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NATIONAL: BIDEN TOPS ELECTABILITY RATINGS

Most Dems interested in first debates, but not excited

West Long Branch, NJ – Former Vice President Joe Biden maintains his front-runner status among Democratic voters nationwide, but Massachusetts Sen. Elizabeth Warren is now virtually tied with Vermont Sen. Bernie Sanders for second place in the latest *Monmouth University Poll*. As the candidates prepare to take the debate stage for the first time, the poll finds that Biden is considered to be the most electable candidate against Trump – among both his own supporters as well as those who are currently backing other candidates. The poll also finds broad voter interest, although not quite excitement, among Democrats for next week’s debates.

Among a field of 24 contenders, Biden currently has the support of 32% of Democrats and Democratic-leaning voters. This is similar to his 33% support last month. Warren’s support has jumped five points to 15% from 10% in May. Sanders holds onto 14% support, which is similar to his 15% support last month. Warren’s biggest gain has come from self-identified liberals (25%, up from 14% in May).

Other candidates receiving support in the poll include California Sen. Kamala Harris (8%, down slightly from 11% in May), South Bend, Indiana Mayor Pete Buttigieg (5%, steady from 6% in May), former Texas Rep. Beto O’Rourke (3%, basically unchanged from 4% in May), New Jersey Sen. Cory Booker (2%, from 1% in May), and entrepreneur Andrew Yang (2%, from 1% in May). Candidates who receive 1% support include Minnesota Sen. Amy Klobuchar (which is down from 3% in May), as well as New York City Mayor Bill de Blasio, Hawaii Rep. Tulsi Gabbard, Washington Gov. Jay Inslee, and author Marianne Williamson. The remaining 11 candidates included in the poll receive less than 1% or were not selected by any respondents.

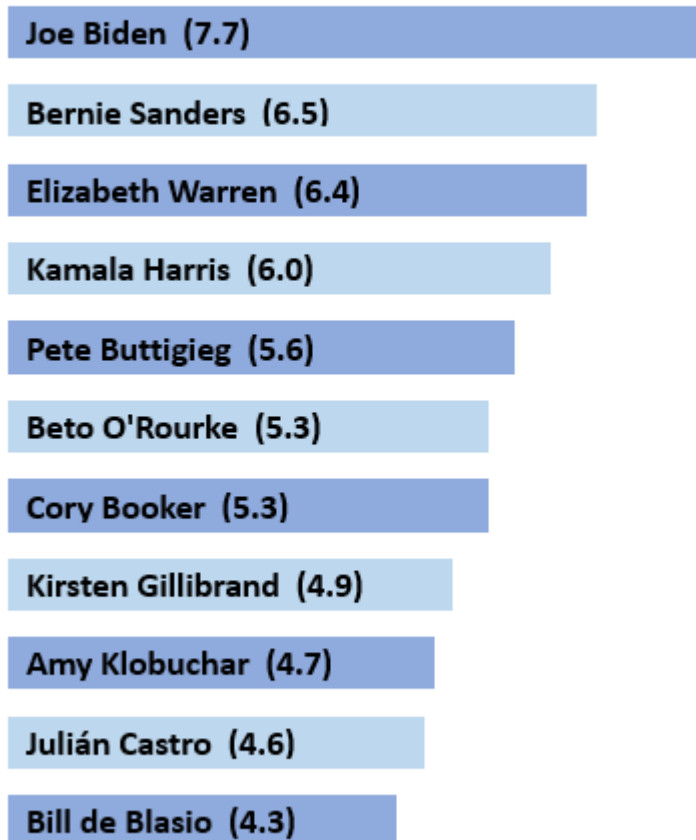
“Biden maintains his lead but there is plenty percolating in the tier right below him. Next week will provide the first opportunity for voters to see these candidates side by side. Well, at least they’ll see

some of them side by side,” said Patrick Murray, director of the independent Monmouth University Polling Institute.

The poll tested the perceived “electability” of 11 candidates, finding that Biden is considered the potential nominee with the best chance to beat Trump next year. When asked to rate Biden on a scale from 0 (would definitely lose to Trump) to 10 (would definitely defeat Trump), 59% of Democratic voters give him an 8, 9 or 10 and just 9% score him less than 5. His average score among the 95% of voters who rate his electability is 7.7. Sanders and Warren are seen as somewhat less electable than Biden, but similar to one another. Sanders has an average score of 6.5 among 93% of Democratic voters who rate him (including 39% at 8 to 10 and 17% below 5), and Warren averages 6.4 from 84% of voters (including 32% at 8 to 10 and 16% below 5). Harris averages 6.0 from 83% (including 24% at 8 to 10 and 20% below 5), Buttigieg averages 5.6 from 75% (including 17% at 8 to 10 and 21% below 5), O’Rourke averages 5.3 from 78% (including 13% at 8 to 10 and 23% below 5), and Booker averages 5.3 from 78% (including 13% at 8 to 10 and 22% below 5).

