AtlasIntel Poll: Maine
10/28/2026 - 11/01/2026

2026 Midterms: Maine

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Methodology and sample profile

Methodology: Atlas RDR

Atlas Random Digital Recruitment [RDR] is a methodology developed by AtlasIntel to calibrate robust samples, representative of the target population.

The method seeks to address sources of bias and possible over-or underrepresentation of specific demographic groups.

Respondents are recruited randomly during routine web browsing in geolocated territories on any device (smartphones, tablets, laptops or PCs).

Compared to face-to-face surveys, **RDR avoids the possible psychological impact of human interaction on the respondent at the time of the interview**: the respondent can answer the questionnaire under conditions of full anonymity, without fear of causing a negative impression to the interviewer or to people who may eventually be listening to the answers shared during the interview.

Compared to telephone surveys based on Random Digit Dialing (RDD), **the RDR method allows for granular mapping of non-response patterns**, so that biases arising from variable non-response rates can be adequately addressed during the process of building each sample.

To ensure representativeness at the national level, the AtlasIntel samples are post-stratified using an iterative algorithm on a minimum set of target variables: gender, age group, education level, income level, region, and previous electoral behavior. The samples resulting from the post-stratification process match the profile of the US adult population and that of likely voters.

Sample Profile

TARGET POPULATION
Maine likely voters

SAMPLE SIZE
967 respondents

METHODOLOGY
Random Digital Recruitment (Atlas RDR)

MARGIN OF ERROR
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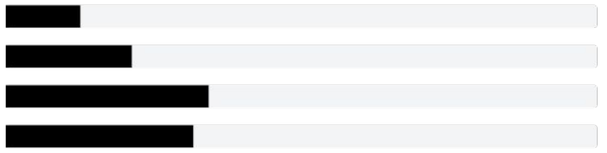
CONFIDENCE LEVEL FOR ESTIMATION OF THE MARGIN OF ERROR
95%

POLLING PERIOD
10/28/2026 - 11/01/2026

GENDER



AGE



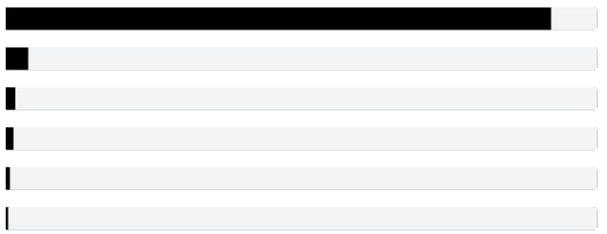
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EDUCATION

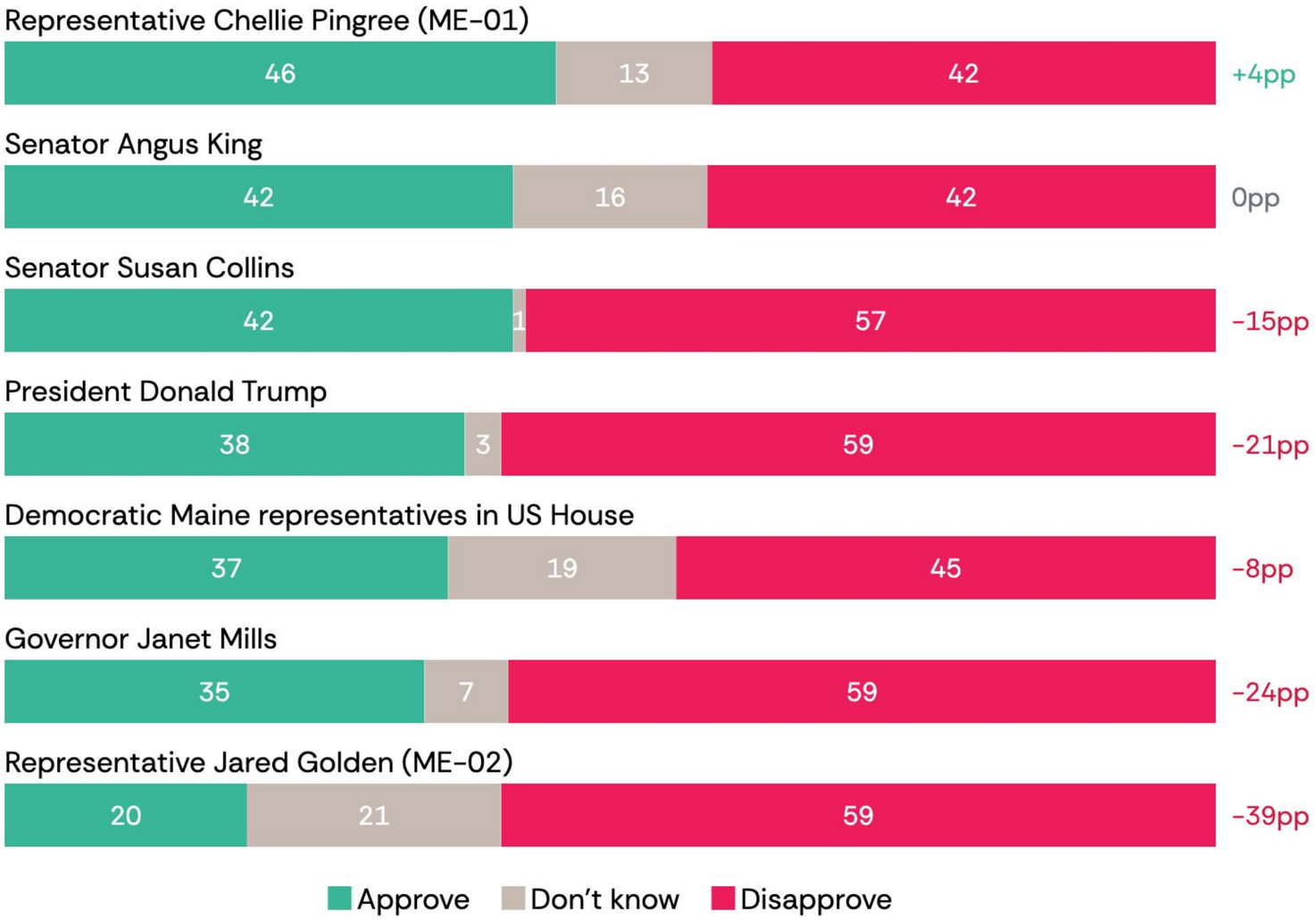


RACE



1. Approval and government evaluation

Do you approve or disapprove of the job these politicians are doing?



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	GENDER			AGE				EDUCATION		RACE					
	Man	Woman	Other / prefer not to	18 - 29	30 - 44	45 - 64	65+	College degree or	All other	Asian	Black	Hispanic	Native - American	White	Multi - racial
Representative Chell															
Approve	35	55	40	33	100	46	33	52	43	100	0	40	8	46	28
Don't know	15	9	37	62	0	7	6	10	14	0	0	61	0	11	0
Disapprove	50	36	23	5	1	47	61	38	43	0	100	0	92	43	72
Senator Angus King															
Approve	28	54	14	55	66	39	34	50	38	100	0	0	0	45	0
Don't know	18	13	57	28	18	11	17	7	20	0	0	61	8	15	7
Disapprove	54	33	30	17	16	50	50	43	41	0	100	40	92	41	93
Senator Susan Collin															
Approve	51	36	4	5	1	45	64	38	44	0	100	0	92	43	53
Don't know	3	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0
Disapprove	46	64	96	95	100	55	32	62	54	100	0	100	8	55	47
President Donald Tru															
Approve	43	33	24	18	12	43	58	27	45	0	76	13	63	38	32
Don't know	6	0	26	0	8	1	3	6	2	0	0	0	0	3	20
Disapprove	51	66	51	82	80	56	39	68	53	100	24	87	37	59	48

