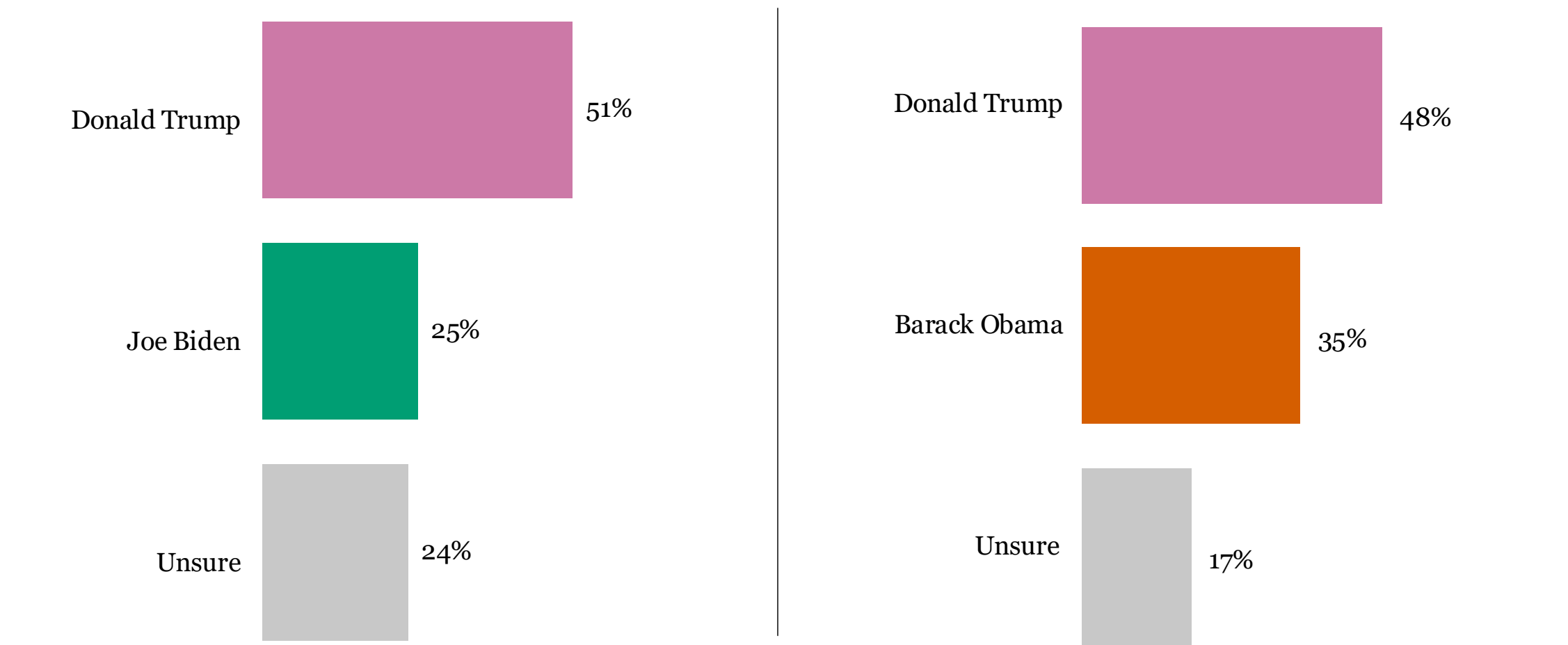
Over one-third (37%) of voters believe Trump has done more for peace in the Middle East than any other living US President



Q: Which of the following living presidents do you believe has done most for peace in the Middle East?
Q Other than the US, and the leadership of Israel/Palestine/Hamas, who do you believe was most important in helping secure peace in the Middle East?

Trump is seen to have done the most for peace in the Middle East compared to both Biden and Obama, by a significant extent

