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Upstate NY	46%	50%	58%	42%	48%	58%	66%	74%	79%	79%	75%	65%	69%	71%	65%	66%	67%	69%	75%	74%	80%	69%
Lower Income	45%	46%	53%	41%	47%	51%	66%	71%	76%	81%	81%	76%	72%	77%	75%	76%	79%	80%	83%	79%	87%	84%
Women	43%	41%	48%	41%	44%	49%	59%	67%	73%	81%	73%	70%	70%	74%	70%	67%	71%	71%	76%	78%	84%	77%
Republicans	43%	45%	52%	40%	46%	41%	58%	62%	65%	80%	74%	62%	61%	65%	62%	66%	60%	63%	66%	61%	76%	73%
Under age 55	40%	40%	47%	41%	44%	54%	62%	68%	75%	80%	79%	66%	70%	73%	64%	69%	73%	67%	72%	71%	83%	73%
New York State	40%	40%	48%	40%	43%	48%	60%	66%	71%	78%	74%	64%	65%	70%	66%	66%	69%	73%	73%	81%	72%	
Age 55+	40%	41%	49%	40%	42%	44%	58%	65%	69%	76%	71%	62%	60%	67%	66%	64%	61%	70%	73%	73%	79%	72%
Men	37%	40%	46%	40%	42%	47%	60%	65%	69%	75%	74%	57%	59%	63%	61%	64%	60%	66%	69%	67%	77%	68%
Metro NYC	36%	35%	42%	40%	41%	43%	56%	63%	67%	77%	73%	63%	62%	69%	66%	66%	65%	69%	72%	81%	74%	
Democrats	35%	36%	46%	39%	41%	49%	60%	65%	72%	76%	76%	66%	66%	71%	68%	68%	68%	71%	74%	77%	83%	75%
Higher Income	35%	37%	42%	40%	40%	44%	57%	62%	68%	76%	71%	55%	60%	61%	61%	60%	59%	63%	65%	67%	76%	64%

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Lower Income	94	95	108	87	97	106	134	146	154	164	163	153	146	155	151	152	159	160	166	158	175	168
Upstate NY	94	101	116	87	98	116	132	148	159	162	151	131	139	142	130	133	135	139	149	149	160	138
Women	87	85	99	86	91	101	121	139	150	163	149	140	140	149	140	136	143	143	152	156	169	153
Republicans	87	90	105	82	95	83	116	126	132	161	149	126	123	130	125	132	121	126	131	123	152	145
Under age 55	82	82	95	83	89	109	126	140	150	162	159	134	141	147	129	138	146	134	144	142	167	146
New York State	82	83	98	84	89	97	122	136	144	157	150	129	130	140	132	132	133	138	146	146	162	145
Age 55+	82	84	100	84	88	90	118	134	140	154	144	125	122	134	134	129	124	141	147	147	158	144
Men	77	80	94	81	85	94	123	133	139	151	151	115	118	127	123	129	122	133	139	135	154	137
Metro NYC	76	73	87	84	84	88	116	130	138	154	149	127	126	138	133	133	132	138	144	144	162	149
Democrats	73	75	95	80	85	100	122	133	145	155	154	133	133	144	137	136	137	143	149	154	167	151
Higher Income	71	75	86	82	80	89	114	125	138	151	142	112	120	123	124	120	117	126	130	134	153	130

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Upstate NY	40%	43%	49%	36%	41%	48%	55%	64%	67%	73%	61%
Lower Income	39%	41%	46%	36%	43%	47%	58%	66%	66%	77%	74%
Women	37%	37%	43%	36%	39%	42%	51%	59%	64%	75%	67%
Republicans	36%	37%	44%	33%	40%	35%	46%	50%	50%	72%	64%
Under age 55	33%	36%	40%	35%	40%	47%	51%	58%	63%	74%	66%
New York State	34%	35%	41%	34%	38%	40%	50%	57%	60%	71%	62%
Age 55+	34%	34%	41%	34%	36%	36%	50%	57%	58%	69%	62%
Men	30%	32%	38%	33%	36%	38%	49%	56%	57%	67%	60%
Metro NYC	30%	30%	36%	33%	36%	36%	47%	54%	57%	69%	65%
Democrats	31%	32%	40%	34%	37%	40%	50%	56%	62%	68%	64%
Higher Income	29%	30%	34%	33%	34%	35%	46%	51%	55%	67%	57%

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Lower Income	123	120	132	119	124	132	147	156	156	170	166
Upstate NY	112	120	129	109	115	125	135	148	154	161	145
Women	113	113	124	113	114	122	132	146	153	166	151
Republicans	107	107	117	103	114	102	121	129	127	156	147
Under age 55	108	112	121	106	114	127	130	142	146	164	153
New York State	105	106	119	108	111	115	130	141	145	159	147
Age 55+	104	103	117	109	109	107	130	140	144	156	144
Men	96	99	111	102	107	108	128	136	137	153	144
Metro NYC	102	99	112	109	109	110	127	137	141	158	149
Democrats	103	104	120	108	111	118	133	141	149	161	152
Higher Income	91	97	104	103	100	103	120	127	136	152	136