	INCOME					LOCATION			PARTISANSHIP			2024 VOTE FOR PRESIDENT			
	Up to $50,000	$50,000 to $80,000	$80,000 to $120,000	$120,000 to $190,000	More than $190,000	Urban	Sub - urban	Rural	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Donald Trump	Kamala Harris	Other candidate	Didn't vote
Representative Chell															
Approve	40	51	42	62	32	28	50	45	91	0	43	0	90	3	36
Don't know	19	4	26	2	10	55	12	5	9	4	23	2	9	7	52
Disapprove	41	45	33	36	58	18	38	50	0	96	34	98	1	90	12
Senator Angus King															
Approve	56	32	31	52	29	69	40	40	68	5	49	6	74	10	43
Don't know	10	18	32	9	15	13	20	11	15	13	19	5	16	9	45
Disapprove	34	51	37	39	55	19	39	50	17	82	32	89	10	81	12
Senator Susan Collin															
Approve	41	44	31	37	60	17	40	48	3	93	35	95	3	88	15
Don't know	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	4	0	0	7	8
Disapprove	55	56	69	63	40	83	57	52	97	7	61	5	97	4	77
President Donald Tru															
Approve	41	43	27	40	37	36	26	50	0	87	32	89	1	1	11
Don't know	4	0	4	0	8	4	5	1	0	3	6	3	0	83	4
Disapprove	55	57	68	60	55	60	69	49	100	11	62	8	99	16	84

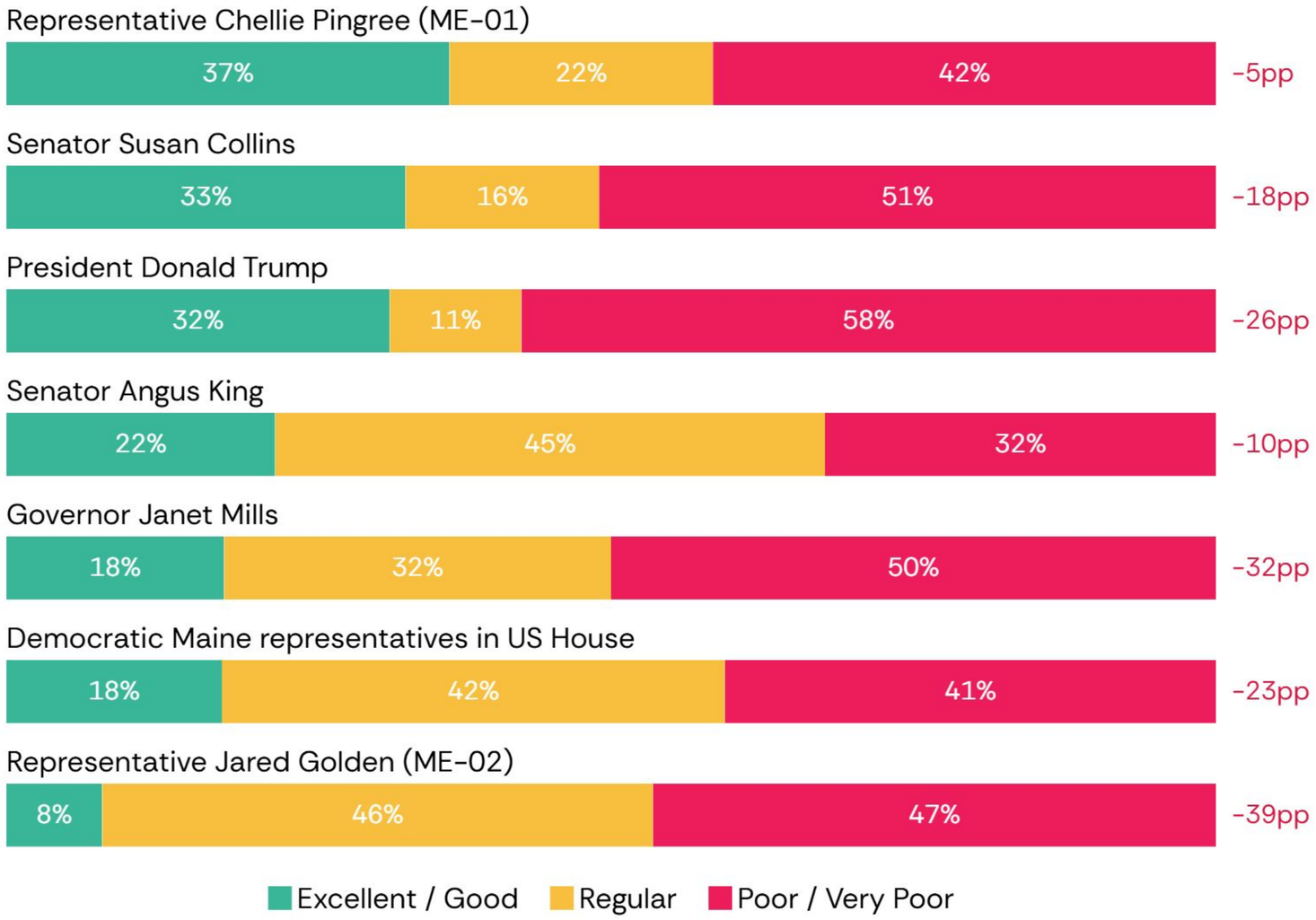
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Democratic Maine re															
Approve	28	44	40	37	43	40	31	35	38	100	0	0	8	38	19
Don't know	17	21	1	36	50	9	12	21	18	0	0	60	0	18	10
Disapprove	55	36	58	27	7	51	57	45	45	0	100	40	92	44	72
Governor Janet Mills															
Approve	25	44	21	23	42	37	31	42	30	100	3	0	36	35	46
Don't know	4	9	27	1	12	8	5	4	9	0	0	0	0	7	0
Disapprove	71	48	53	76	46	55	64	54	62	0	97	100	64	58	54
Representative Jarec															
Approve	20	21	12	0	0	15	40	16	22	100	0	0	19	20	0
Don't know	34	11	1	36	19	13	25	20	22	0	40	61	0	20	2
Disapprove	46	68	88	64	82	72	35	65	56	0	60	40	81	60	98

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Democratic Maine re															
Approve	43	41	32	28	38	68	37	30	69	3	35	3	66	7	39
Don't know	15	5	33	34	4	14	20	18	22	7	25	5	25	3	38
Disapprove	42	54	36	38	58	18	43	52	9	90	40	93	9	90	24
Governor Janet Mills															
Approve	29	34	40	35	42	31	39	32	70	0	32	0	66	2	33
Don't know	12	10	4	2	1	10	6	7	7	1	11	0	13	0	4
Disapprove	59	57	57	62	57	59	55	62	23	99	57	100	21	98	63
Representative Jarec															
Approve	26	12	18	18	30	7	18	26	15	23	22	29	11	55	26
Don't know	22	22	24	21	14	27	28	11	28	26	11	21	15	3	41
Disapprove	52	67	58	62	56	65	54	64	57	51	67	51	75	43	33

How do you evaluate the performance of the following leaders?



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	Man	Woman	Other / prefer not to	18 - 29	30 - 44	45 - 64	65+	College degree or	All other	Asian	Black	Hispanic	Native - American	White	Multi - racial
Representative Chell															
Excellent / Good	24.0	47.2	40.4	16.2	76.6	41.5	25.0	45.0	32.5	100.0	0	0	8.3	37.6	28.3
Regular	26.6	16.7	37.0	79.2	22.9	11.2	13.8	17.6	24.1	0	0	99.8	0	20.0	0
Poor / Very Poor	49.4	36.0	22.6	4.6	0.5	47.3	61.2	37.4	43.3	0	100.0	0.2	91.7	42.4	71.7
Senator Susan Collin															
Excellent / Good	41.5	27.9	4.0	0	0	37.2	50.2	29.6	34.5	0	100.0	0.2	12.5	33.4	52.8
Regular	21.5	11.1	13.8	13.9	17.4	10.6	22.4	21.5	13.2	0	0	0	79.2	17.2	18.9
Poor / Very Poor	37.0	61.0	82.3	86.1	82.6	52.2	27.4	48.9	52.3	100.0	0	99.8	8.3	49.4	28.3
President Donald Tru															
Excellent / Good	33.9	29.6	22.4	15.3	10.0	34.8	48.8	21.1	38.3	0	75.7	0.2	63.1	31.5	32.4
Regular	16.1	5.2	27.1	3.1	9.8	12.2	12.6	13.4	8.9	0	21.6	13.2	0	10.0	20.0
Poor / Very Poor	50.0	65.2	50.5	81.6	80.1	53.0	38.5	65.6	52.9	100.0	2.7	86.6	36.9	58.5	47.6
Senator Angus King															
Excellent / Good	21.5	23.5	8.7	14.2	16.9	25.7	22.8	27.6	19.7	100.0	0	0	0	22.5	0
Regular	42.0	46.7	77.5	81.0	76.4	28.8	40.9	35.5	50.1	0	40.0	100.0	20.8	45.2	7.1
Poor / Very Poor	36.5	29.9	13.8	4.8	6.7	45.4	36.3	36.9	30.1	0	60.0	0	79.2	32.3	92.9

