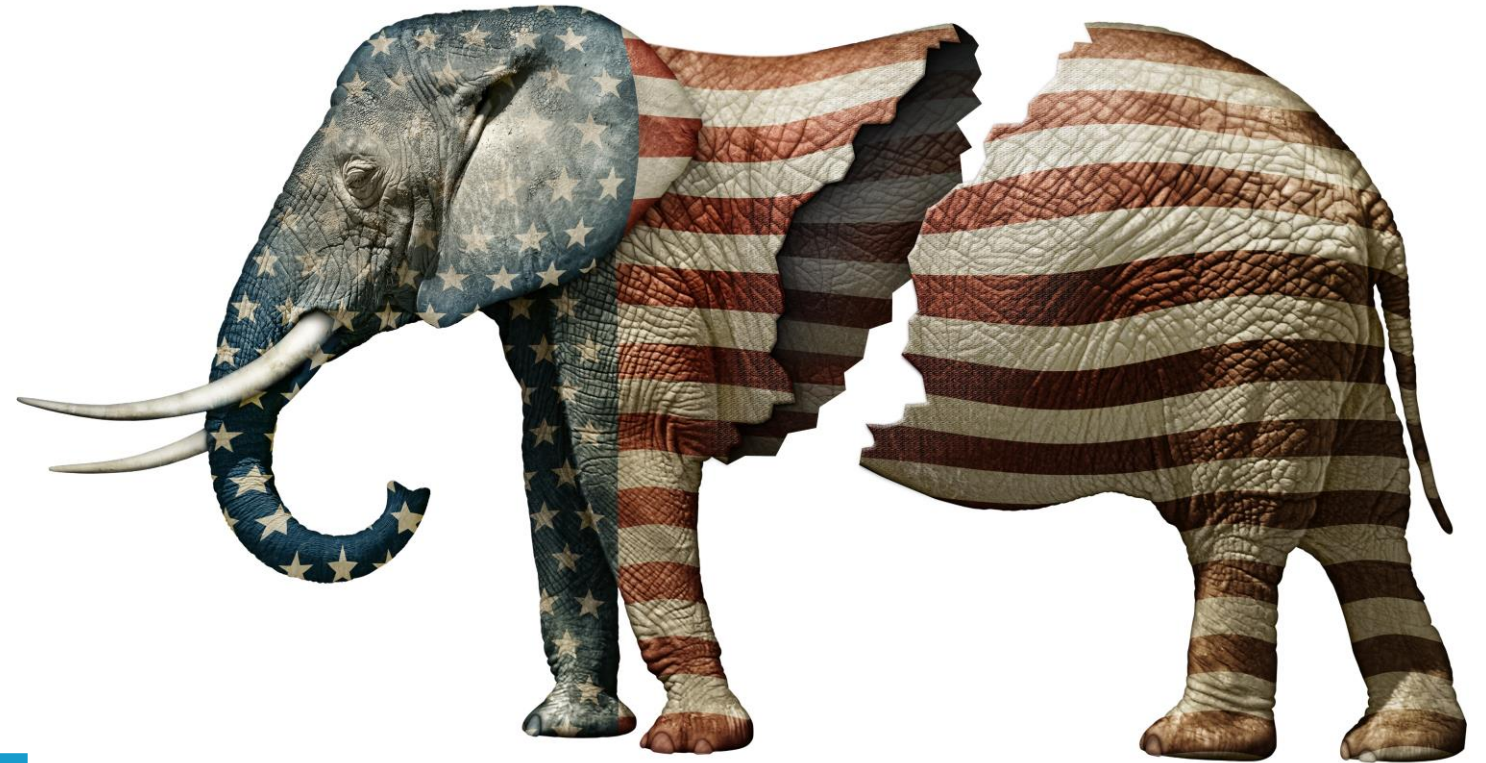


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100 Days of the Republican  
House: A Guide for  
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## Key Takeaways:

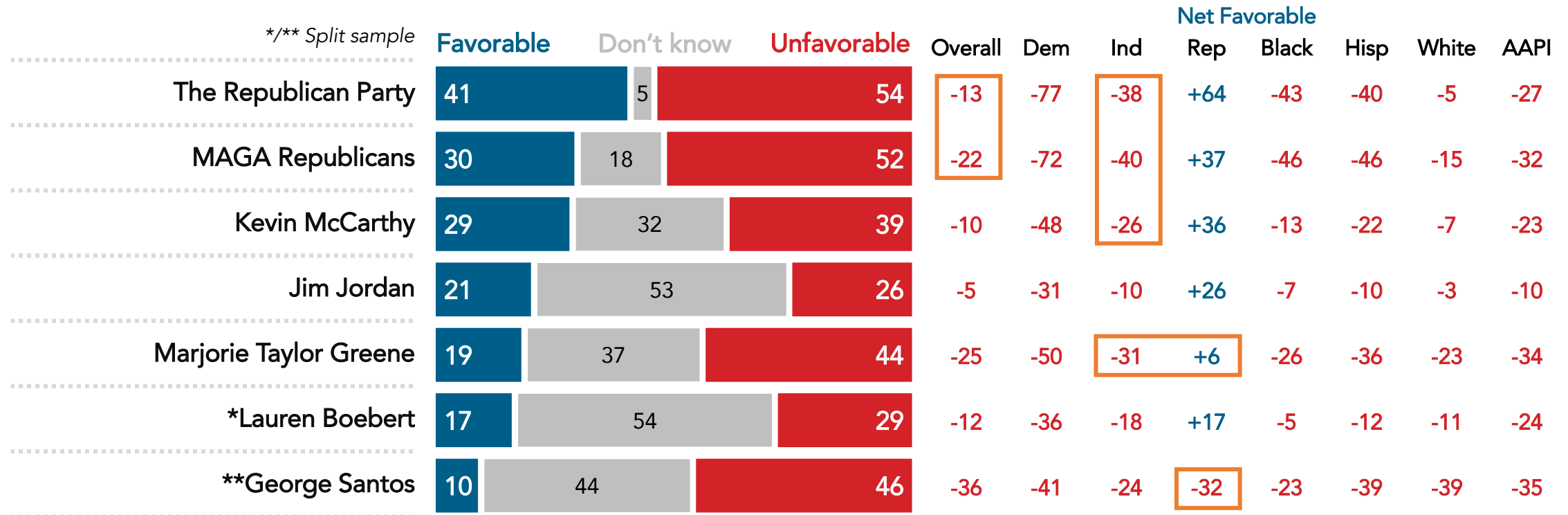
- Three in five disapprove of how Republicans in Congress are handling their jobs 100 days in, while the Party and its House leaders are unpopular.
- Americans say Republicans in Congress are too focused on investigating the Biden administration when they want a focus on inflation/jobs and the economy; half say Republicans are focused on the wrong things.
- Americans are most intensely concerned about House Republicans making cuts to Social Security, Medicare, and Medicaid; banning abortion and the teaching of accurate American history; and overturning elections when they dislike the results.

# A Range of House GOP Figures Are Deeply Unpopular

Both the Republican Party (net -13 favorable) and MAGA Republicans (net -22) are viewed unfavorably by majorities of Americans.

- Democrats, independents, and each racial and ethnic group hold more negative views than positive views of every Republican group and figure tested, while Republicans hold more positive views of all but George Santos (net -32).

Please indicate how favorable or unfavorable you are to each one.

