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NATIONAL: MAJORITY BACK CAPITOL RIOT COMMISSION

Public supports wide-ranging inquiry, says white nationalism played a role

West Long Branch, NJ – A majority of Americans would like to see an independent commission established to investigate the January attack on the U.S. Capitol. The Monmouth ("Mon-muth")

University Poll finds the public supports having such a commission look into a broad array of factors from missteps by the U.S. Capitol Police to the role and growth of white nationalism and militant groups. Most Americans also endorse an examination of voter fraud claims in the 2020 election – a belief that persists among one-third of the public despite being debunked by election officials across the country.

A majority of the public (53%) says an independent commission should be set up to examine what happened at the U.S. Capitol. Another 37% say this review can be accomplished through internal investigations and 10% are unsure of the best way to pursue the inquiry. Most Democrats prefer an independent commission (62%) over internal investigations (30%), while opinion is more divided among Republicans (49% commission and 41% internal) and independents (47% commission and 42% internal).

"The public believes that an independent commission is the best way to get to the bottom of what happened on January 6th. They not only want the commission to look into security lapses at the Capitol, but also to examine the destabilizing forces in American politics that fed the attack," said Patrick Murray, director of the independent Monmouth University Polling Institute.

There is widespread approval for an independent commission to look into the failure of Capitol Police to prepare for violence (81%), the growth of militant groups in the country (76%), and the role that white nationalism played in the incident (70%). All three areas of inquiry are supported by 9 in 10 Democrats. At least two-thirds of Republicans and independents support a commission looking into police preparations and the growth of militancy, and more than half of these two partisan blocs also support looking into the role that white nationalism played.

The poll also finds majority support for having this independent commission examine potential 2020 voter fraud (59%). While this is backed by clear majorities of Republicans (79%) and independents (59%), only 45% of Democrats would approve of a commission pursuing this line of inquiry.

"The justification for allowing a commission to pursue a wide-ranging inquiry is the fact that a sizable chunk of the public continues to believe a false narrative about voter fraud determining the November election result," said Murray.

While most Americans (62%) say Biden won the presidency fair and square, about one-third (32%) continue to believe his victory was only due to voter fraud – a number that has remained unchanged from polls taken immediately after the November election and after the inauguration. About 1 in 10 American adults (12%) say they will never accept Biden as president (similar to 10% in January). Among Republicans, nearly two-thirds (65%) maintain Biden's win was due to voter fraud and 29% say they will never accept him as president.

One in four Americans believe that, regardless of the actual actions taken on January 6th, the anger that led to the riot was justified either fully (8%) or partially (18%). Those saying the anger that led to the attack was at least partially justified includes 40% of Republicans, 30% of independents, and even 10% of Democrats.

"Many Americans point to underlying racism in society as a key factor that led to the violence in January. Most say white nationalism presents a challenge for the nation as a whole. It appears to help feed the belief in conspiracy theories in general," said Murray.

Nearly half the public (47%) says white nationalism played a major role in the violent attack on the Capitol and another 23% says it played a minor role. Just 22% say it played no role at all in the uprising. Nearly two-thirds (64%) of Americans say white nationalism in the United States is a problem overall, including 47% who say it is a big problem. Another 34% say it is not a problem at all. Nearly 9 in 10 Democrats (88%) say it is a problem while just under 4 in 10 Republicans (38%) agree. A majority of independents (59%) say white nationalism is a problem for the country. People of color (73% overall, including 60% who say it is a big problem) are more likely than those who are white (59% overall and 39% big problem) to see this as a problem. Among white Americans, there is not much difference in the overall view of white nationalism as a problem when comparing those with a college degree (63%) to those without a college education (57%). However, white college graduates (48%) are more likely than non-college whites (35%) to see it as a big problem.

The poll also finds that two-thirds of the public have heard of QAnon -27% have heard a lot and 38% have heard a little. Just 2% of the public have a favorable view of the conspiracy theory group while 40% have an unfavorable view. Another 23% have no opinion and 34% have not heard of QAnon.

