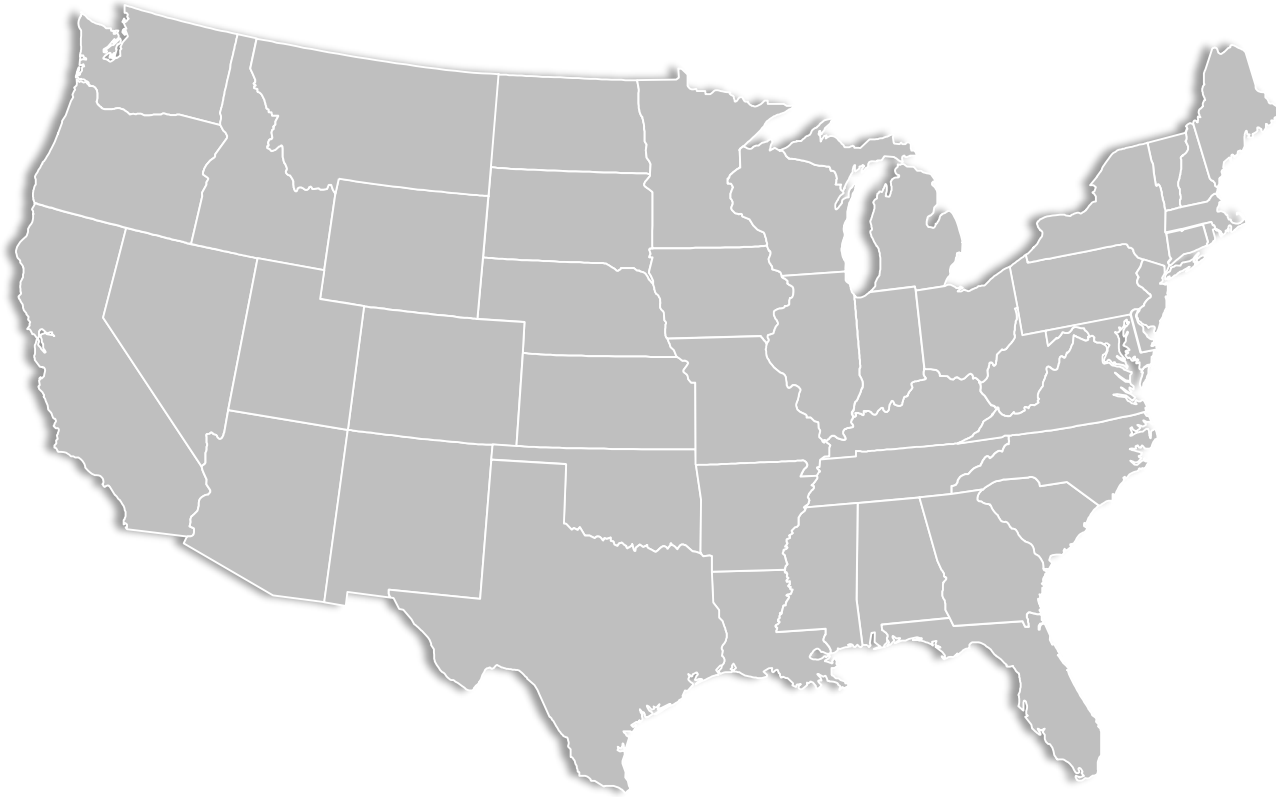# National Survey Analysis

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Methodology

This national survey was conducted among 1,000 likely general election voters. All interviews were conducted between November 21 and 23, 2020. All interviews were conducted online and survey invitations were distributed randomly within predetermined geographic units. These units were structured to correlate with actual voter turnout nationwide in a general election. The sample of 1,000 likely general election voters has an accuracy of +/- 3.1% at a 95% confidence interval. The numbers in this presentation have been rounded and may not equal 100%.

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Regardless of who you voted for in the presidential election, do you believe it is fair or unfair for President Trump to ask for a recount in states where the ballot for president was as close as 1% or even closer?
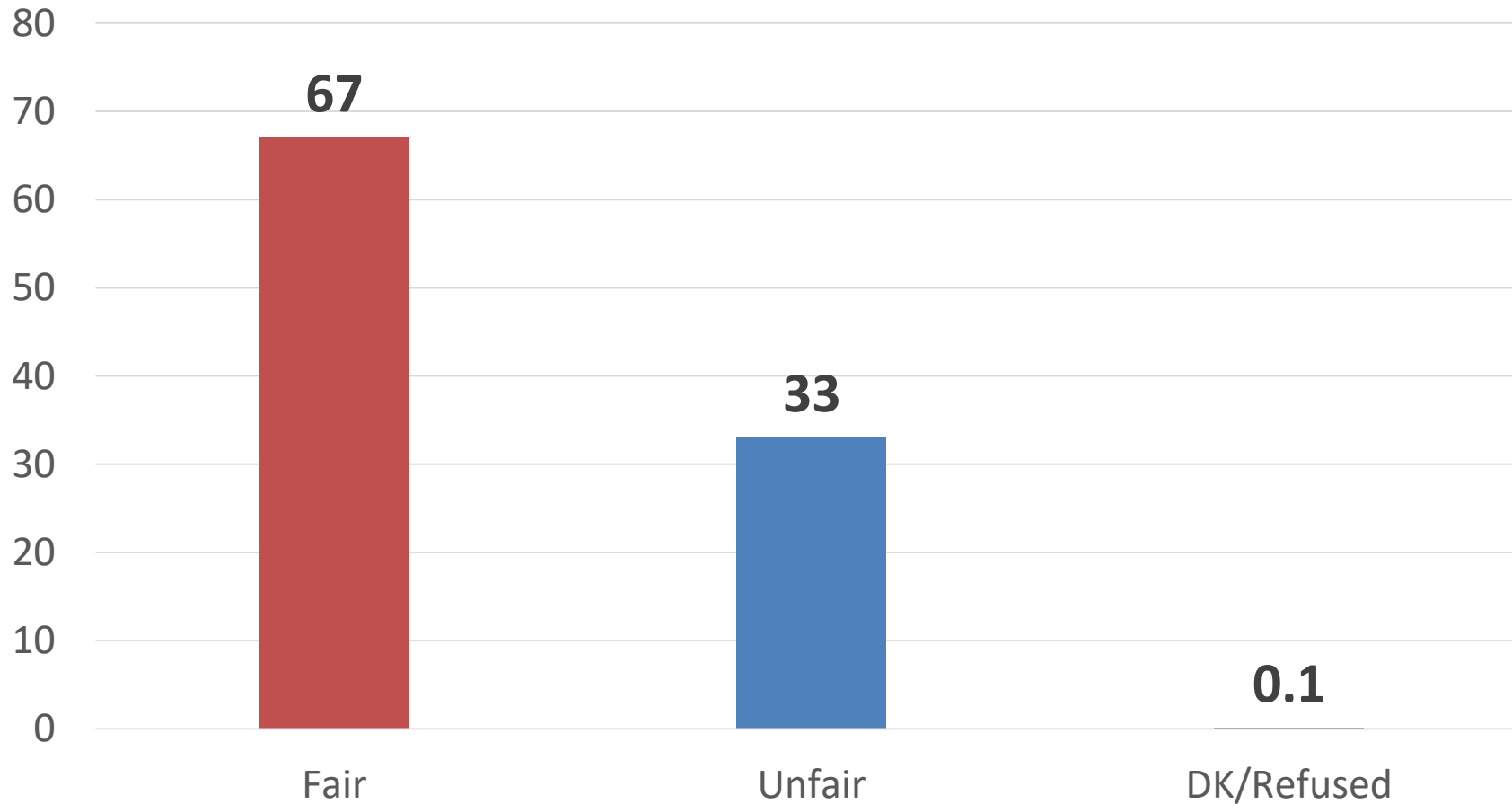
	Fair	Unfair	Net
East	67	33	34
Midwest	65	35	30
South	67	33	35
West	68	32	37
Urban	64	36	27
Suburban	67	33	34
Rural	72	28	44
Early in Person	72	28	43
Vote By Mail	59	41	18
Vote Election Day	73	27	47
Vote Trump	86	14	72
Vote Biden	49	51	-1
GOP	86	14	71
DEM	50	50	0
IND	65	35	30
Liberal	53	47	6
Moderate	61	39	22
Conservative	83	17	66
White	73	27	46
Black	52	48	4
Hispanic	52	48	4
Under 40	66	34	32
41-55	68	32	36
Over 55	67	33	35
Non-College	65	35	29
College Graduate	70	30	40