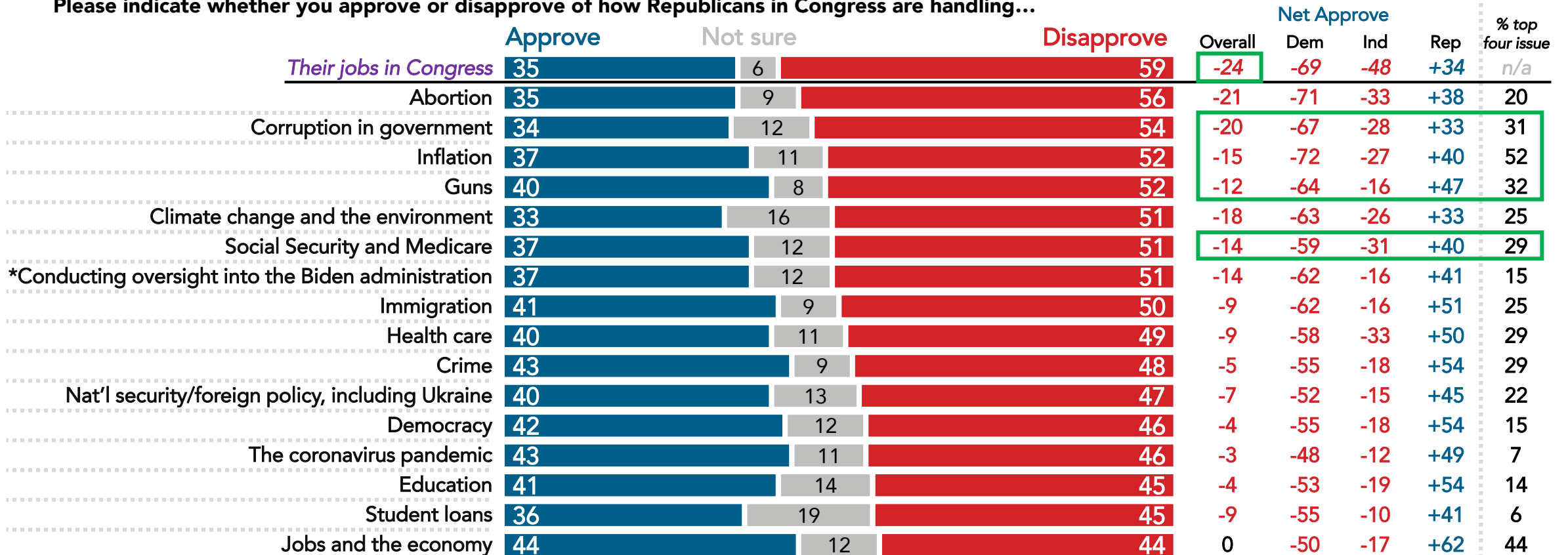


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# House GOP Are Underwater on Job Approval Overall and on Top Issues: Inflation, Guns, Corruption, Social Security/Medicare

Just a little over one in three Americans (35%) approve of Republicans in Congress overall, while 59% disapprove; they are deeply underwater on top issue priorities like inflation (net -15), guns (net -12), corruption (net -20), and Social Security and Medicare (net -14).

