

**2025 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL  
WAVE 167 POLITICS SURVEY  
FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE  
APRIL 7-13, 2025**

**Note:** The questions presented below are part of a larger survey conducted on the American Trends Panel. For all questions, the 98 ("Don't know" in phone mode) and 99 ("Refusal" in phone mode and "No answer" in web mode) codes are combined in the data for analytical purposes.

**PN = Programming note**

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**\*CODEBOOK FOR ATP SAMPLE VARIABLES TO BE USED IN SURVEY PROGRAMMING LOGIC\***

**X\_FORM**

- 1        Form 1
- 2        Form 2

Note: Flag to randomly assign panelists to one of two forms (Form 1, Form 2) and weight within form

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-----**MAIN QUESTIONNAIRE BEGINS HERE**-----  
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**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PREVIOUSLY RELEASED**

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**TXT:**

[ PN: RANDOMIZE DEMACT\_IMPD-DEMOFF\_EFF AND TRUMPACT\_IMPD-TRUMP\_EFF IN BLOCKS BY FORM, SHOWING BATTERIES IN ORDER WITHIN BLOCKS (DEMACT\_IMPD AND TRUMPACT\_IMPD ALWAYS FIRST) SUCH THAT FORM 1 (X\_FORM=1) GETS DEMACT\_IMPD THEN DEMOFF\_EFF FIRST AND TRUMPACT\_IMPD AND TRUMP\_EFF SECOND; AND FORM 2 (X\_FORM=2) GETS TRUMPACT\_IMPD THEN TRUMP\_EFF FIRST AND DEMACT\_IMPD AND DEMOFF\_EFF SECOND. DISPLAY EACH BATTERY SEPARATELY ON ITS OWN PAGE. ]

**BAT: DEMACT\_IMPD**

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**ASK ALL:**

[ PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS IN SAME ORDER AS TRUMPACT\_IMPD; ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5/5-1 BASED ON ROTATION\_GEN, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION AND ROTATION IN DATA FILE ]

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**BATTERY ITEMS:**

CMN Find areas of common ground where they can work with Donald Trump  
PUSH Push hard against Donald Trump's policies when they disagree

**RESPONSE CATEGORIES:**

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**BAT: DEMOFF\_EFF**

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