Fair 67
Unfair 33
DK/Refused 0.1

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Do you believe major media organizations like CNN, ABC, CBS, and NBC should declare Joe Biden the winner even as recounts are being conducted in multiple states?
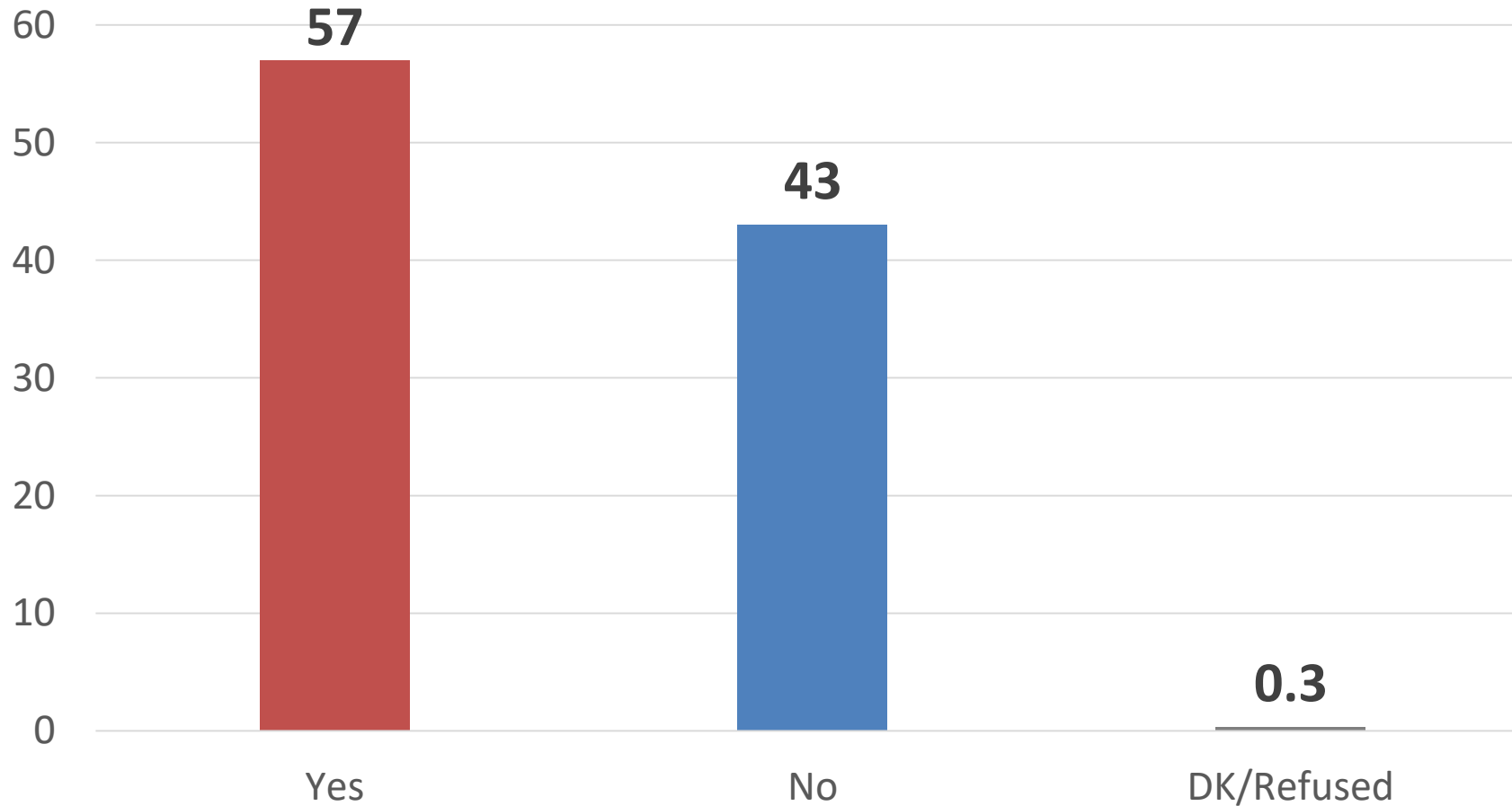
	Yes	No	Net
East	59	40	20
Midwest	55	45	10
South	54	46	7
West	62	37	25
Urban	71	29	42
Suburban	55	45	10
Rural	42	58	-16
Early in Person	50	51	-1
Vote By Mail	66	34	32
Vote Election Day	51	50	1
Vote Trump	23	77	-54
Vote Biden	88	12	76
GOP	30	70	-39
DEM	86	14	72
IND	53	46	7
Liberal	86	14	72
Moderate	64	35	28
Conservative	29	72	-43
White	47	52	-5
Black	78	22	56
Hispanic	82	17	65
Under 40	68	32	36
41-55	50	50	0
Over 55	52	47	6
Non-College	57	43	15
College Graduate	57	43	14