All Respondents

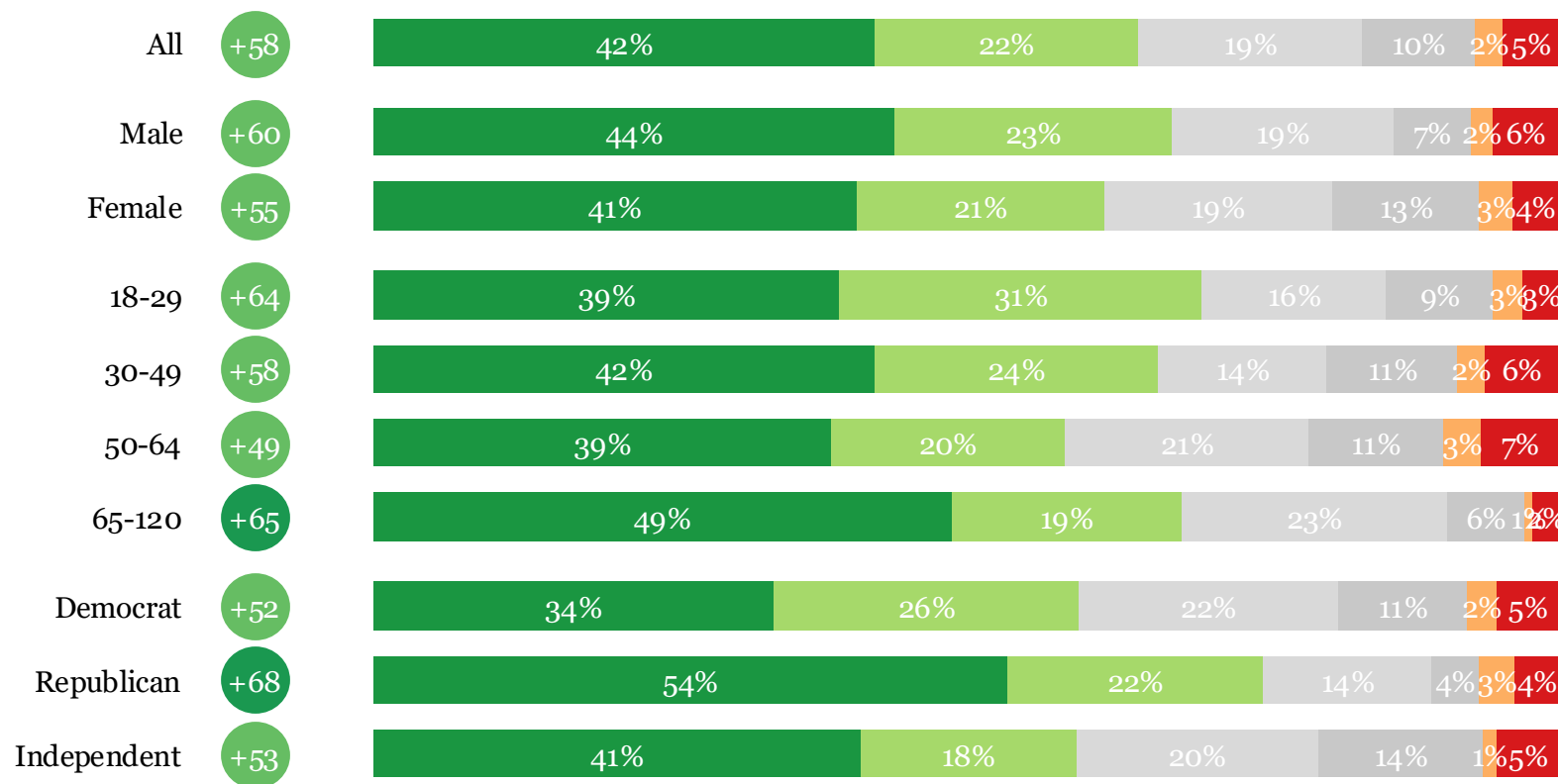


Q: Which of the following presidents do you believe has done most for peace in the Middle East?

A majority (64%) of voters agree that celebrities and prominent influencers should welcome peace in the Middle East