DEM 2020 "ELECTABILITY" RATING

(likelihood of defeating Trump on a scale from 0 to 10 according to Democratic voters nationwide)



Source: Monmouth University Poll, June 12-17, 2019

Further down the electability scale are New York Sen. Kirsten Gillibrand at an average of 4.9 from 69% of voters (including 8% at 8 to 10 and 26% below 5), Klobuchar with an average of 4.7 from 66% of voters (including 9% at 8 to 10 and 28% below 5), and former cabinet secretary Julián Castro at 4.6 from 70% of voters (including 8% at 8 to 10 and 29% below 5). At the bottom of the list of candidates tested for electability is de Blasio at 4.3 from 79% of voters (including 10% at 8 to 10 and 39% below 5).

Biden's electability is rated nearly as high among liberals (7.7) as it is among non-liberals (7.8). Sanders (6.9 liberals and 6.1 non-liberals), Warren (6.7 liberals and 6.1 non-liberals), Harris (6.4 liberals and 5.7 non-liberals), and Buttigieg (5.8 liberals and 5.2 non-liberals) do somewhat better with liberals than non-liberals on the electability metric.

On average, most voters feel that the candidate they are currently supporting has a very good chance of defeating Trump. Among the 11 candidates tested for perceived electability in the poll, the average score from their own supporters is 8.3, including 8.9 for Biden, 8.1 for Warren, and 8.0 for Sanders. Biden voters do not see any of the other candidates nearly as electable as their choice – rating Sanders at 6.4, Warren at 6.1, Harris at 5.7, and Booker at 5.1. The other candidates average less than 5.0 among Biden supporters. Among supporters of candidates other than Biden, the former vice president receives an average 7.2 electability score, placing him ahead of Sanders (6.9), Warren (6.7), and Harris (6.4).

“Democratic voters have told us that electability matters in 2020. The perception that Biden is the party's best shot against Trump separates him from the rest of the pack in the minds of his own supporters. Other Democratic voters also tend to see Biden as a highly electable nominee. This could play to his advantage as the field gets winnowed, but only if he can maintain this aura as the primary campaign really gets underway,” said Murray. He added, “Electability is in the eye of the supporter. At this early stage of the race, voters have not had a chance to make direct comparisons among the candidates, which makes it is easier to project a sense of electability on almost anyone in the field. All this could change after next week's debates.”

About half of Democratic voters are looking forward to next week's inaugural debates, although just 13% say they are excited about them while 36% are very interested. Another 34% have some interest and 17% have no interest at all. Liberals (60%) are more likely than non-liberals (38%) to have a high level of interest. Most Democrats (58%) say they plan to watch the debates live, 27% will watch clips afterwards, and 14% say they will not watch any of the June debates.

There has been some controversy over the debate rules, although only 20% of party voters have heard a lot about the Democratic National Committee's qualification criteria. Another 40% have heard a

little, and 39% have not heard anything at all. The overwhelming majority of Democrats (73%) support the decision to limit the first two debates to 20 candidates. Just 17% disapprove of this limit. However, voters are divided on how to deal with the possibility of 21 or 22 candidates qualifying for the next debate – 49% say the DNC should stick to the limit of ten per night and 45% say they should squeeze the extra person onto the stage.

The *Monmouth University Poll* was conducted by telephone from June 12 to 17, 2019 with 751 adults in the United States. Results in this release are based on 306 registered voters who identify as Democrats or lean toward the Democratic Party, which has a +/- 5.6 percentage point sampling margin of error. 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.)

[Q1-15 held for future release.]

16. I know the 2020 election is far away, but who would you support for the Democratic nomination for president if the candidates were the following? [INCLUDES LEANERS] [NAMES WERE ROTATED]

TREND: (with leaners)	June 2019	May 2019	April 2019	March 2019	Jan. 2019
Joe Biden	32%	33%	27%	28%	29%
Elizabeth Warren	15%	10%	6%	8%	8%
Bernie Sanders	14%	15%	20%	25%	16%
Kamala Harris	8%	11%	8%	10%	11%
Pete Buttigieg	5%	6%	8%	<1%	0%
Beto O'Rourke	3%	4%	4%	6%	7%
Cory Booker	2%	1%	2%	5%	4%
Andrew Yang	2%	1%	<1%	1%	1%
Bill de Blasio	1%	1%	1%	1%	n/a
Tulsi Gabbard	1%	1%	0%	<1%	1%
Jay Inslee	1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Amy Klobuchar	1%	3%	1%	3%	2%
Marianne Williamson	1%	1%	<1%	<1%	n/a
Julián Castro	<1%	1%	<1%	1%	1%
Kirsten Gillibrand	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%
Tim Ryan	<1%	<1%	0%	n/a	n/a
Michael Bennet	0%	<1%	0%	<1%	n/a
Steve Bullock	0%	0%	0%	0%	n/a
John Delaney	0%	<1%	0%	0%	<1%
Mike Gravel	0%	0%	n/a	n/a	n/a
John Hickenlooper	0%	<1%	2%	1%	1%
Wayne Messam	0%	0%	<1%	n/a	n/a
Seth Moulton	0%	0%	<1%	n/a	n/a
Eric Swalwell	0%	0%	<1%	n/a	n/a
(VOL) Other	0%	0%	1%	4%	7%
(VOL) No one	1%	2%	3%	<1%	3%
(VOL) Undecided	11%	9%	14%	8%	9%
(n)	(306)	(334)	(330)	(310)	(313)