Yes: 57
No: 43
DK/Refused: 0.3

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In general, would you say the media coverage in the race for President has been…

52				
UNFAIR/BIASED				
42	Unfair and Biased against Donald Trump			
10	Unfair and Biased against Joe Biden			
48	It was fair and not biased against Joe Biden and Donald Trump			
0.1	DK/Refused			
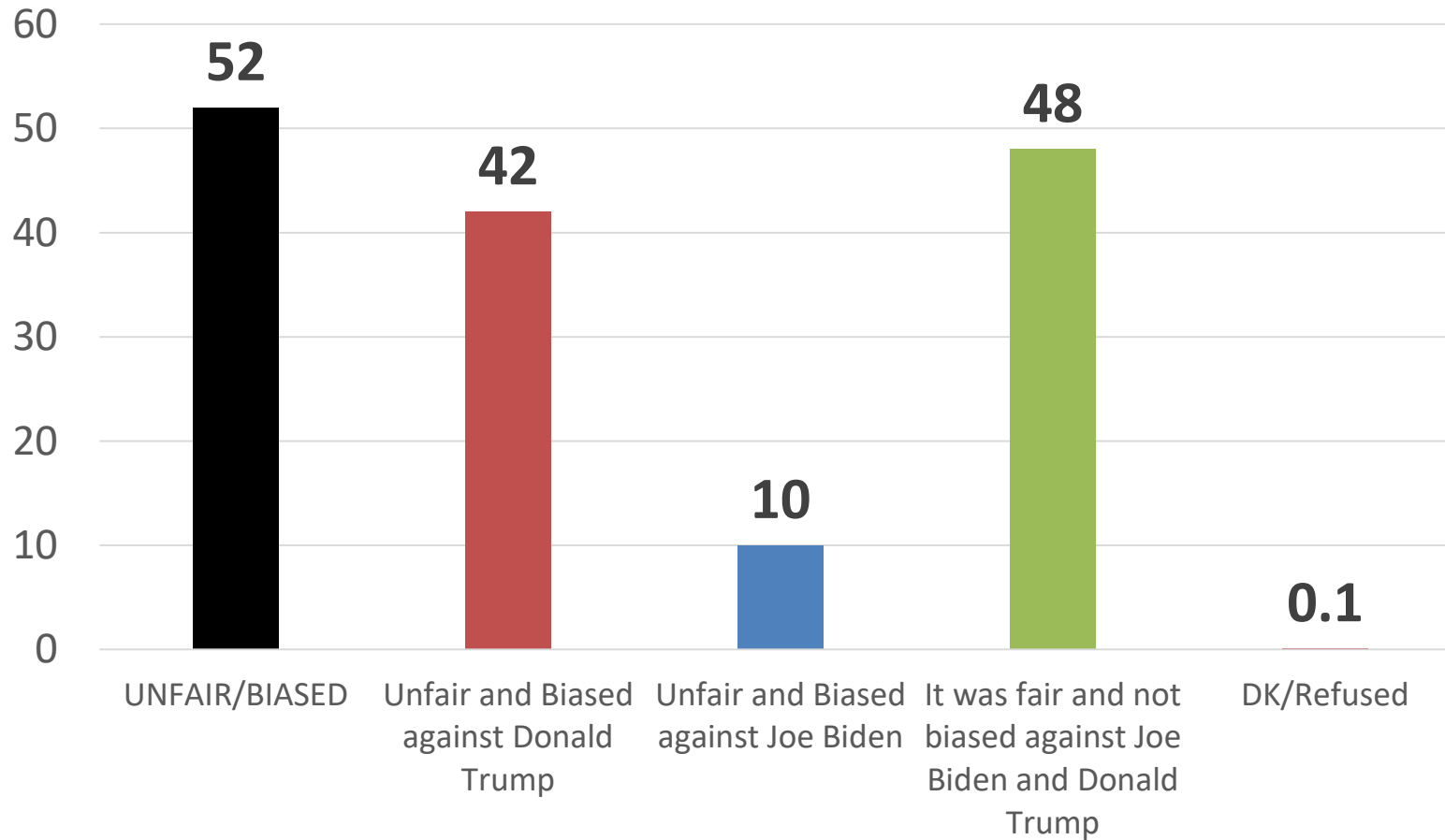
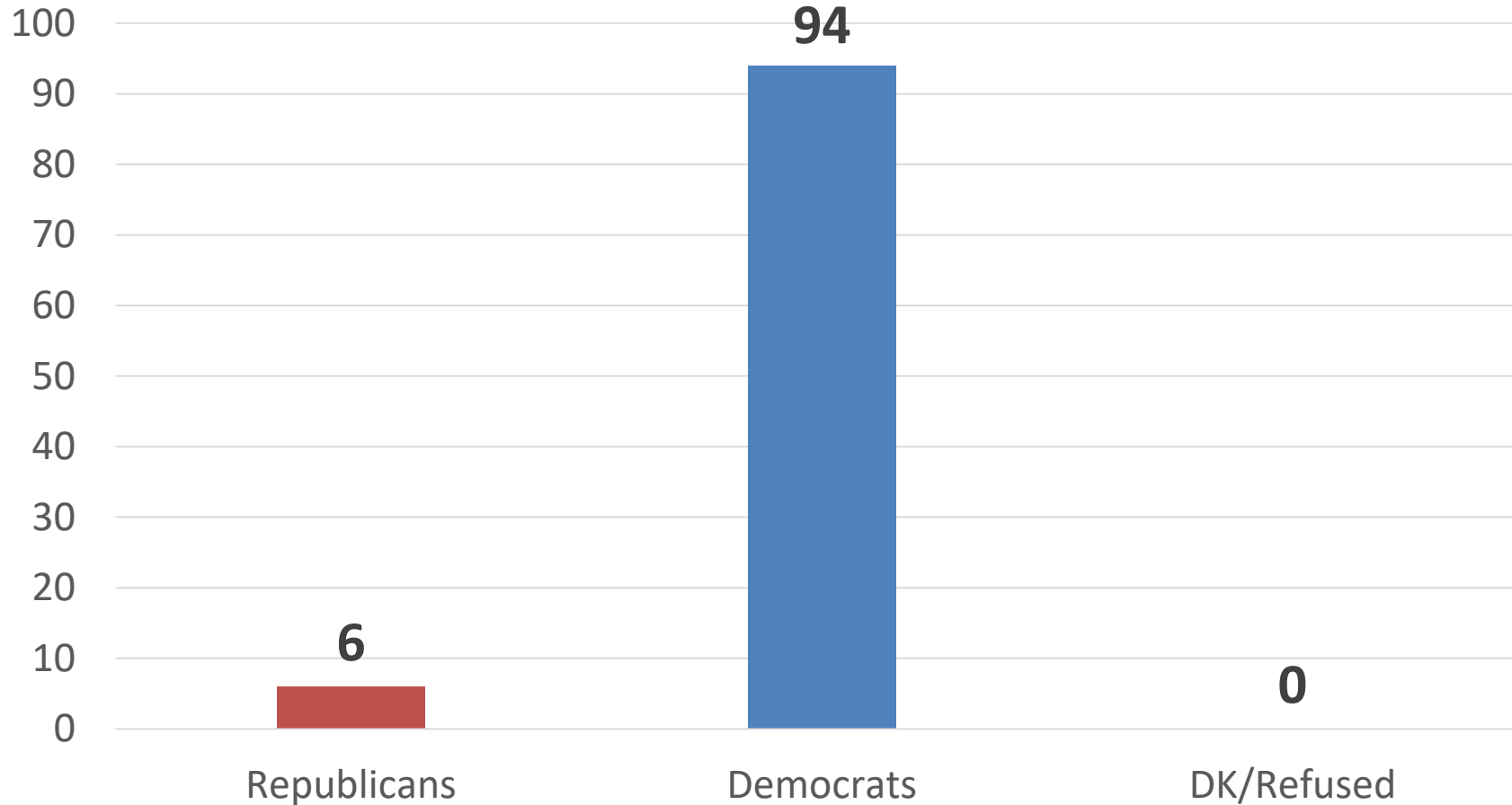|	DJT	JB	Fair	Net
East	33	12	54	-9
Midwest	44	8	48	5
South	46	12	43	15
West	41	7	53	-6
Urban	28	15	57	-15
Suburban	44	7	49	2
Rural	57	9	33	34
Early in Person	49	7	44	13
Vote By Mail	32	8	60	-19
Vote Election Day	50	13	37	26
Vote Trump	82	6	13	74
Vote Biden	6	14	80	-60
GOP	75	6	19	63
DEM	8	16	76	-52
IND	44	7	49	2
Liberal	13	15	72	-44
Moderate	31	10	59	-19
Conservative	74	6	19	61
White	51	7	42	17
Black	16	18	66	-32
Hispanic	22	16	61	-24
Under 40	35	16	49	3
41-55	43	11	46	9
Over 55	47	4	49	2
Non-College	42	11	47	6
College Graduate	42	9	50	1