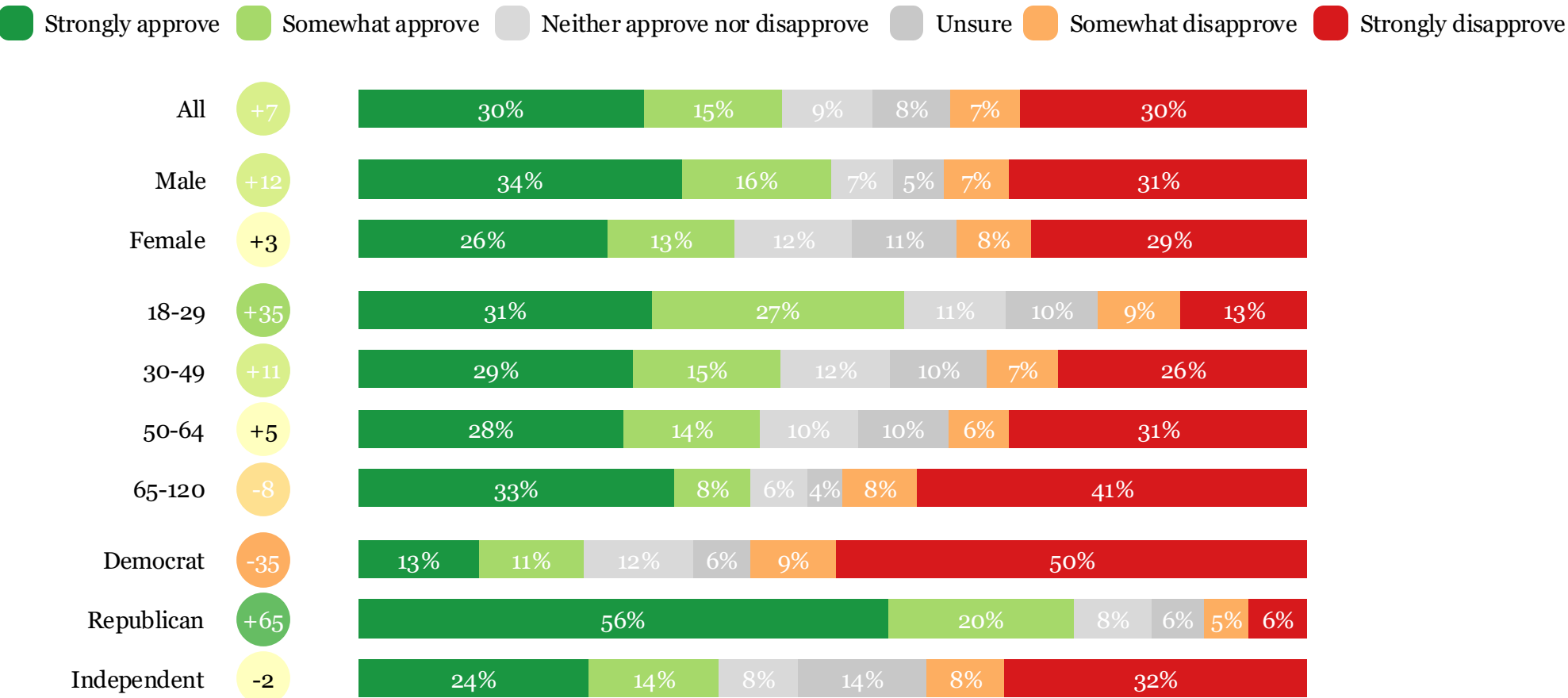
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Strongly agree Somewhat agree Neither agree nor disagree Unsure Somewhat disagree Strongly disagree



Democrats are most strongly opposed to Trump deploying the National Guard to address crime in US cities