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Representative Chell															
Excellent / Good	29.9	30.4	37.1	57.4	28.3	25.6	37.5	37.6	79.1	0.1	28.0	0.0	76.5	2.8	14.9
Regular	29.2	24.6	30.7	6.5	13.6	56.7	24.6	12.3	20.6	3.8	38.0	1.9	22.7	8.7	73.2
Poor / Very Poor	40.9	44.9	32.3	36.1	58.0	17.7	37.9	50.2	0.3	96.1	34.0	98.1	0.7	88.4	12.0
Senator Susan Collin															
Excellent / Good	31.5	28.7	24.9	32.5	53.8	14.5	31.3	38.7	0.2	71.2	31.6	76.8	1.2	56.1	12.0
Regular	18.4	19.7	8.1	14.0	20.3	8.7	18.6	13.5	13.1	23.1	12.2	20.0	12.7	39.6	12.3
Poor / Very Poor	50.1	51.6	67.0	53.5	25.9	76.8	50.1	47.8	86.7	5.7	56.2	3.2	86.1	4.3	75.7
President Donald Tru															
Excellent / Good	34.4	39.1	21.3	31.7	29.5	26.9	23.0	41.6	0	77.8	23.1	75.1	0.8	0.9	7.0
Regular	11.9	4.3	12.2	9.0	17.1	12.6	9.5	11.1	0.0	13.9	16.1	19.1	0.1	82.9	10.3
Poor / Very Poor	53.8	56.6	66.5	59.3	53.4	60.5	67.4	47.3	100.0	8.3	60.8	5.8	99.1	16.2	82.7
Senator Angus King															
Excellent / Good	25.5	23.3	22.4	16.2	22.0	11.7	27.1	18.3	38.8	3.0	22.5	4.0	40.7	10.1	14.9
Regular	46.0	38.1	56.7	51.9	30.0	81.2	41.8	43.1	57.5	22.5	53.8	18.9	55.9	56.1	84.2
Poor / Very Poor	28.5	38.5	20.9	31.9	48.0	7.1	31.1	38.6	3.8	74.5	23.7	77.2	3.4	33.8	0.9

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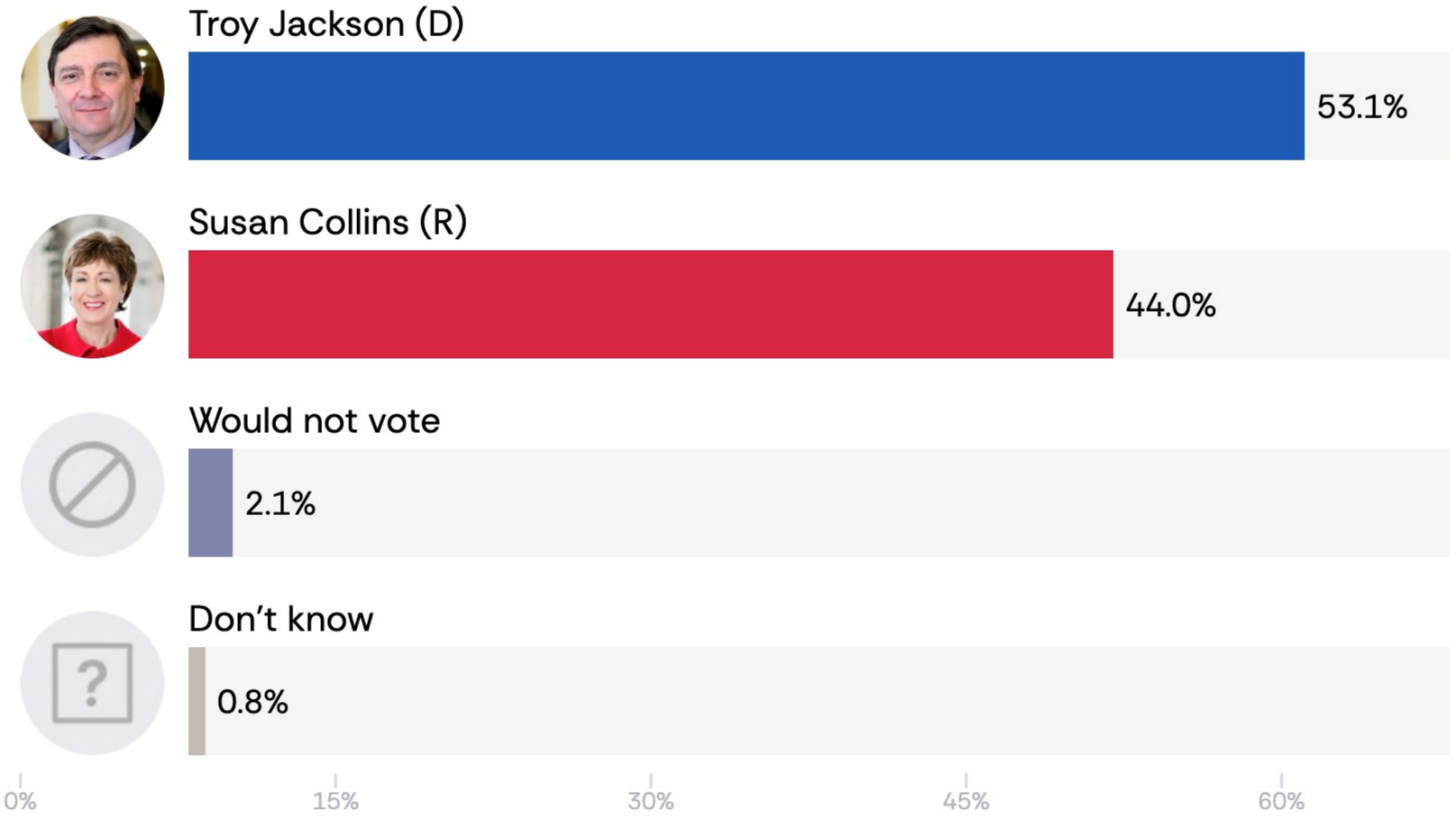
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Governor Janet Mills															
Excellent / Good	12.0	23.9	11.9	4.8	18.0	23.7	17.5	19.4	17.3	100.0	0	0.2	36.3	18.4	9.4
Regular	28.1	35.8	35.6	52.9	50.7	24.6	19.5	34.8	30.6	0	2.7	86.4	0	32.0	36.7
Poor / Very Poor	59.9	40.3	52.5	42.3	31.3	51.7	63.0	45.9	52.2	0	97.3	13.4	63.7	49.6	53.9
Democratic Maine re															
Excellent / Good	14.2	21.5	8.2	0.2	25.2	22.2	16.8	20.5	16.7	100.0	0	0	8.3	17.4	11.6
Regular	39.6	41.9	69.1	87.6	74.3	29.8	27.7	39.5	42.4	0	0	99.8	0	41.2	16.7
Poor / Very Poor	46.2	36.6	22.6	12.2	0.5	48.0	55.5	40.0	40.9	0	100.0	0.2	91.7	41.4	71.7
Representative Jarec															
Excellent / Good	13.9	2.6	11.7	0	0	6.1	14.5	5.0	8.8	0	0	0	0	8.4	0
Regular	50.4	43.2	1.0	32.1	54.9	30.7	63.0	46.3	45.4	100.0	40.0	60.3	31.9	43.3	52.8
Poor / Very Poor	35.7	54.2	87.4	67.9	45.1	63.2	22.4	48.7	45.8	0	60.0	39.7	68.1	48.3	47.2