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Do you think that the election will be decided honestly, or do you think that there was significant voter fraud in the election?
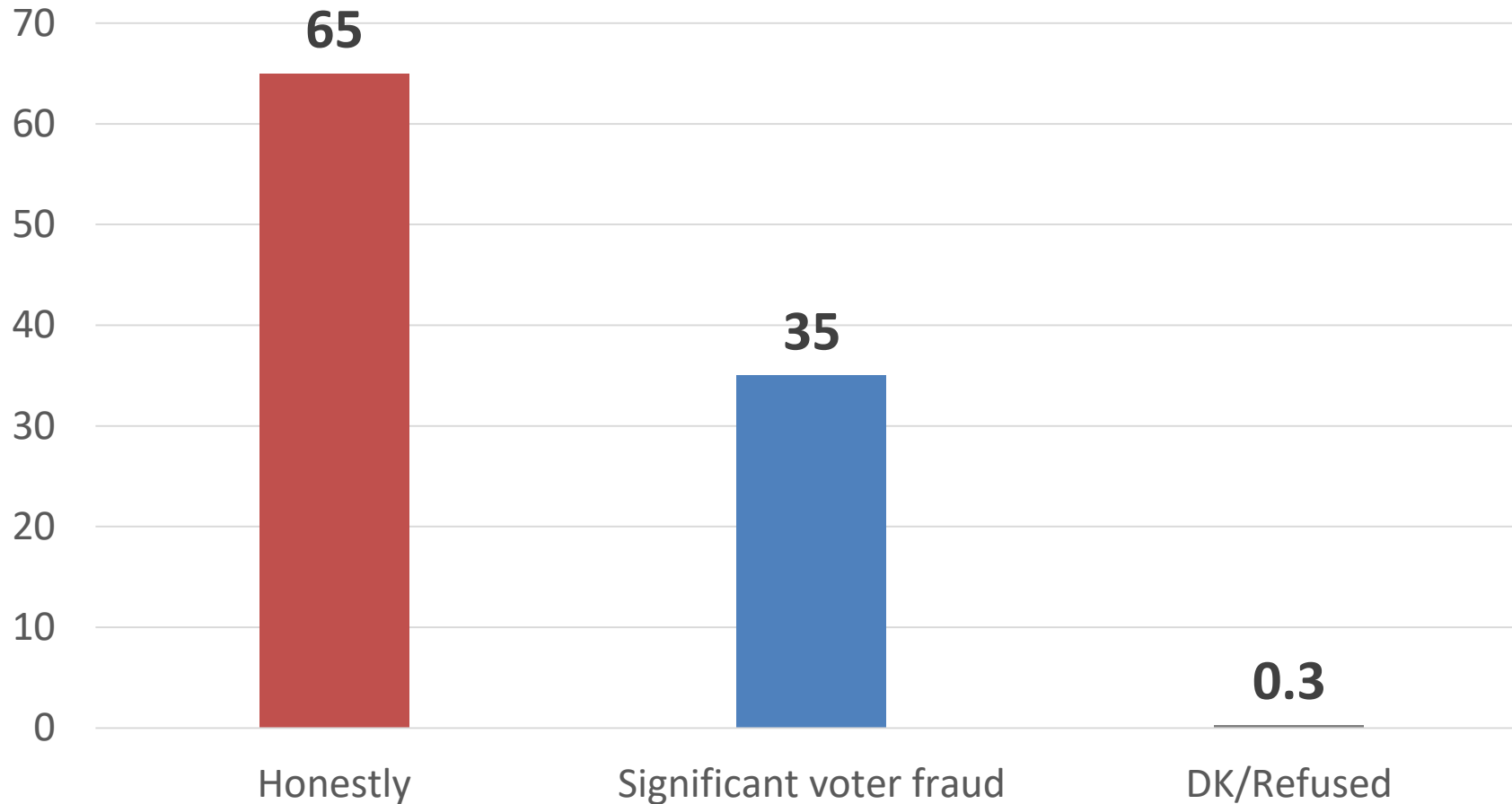
	Hnst	Fraud	Net
East	68	31	37
Midwest	64	36	28
South	59	41	18
West	73	27	46
Urban	80	20	60
Suburban	63	36	27
Rural	47	53	-7
Early in Person	58	41	18
Vote By Mail	74	26	47
Vote Election Day	58	42	16
Vote Trump	29	70	-41
Vote Biden	97	3	94
GOP	35	65	-30
DEM	94	6	89
IND	64	36	28
Liberal	92	8	85
Moderate	75	25	51
Conservative	34	65	-31
White	58	42	15
Black	88	13	75
Hispanic	82	17	64
Under 40	72	28	44
41-55	60	40	21
Over 55	62	38	24
Non-College	61	38	23
College Graduate	70	30	40