Interestingly, Republicans (79%) are most likely to say they have no opinion or no knowledge of the group when compared with independents (57%) and Democrats (42%).

The *Monmouth University Poll* was conducted by telephone from February 25 to March 1, 2021 with 802 adults in the United States. The question results in this release have a margin of error of +/- 3.5 percentage points. The poll was conducted by the Monmouth University Polling Institute in West Long Branch, NJ.

QUESTIONS AND RESULTS

(* Some columns may not add to 100% due to rounding.)

[Q1-13 previously released.]

14. Do you believe Joe Biden won the 2020 election fair and square, or do you believe that he only won it due to voter fraud?

TREND:	March	Jan.	Nov.
IREND.	2021	2021	2020
Fair and square	62%	65%	60%
Due to voter fraud	32%	32%	32%
(VOL) Biden won't be declared	n/a	n/a	2%
(VOL) Don't know	6%	3%	6%
(n)	(802)	(809)	(810)

14A. Now that Biden is in office do you feel it is time to move on or will you never accept Biden as president?

TREND:	March	Jan.
I REND.	2021	2021
Time to move on	17%	20%
Will never accept Biden as president	12%	10%
(VOL) Don't know	3%	2%
Biden won fair/Don't know (from Q14)	68%	68%
(n)	(802)	(809)

15. Thinking back to the riot at the U.S. Capitol in January... Regardless of the actual actions taken, do you think the anger over the presidential election that led to this incident was fully justified, partially justified, or not at all justified?

	March
	2021
Fully justified	8%
Partially justified	18%
Not at all justified	70%
(VOL) Don't know	4%
(n)	(802)

16. Do you think an independent commission should be set up to examine what happened at the Capitol or can this be accomplished through internal investigations?

	March 2021
Independent commission	53%
Through internal investigations	37%
(VOL) Don't know	10%
(n)	(802)

17. An independent commission could look into a number of different issues related to the incident. For each one I mention, please tell me if you approve or disapprove of a commission

looking into it. [ITEMS WERE ROTATED]

The failure of Capitol Police to prepare for violence	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't know 2%	(n) (802)
The growth of militant groups in the country	76%	22%	2%	(802)
The role that white nationalism played in the incident	70%	26%	4%	(802)
Potential fraud in the 2020 election	59%	39%	2%	(802)

18. Have you heard a lot, a little, or nothing at all about a group known as QAnon?

	March
	2021
A lot	27%
A little	38%
Nothing at all	34%
(n)	(802)

19. Is your general impression of QAnon favorable or unfavorable, or do you have no opinion?

•	March
	2021
Favorable	2%
Unfavorable	40%
No opinion	23%
Not heard of QAnon (from Q18)	34%
(n)	(802)

20. Do you think that white nationalism in the United States is a problem or not a problem? [If PROBLEM: Is it a big problem or a small problem?]

	March
	2021
Yes, big problem	47%
Yes, small problem	11%
Yes, but not sure if big or small	6%
No, not a problem	34%
(VOL) Don't know	3%
(n)	(802)

21. How much of a role did white nationalism play in the violent attack on the U.S. Capitol last month – a major role, a minor role, or not a role at all?

	March
	2021
Major role	47%
Minor role	23%
Not a role	22%
(VOL) Don't know	9%
(n)	(802)

[Q22-30 previously released.]