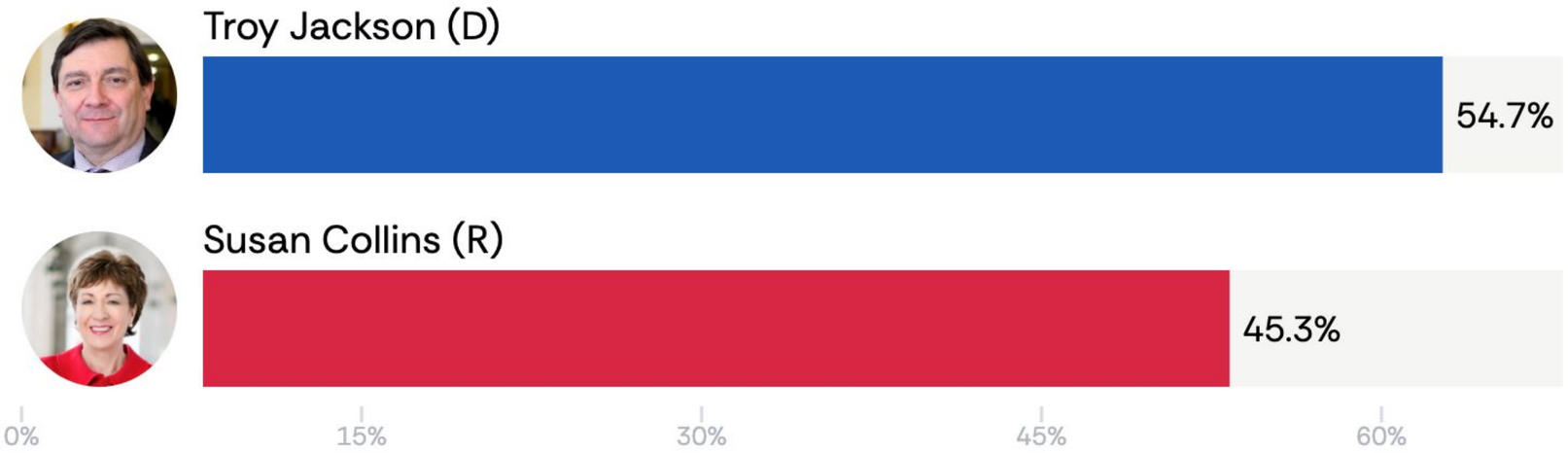
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Governor Janet Mills															
Excellent / Good	14.4	22.2	21.3	20.7	11.3	14.9	19.0	18.1	41.9	0.0	13.2	0.1	33.5	0	22.0
Regular	32.3	29.7	30.3	35.8	35.3	39.9	38.9	23.1	51.4	1.5	39.0	1.9	55.8	9.4	48.4
Poor / Very Poor	53.4	48.0	48.4	43.6	53.4	45.2	42.1	58.7	6.7	98.5	47.8	98.0	10.8	90.6	29.6
Democratic Maine re															
Excellent / Good	16.1	18.0	16.2	18.1	23.8	13.3	20.5	15.2	38.9	0.2	13.3	0.0	35.0	7.3	14.4
Regular	46.1	36.0	50.2	46.9	20.7	59.1	41.6	38.9	60.4	4.3	55.2	8.3	62.9	2.8	67.1
Poor / Very Poor	37.8	46.0	33.6	35.0	55.5	27.6	37.9	45.9	0.7	95.5	31.5	91.7	2.1	89.9	18.5
Representative Jarec															
Excellent / Good	15.6	1.7	2.0	1.8	20.2	4.2	6.9	8.9	4.7	6.7	11.0	14.8	4.1	7.3	0
Regular	38.7	43.7	47.7	64.7	29.5	32.7	47.9	45.7	47.1	57.4	35.2	46.5	37.5	50.1	66.8
Poor / Very Poor	45.8	54.7	50.3	33.5	50.3	63.1	45.2	45.4	48.2	36.0	53.7	38.8	58.4	42.6	33.2

2. Vote intention

If the Maine midterm election for US Senate were held today, and these were the candidates, who would you vote for?



If the Maine midterm election for US Senate were held today, and these were the candidates, who would you vote for? [Valid votes]



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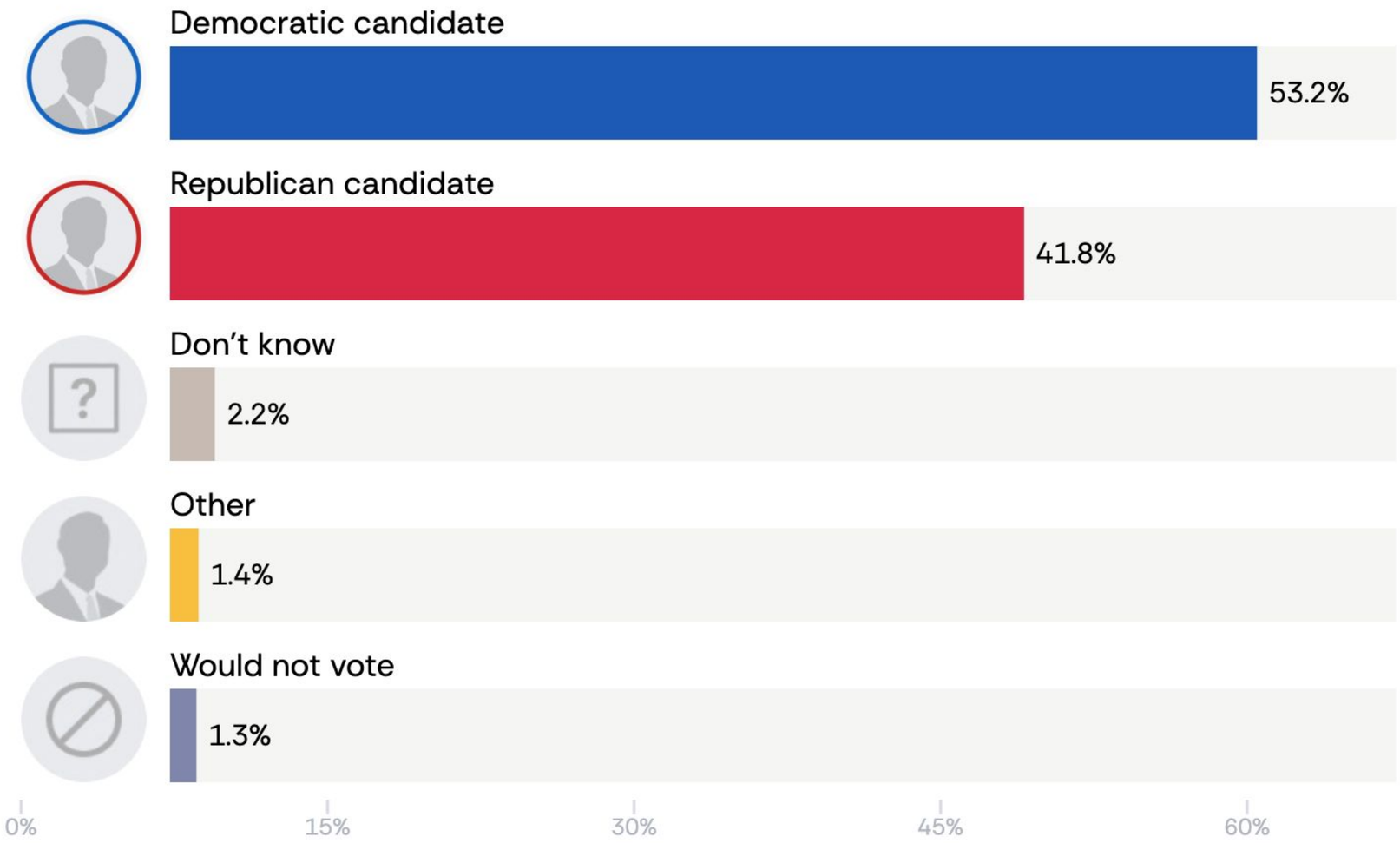
	GENDER			AGE				EDUCATION	
	Man	Woman	Other / prefer not to identify	18 - 29	30 - 44	45 - 64	65+	College degree or higher	All other
Troy Jackson (D)	43.6	61.8	50.5	63.9	79.3	50.0	34.4	60.7	48.3
Susan Collins (R)	53.7	35.7	23.6	31.0	16.9	48.1	63.0	36.1	49.1
Would not vote	1.6	1.9	25.9	5.0	1.7	1.8	1.6	2.0	2.2
Don't know	1.0	0.6	0	0.1	2.2	0.1	0.9	1.2	0.5