Chart:
- Honestly: 65
- Significant voter fraud: 35
- DK/Refused: 0.3

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Who do you blame MOST for the voter fraud in the recent election?
N=349

	Republicans	Democrats	DK/Refused
	6	94	0

	GOP	DEM	Net
East	9	91	-82
Midwest	5	95	-90
South	8	93	-85
West	2	98	-96
Urban	8	93	-85
Suburban	6	95	-89
Rural	7	93	-86
Early in Person	4	96	-92
Vote By Mail	7	93	-86
Vote Election Day	7	93	-86
Vote Trump	5	95	-90
Vote Biden	31	69	-38
GOP	5	95	-90
DEM	16	84	-68
IND	7	93	-86
Liberal	16	84	-68
Moderate	12	88	-76
Conservative	3	97	-94
White	3	97	-94
Black	28	72	-44
Hispanic	15	85	-70
Under 40	16	84	-68
41-55	4	96	-92
Over 55	2	98	-96
Non-College	7	93	-86
College Graduate	5	95	-90

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How much of a problem is voter fraud in big Democratic cities?
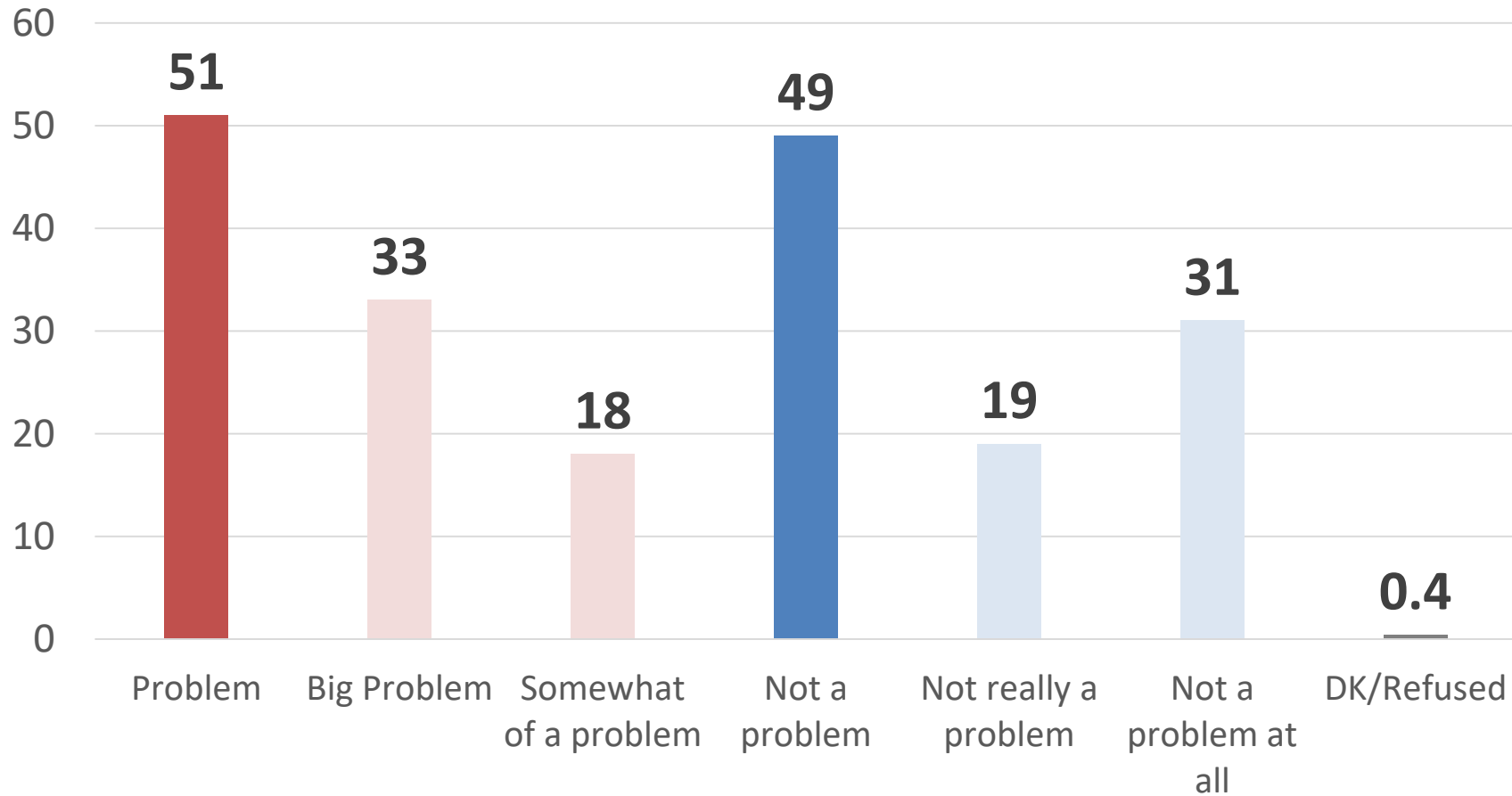
	Prob	Not	Net
East	44	56	-12
Midwest	52	48	4
South	57	43	14
West	44	56	-11
Urban	44	57	-13
Suburban	50	50	0
Rural	63	37	26
Early in Person	57	42	16
Vote By Mail	36	64	-28
Vote Election Day	64	36	28
Vote Trump	87	12	75
Vote Biden	17	83	-67
GOP	83	17	66
DEM	21	78	-57
IND	47	52	-5
Liberal	27	74	-47
Moderate	37	62	-25
Conservative	81	19	63
White	57	43	14
Black	33	67	-34
Hispanic	39	60	-21
Under 40	53	47	6
41-55	56	44	11
Over 55	46	54	-8
Non-College	52	47	5
College Graduate	48	52	-4