METHODOLOGY

The *Monmouth University Poll* was sponsored and conducted by the Monmouth University Polling Institute from February 25 to March 1, 2021 with a national random sample of 802 adults age 18 and older. This includes 281 contacted by a live interviewer on a landline telephone and 521 contacted by a live interviewer on a cell phone, in English. Telephone numbers were selected through random digit dialing and landline respondents were selected with a modified Troldahl-Carter youngest adult household screen. Monmouth is responsible for all aspects of the survey design, data weighting and analysis. The

full sample is weighted for region, age, education, gender and race based on US Census information (ACS 2018 one-year survey). Data collection support provided by Braun Research (field) and Dynata (RDD sample). For results based on this sample, one can say with 95% confidence that the error attributable to sampling has a maximum margin of plus or minus 3.5 percentage points (unadjusted for sample design). Sampling error can be larger for sub-groups (see table below). In addition to sampling error, one should bear in mind that question wording and practical difficulties in conducting surveys can introduce error or bias into the findings of opinion polls.

DEMOGRAPHICS (weighted)
Self-Reported
26% Republican
39% Independent
34% Democrat
49% Male
51% Female
30% 18-34
32% 35-54
38% 55+
63% White
12% Black
16% Hispanic
8% Asian/Other
69% No degree
31% 4 year degree

MARGIN OF ERROR			
		unweighted	moe
		sample	(+/-)
TOTAL		802	3.5%
REGISTERED VOTER	Yes	731	3.6%
	No	71	11.6%
SELF-REPORTED	Republican	209	6.8%
PARTY ID	Independent	314	5.5%
	Democrat	271	6.0%
IDEOLOGY	Liberal	206	6.8%
	Moderate	285	5.8%
	Conservative	281	5.9%
GENDER	Male	379	5.0%
	Female	423	4.8%
AGE	18-34	163	7.7%
	<i>35-54</i>	243	6.3%
	<i>55</i> +	394	4.9%
CHILDREN IN HOME	Yes	180	7.3%
	No	618	4.0%
RACE	White, non-Hispanic	548	4.2%
	Other	229	6.5%
COLLEGE GRADUATE	No degree	432	4.7%
	4 year degree	368	5.1%
WHITE COLLEGE	White, no degree	288	5.8%
	White, 4 year degree	259	6.1%
INCOME	<\$50K	297	5.7%
	\$50 to <\$100K	244	6.3%
	\$100K+	213	6.7%

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		TOTAL	REGISTERED TO VOTE			PARTY ID		POLI	TICAL IDEOL	OGY
			Yes	No	Rep	Ind	Dem	Lib	Mod	Con
14. Do you believe Joe Biden won the 2020 election fair and square, or do you believe that he only won it due to voter fraud?	Fair and square	62%	62%	64%	26%	56%	97%	93%	72%	32%
	Due to voter fraud	32%	33%	28%	65%	35%	3%	7%	23%	58%
	[VOL] Dont know	6%	6%	8%	9%	9%	1%	0%	5%	9%

		GEN	GENDER		AGE 3-WAY			I IN HOME	RACE	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
14. Do you believe Joe Biden won the 2020 election fair and square,	Fair and square	59%	65%	73%	57%	58%	58%	63%	55%	77%
or do you believe that he only won	Due to voter fraud	34%	30%	23%	33%	39%	33%	32%	39%	18%
it due to voter fraud?	[VOL] Dont know	7%	5%	5%	10%	4%	9%	5%	7%	5%

		COLLEG	E GRAD	WHITE COLLEGE DEGREE		INCOME		
		No degree	4 yr degree	White no degree	White college	<\$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+
14. Do you believe Joe Biden won	Fair and square	58%	70%	48%	68%	67%	58%	64%
the 2020 election fair and square, or do you believe that he only won	Due to voter fraud	35%	24%	45%	26%	26%	38%	31%
it due to voter fraud?	[VOL] Dont know	6%	5%	7%	6%	7%	5%	6%

		TOTAL REGISTERED TO VOTE		PARTY ID			POLITICAL IDEOLOGY			
			Yes	No	Rep	Ind	Dem	Lib	Mod	Con
[If win due to voter fraud in Q14:] 14A. Now that Biden is in office do	Time to move on	17%	17%	18%	31%	21%	2%	3%	14%	29%
you feel it is time to move on or	Will never accept	12%	13%	6%	29%	11%	0%	4%	7%	25%
will you never accept Biden as president?	[VOL] Dont know	3%	3%	3%	5%	4%	0%	0%	1%	5%
	NA [Win fair\dk in Q14]	68%	67%	72%	35%	65%	97%	93%	77%	42%