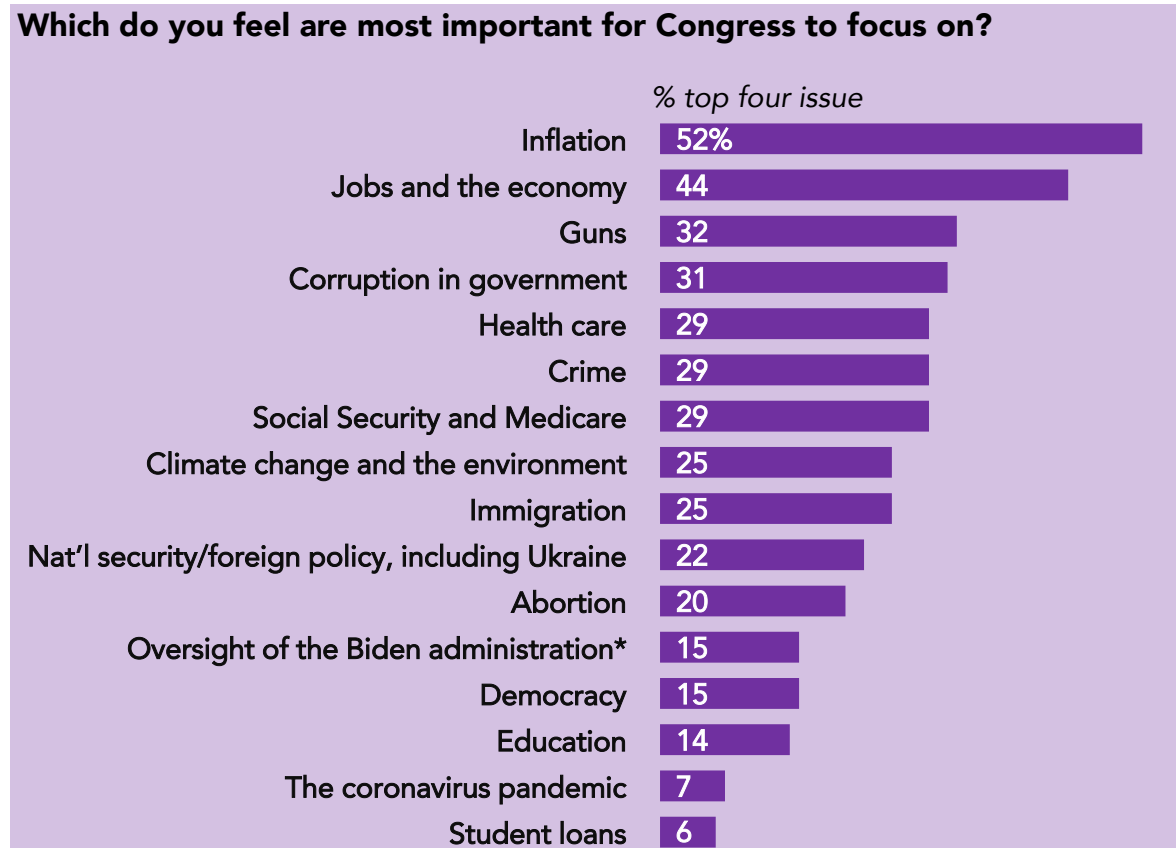
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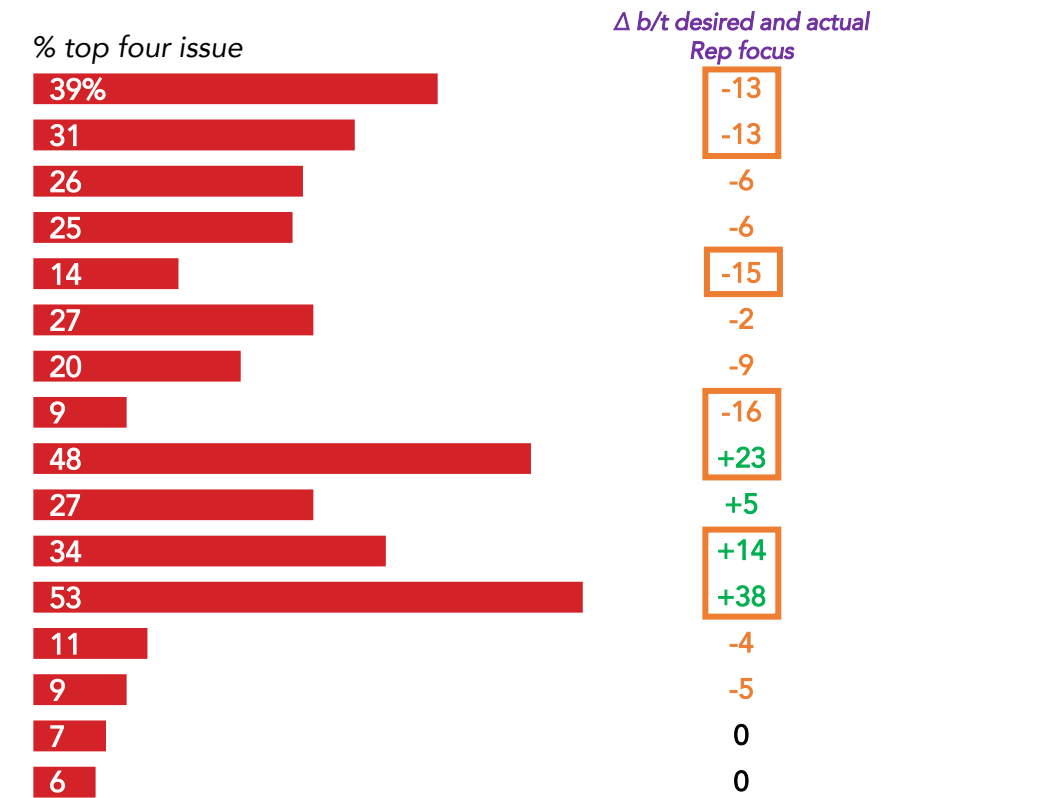
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# Republicans Are Seen as Too Focused on Investigating Biden and Not Enough on Inflation, Economy, Health Care, Climate Change