Bar chart values:
- Problem: 51
- Big Problem: 33
- Somewhat of a problem: 18
- Not a problem: 49
- Not really a problem: 19
- Not a problem at all: 31
- DK/Refused: 0.4

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How important do you think it is for your state and local government to continue to provide in-person voting for elections?
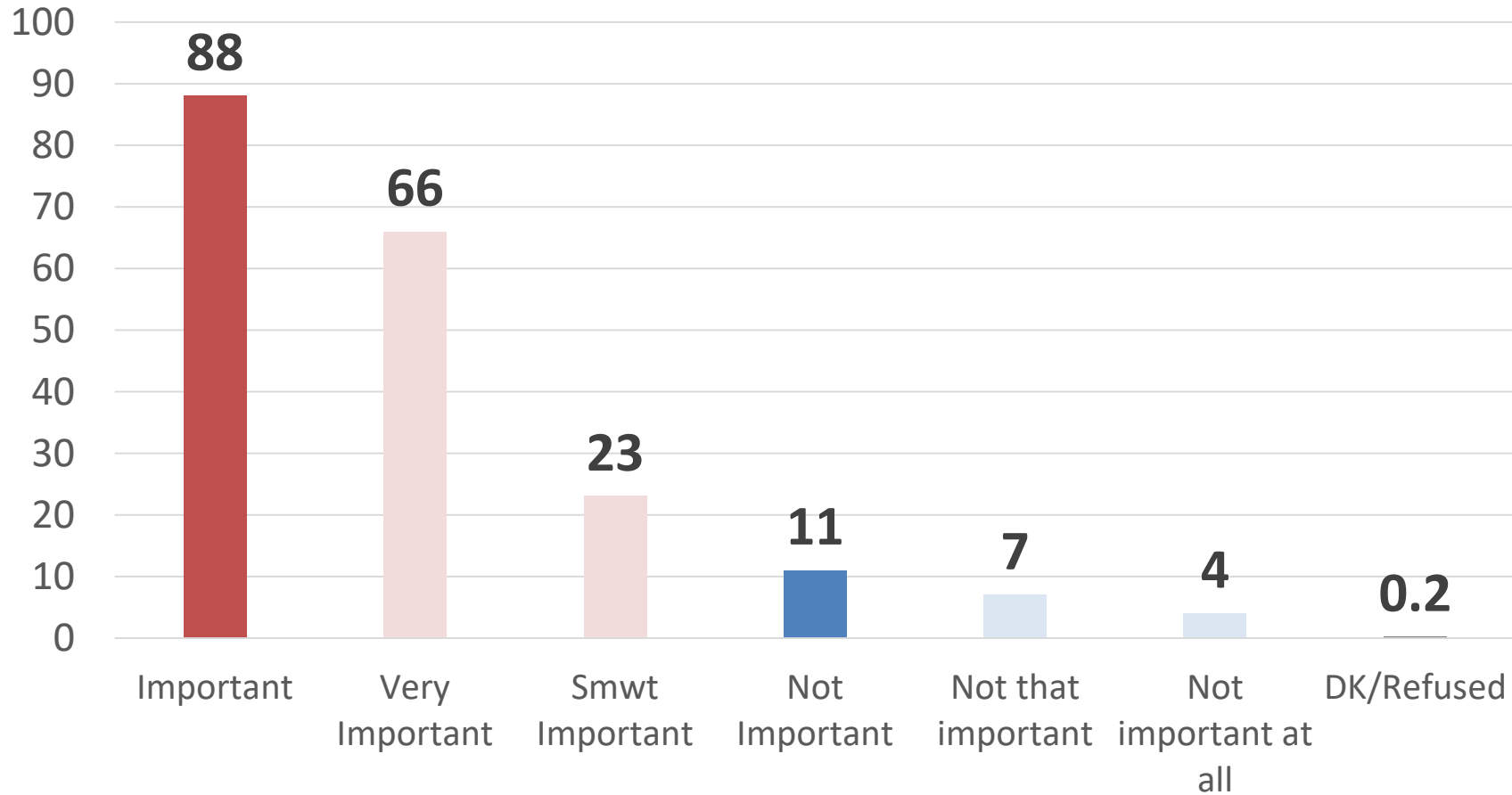
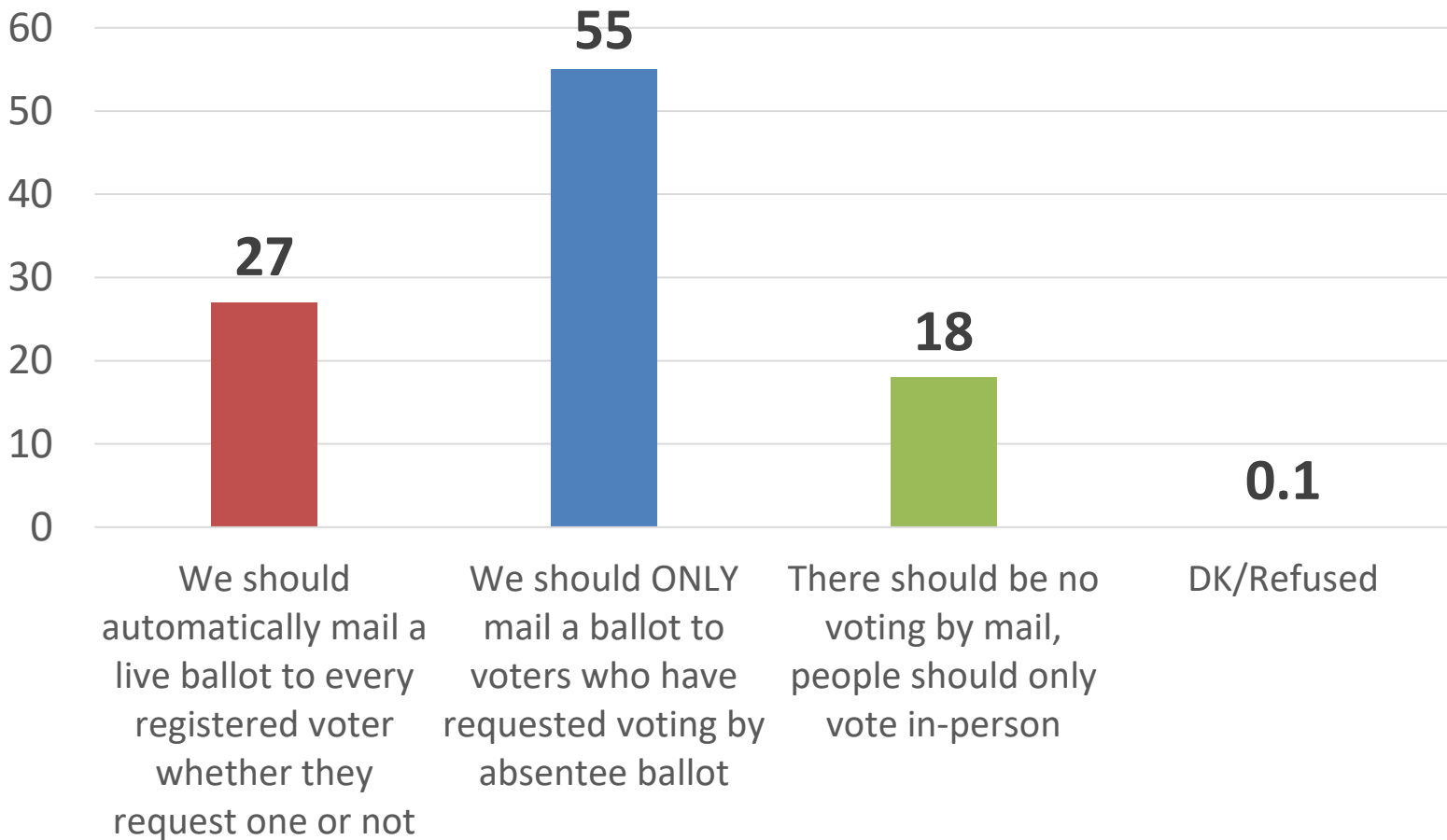|	Import	Not	Net
East	91	9	83
Midwest	91	9	82
South	91	9	82
West	79	20	59
Urban	89	10	79
Suburban	88	12	75
Rural	89	10	79
Early in Person	93	7	86
Vote By Mail	80	19	61
Vote Election Day	96	4	92
Vote Trump	95	4	91
Vote Biden	82	18	64
GOP	96	4	91
DEM	84	16	68
IND	85	15	70
Liberal	84	16	68
Moderate	85	15	70
Conservative	95	5	91
White	90	10	80
Black	86	14	72
Hispanic	86	13	73
Under 40	89	11	78
41-55	90	10	81
Over 55	87	13	74
Non-College	91	9	81
College Graduate	86	14	71