	RACE						LOCATION		
	Asian	Black	Hispanic	Native - American	White	Multi - racial	Urban	Sub - urban	Rural
Troy Jackson (D)	100.0	2.7	86.6	36.9	53.4	47.6	58.4	62.5	42.2
Susan Collins (R)	0	97.3	13.4	63.1	43.9	43.5	38.0	35.6	54.2
Would not vote	0	0	0	0	1.9	9.0	0	1.9	2.9
Don't know	0	0	0	0	0.8	0	3.6	0.0	0.7

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Troy Jackson (D)	46.9	52.0	62.9	55.5	50.1	97.4	1.3	56.1
Susan Collins (R)	49.1	44.6	33.2	44.1	49.0	2.0	96.1	39.2
Would not vote	1.4	3.3	3.8	0.3	0.9	0	2.2	3.6
Don't know	2.5	0.0	0.1	0.2	0	0.6	0.4	1.1

	2024 VOTE FOR PRESIDENT			
	Donald Trump	Kamala Harris	Other candidate	Didn't vote
Troy Jackson (D)	1.6	97.4	7.0	59.9
Susan Collins (R)	96.1	2.0	59.0	30.2
Would not vote	2.0	0.4	15.2	8.1
Don't know	0.3	0.1	18.8	1.7

If the Maine midterm election for US House were held today, which party/candidate would you vote for?



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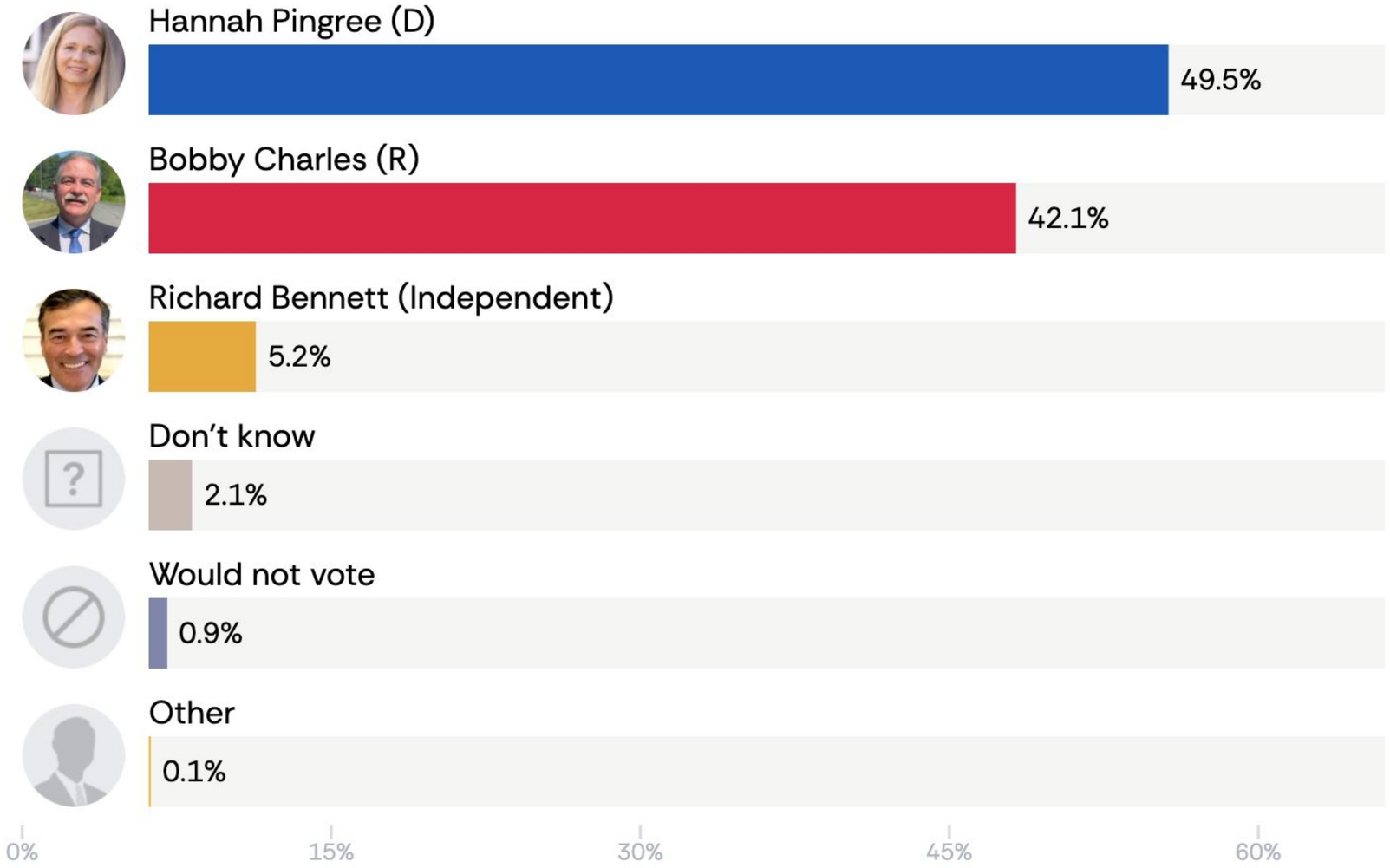
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Democratic candida	44.7	61.2	47.5	66.1	76.3	50.4	35.6	59.6	49.2	53.9	62.5	43.8
Republican candida	50.5	34.3	23.6	28.4	15.5	46.6	59.6	34.2	46.6	37.3	34.9	50.1
Don't know	2.6	1.8	3.0	4.0	2.2	0.5	3.3	1.8	2.5	3.6	0.6	3.3
Other	0.8	2.1	0	0	4.4	1.4	0.1	2.9	0.5	5.2	0.2	1.5
Would not vote	1.4	0.7	25.9	1.5	1.7	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.2	0	1.7	1.3