		GEN	GENDER		AGE 3-WAY			I IN HOME	RACE	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
[If win due to voter fraud in Q14:]	Time to move on	20%	14%	16%	17%	17%	19%	16%	21%	12%
14A. Now that Biden is in office do you feel it is time to move on or	Will never accept	13%	12%	4%	14%	17%	13%	12%	15%	4%
will you never accept Biden as president?	[VOL] Dont know	2%	4%	2%	1%	4%	1%	3%	3%	2%
	NA [Win fair\dk in Q14]	66%	70%	77%	67%	61%	67%	68%	61%	82%

		COLLEG	E GRAD	WHITE CO DEGI		INCOME			
		No degree	4 yr degree	White no degree	White college	<\$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	
[If win due to voter fraud in Q14:] 14A. Now that Biden is in office do	Time to move on	19%	11%	24%	13%	15%	19%	18%	
you feel it is time to move on or	Will never accept	13%	11%	17%	12%	8%	16%	11%	
will you never accept Biden as president?	[VOL] Dont know	3%	2%	4%	1%	3%	3%	2%	
	NA [Win fair\dk in Q14]	65%	76%	55%	74%	74%	62%	69%	

		TOTAL	REGISTE VO			PARTY ID		POLI	TICAL IDEOLO	OGY
			Yes	No	Rep	Ind	Dem	Lib	Mod	Con
15. Thinking back to the riot at the U.S. Capitol in January	Fully justified	8%	8%	4%	14%	9%	2%	1%	5%	15%
Regardless of the actual actions taken, do you think the anger over	Partially justified	18%	18%	18%	26%	21%	8%	8%	18%	24%
the presidential election that led to this incident was fully justified,	Not at all justified	70%	69%	75%	53%	65%	89%	90%	75%	53%
partially justified, or not at all justified?	[VOL] Dont know	4%	4%	4%	6%	5%	2%	1%	2%	8%

		GEN	GENDER		AGE 3-WAY			IN HOME	RACE	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
15. Thinking back to the riot at the U.S. Capitol in January	Fully justified	9%	6%	7%	9%	8%	14%	6%	9%	5%
Regardless of the actual actions taken, do you think the anger over	Partially justified	21%	14%	20%	18%	16%	18%	18%	18%	16%
the presidential election that led to this incident was fully justified,	Not at all justified	65%	75%	70%	67%	72%	62%	73%	68%	75%
partially justified, or not at all justified?	[VOL] Dont know	5%	4%	3%	6%	4%	5%	4%	5%	3%

		COLLEG	E GRAD					
		No degree	4 yr degree	White no degree	White college	<\$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+
15. Thinking back to the riot at the U.S. Capitol in January	Fully justified	8%	8%	10%	8%	6%	11%	8%
Regardless of the actual actions taken, do you think the anger over	Partially justified	19%	16%	20%	16%	19%	15%	19%
the presidential election that led to this incident was fully justified,	Not at all justified	69%	72%	65%	72%	71%	68%	71%
partially justified, or not at all justified?	[VOL] Dont know	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%	6%	3%