19. Would you say you are excited about the upcoming debates this month, very interested but not excited, somewhat interested, or not interested in these debates?

	June 2019
Excited	13%
Very interested	36%
Somewhat interested	34%
Not interested	17%
(VOL) Don't know	0%
(n)	(306)

20. The first debates will be spread over two nights with ten candidates on the stage each night based on certain polling and fundraising qualifications set by the Democratic National Committee. Have you heard a lot, a little, or nothing about these debate qualifications?

	June 2019
A lot	20%
A little	40%
Nothing	39%
(n)	(306)

21. Do you approve or disapprove of the Democratic National Committee's decision to limit the first debates to 20 candidates?

	June 2019
Approve	73%
Disapprove	17%
(VOL) Both, depends	0%
(VOL) Don't know	9%
(n)	(306)

22. If 21 or 22 candidates meet the debate qualifications, should the Democratic National Committee allow an extra person on the debate stage or should they keep it to their announced limit of ten candidates each night?

	June 2019
Allow an extra person on the stage	45%
Limit of ten candidates each night	49%
(VOL) Both, depends	1%
(VOL) Don't know	5%
(n)	(306)

[Q23-30 held for future release.]

METHODOLOGY

The *Monmouth University Poll* was sponsored and conducted by the Monmouth University Polling Institute from June 12 to 17, 2019 with a national random sample of 751 adults age 18 and older, in English. This includes 301 contacted by a live interviewer on a landline telephone and 450 contacted by a live interviewer on a cell phone. The results in this poll release are based on a subsample of 306 registered voters who identify themselves as Democrats or lean toward the Democratic Party. Telephone numbers were selected through random digit dialing and landline respondents were selected with a modified Trolldahl-Carter youngest adult household screen. Monmouth is responsible for all aspects of the survey design, data weighting and analysis. Final sample is weighted for region, age, education, gender and race based on US Census information. Data collection support provided by Braun Research (field) and Dynata (RDD sample). For results based on the Democratic voter sample, one can say with 95% confidence that the error attributable to sampling has a maximum margin of plus or minus 5.6 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)
DEMOCRATIC VOTERS**

37% Male
63% Female

31% 18-34
31% 35-54
39% 55+

50% White
19% Black
20% Hispanic
11% Asian/Other

61% No degree
39% 4 year degree

MARGIN OF ERROR

		<i>unweighted sample</i>	<i>moe (+/-)</i>
DEMOCRATIC VOTER IDEOLOGY		306	5.6%
	<i>Liberal</i>	167	7.6%
	<i>Moderate/Conservative</i>	135	8.4%
GENDER			
	<i>Male</i>	121	8.9%
	<i>Female</i>	185	7.2%
AGE			
	<i>18-49</i>	124	8.8%
	<i>50+</i>	181	7.3%
RACE			
	<i>White, non-Hispanic</i>	197	7.0%
	<i>Other</i>	103	9.7%
COLLEGE GRADUATE			
	<i>No degree</i>	126	8.7%
	<i>4 year degree</i>	178	7.4%
PRIMARY CALENDAR			
	<i>Early state</i>	132	8.5%
	<i>After March 3</i>	174	7.4%

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		REGISTERED TO VOTE	POLITICAL IDEOLOGY		GENDER		AGE 2-WAY		RACE
		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp
DEM VOTERS: 16. I know the 2020 election is far away, but who would you support for the Democratic nomination for president if the candidates were the following:? [with leaners] [Names below received at least 1 vote. See release for full list of 24 candds]	Joe Biden	32%	24%	40%	38%	29%	21%	42%	32%
	Bernie Sanders	14%	17%	10%	16%	13%	20%	8%	13%
	Elizabeth Warren	15%	25%	6%	11%	18%	15%	16%	20%
	Beto ORourke	3%	2%	4%	1%	5%	5%	1%	0%
	Kamala Harris	8%	10%	6%	8%	8%	8%	8%	6%
	Amy Klobuchar	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	2%	2%
	Pete Buttigieg	5%	8%	3%	7%	5%	8%	3%	9%
	Cory Booker	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%
	Kirsten Gillibrand	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Julián Castro	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Tulsi Gabbard	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
	Jay Inslee	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%
	Andrew Yang	2%	3%	2%	5%	1%	4%	1%	1%
	Marianne Williamson	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	Tim Ryan	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%
	Bill de Blasio	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	[VOL] No one	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
[VOL] Undecided	11%	5%	18%	6%	14%	11%	11%	10%	