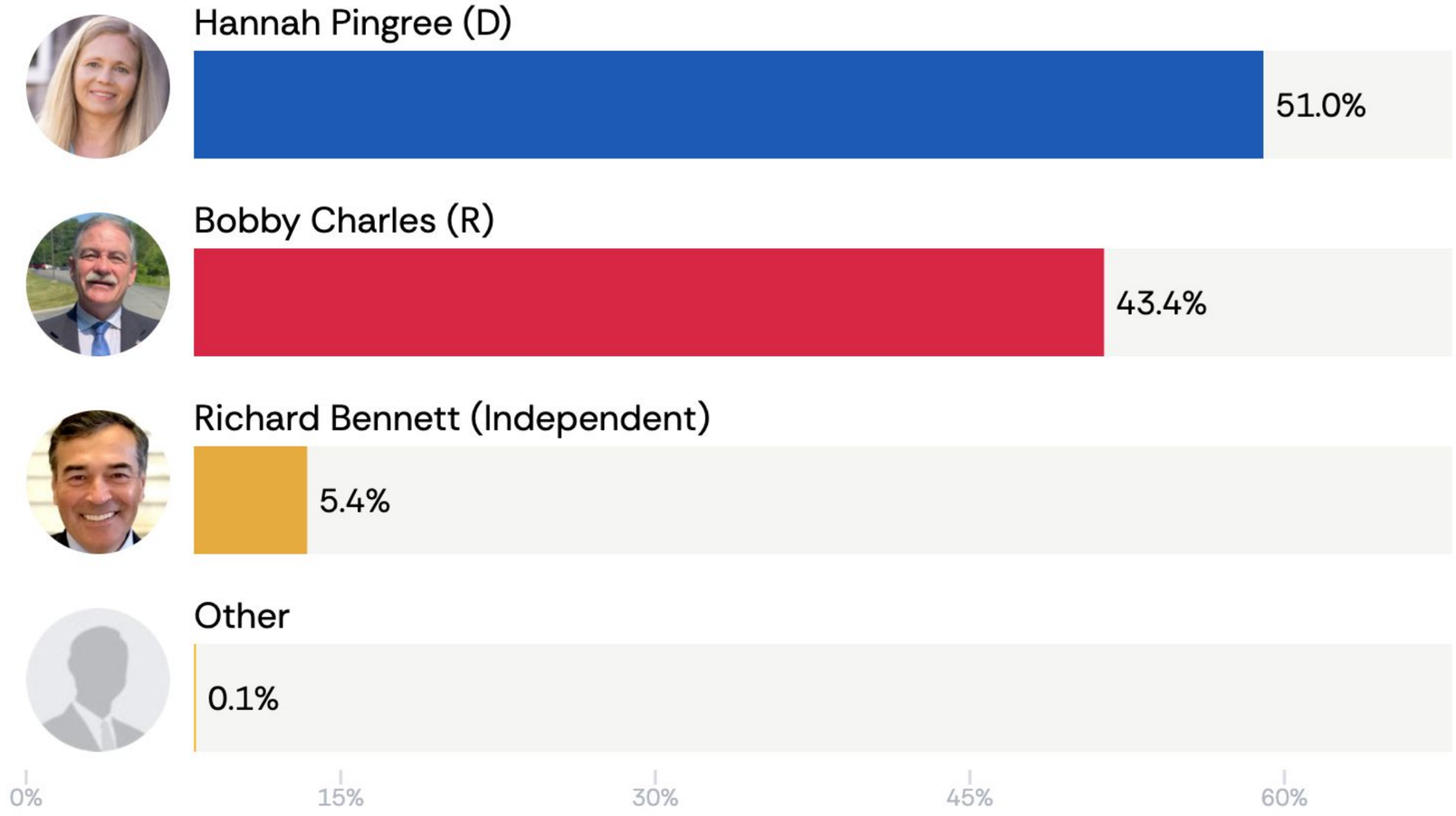
	RACE						INCOME				
	Asian	Black	Hispanic	Native - American	White	Multi - racial	Up to $50,000	$50,000 to $80,000	$80,000 to $120,000	$120,000 to $190,000	More than $190,000
Democratic candida	100.0	2.7	86.6	36.9	53.5	47.6	47.7	49.8	63.6	56.1	51.2
Republican candida	0	97.3	13.4	63.1	41.5	43.5	45.8	43.3	32.9	40.9	46.0
Don't know	0	0	0	0	2.4	0	4.9	2.5	0.4	1.0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	1.6	0	0.1	3.4	0.2	1.8	2.8
Would not vote	0	0	0	0	1.1	9.0	1.6	0.9	3.0	0.3	0

	PARTISANSHIP			2024 VOTE FOR PRESIDENT			
	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Donald Trump	Kamala Harris	Other candidate	Didn't vote
Democratic candida	98.9	1.6	55.2	2.0	96.9	2.8	63.9
Republican candida	0	95.6	35.5	92.5	0.8	57.8	28.0
Don't know	1.0	2.5	2.8	3.3	0.8	21.0	0
Other	0.1	0	3.4	1.6	1.5	3.3	0
Would not vote	0	0.2	3.1	0.6	0	15.0	8.1

If the Maine election for state governor were held today, and these were the candidates, who would you vote for?



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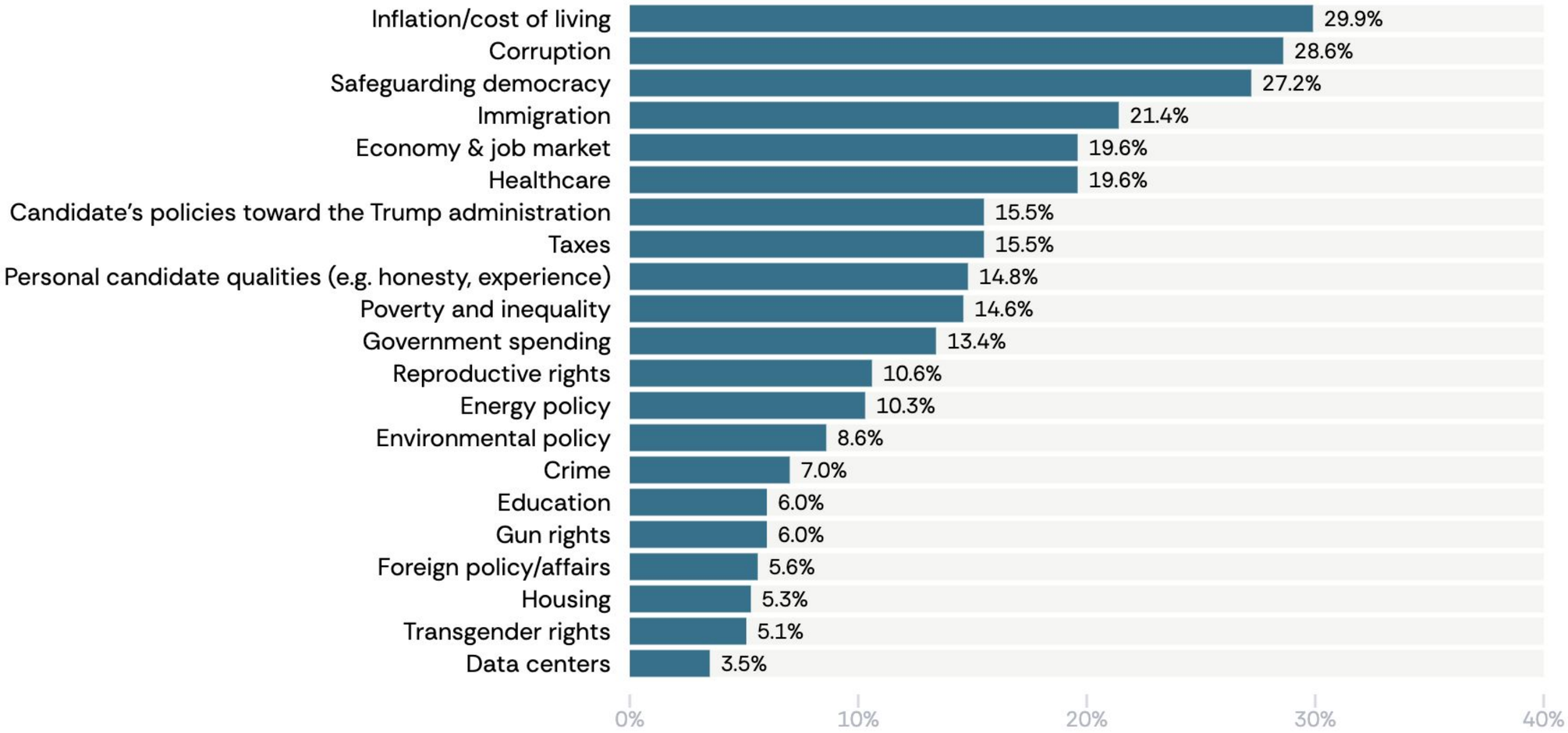
	GENDER			AGE				EDUCATION		LOCATION		
	Man	Woman	Other / prefer not to identify	18 - 29	30 - 44	45 - 64	65+	College degree or higher	All other	Urban	Sub - urban	Rural
Hannah Pingree (D)	40.8	57.6	47.5	44.9	74.5	48.7	35.5	60.0	42.9	57.4	57.2	39.5
Bobby Charles (R)	50.1	35.3	23.6	31.5	16.0	46.6	59.1	31.9	48.7	34.3	33.3	53.3
Richard Bennett (Inc	5.8	4.2	25.9	18.6	2.5	3.5	3.5	6.1	4.6	4.2	7.6	3.1
Don't know	2.1	2.0	3.0	3.5	7.0	0.2	0.2	1.4	2.5	4.1	1.0	2.5
Would not vote	1.3	0.7	0	1.5	0	0.9	1.4	0.6	1.1	0	0.9	1.2
Other	0	0.3	0	0	0	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0	0	0.3