More than half of Americans (53%) say Republicans in Congress are focused on “oversight of the Biden administration,” while only 15% of Americans say that is a top four issue priority for them personally.



**Which do you think **Republicans in Congress** are most focused on?**



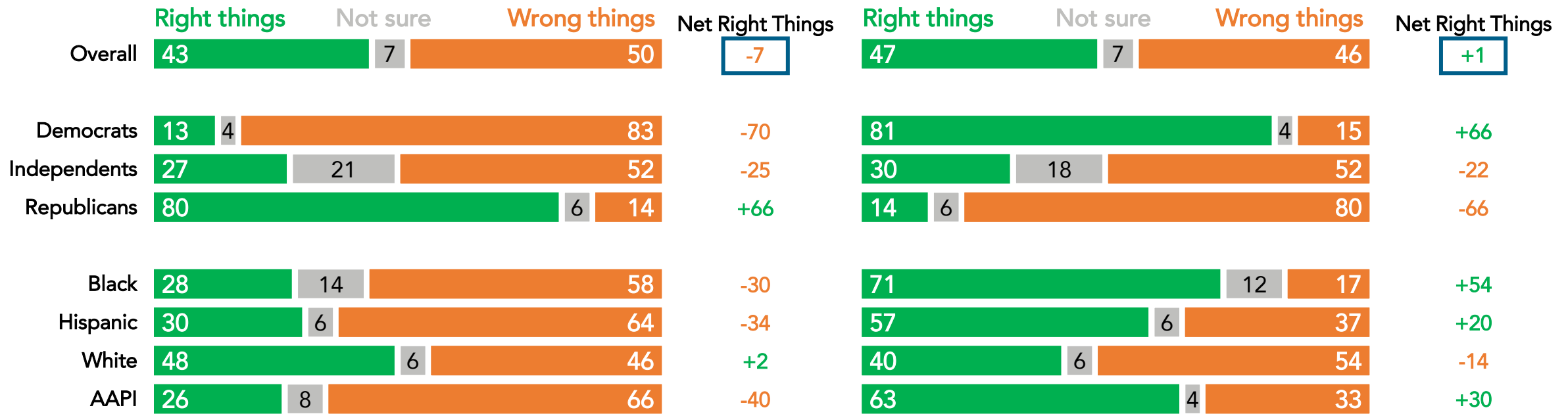
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# Half Say Republicans Are Focused on the Wrong Things, While a Plurality Say Democrats Are Focused on the Right Things

By a 7-point margin, Americans say the Republican Party is “focused on the wrong things,” while a narrow plurality say the Democratic Party is “focused on the right things” (net +1).

Do you think the **Republican Party** is focused on the right things?

Do you think the **Democratic Party** is focused on the right things?