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		Hsp-Blk-Asn-Oth	No degree	4 yr degree	Early	After March 3
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	Kamala Harris	9%	7%	10%	11%	5%
	Amy Klobuchar	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Pete Buttigieg	2%	1%	13%	4%	6%
	Cory Booker	3%	3%	1%	3%	1%
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	Julián Castro	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	Tulsi Gabbard	2%	1%	0%	0%	2%
	Jay Inslee	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Andrew Yang	4%	3%	2%	3%	1%
	Marianne Williamson	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Tim Ryan	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Bill de Blasio	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	[VOL] No one	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%
[VOL] Undecided	11%	13%	8%	10%	12%	

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DEM VOTERS: 17A. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: Former Vice President Joe Biden	0 - definitely lose	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	1	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	2	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	2%
	3	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	4	4%	6%	2%	6%	3%	5%	4%	5%
	5 - 50-50 chance	8%	8%	8%	7%	9%	13%	3%	6%
	6	5%	6%	5%	3%	6%	5%	5%	7%
	7	14%	16%	13%	18%	12%	20%	9%	11%
	8	17%	19%	15%	18%	16%	16%	16%	16%
	9	13%	14%	11%	11%	14%	10%	15%	18%
	10 - definitely win	29%	24%	34%	29%	29%	22%	36%	30%
	Not heard of	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
[VOL] Dont know	5%	3%	7%	2%	7%	5%	6%	2%	

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	1	3%	3%	0%	3%	1%
	2	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%
	3	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	4	3%	4%	4%	6%	2%
	5 - 50-50 chance	10%	10%	5%	12%	5%
	6	3%	6%	4%	6%	5%
	7	18%	12%	19%	16%	12%
	8	18%	14%	21%	13%	20%
	9	8%	9%	19%	12%	14%
	10 - definitely win	28%	35%	19%	26%	31%
	Not heard of	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%
[VOL] Dont know	7%	6%	5%	4%	7%	

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DEM VOTERS: 17B. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: Vermont Senator Bernie Sanders	0 - definitely lose	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	4%
	1	2%	0%	3%	1%	2%	0%	4%	1%
	2	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	4%
	3	4%	2%	5%	2%	5%	4%	4%	2%
	4	5%	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%	6%
	5 - 50-50 chance	16%	12%	20%	20%	13%	13%	19%	20%
	6	11%	15%	8%	9%	12%	10%	11%	13%
	7	12%	15%	9%	11%	12%	15%	9%	16%
	8	18%	24%	13%	21%	16%	18%	19%	17%
	9	8%	7%	9%	8%	8%	6%	10%	8%
	10 - definitely win	13%	13%	13%	16%	11%	17%	9%	7%
	Not heard of	3%	1%	5%	0%	4%	5%	0%	0%
	[VOL] Dont know	4%	3%	3%	2%	4%	2%	5%	1%

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	1	2%	3%	0%	1%	2%
	2	0%	2%	2%	1%	3%
	3	5%	5%	2%	6%	1%
	4	4%	3%	8%	5%	5%
	5 - 50-50 chance	12%	19%	11%	17%	15%
	6	10%	10%	13%	10%	12%
	7	8%	7%	20%	10%	14%
	8	18%	19%	17%	18%	18%
	9	8%	9%	6%	8%	8%
	10 - definitely win	19%	13%	12%	16%	10%
	Not heard of	5%	3%	1%	3%	2%
	[VOL] Dont know	5%	2%	5%	1%	6%

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DEM VOTERS: 17C. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: Massachusetts Senator Elizabeth Warren	0 - definitely lose	2%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%
	1	2%	0%	4%	3%	1%	0%	4%	2%
	2	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	2%
	3	4%	2%	5%	4%	3%	2%	5%	7%
	4	6%	7%	6%	7%	6%	9%	4%	5%
	5 - 50-50 chance	17%	17%	17%	18%	16%	21%	13%	13%
	6	8%	12%	4%	11%	7%	9%	7%	9%
	7	11%	10%	11%	15%	8%	14%	8%	15%
	8	11%	17%	5%	12%	10%	6%	16%	15%
	9	12%	14%	10%	11%	13%	12%	12%	13%
	10 - definitely win	9%	9%	9%	6%	11%	4%	14%	9%
	Not heard of	11%	5%	17%	6%	14%	18%	4%	5%
	[VOL] Dont know	5%	3%	7%	4%	6%	4%	7%	1%

