

1. Understand Processing

How well do you feel you understand where your tap water comes from and how it's processed?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very well	21%	24%	18%	13%	18%	23%	31%	24%	13%	17%	18%
Somewhat well	36%	42%	31%	34%	36%	37%	38%	37%	25%	39%	40%
Not very well	28%	23%	32%	27%	30%	28%	24%	28%	26%	29%	26%
Not well at all	12%	10%	15%	22%	13%	9%	6%	10%	26%	11%	12%
Not sure	3%	2%	4%	5%	3%	2%	1%	1%	11%	5%	3%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (480)	100% (518)	100% (197)	100% (260)	100% (387)	100% (154)	100% (670)	100% (121)	100% (130)	100% (77)

	Party ID (3 category)				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very well	21%	18%	21%	25%	19%	25%	24%	20%	23%	20%	22%	19%
Somewhat well	36%	35%	35%	40%	31%	39%	45%	40%	31%	37%	39%	36%
Not very well	28%	31%	26%	25%	33%	22%	24%	20%	22%	32%	27%	30%
Not well at all	12%	14%	13%	8%	13%	14%	6%	13%	19%	10%	11%	11%
Not sure	3%	2%	4%	1%	3%	0%	1%	6%	5%	1%	2%	4%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (372)	100% (389)	100% (237)	100% (474)	100% (247)	100% (138)	100% (139)	100% (191)	100% (258)	100% (364)	100% (185)

2. Currently Safety

Generally speaking, how confident are you that the tap water in your area is safe to drink?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very confident	28%	32%	25%	28%	26%	26%	36%	34%	15%	18%	20%
Somewhat confident	43%	45%	41%	40%	38%	47%	47%	44%	37%	41%	46%
Not very confident	17%	12%	22%	13%	22%	19%	12%	14%	23%	26%	19%
Not at all confident	8%	9%	8%	15%	11%	5%	2%	6%	12%	11%	14%
Not sure	3%	3%	4%	5%	4%	3%	3%	2%	14%	4%	1%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (480)	100% (517)	100% (197)	100% (260)	100% (386)	100% (154)	100% (668)	100% (121)	100% (131)	100% (77)

	Party ID (3 category)				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very confident	28%	20%	32%	34%	22%	28%	50%	28%	32%	31%	26%	26%
Somewhat confident	43%	51%	37%	43%	46%	48%	33%	33%	39%	38%	48%	43%
Not very confident	17%	19%	17%	15%	19%	14%	12%	22%	15%	18%	17%	18%
Not at all confident	8%	8%	9%	7%	8%	9%	5%	12%	10%	12%	7%	6%
Not sure	3%	1%	6%	1%	5%	0%	1%	6%	3%	1%	3%	7%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (373)	100% (389)	100% (235)	100% (474)	100% (247)	100% (138)	100% (138)	100% (190)	100% (260)	100% (363)	100% (184)

3. Future Safety

How confident are you are that the tap water in your area will be safe to drink 20 years from now?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very confident	14%	17%	11%	18%	14%	12%	12%	14%	12%	16%	11%
Somewhat confident	32%	33%	31%	31%	26%	33%	37%	37%	21%	17%	30%
Not very confident	21%	21%	21%	18%	18%	25%	19%	17%	26%	30%	27%
Not at all confident	16%	12%	20%	9%	23%	19%	8%	14%	17%	22%	16%
Not sure	18%	18%	18%	24%	19%	11%	23%	18%	24%	15%	16%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (481)	100% (516)	100% (197)	100% (260)	100% (385)	100% (155)	100% (669)	100% (121)	100% (131)	100% (76)

	Party ID (3 category)			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very confident	14%	9%	17%	15%	11%	11%	20%	23%	17%	14%	13%	13%
Somewhat confident	32%	33%	27%	37%	30%	40%	31%	22%	28%	36%	35%	26%
Not very confident	21%	25%	19%	18%	23%	20%	16%	20%	22%	21%	18%	23%
Not at all confident	16%	18%	15%	14%	17%	13%	14%	17%	14%	15%	20%	12%
Not sure	18%	15%	21%	16%	18%	17%	19%	18%	18%	14%	15%	26%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (372)	100% (388)	100% (237)	100% (474)	100% (247)	100% (138)	100% (138)	100% (190)	100% (259)	100% (364)	100% (184)

4. Contamination Fear

The city of Flint, Michigan has been undergoing a water crisis due to contamination from lead. How concerned are you that a situation similar to what occurred in Flint could cause tap water contamination in your area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	17%	15%	19%	10%	19%	24%	9%	14%	28%	25%	13%
Somewhat concerned	31%	30%	32%	31%	33%	32%	25%	30%	30%	33%	37%
Not very concerned	35%	37%	33%	42%	30%	31%	40%	38%	19%	32%	34%
Not at all concerned	12%	16%	8%	8%	12%	9%	21%	14%	8%	3%	12%
Not sure	5%	3%	8%	10%	6%	3%	5%	4%	15%	7%	3%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (480)	100% (517)	100% (197)	100% (260)	100% (385)	100% (155)	100% (669)	100% (121)	100% (131)	100% (76)

	Party ID (3 category)				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	17%	25%	14%	11%	22%	17%	11%	6%	18%	22%	18%	10%
Somewhat concerned	31%	38%	27%	28%	36%	28%	22%	26%	24%	33%	32%	33%
Not very concerned	35%	26%	38%	42%	27%	39%	46%	43%	33%	32%	32%	44%
Not at all concerned	12%	7%	13%	16%	9%	12%	19%	14%	15%	12%	13%	7%
Not sure	5%	3%	9%	2%	6%	3%	1%	11%	10%	2%	5%	5%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (372)	100% (390)	100% (235)	100% (475)	100% (246)	100% (137)	100% (139)	100% (191)	100% (259)	100% (363)	100% (184)

5. Water Bill

Do you think your current water bill is too high, or is it reasonable?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
It's too high	30%	33%	26%	15%	30%	38%	31%	30%	29%	31%	26%
It's reasonable	40%	37%	42%	31%	44%	38%	47%	43%	32%	36%	30%
Someone else pays my water bill	21%	20%	21%	40%	16%	17%	11%	19%	26%	18%	27%
Not sure	10%	10%	11%	14%	10%	8%	11%	8%	12%	15%	17%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (992)	100% (478)	100% (514)	100% (197)	100% (257)	100% (383)	100% (155)	100% (665)	100% (121)	100% (131)	100% (75)

	Party ID (3 category)			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
It's too high	30%	27%	27%	39%	28%	32%	28%	32%	16%	37%	32%	31%
It's reasonable	40%	41%	38%	39%	35%	47%	50%	33%	37%	34%	46%	36%
Someone else pays my water bill	21%	22%	23%	15%	26%	13%	16%	19%	32%	20%	13%	22%
Not sure	10%	10%	12%	7%	11%	8%	5%	15%	14%	9%	9%	11%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (992)	100% (373)	100% (383)	100% (236)	100% (471)	100% (245)	100% (138)	100% (138)	100% (189)	100% (256)	100% (363)	100% (184)

Interviewing Dates	March 8 - 10, 2016
Target population	U.S. adults, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by age, gender, race, education, and region) was selected from the 2010 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2010 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement. Religion, minor party identification, and non-placement on an ideology scale, were imputed from the 2008 Pew Religion in American Life Survey.
Weighting	The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on age, gender, race, education, voter registration, and non-placement on an ideology scale. The weights range from 0.038 to 4.14, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.867.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 4.1% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	20 questions not reported.