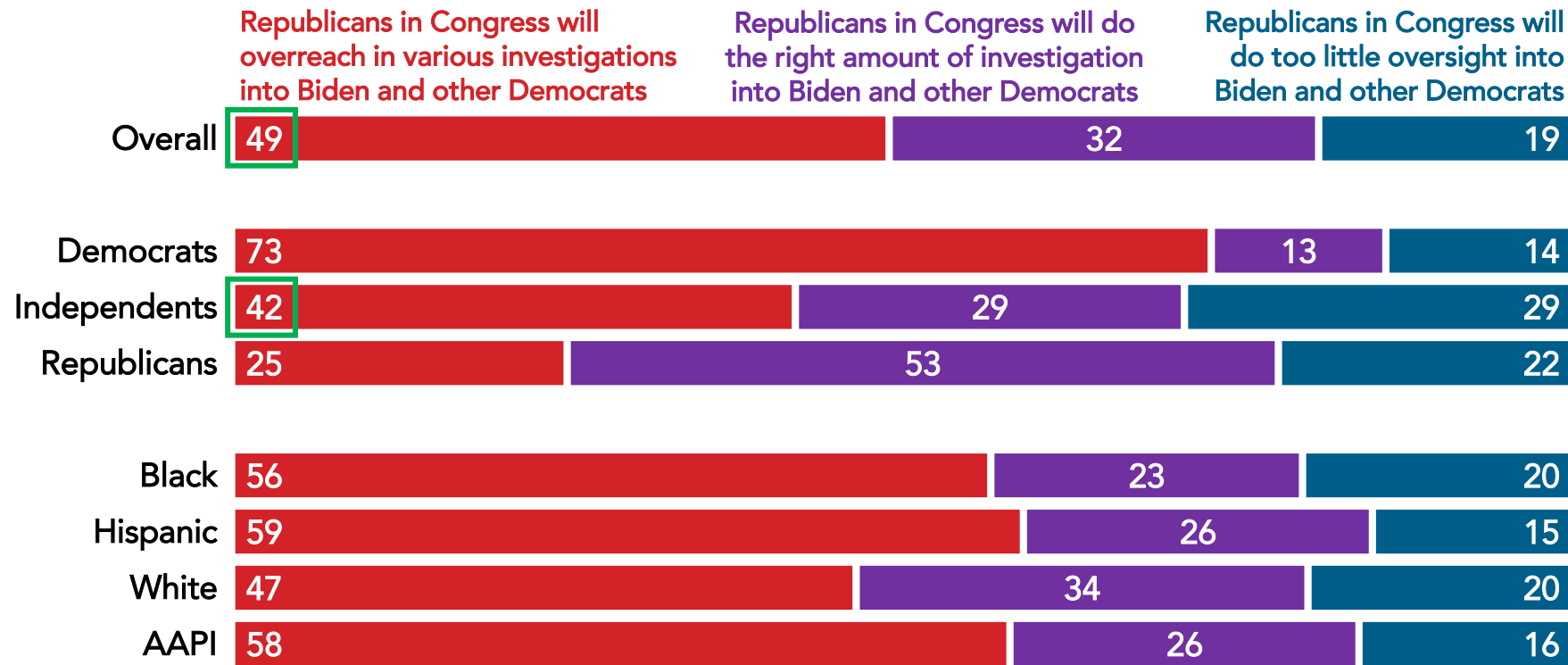


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# Americans Think Republicans in Congress Will Overreach in Investigations Into Biden and Democrats

Half of Americans (49%) say “Republicans in Congress will overreach” in such investigations, including a plurality of independents (42%); just one in five (19%) say they will “do too little oversight.”

Do you think that Republicans in Congress will conduct the right amount of investigation, do too little oversight, or overreach in investigating Joe Biden and other Democrats?