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	1	1%	3%	0%	2%	2%
	2	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	3	0%	3%	4%	2%	6%
	4	8%	8%	3%	6%	6%
	5 - 50-50 chance	21%	22%	9%	19%	15%
	6	8%	7%	11%	11%	5%
	7	7%	8%	15%	12%	10%
	8	7%	6%	19%	9%	13%
	9	10%	11%	13%	13%	11%
	10 - definitely win	10%	10%	9%	7%	12%
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	[VOL] Dont know	8%	3%	9%	3%	8%

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	1	2%	0%	4%	3%	1%	0%	4%	3%
	2	3%	4%	2%	4%	3%	2%	5%	5%
	3	5%	7%	3%	5%	5%	5%	5%	7%
	4	9%	9%	9%	12%	8%	9%	9%	11%
	5 - 50-50 chance	20%	20%	21%	25%	18%	23%	18%	22%
	6	10%	12%	8%	14%	7%	11%	9%	9%
	7	11%	18%	5%	8%	13%	11%	10%	16%
	8	7%	7%	8%	8%	7%	9%	6%	5%
	9	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	0%	3%	1%
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	Not heard of	15%	10%	21%	7%	20%	18%	13%	10%
	[VOL] Dont know	7%	3%	10%	5%	8%	4%	10%	4%

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	1	1%	3%	0%	1%	3%
	2	2%	3%	4%	3%	3%
	3	3%	5%	4%	6%	4%
	4	8%	10%	8%	10%	8%
	5 - 50-50 chance	19%	21%	20%	23%	18%
	6	10%	8%	13%	13%	7%
	7	7%	7%	18%	9%	14%
	8	9%	7%	8%	7%	7%
	9	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%
	10 - definitely win	6%	4%	3%	6%	2%
	Not heard of	21%	18%	10%	14%	16%
	[VOL] Dont know	9%	6%	9%	3%	10%

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		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp
DEM VOTERS: 17E. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]; California Senator Kamala Harris	0 - definitely lose	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	2%
	1	2%	0%	3%	3%	1%	0%	3%	2%
	2	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	3	4%	4%	3%	8%	1%	4%	3%	4%
	4	9%	6%	12%	9%	9%	11%	7%	10%
	5 - 50-50 chance	17%	16%	17%	18%	15%	18%	13%	17%
	6	9%	10%	8%	10%	9%	7%	11%	14%
	7	13%	15%	12%	15%	12%	15%	11%	14%
	8	11%	15%	6%	11%	11%	9%	13%	11%
	9	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	6%	8%	7%
	10 - definitely win	6%	6%	7%	4%	8%	5%	8%	4%
	Not heard of	11%	13%	9%	6%	14%	16%	6%	8%
	[VOL] Dont know	6%	3%	9%	3%	8%	3%	9%	4%

		RACE	COLLEGE GRAD		State Primary-Caucus Calendar	
		Hsp-Blk-Asn-Oth	No degree	4 yr degree	Early	After March 3
DEM VOTERS: 17E. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]; California Senator Kamala Harris	0 - definitely lose	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	1	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	2	2%	3%	0%	2%	2%
	3	4%	5%	2%	3%	5%
	4	8%	9%	8%	10%	8%
	5 - 50-50 chance	16%	17%	16%	20%	13%
	6	4%	7%	13%	9%	9%
	7	12%	13%	14%	14%	12%
	8	11%	8%	17%	9%	13%
	9	7%	7%	7%	9%	5%
	10 - definitely win	9%	7%	6%	7%	5%
	Not heard of	15%	14%	6%	11%	11%
	[VOL] Dont know	7%	5%	8%	1%	11%

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		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp
DEM VOTERS: 7F. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: Minnesota Senator Amy Klobuchar	0 - definitely lose	6%	6%	7%	8%	6%	5%	8%	5%
	1	3%	1%	5%	6%	1%	0%	6%	5%
	2	2%	5%	0%	2%	2%	3%	2%	5%
	3	6%	7%	5%	6%	6%	5%	8%	8%
	4	11%	16%	6%	12%	10%	13%	9%	8%
	5 - 50-50 chance	14%	14%	13%	19%	10%	14%	12%	15%
	6	9%	12%	5%	13%	6%	9%	8%	14%
	7	6%	6%	6%	5%	7%	4%	8%	7%
	8	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	3%	5%	5%
	9	1%	0%	3%	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%
	10 - definitely win	4%	4%	3%	1%	5%	2%	6%	4%
	Not heard of	25%	22%	29%	16%	31%	36%	15%	19%
	[VOL] Dont know	9%	5%	12%	6%	10%	5%	12%	6%

