



Ohio 2018 September Elections Poll

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Sample size: 1048 likely voters

Margin of error: $\pm 3.6\%$. The margin of error is applicable only to overall results and not to demographic subgroups. Total column percentages (or row percentages for certain questions) may not be exactly 100% due to rounding.

Q10: Is your opinion of Sherrod Brown favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him?

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %	Oth %
Favorable	49.9	49.8	50	76.2	27	43.4
Unfavorable	29.2	35.8	23.2	8.3	51.2	28.7
Haven't heard enough about him	20.9	14.4	26.8	15.5	21.8	27.8
Totals	100	100	100	100	100	100

Q11: Is your opinion of Jim Renacci favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him?

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %	Oth %
Favorable	25.8	31.2	21	12.9	44.5	17.9
Unfavorable	29.8	35	25	42.5	12.7	36
Haven't heard enough about him	44.3	33.8	54	44.7	42.8	46
Totals	100	100	100	100	100	100

Q12: Compared with past midterm congressional elections, is voting more important to you, less important, or about the same?

Response	Overall	M %

Q16_3: Do you approve or disapprove of the way the following public officials are handling their jobs? - Senator Sherrod Brown

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %	Oth %
Approve	49.5	49.2	49.8	76.4	25.7	43.5
Disapprove	27.1	35.6	19.4	6.3	48.7	26.9
Unsure	23.4	15.3	30.9	17.3	25.6	29.6
Totals	100	100	100	100	100	100

Q16_4: Do you approve or disapprove of the way the following public officials are handling their jobs? - Senator Rob Portman

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %	Oth %
Approve	35.8	42.6	29.6	24.3	53.2	27.7
Disapprove	31.5	33.6	29.6	47.3	12.8	35
Unsure	32.7	23.8	40.8	28.4	34	37.4
Totals	100	100	100	100	100	100

Q17: Please indicate your level of approval or disapproval for each of the following:

	Strongly Approve	Approve	Oppose	Strongly Oppose	Unsure	Totals
1 - Trump Administration's trade tariffs	18.6	23.1	16.4	27.9	14	100
2 - Tax cuts passed by Congress, supported by the Trump Administration	25.9	24	14.7	23.4	12.1	100
3 - Trump Administration's immigration policy	28.8	17.8	13.8	32.7	6.8	100
4 - President Trump's treatment of NATO and the European Union	19.3	19.4	17.1	31.2	13	100
5 - The Mueller investigation into possible Russian influence in the Trump 2016 presidential campaign	32.8	20.1	14	20.1	13	100
6 - How Governor Kasich has handled the Ohio economy	14	41.3	17.2	9.1	18.4	100
7 - Governor Kasich's support for expanding Medicaid	33.1	36.2	11.9	4.9	13.9	100

Q19: Turning to the gubernatorial election in Ohio. . . How important are each of the following issues to you in deciding how to vote in this year's election for Ohio Governor?

	Very important	Somewhat important	Somewhat unimportant	Not important	Don't Know	Totals
1 - The economy	70.2	26.8	2.2	0.2	0.6	100
2 - Taxes	64.7	28.6	4.9	1.1	0.7	100
3 - Healthcare	77.5	18.3	3	0.7	0.5	100
4 - Immigration	50.6	32.4	11.4	4	1.5	100
5 - Trade	38.8	45.6	9.4	3	3.1	100
6 - Gun Policy	63.6	25.1	6	4.2	1.1	100
7 - Abortion	42.9	30.5	12.6	11.7	2.2	100

Q20: Is your opinion of Richard Cordray favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him?

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %	Oth %
Favorable	30.6	33.5	28	53.9	10.9	24.1
Unfavorable	22.7	29.4	16.5	8.7	36.6	23.5
Haven't heard enough about him	46.7	37.1	55.5	37.5	52.5	52.4
Totals	100	100	100	100	100	100

Q21: Is your opinion of Mike DeWine favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him?

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %	Oth %
Favorable	42.9	47.5	38.8	20.8	69.3	37.6
Unfavorable	34.8	37	32.7	53.8	12.8	38.2
Haven't heard enough about him	22.3	15.5	28.5	25.4	17.9	24.1
Totals	100	100	100	100	100	100

Q22: If the election for Ohio governor were being held today, and the candidates were Richard Cordray (the Democrat) and Mike DeWine (the Republican), for whom would you vote?

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %	Oth %
Richard Cordray	37	35.4	38.4	69.2	8.7	29.4
Mike DeWine	41.8	46.6	37.3	13.9	75.7	34
Unsure	21.3	18	24.3	17	15.6	36.6
Totals	100	100	100	100	100	100

Q24: Would you like to see Governor John Kasich run for President in 2020, or not?

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %
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Q40: In general, how much trust and confidence do you have in the mass media – such as newspapers, TV, and radio – when it comes to reporting the news fully, accurately, and fairly?

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %	Oth %
A great deal	13.7	15.6	11.9	23.7	5.2	10.9
A fair amount	35.7	32.9	38.2	45.9	24.3	36.9
Not very much	34	32.7	35.3	22.9	44.4	35.8
None at all	16.6	18.8	14.6	7.6	26.1	16.4
Totals	100	100	100	100	100	100

Q41: Who do you trust more to tell you the truth about important issues: President Trump or the news media?

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %	Oth %
President Trump	29	33.5	24.8	5.4	58.9	20.6
The news media	37.4	36.4	38.3	64.3	11	35.3
Both equally	8.8	10.4	7.4	7.6	9.2	10
Neither	18.8	17.5	20	17.6	16	24.8
Unsure	6	2.2	9.5	5	4.8	9.4
Totals	100	100	100	100	100	100

Q42: Do you think Donald Trump is using his personal Twitter account too much, too little, or the right amount?

Response	Overall	M %	F %	Dem %	Rep %	Oth %
Too much	70	67.6	72.3	87.4	50.4	72.7
The right amount	16.7	19.5	14.2	5.3	31.9	11.6
Too little	2.3	2.8	1.9	2.5	2.3	2.2
Unsure	10.9	10.1	11.6	4.8	15.4	13.5
Totals	100	100	100	100	100	100