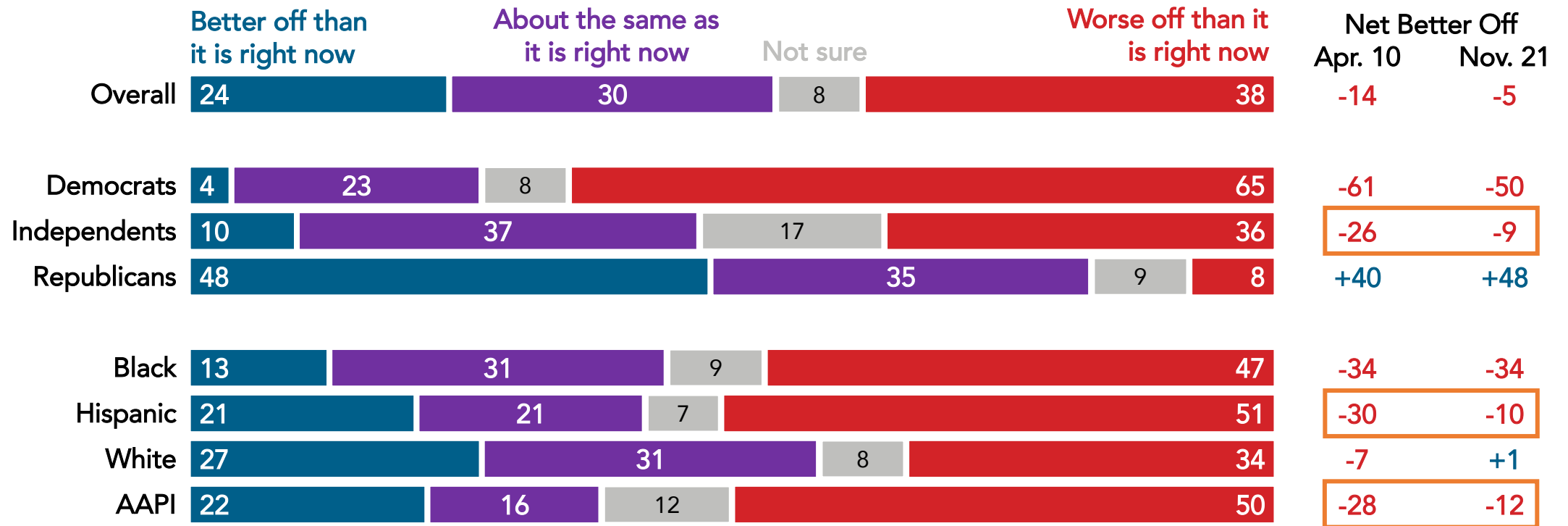


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# A Growing Share Say the Country Is Going to Be Worse Off a Year From Now with a GOP-Led House

Since last November, optimism about Republican control of the House has deteriorated across partisan and racial lines, but the declines have been most acute among independents (net -26 better off now, down from -9 in November), Hispanic Americans (-30 down from -10), and AAPI Americans (-28 down from -12). Views have also declined by net 8 points among Republicans (down to net +40 from net +48).

With Republicans in control of the House...thinking ahead to a year from now, do you think the country will be...



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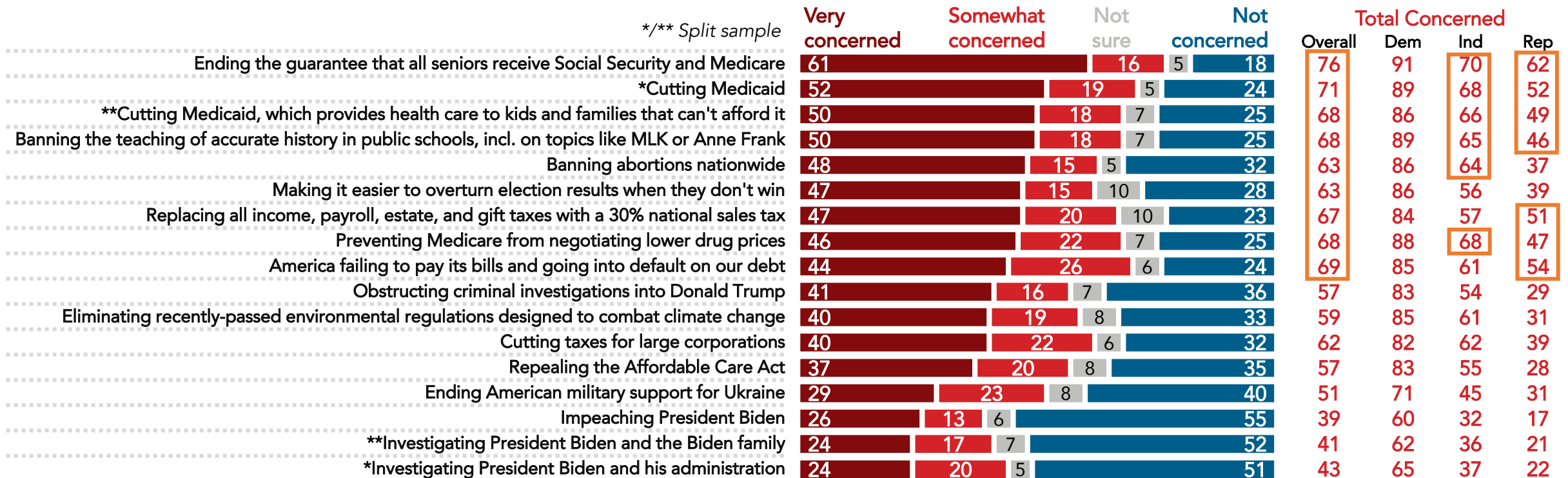