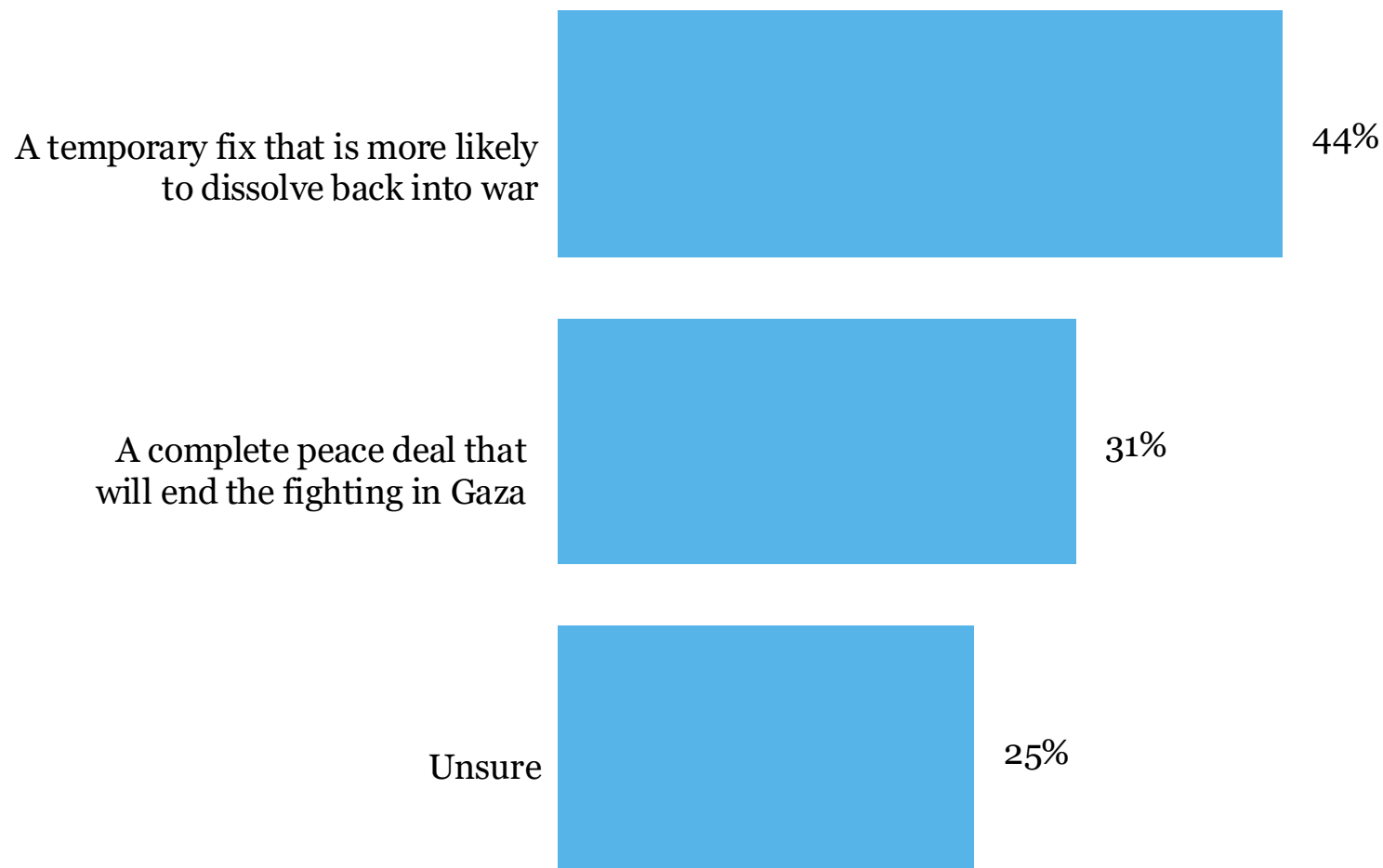
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Q: Do you approve or disapprove of President Trump deploying the National Guard to cities like Chicago and Memphis to address crime?

There is not a great deal of confidence that the hostage deal brokered by Trump in the Middle East is long-lasting