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DEM VOTERS: 7F. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: Minnesota Senator Amy Klobuchar	0 - definitely lose	8%	6%	6%	6%	7%
	1	1%	4%	1%	3%	3%
	2	0%	1%	4%	0%	4%
	3	5%	5%	8%	6%	6%
	4	13%	12%	9%	16%	6%
	5 - 50-50 chance	12%	12%	16%	14%	13%
	6	4%	7%	12%	10%	8%
	7	5%	5%	8%	8%	4%
	8	3%	4%	5%	3%	4%
	9	2%	2%	0%	0%	3%
	10 - definitely win	4%	5%	2%	3%	4%
	Not heard of	33%	31%	16%	25%	26%
	[VOL] Dont know	10%	7%	12%	5%	12%

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		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp
DEM VOTERS: 17G. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: South Bend, Indiana Mayor Pete Buttigieg	0 - definitely lose	5%	5%	5%	6%	4%	4%	6%	3%
	1	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	1%	3%	3%
	2	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%
	3	5%	5%	5%	6%	4%	6%	4%	3%
	4	7%	8%	6%	10%	6%	9%	3%	5%
	5 - 50-50 chance	16%	15%	17%	16%	16%	14%	18%	19%
	6	10%	13%	7%	10%	10%	10%	10%	11%
	7	11%	14%	8%	15%	9%	12%	10%	16%
	8	9%	11%	8%	8%	10%	7%	11%	11%
	9	4%	5%	2%	2%	4%	3%	4%	5%
	10 - definitely win	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%
	Not heard of	18%	13%	24%	10%	23%	23%	14%	13%
	[VOL] Dont know	7%	4%	10%	7%	8%	5%	10%	4%

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DEM VOTERS: 17G. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: South Bend, Indiana Mayor Pete Buttigieg	0 - definitely lose	6%	5%	3%	4%	5%
	1	1%	3%	0%	2%	2%
	2	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	3	7%	5%	5%	4%	6%
	4	9%	7%	8%	9%	5%
	5 - 50-50 chance	13%	18%	13%	19%	13%
	6	9%	9%	10%	10%	10%
	7	5%	7%	16%	15%	6%
	8	8%	7%	14%	6%	13%
	9	3%	2%	6%	2%	5%
	10 - definitely win	4%	5%	3%	3%	6%
	Not heard of	24%	22%	11%	19%	18%
	[VOL] Dont know	9%	6%	9%	5%	9%

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		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp
DEM VOTERS: 17H. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: New Jersey Senator Cory Booker	0 - definitely lose	5%	4%	6%	6%	4%	4%	6%	4%
	1	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%	3%	1%
	2	3%	2%	4%	4%	3%	2%	4%	3%
	3	7%	9%	5%	12%	4%	8%	7%	8%
	4	6%	9%	4%	9%	5%	7%	4%	8%
	5 - 50-50 chance	18%	18%	17%	16%	18%	17%	19%	20%
	6	12%	15%	10%	18%	9%	13%	12%	17%
	7	11%	14%	8%	11%	11%	11%	11%	11%
	8	7%	9%	6%	5%	9%	8%	7%	8%
	9	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	0%	4%	3%
	10 - definitely win	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	2%
	Not heard of	16%	11%	22%	8%	21%	23%	10%	12%
	[VOL] Dont know	6%	3%	9%	4%	8%	3%	10%	3%

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DEM VOTERS: 17H. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: New Jersey Senator Cory Booker	0 - definitely lose	6%	6%	3%	4%	6%
	1	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	2	3%	4%	2%	3%	4%
	3	7%	5%	10%	7%	8%
	4	5%	5%	8%	6%	6%
	5 - 50-50 chance	16%	19%	15%	20%	15%
	6	8%	9%	19%	11%	14%
	7	10%	9%	14%	11%	10%
	8	8%	8%	7%	7%	8%
	9	1%	2%	3%	1%	3%
	10 - definitely win	6%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	Not heard of	22%	22%	7%	21%	11%
	[VOL] Dont know	8%	6%	8%	3%	10%

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DEM VOTERS: 171. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: New York Senator Kirsten Gillibrand	0 - definitely lose	5%	4%	6%	9%	2%	4%	5%	4%
	1	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	0%	3%	3%
	2	4%	5%	3%	9%	1%	3%	5%	6%
	3	6%	9%	4%	9%	5%	7%	6%	8%
	4	9%	11%	8%	9%	9%	8%	9%	10%
	5 - 50-50 chance	23%	23%	21%	21%	23%	21%	25%	28%
	6	5%	9%	2%	8%	4%	6%	5%	8%
	7	7%	10%	4%	6%	8%	11%	4%	5%
	8	3%	2%	5%	5%	3%	4%	3%	1%
	9	2%	0%	3%	0%	3%	0%	3%	1%
	10 - definitely win	3%	4%	3%	2%	4%	3%	4%	2%
	Not heard of	22%	18%	27%	16%	26%	29%	16%	16%
	[VOL] Dont know	9%	4%	12%	5%	10%	5%	12%	6%