# Threats to Social Security, Medicare & Medicaid; Bans on History Teaching and Abortion; Overturning Elections Most Concerning

Independents are most concerned about Republicans ending the guarantee of Social Security and Medicare (70% concerned), cutting Medicaid (68%), and preventing Medicare from negotiating lower drug prices (68%).

- Majorities of Republicans are concerned about Social Security/Medicare cuts (62%), a debt crisis (54%), and Medicaid cuts (52%).

Below is a list of outcomes that could happen now that Republicans control the House of Representatives. Please indicate how concerned you are about each one.



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# A Range of Criticisms on Republican Electeds Are Concerning, Including Being Out-of-Touch With Everyday Americans

Independents are most concerned by Republican elected officials having the wrong priorities when it comes to schools, including focusing on banning books instead of making sure students are safe from gun violence (66% total concerning).

Below is a list of statements some have made criticizing Republican elected officials. Please indicate how concerning you find each statement.

<i>Republican elected officials...</i>	Very concerning	Somewhat concerning	Don't believe	Not concerning	Total Concerning			
					Overall	Dem	Ind	Rep
...are out of touch with everyday Americans, pushing for policies like cutting Medicare and Social Security and opposing policies that would help bring down costs for everyday Americans	45	17	23	15	62	89	64	32
...do whatever it takes to get and keep power for themselves, including overturning elections when they dislike the results	43	15	26	16	59	89	61	25
...have the wrong priorities when it comes to our children and schools: rather than making sure students are safe from gun violence in classrooms, they're obsessed with banning books when they disagree with the content and preventing teachers from teaching America's complete history	43	17	24	16	60	88	66	27
...are so blindly loyal to Trump that they refuse to condemn his criminal activities, even when he's been indicted on 34 felony counts: they believe in one set of laws for the rich and powerful and another for the rest of America	42	17	24	17	59	89	61	26
...are for the rich and corporations, allowing companies to price gouge American families on the costs of gas and groceries while their millionaire campaign donors continue to make more and more money	41	21	24	14	62	91	64	30

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## About Navigator

In a world where the news cycle is the length of a tweet, our leaders often lack the real-time public-sentiment analysis to shape the best approaches to talking about the issues that matter the most. Navigator is designed to act as a consistent, flexible, responsive tool to inform policy debates by conducting research and reliable guidance to inform allies, elected leaders, and the press. Navigator is a project led by pollsters from Global Strategy Group and GBAO along with an advisory committee, including: Jessica Floyd, The Hub Project; Christina Reynolds, EMILY's List; Mike Podhorzer, AFL-CIO; Jesse Ferguson, progressive strategist; Navin Nayak, Center for American Progress Action Fund; Stephanie Valencia, EquisLabs; and Melanie Newman, Planned Parenthood Action Fund.

## About the Study

Global Strategy Group conducted public opinion surveys among a sample of 1,003 registered voters from April 6-April 10, 2023. 100 additional interviews were conducted among Hispanic voters. 75 additional interviews were conducted among Asian American and Pacific Islander voters. 100 additional interviews were conducted among African American voters. 101 additional interviews were conducted among independent voters. The survey was conducted online, recruiting respondents from an opt-in online panel vendor. Respondents were verified against a voter file and special care was taken to ensure the demographic composition of our sample matched that of the national registered voter population across a variety of demographic variables.

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