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 Do you think gun control laws should be made more or less strict than they are now?

		Ge	nder		Α	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
More strict	48%	42%	53%	48%	52%	49%	39%	73%	39%	20%	48%	42%
No change	29%	30%	28%	29%	22%	29%	38%	17%	31%	46%	29%	31%
Less strict	16%	23%	10%	11%	15%	18%	20%	3%	22%	29%	18%	7%
Not sure	7%	6%	9%	12%	10%	4%	3%	7%	8%	6%	5%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(463)	(537)	(104)	(263)	(436)	(197)	(355)	(403)	(242)	(901)	(99)

			Race			Ec	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
More strict	48%	44%	67%	51%	46%	46%	48%	47%	58%	62%	51%	44%	39%
No change	29%	31%	7%	38%	28%	33%	26%	30%	26%	18%	25%	34%	34%
Less strict	16%	18%	10%	10%	13%	16%	20%	15%	13%	13%	15%	15%	22%
Not sure	7%	7%	16%	2%	13%	6%	6%	8%	3%	7%	9%	8%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(798)	(121)	(81)	(43)	(309)	(360)	(199)	(89)	(160)	(227)	(340)	(273)

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2. Change gun control laws

Do you think that stricter gun laws would help prevent future mass shootings from occurring, or would they not make any difference?

		Ge	nder		A	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
It would help It wouldn't make a	40%	35%	44%	43%	47%	39%	29%	62%	33%	14%	40%	39%
difference Not sure	52% 8%	58% 7%	47% 9%	45% 12%	45% 9%	55% 6%	66% 4%	27% 11%	59% 8%	83% 3%	54% 6%	43% 18%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (463)	100% (537)	100% (104)	100% (263)	100% (436)	100% (197)	100% (355)	100% (403)	100% (242)	100% (901)	100% (99)

			Race			Ec	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
It would help It wouldn't make a	40%	37%	52%	43%	39%	38%	40%	42%	47%	56%	40%	39%	29%
difference	52%	55%	34%	55%	50%	55%	54%	49%	47%	39%	47%	55%	63%
Not sure	8%	8%	13%	2%	11%	7%	7%	9%	7%	5%	13%	6%	9%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (798)	100% (121)	100% (81)	100% (43)	100% (309)	100% (360)	100% (199)	100% (89)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (340)	100% (273)

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3. Change gun control laws
Which of the following would you say is most likely to prevent mass shootings from occurring in the United States?

		Ge	nder		A	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Stricter gun control laws and enforcement Allowing more private citizens to carry guns for	44%	42%	46%	53%	51%	41%	33%	66%	37%	18%	44%	44%
protection Not sure	38% 18%	43% 15%	33% 21%	32% 15%	34% 16%	41% 18%	44% 24%	17% 17%	44% 19%	62% 20%	39% 17%	27% 29%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (463)	100% (537)	100% (104)	100% (263)	100% (436)	100% (197)	100% (355)	100% (403)	100% (242)	100% (901)	100% (99)

			Race			Ed	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Stricter gun control laws and enforcement Allowing more private citizens to carry guns for	44%	39%	60%	58%	44%	48%	41%	38%	54%	60%	41%	40%	41%
protection Not sure	38% 18%	41% 20%	20% 20%	34% 8%	34% 22%	37% 15%	43% 16%	39% 23%	26% 20%	24% 15%	36% 23%	44% 16%	40% 19%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (798)	100% (121)	100% (81)	100% (43)	100% (309)	100% (360)	100% (199)	100% (89)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (340)	100% (273)

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4. Change gun control lawsWhich of the following would you say is most likely to prevent mass shootings from occurring in the United States?

		Ge	nder		A	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Stricter gun control												
laws and												
enforcement	29%	24%	33%	29%	33%	30%	19%	47%	20%	13%	28%	34%
Better mental												
health care	57%	60%	55%	50%	52%	57%	73%	43%	62%	74%	60%	39%
Not sure	14%	15%	12%	20%	15%	12%	8%	10%	18%	13%	12%	28%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(463)	(537)	(104)	(263)	(436)	(197)	(355)	(403)	(242)	(901)	(99)

			Race			Ec	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Stricter gun control laws and													
enforcement Better mental	29%	23%	44%	45%	37%	30%	26%	22%	31%	36%	27%	28%	25%
health care Not sure	57% 14%	63% 14%	39% 17%	43% 13%	47% 16%	54% 15%	58% 16%	69% 9%	61% 8%	52% 12%	56% 17%	56% 16%	66% 9%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (798)	100% (121)	100% (81)	100% (43)	100% (309)	100% (360)	100% (199)	100% (89)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (340)	100% (273)

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5. Change gun control laws

Do you think the days after mass shooting incidents are the right time or the wrong time to have a national discussion about gun laws?

		Ge	nder		Α	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
It's the right time	45%	43%	47%	60%	48%	42%	30%	65%	40%	19%	46%	40%
It's the wrong time	41%	46%	38%	26%	37%	45%	59%	24%	45%	66%	43%	31%
Not sure	14%	12%	15%	15%	15%	13%	11%	11%	15%	15%	11%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(463)	(537)	(104)	(263)	(436)	(197)	(355)	(403)	(242)	(901)	(99)

			Race			Ec	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
It's the right time	45%	40%	66%	55%	42%	48%	42%	45%	49%	58%	45%	43%	37%
It's the wrong time	41%	45%	21%	38%	35%	42%	45%	44%	35%	31%	39%	44%	49%
Not sure	14%	15%	13%	8%	23%	10%	13%	11%	16%	11%	16%	13%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(798)	(121)	(81)	(43)	(309)	(360)	(199)	(89)	(160)	(227)	(340)	(273)

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6. Change gun control lawsHow much have you heard about the recent shooting at the Navy Yard in Washington, D.C.?

		Ge	nder		Α	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Heard a lot	59%	63%	55%	42%	53%	62%	79%	58%	61%	57%	61%	45%
Heard a little Heard nothing at	35%	31%	38%	44%	40%	34%	19%	38%	31%	38%	34%	40%
all	6%	6%	7%	14%	7%	4%	2%	4%	8%	5%	5%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (463)	100% (537)	100% (104)	100% (263)	100% (436)	100% (197)	100% (355)	100% (403)	100% (242)	100% (901)	100% (99)

			Race			Ec	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Heard a lot	59%	58%	54%	69%	52%	55%	62%	63%	64%	63%	61%	57%	57%
Heard a little Heard nothing at	35%	37%	33%	24%	41%	36%	32%	33%	34%	35%	32%	36%	35%
all	6%	5%	13%	7%	7%	9%	6%	4%	2%	1%	7%	7%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(798)	(121)	(81)	(43)	(309)	(360)	(199)	(89)	(160)	(227)	(340)	(273)