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DEM VOTERS: 171. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: New York Senator Kirsten Gillibrand	0 - definitely lose	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%
	1	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	2	1%	3%	6%	2%	5%
	3	5%	5%	9%	4%	8%
	4	8%	7%	13%	8%	10%
	5 - 50-50 chance	16%	23%	22%	28%	17%
	6	3%	3%	9%	6%	4%
	7	9%	7%	8%	8%	7%
	8	6%	4%	2%	4%	3%
	9	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	10 - definitely win	5%	5%	2%	3%	4%
	Not heard of	29%	29%	11%	22%	22%
	[VOL] Dont know	10%	8%	10%	6%	11%

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DEM VOTERS: 17J. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: Former cabinet secretary Julián Castro	0 - definitely lose	6%	5%	8%	9%	5%	5%	8%	6%
	1	3%	2%	5%	7%	1%	2%	4%	6%
	2	3%	5%	1%	4%	3%	1%	5%	5%
	3	6%	6%	5%	9%	3%	5%	6%	9%
	4	11%	16%	8%	18%	8%	14%	9%	9%
	5 - 50-50 chance	21%	22%	18%	15%	24%	22%	20%	18%
	6	7%	5%	9%	6%	7%	6%	7%	7%
	7	4%	3%	5%	2%	5%	3%	5%	3%
	8	4%	4%	4%	7%	2%	6%	3%	3%
	9	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%	2%	3%
	10 - definitely win	3%	4%	3%	1%	5%	2%	5%	1%
	Not heard of	22%	23%	22%	15%	26%	26%	17%	22%
	[VOL] Dont know	8%	5%	11%	8%	9%	7%	9%	7%

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DEM VOTERS: 17J. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: Former cabinet secretary Julián Castro	0 - definitely lose	6%	6%	6%	6%	6%
	1	1%	4%	2%	2%	4%
	2	1%	1%	7%	3%	3%
	3	2%	6%	5%	5%	6%
	4	13%	9%	16%	14%	9%
	5 - 50-50 chance	23%	22%	18%	25%	17%
	6	6%	7%	6%	6%	7%
	7	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%
	8	5%	4%	4%	2%	6%
	9	0%	2%	0%	2%	1%
	10 - definitely win	6%	4%	2%	4%	3%
	Not heard of	23%	23%	21%	23%	21%
	[VOL] Dont know	8%	7%	10%	5%	11%

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		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp
DEM VOTERS: 17K. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: New York City Mayor Bill de Blasio	0 - definitely lose	10%	9%	10%	15%	7%	8%	11%	11%
	1	4%	6%	3%	6%	3%	2%	7%	8%
	2	6%	7%	6%	7%	6%	6%	7%	9%
	3	10%	14%	6%	12%	8%	11%	9%	15%
	4	9%	8%	11%	12%	8%	11%	8%	9%
	5 - 50-50 chance	17%	18%	16%	16%	17%	18%	16%	18%
	6	7%	10%	4%	13%	4%	9%	3%	4%
	7	5%	3%	7%	4%	6%	5%	5%	4%
	8	4%	4%	5%	3%	5%	3%	6%	2%
	9	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%
	10 - definitely win	4%	5%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	3%
	Not heard of	14%	9%	20%	5%	20%	16%	13%	11%
[VOL] Dont know	7%	5%	9%	3%	10%	5%	9%	4%	

		RACE	COLLEGE GRAD		State Primary-Caucus Calendar	
		Hsp-Blk-Asn-Oth	No degree	4 yr degree	Early	After March 3
DEM VOTERS: 17K. [Please rate on a scale from zero to 10, where zero means they definitely would lose to Trump and 10 means they definitely would beat Trump. 5 means they have a 50/50 chance]: New York City Mayor Bill de Blasio	0 - definitely lose	8%	8%	12%	9%	10%
	1	1%	3%	7%	2%	6%
	2	4%	4%	10%	7%	6%
	3	4%	6%	16%	9%	10%
	4	10%	10%	8%	14%	5%
	5 - 50-50 chance	16%	16%	19%	18%	16%
	6	10%	7%	7%	9%	5%
	7	6%	7%	3%	4%	6%
	8	7%	5%	3%	2%	6%
	9	2%	3%	0%	2%	2%
	10 - definitely win	5%	4%	2%	3%	4%
	Not heard of	19%	20%	6%	18%	11%
[VOL] Dont know	9%	6%	9%	1%	13%	

		REGISTERED TO VOTE	POLITICAL IDEOLOGY		GENDER		AGE 2-WAY		RACE
		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp
18. The first Democratic debates will be held at the end of the month. Do you plan to watch these debates live, watch clips later, or do you not plan to watch any of the June debates?	Plan to watch live	58%	63%	52%	58%	57%	48%	68%	60%
	Watch clips later	27%	25%	29%	25%	28%	40%	14%	23%
	Not plan to watch	14%	11%	18%	16%	13%	11%	16%	15%
	[VOL] Dont know	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%