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Bobby Charles (R)	0	68.4	46.3	61.6	41.7	43.5	45.8	48.5	29.1	40.6	46.6
Richard Bennett (Inc	0	28.9	0	1.5	4.9	9.0	4.5	1.3	9.3	6.1	5.3
Don't know	0	0	0	0	2.2	0	5.4	0	2.0	0.3	0.0
Would not vote	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	1.4	0.9	1.4	0.3	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0.1	0	0.4	0	0.1	0	0.0

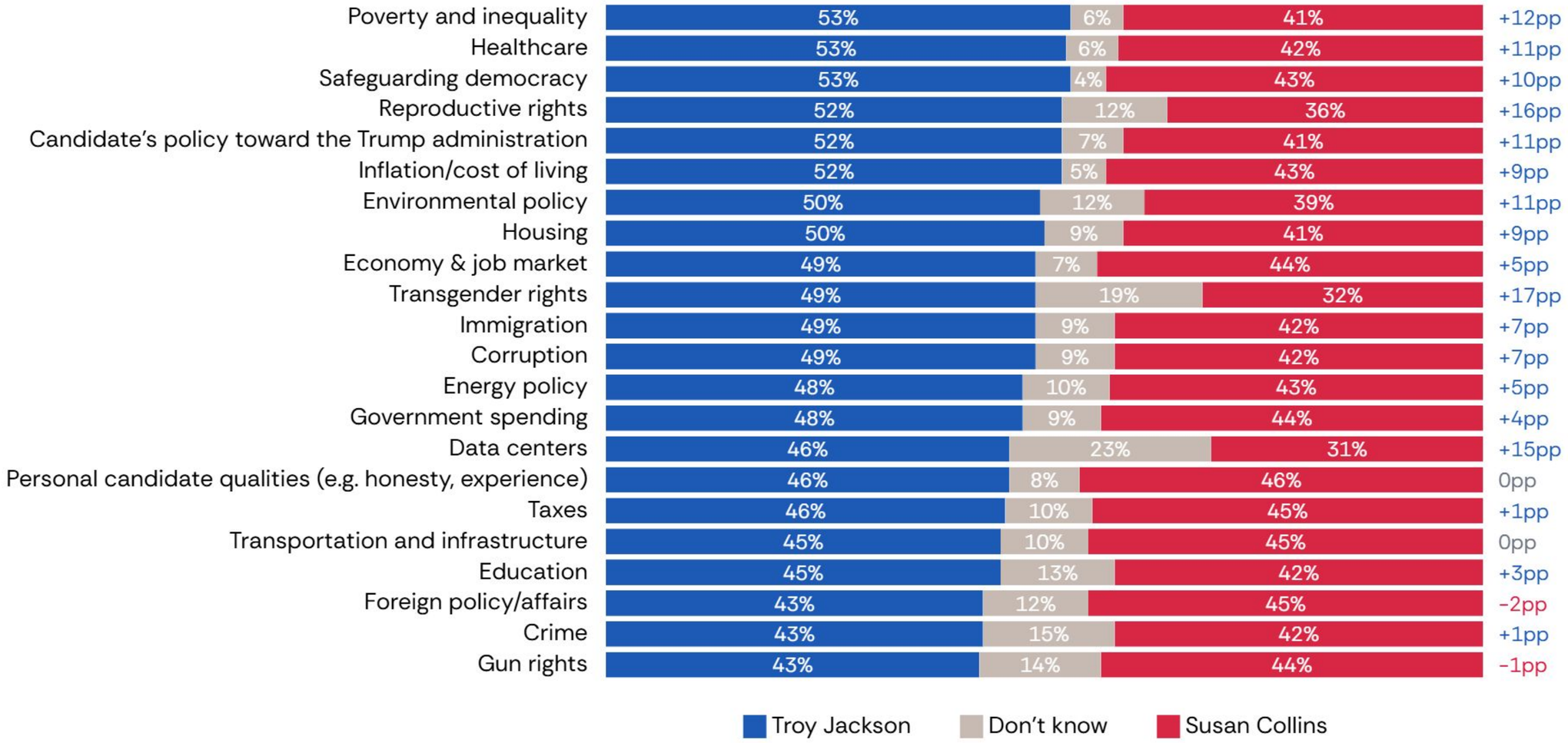
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Bobby Charles (R)	1.8	96.4	34.5	94.0	0.9	45.4	28.4
Richard Bennett (Inc	5.5	2.0	7.2	5.0	4.7	32.5	1.7
Don't know	5.0	0.2	1.2	0.2	2.2	19.3	5.1
Would not vote	0	0	2.2	0.5	0	0	8.1
Other	0	0.4	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0

3. Key issues and candidate comparison

Which of the following issues are most important to you when deciding how to vote in the above elections in November 2026? (Select up to three)



When thinking about the Maine 2026 Senate race, which of these candidates do you think has the best performance/approach regarding each of the following issues?