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16. Do you think an independent	Independent commission	53%	7 es 55%	37%	49%	47%	62%	68%	51%	45%
commission should be set up to examine what happened at the	•									
Capitol or can this be	Through internal investigations	37%	35%	55%	41%	42%	30%	27%	40%	43%
accomplished through internal investigations?	[VOL] Dont know	10%	10%	8%	10%	11%	8%	5%	8%	12%
		GEN	DER		AGE 3-WAY		CHILDREN	I IN HOME	RA	CE
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
16. Do you think an independent	Independent commission	47%	59%	45%	54%	58%	44%	56%	55%	50%
commission should be set up to examine what happened at the	Through internal investigations	42%	33%	44%	36%	33%	43%	35%	35%	43%
Capitol or can this be accomplished through internal										
investigations?	[VOL] Dont know	11%	9%	11%	10%	9%	13%	9%	10%	7%
		COLLEG	E GRAD	WHITE C DEG			INCOME			
		No degree	4 yr degree	White no degree	White college	<\$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+		
16. Do you think an independent commission should be set up to	Independent commission	49%	62%	52%	61%	49%	57%	58%]	
examine what happened at the Capitol or can this be	Through internal investigations	41%	29%	38%	29%	42%	34%	32%		
accomplished through internal investigations?	[VOL] Dont know	10%	9%	10%	10%	9%	9%	10%		
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			Yes	No	Rep	Ind	Dem	Lib	Mod	Con
17A. [Do you approve or disapprove of a commission	Approve	81%	81%	83%	78%	74%	92%	91%	80%	77%
looking into these issues]: The failure of Capitol Police to prepare	Disapprove	17%	17%	13%	21%	23%	6%	8%	19%	21%
for violence	[VOL] Dont know	2%	2%	4%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%
		GEN	DER		AGE 3-WAY		CHILDREN	I IN HOME	RA	CE
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
									80%	84%
17A. [Do you approve or	Approve	75%	87%	83%	81%	80%	78%	83%	00 /0	
disapprove of a commission looking into these issues]: The	Approve Disapprove	75% 23%	87% 11%	83% 15%	81% 17%	80% 18%	78% 20%	83% 15%	17%	15%
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disapprove of a commission looking into these issues]: The failure of Capitol Police to prepare	Disapprove	23%	11%	15% 2%	17% 2%	18%	20%	15%	17%	15%
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disapprove of a commission looking into these issues]: The failure of Capitol Police to prepare for violence	Disapprove	23% 2% COLLEG	11% 3% E GRAD 4 yr	15% 2% WHITE C DEG White no	17% 2% OLLEGE REE White	18% 3%	20% 2% INCOME	15% 2%	17%	15%
disapprove of a commission looking into these issues]: The failure of Capitol Police to prepare for violence	Disapprove [VOL] Dont know	23% 2% COLLEG No degree	11% 3% E GRAD 4 yr degree	15% 2% WHITE C DEG White no degree	17% 2% OLLEGE REE White college	18% 3% <\$50K	20% 2% INCOME \$50-100K	15% 2% \$100K+	17%	15%