All Respondents

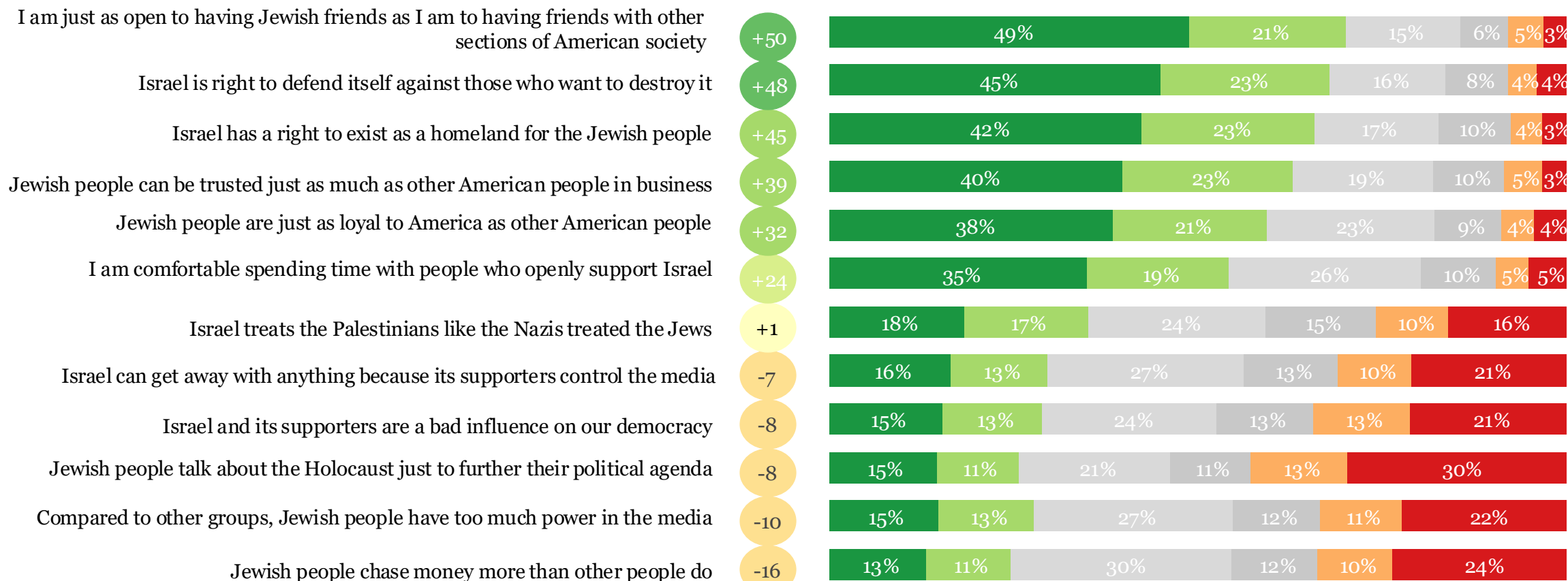


Q: Do you believe the hostage deal brokered by President Trump in the Middle East is:

Arguments for the inclusivity of Jewish people in society are agreed with, as are those for Israel's existence and defense

All Respondents

■ Strongly agree
 ■ Somewhat agree
 ■ Neither agree nor disagree
 ■ Unsure
 ■ Somewhat disagree
 ■ Strongly disagree

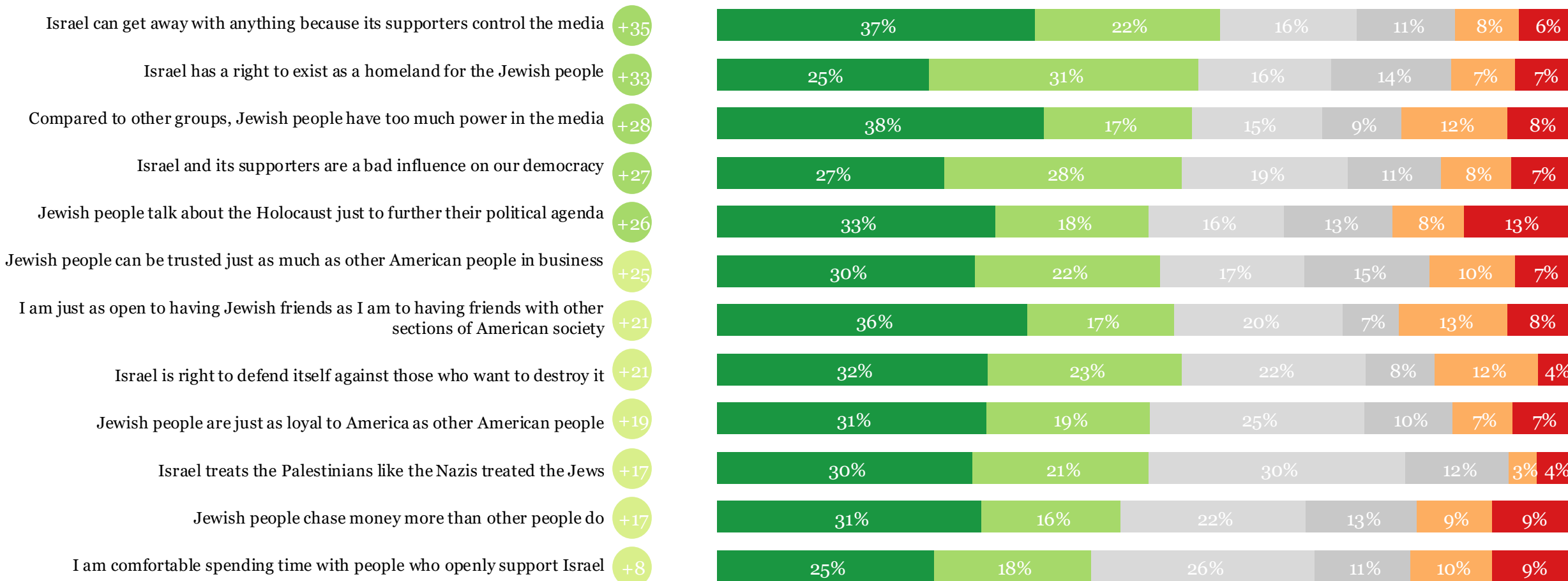


Q: Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? .

Young Americans are much more likely than the overall population to agree with antisemitic statements

18-29 Year Olds

■ Strongly agree
 ■ Somewhat agree
 ■ Neither agree nor disagree
 ■ Unsure
 ■ Somewhat disagree
 ■ Strongly disagree



Q: Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? .

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