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18. The first Democratic debates will be held at the end of the month. Do you plan to watch these debates live, watch clips later, or do you not plan to watch any of the June debates?	Plan to watch live	55%	52%	66%	54%	61%	
	Watch clips later	30%	29%	25%	29%	25%	
	Not plan to watch	14%	18%	8%	17%	12%	
	[VOL] Dont know	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	

		REGISTERED TO VOTE	POLITICAL IDEOLOGY		GENDER		AGE 2-WAY		RACE
		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp
19. Would you say you are excited about the upcoming debates this month, very interested but not excited, somewhat interested, or not interested in these debates?	Excited	13%	17%	8%	13%	13%	12%	14%	16%
	Very interested	36%	43%	30%	34%	38%	33%	40%	37%
	Somewhat interested	34%	29%	41%	33%	34%	37%	31%	33%
	Not interested	17%	12%	21%	20%	15%	17%	15%	13%

		RACE		COLLEGE GRAD		State Primary-Caucus Calendar	
		Hsp-Blk-Asn-Oth	No degree	4 yr degree	Early	After March 3	
19. Would you say you are excited about the upcoming debates this month, very interested but not excited, somewhat interested, or not interested in these debates?	Excited	10%	10%	17%	13%	13%	
	Very interested	34%	37%	35%	36%	37%	
	Somewhat interested	36%	34%	35%	32%	36%	
	Not interested	19%	19%	12%	19%	14%	

		REGISTERED TO VOTE	POLITICAL IDEOLOGY		GENDER		AGE 2-WAY		RACE	
		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp	Hsp-Blk-Asn-Oth
20. The first debates will be spread over 2 nights with 10 candidates on the stage each night based on certain polling and fundraising qualifications set by the Democratic National Committee. Have you heard a lot, a little, or nothing about these debates?	A lot	20%	24%	16%	22%	19%	18%	23%	21%	20%
	A little	40%	44%	37%	41%	40%	33%	47%	47%	34%
	Nothing	39%	32%	47%	37%	41%	49%	30%	32%	47%

		COLLEGE GRAD		State Primary-Caucus Calendar	
		No degree	4 yr degree	Early	After March 3
20. The first debates will be spread over 2 nights with 10 candidates on the stage each night based on certain polling and fundraising qualifications set by the Democratic National Committee. Have you heard a lot, a little, or nothing about these debates?	A lot	18%	24%	21%	19%
	A little	37%	46%	34%	47%
	Nothing	45%	29%	45%	34%

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		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp
21. Do you approve or disapprove of the Democratic National Committees decision to limit the first debates to 20 candidates?	Approve	73%	78%	70%	74%	73%	78%	70%	70%
	Disapprove	17%	13%	20%	16%	17%	15%	17%	21%
	(VOL) Both, depends	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	[VOL] Dont know	9%	8%	9%	10%	9%	7%	12%	8%

		RACE	COLLEGE GRAD		State Primary-Caucus Calendar	
		Hsp-Blk-Asn-Oth	No degree	4 yr degree	Early	After March 3
21. Do you approve or disapprove of the Democratic National Committees decision to limit the first debates to 20 candidates?	Approve	78%	70%	79%	72%	75%
	Disapprove	13%	16%	18%	19%	15%
	(VOL) Both, depends	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%
	[VOL] Dont know	9%	13%	2%	9%	9%

		REGISTERED TO VOTE	POLITICAL IDEOLOGY		GENDER		AGE 2-WAY		RACE
		Yes	Lib	Mod-Con	Male	Female	18-49	50+	White non-Hisp
22. If 21 or 22 candidates meet the debate qualifications, should the Democratic National Committee allow an extra person on the debate stage or should they keep it to their announced limit of ten candidates each night?	Allow an extra person on the debate stage	45%	50%	40%	44%	46%	44%	46%	49%
	Limit of ten candidates each night	49%	44%	55%	53%	47%	50%	48%	46%
	[VOL] Depends	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	2%
	[VOL] Dont know	5%	5%	5%	3%	7%	6%	5%	3%

		RACE	COLLEGE GRAD		State Primary-Caucus Calendar	
		Hsp-Blk-Asn-Oth	No degree	4 yr degree	Early	After March 3
22. If 21 or 22 candidates meet the debate qualifications, should the Democratic National Committee allow an extra person on the debate stage or should they keep it to their announced limit of ten candidates each night?	Allow an extra person on the debate stage	41%	44%	48%	50%	40%
	Limit of ten candidates each night	53%	51%	46%	44%	54%
	[VOL] Depends	0%	0%	2%	1%	1%
	[VOL] Dont know	7%	5%	5%	5%	5%