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			Yes	No	Rep	Ind	Dem	Lib	Mod	Con
17B. [Do you approve or disapprove of a commission	Approve	76%	76%	75%	70%	68%	91%	90%	77%	66%
looking into these issues]: The	Disapprove	22%	22%	20%	29%	29%	8%	9%	22%	32%
growth of militant groups in the country	[VOL] Dont know	2%	2%	5%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%
		GEN	DER		AGE 3-WAY		CHILDREN	IN HOME	RA	CE
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
17B. [Do you approve or	Approve	68%	84%	68%	81%	78%	68%	79%	77%	75%
disapprove of a commission looking into these issues]: The	Disapprove	30%	13%	29%	19%	19%	29%	19%	21%	22%
growth of militant groups in the country	[VOL] Dont know	2%	3%	3%	0%	3%	4%	2%	2%	3%
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disapprove of a commission	Disapprove	22%	20%	20%	22%	20%	75% 24%	20%		
looking into these issues]: The growth of militant groups in the	[VOL] Dont know	2%	20%	20%	1%	3%	1%			
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17C. [Do you approve or	Approve	70%	69%	78%	54%	61%	93%	90%	74%	55%
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disapprove of a commission looking into these issues]: The	Disapprove	26%	27%	15%	75/0					
	Disapprove [VOL] Dont know	26% 4%	4%	7%	1%	7%	3%	2%	2%	6%
looking into these issues]: The role that white nationalism played	• •		4%				3% CHILDREN			
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17D. [Do you approve or	Approve	59%	61%	46%	79%	59%	45%	46%	54%	74%
disapprove of a commission looking into these issues]:	Disapprove	39%	37%	48%	20%	38%	54%	53%	44%	25%
Potential fraud in the 2020 election	[VOL] Dont know	2%	2%	6%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%
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		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
17D. [Do you approve or disapprove of a commission	Approve	60%	59%	59%	61%	58%	64%	58%	59%	59%
looking into these issues]:	Disapprove	38%	39%	39%	37%	39%	33%	40%	38%	40%
Potential fraud in the 2020 election	[VOL] Dont know	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%
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		No degree	4 yr degree	White no degree	White college	<\$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+		
17D. [Do you approve or	Approve	63%	51%	63%	51%	58%	65%	54%	Ī	
disapprove of a commission looking into these issues]:	Disapprove	35%	47%	34%	48%	41%	33%	43%		
Potential fraud in the 2020 election	[VOL] Dont know	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	3%		
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			Yes	No	Rep	Ind	Dem	Lib	Mod	Con
18. Have you heard a lot, a little, or nothing at all about a group	A lot	27%	29%	16%	17%	27%	36%	44%	27%	18%
known as QAnon?	A little	38%	39%	28%	37%	43%	33%	34%	39%	43%
	Nothing at all	34%	32%	56%	46%	30%	31%	22%	33%	39%
		GEN	DER		AGE 3-WAY		CHILDREN	I IN HOME	RA	CE
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
18. Have you heard a lot, a little,	A lot	28%	27%	22%	34%	26%	34%	25%	30%	23%
or nothing at all about a group known as QAnon?	A little	43%	33%	36%	40%	38%	30%	41%	41%	33%
MIOWIT do Q/MIOIT:	Nothing at all	29%	39%	42%	26%	36%	36%	34%	29%	44%
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		No degree	4 yr degree	White no degree	White college	<\$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+		
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18. Have you heard a lot, a little,	A lot	21%	43%	23%	43%	16%	32%	43%		
18. Have you heard a lot, a little, or nothing at all about a group known as QAnon?	A lot A little	21% 37%	43% 40%	23% 41%	43% 41%	16% 34%	32% 42%	43% 39%		

		TOTAL	REGISTE VO			PARTY ID		POLI	TICAL IDEOL	OGY
			Yes	No	Rep	Ind	Dem	Lib	Mod	Con
19. Is your general impression of QAnon favorable or unfavorable,	Favorable	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%	0%	0%	2%	4%
or do you have no opinion?	Unfavorable	40%	42%	22%	17%	40%	58%	69%	41%	22%
	No opinion	23%	24%	18%	33%	27%	11%	9%	23%	35%
	[Q18] Not heard of	34%	32%	56%	46%	30%	31%	22%	33%	39%

		GENDER		AGE 3-WAY			CHILDREN IN HOME		RACE	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
19. Is your general impression of	Favorable	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%
QAnon favorable or unfavorable, or do you have no opinion?	Unfavorable	39%	41%	38%	44%	38%	38%	41%	45%	33%
	No opinion	29%	18%	17%	28%	24%	23%	23%	23%	22%
	[Q18] Not heard of	29%	39%	42%	26%	36%	36%	34%	29%	44%

		COLLEGE GRAD		WHITE COLLEGE DEGREE				
		No degree	4 yr degree	White no degree	White college	<\$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+
19. Is your general impression of	Favorable	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%
QAnon favorable or unfavorable, or do you have no opinion?	Unfavorable	32%	58%	37%	61%	31%	44%	55%
	No opinion	24%	22%	24%	22%	17%	28%	24%
	[Q18] Not heard of	42%	17%	35%	16%	49%	26%	18%