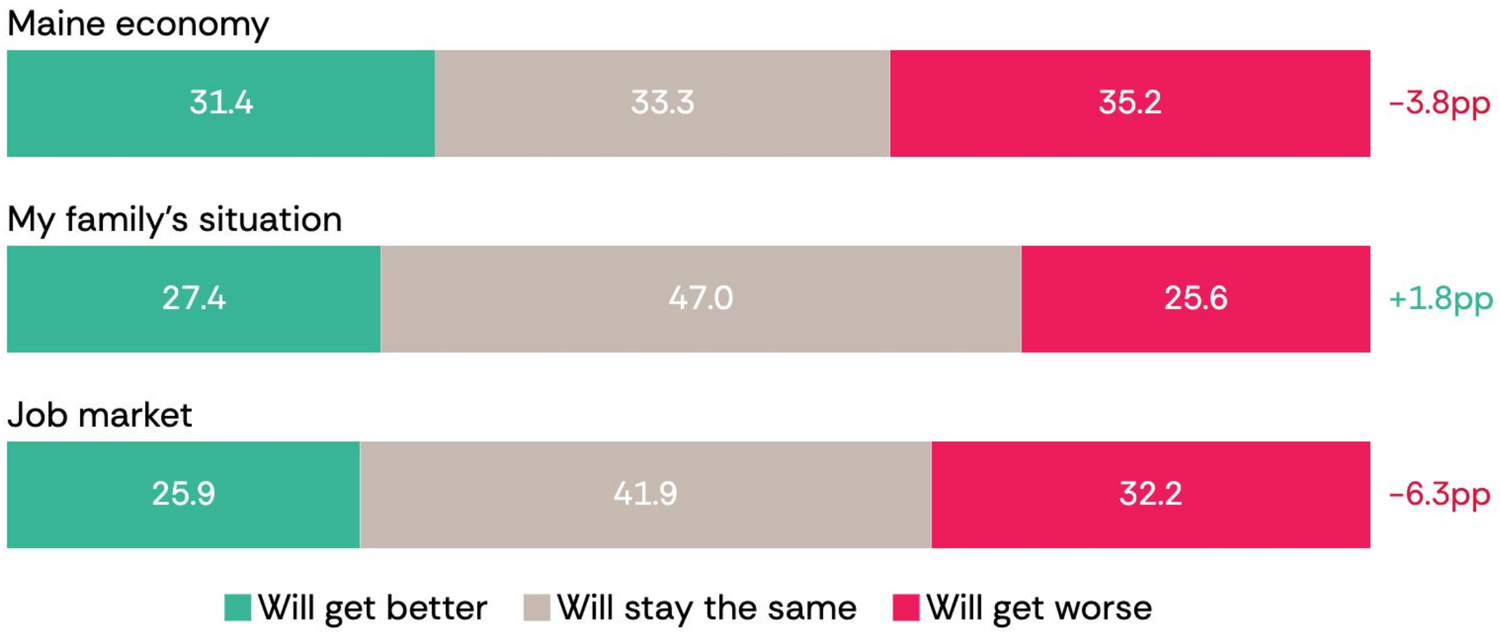


4. Economic perceptions

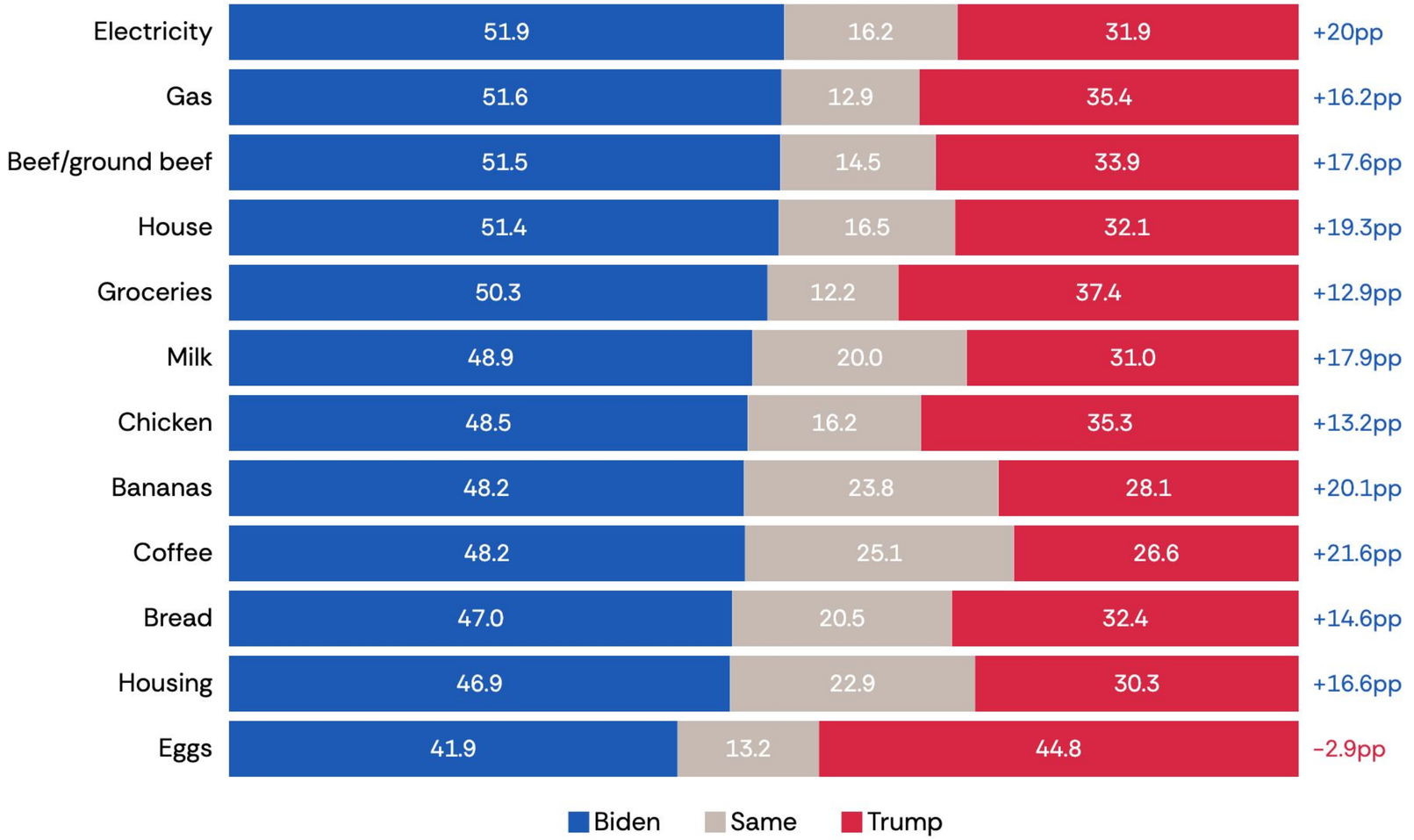
How do you evaluate the Maine economy and job market right now? And how do you evaluate your family's economic situation?



What is your expectation regarding the Maine economy and job market six months from now? What is your expectation regarding your family's situation?

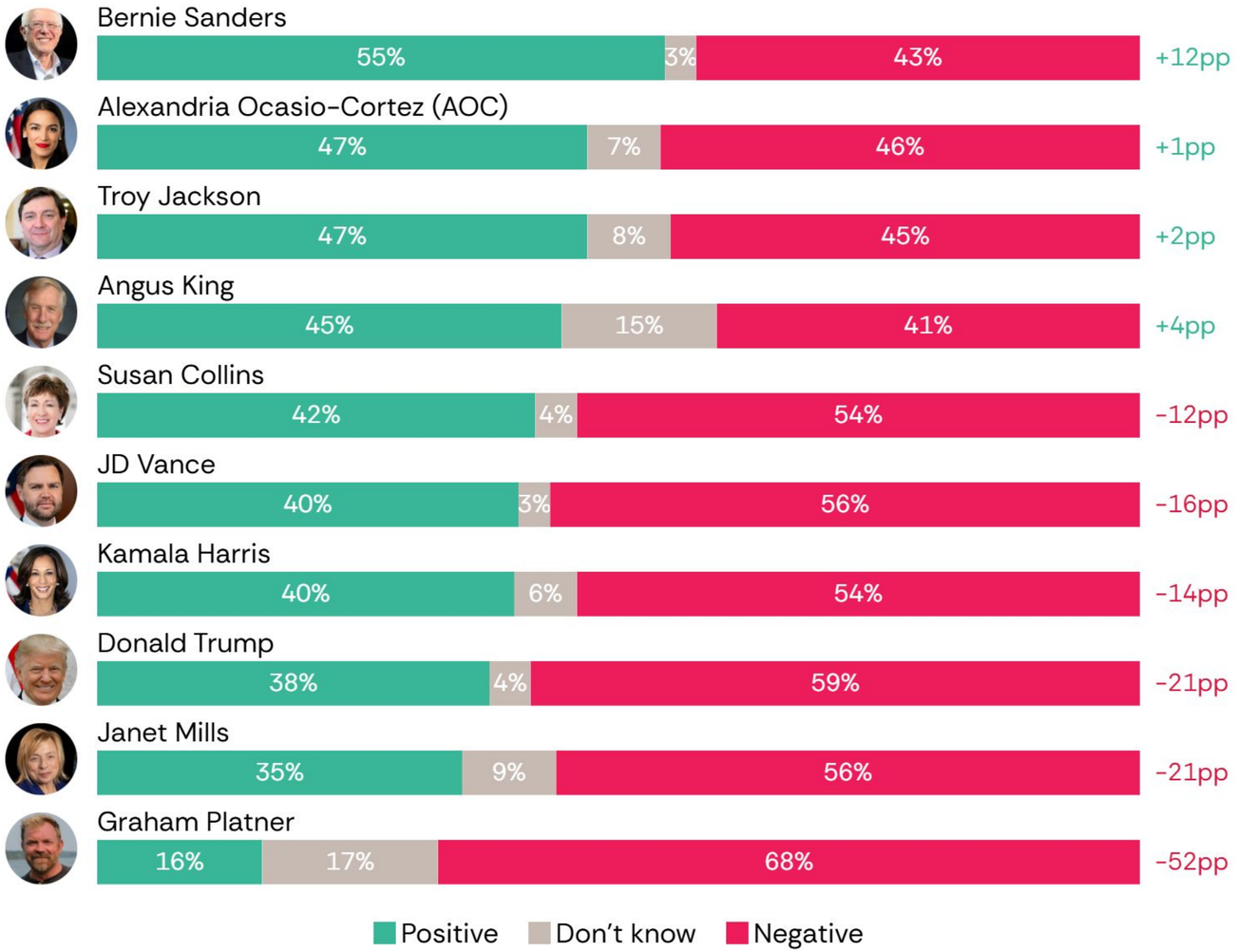


For each item below, do you think it costs less under Biden, Trump, or about the same in your state?



5. Image of political figures

Do you have a positive or negative image of the following political figures?




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