		TOTAL	REGISTERED TO VOTE		PARTY ID			POLITICAL IDEOLOGY		
			Yes	No	Rep	Ind	Dem	Lib	Mod	Con
20. Do you think that white	Yes, big problem	47%	47%	45%	18%	38%	79%	82%	51%	16%
nationalism in the United States is a problem or not a problem? [Is it	Yes, small problem	11%	11%	8%	14%	12%	5%	3%	15%	14%
a big problem or a small problem?]	Yes, but not sure if big or small	6%	6%	8%	6%	9%	4%	4%	7%	7%
	No, not a problem	34%	34%	34%	59%	37%	10%	11%	27%	58%
	[VOL] Dont know	3%	2%	6%	3%	3%	1%	1%	1%	5%

		GENDER		AGE 3-WAY			CHILDREN IN HOME		RACE	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
20. Do you think that white	Yes, big problem	38%	55%	54%	41%	45%	40%	49%	39%	60%
nationalism in the United States is a problem or not a problem? [Is it	Yes, small problem	14%	8%	13%	11%	9%	11%	11%	13%	8%
a big problem or a small problem?]	Yes, but not sure if big or small	5%	7%	5%	8%	6%	4%	7%	7%	5%
	No, not a problem	40%	27%	27%	38%	35%	43%	30%	37%	26%
	[VOL] Dont know	3%	2%	1%	2%	5%	2%	3%	4%	0%

		COLLEG	E GRAD	WHITE COLLEGE DEGREE				
		No degree	4 yr degree	White no degree	White college	<\$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+
20. Do you think that white nationalism in the United States is a problem or not a problem? [Is it	Yes, big problem	44%	52%	35%	48%	50%	46%	47%
	Yes, small problem	11%	9%	14%	11%	10%	12%	11%
a big problem or a small problem?]	Yes, but not sure if big or small	7%	4%	8%	4%	8%	5%	6%
	No, not a problem	34%	32%	38%	34%	28%	36%	35%
	[VOL] Dont know	3%	2%	5%	3%	4%	1%	1%

		TOTAL	REGISTERED TO VOTE		PARTY ID			POLITICAL IDEOLOGY		
			Yes	No	Rep	Ind	Dem	Lib	Mod	Con
21. How much of a role did white	Major role	47%	46%	48%	19%	36%	81%	74%	53%	21%
nationalism play in the violent attack on the U.S. Capitol last	Minor role	23%	22%	27%	31%	27%	13%	18%	25%	27%
month - a major role, a minor role, or not a role at all?	Not a role	22%	23%	17%	40%	26%	3%	5%	15%	41%
	[VOL] Dont know	9%	9%	8%	10%	12%	4%	4%	8%	10%

		GENDER		AGE 3-WAY			CHILDREN IN HOME		RACE	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Yes	No	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk- Asn-Oth
21. How much of a role did white	Major role	35%	58%	52%	41%	47%	41%	49%	38%	63%
nationalism play in the violent attack on the U.S. Capitol last	Minor role	28%	18%	23%	23%	23%	20%	24%	26%	18%
month - a major role, a minor role, or not a role at all?	Not a role	29%	15%	20%	27%	19%	32%	18%	26%	12%
	[VOL] Dont know	8%	9%	6%	8%	11%	8%	9%	10%	6%

		COLLEGE GRAD		WHITE COLLEGE DEGREE				
		No degree	4 yr degree	White no degree	White college	<\$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+
21. How much of a role did white nationalism play in the violent attack on the U.S. Capitol last month - a major role, a minor role, or not a role at all?	Major role	44%	52%	34%	47%	54%	42%	43%
	Minor role	24%	20%	27%	24%	21%	23%	27%
	Not a role	22%	21%	28%	23%	16%	26%	24%
	[VOL] Dont know	10%	6%	11%	6%	8%	9%	6%