Chart values:
- Important: 88
- Very Important: 66
- Smwt Important: 23
- Not Important: 11
- Not that important: 7
- Not important at all: 4
- DK/Refused: 0.2

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Do you approve or disapprove of voter identification laws that make sure that every vote that was cast in the election for President and Congress was cast by a legal citizen who was eligible to vote?
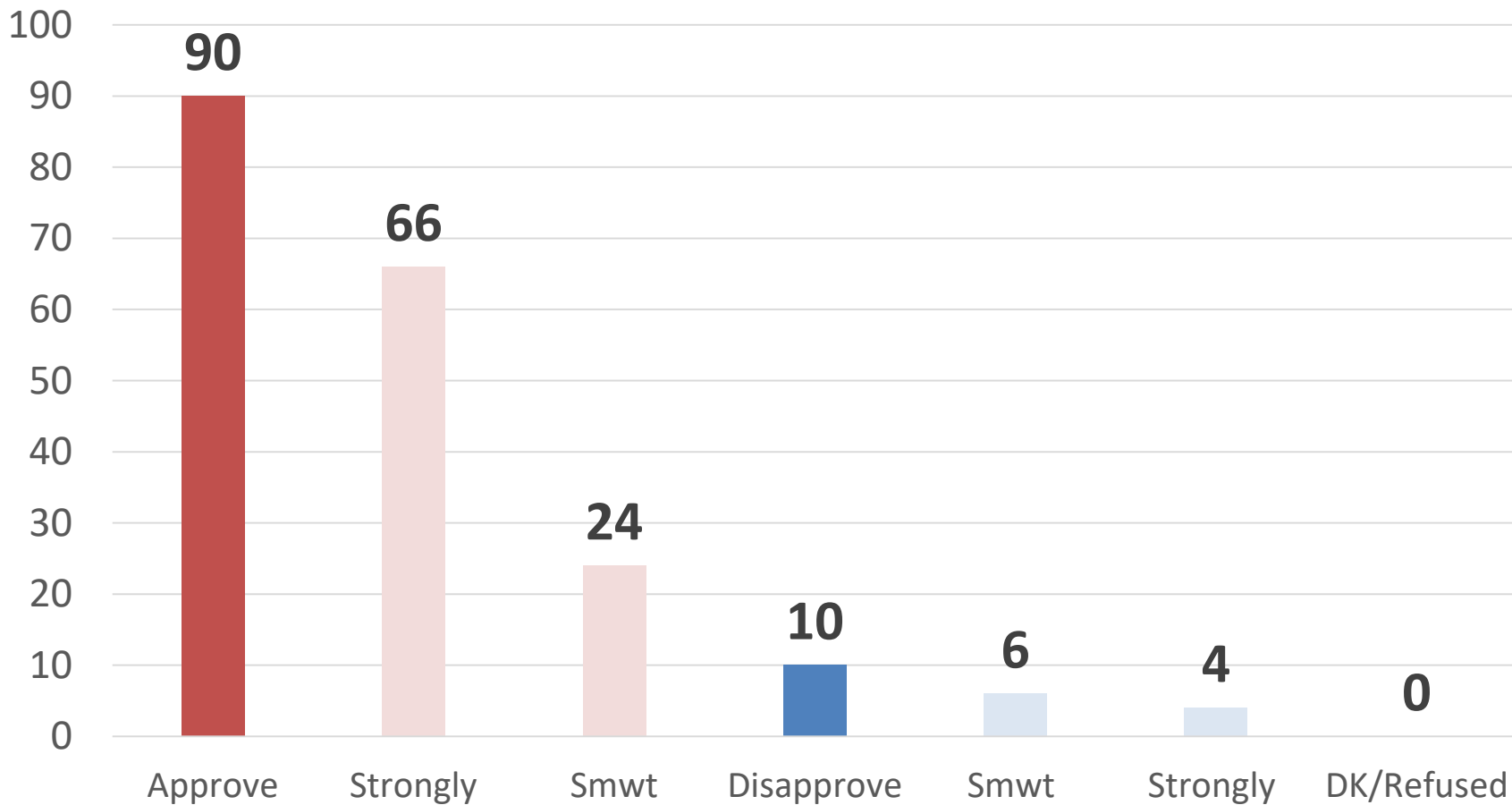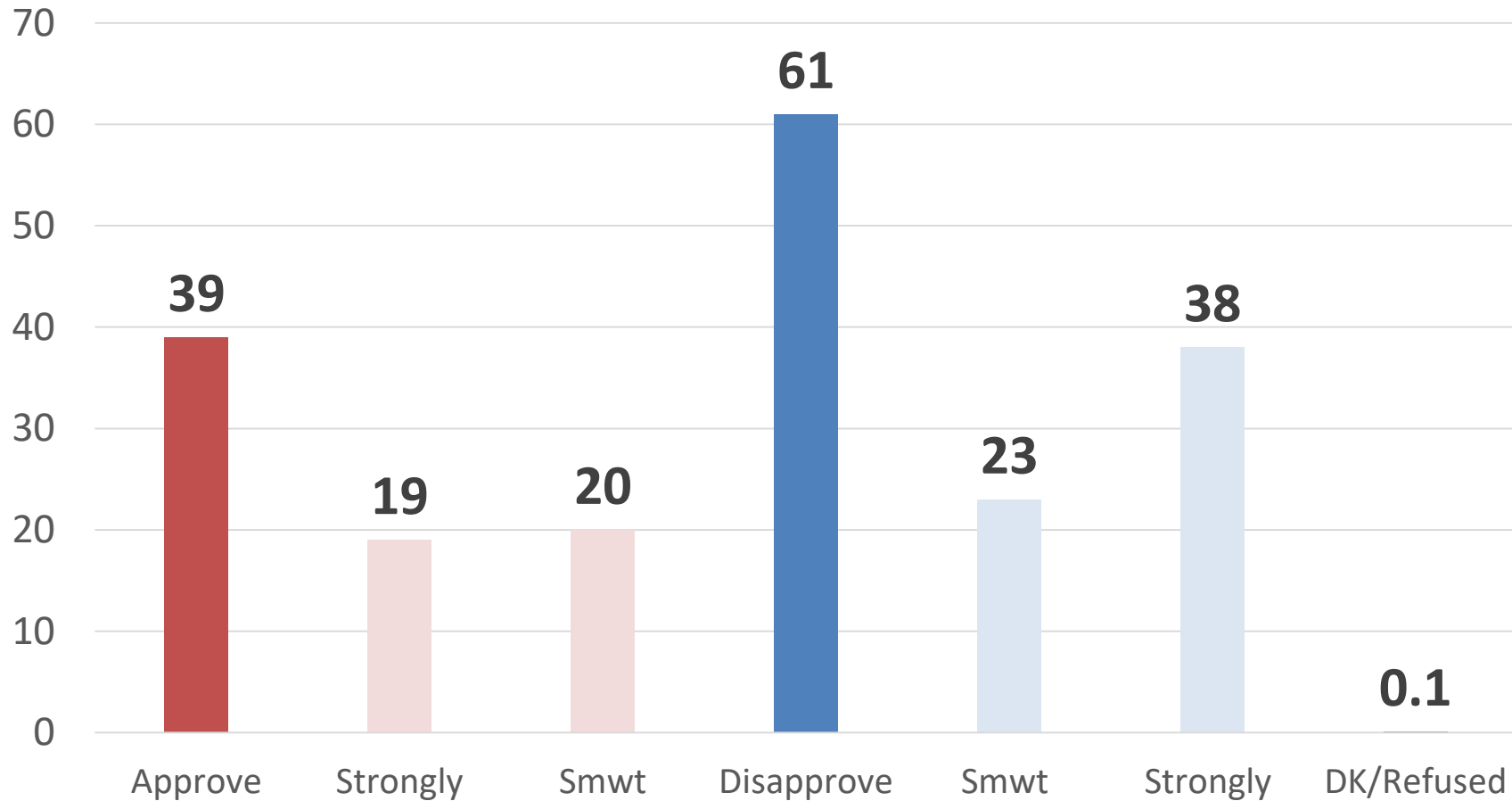
	App	Dis	Net
East	86	14	72
Midwest	93	7	85
South	92	9	83
West	89	11	79
Urban	93	7	85
Suburban	89	11	78
Rural	90	10	79
Early in Person	92	8	84
Vote By Mail	88	12	76
Vote Election Day	92	8	84
Vote Trump	95	5	91
Vote Biden	86	15	71
GOP	94	6	89
DEM	87	13	75
IND	89	11	78
Liberal	86	14	71
Moderate	88	12	76
Conservative	96	4	92
White	90	10	81
Black	88	12	76
Hispanic	92	8	84
Under 40	88	12	75
41-55	92	8	84
Over 55	91	9	82
Non-College	90	10	81
College Graduate	90	10	80

Bar chart:

Approve	Strongly	Smwt	Disapprove	Smwt	Strongly	DK/Refused
90	66	24	10	6	4	0

Which of the following comes closest to your opinion regarding voting by mail?

Bar chart values:
- We should automatically mail a live ballot to every registered voter whether they request one or not: **27**
- We should ONLY mail a ballot to voters who have requested voting by absentee ballot: **55**
- There should be no voting by mail, people should only vote in-person: **18**
- DK/Refused: **0.1**

	Auto	Req	In Pers
East	28	51	21
Midwest	22	61	17
South	21	57	22
West	42	48	10
Urban	38	47	16
Suburban	25	59	16
Rural	17	56	27
Early in Person	16	62	22
Vote By Mail	38	56	6
Vote Election Day	21	50	29
Vote Trump	11	57	32
Vote Biden	42	52	5
GOP	13	57	30
DEM	42	50	8
IND	26	59	15
Liberal	47	43	11
Moderate	27	59	13
Conservative	12	60	28
White	23	56	21
Black	38	50	12
Hispanic	34	52	13
Under 40	32	48	20
41-55	26	53	21
Over 55	24	62	14
Non-College	25	53	22
College Graduate	30	58	12

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Would you approve or disapprove of accepting and counting mail-in ballots that were received after the election-day deadline WITHOUT any postmark date?
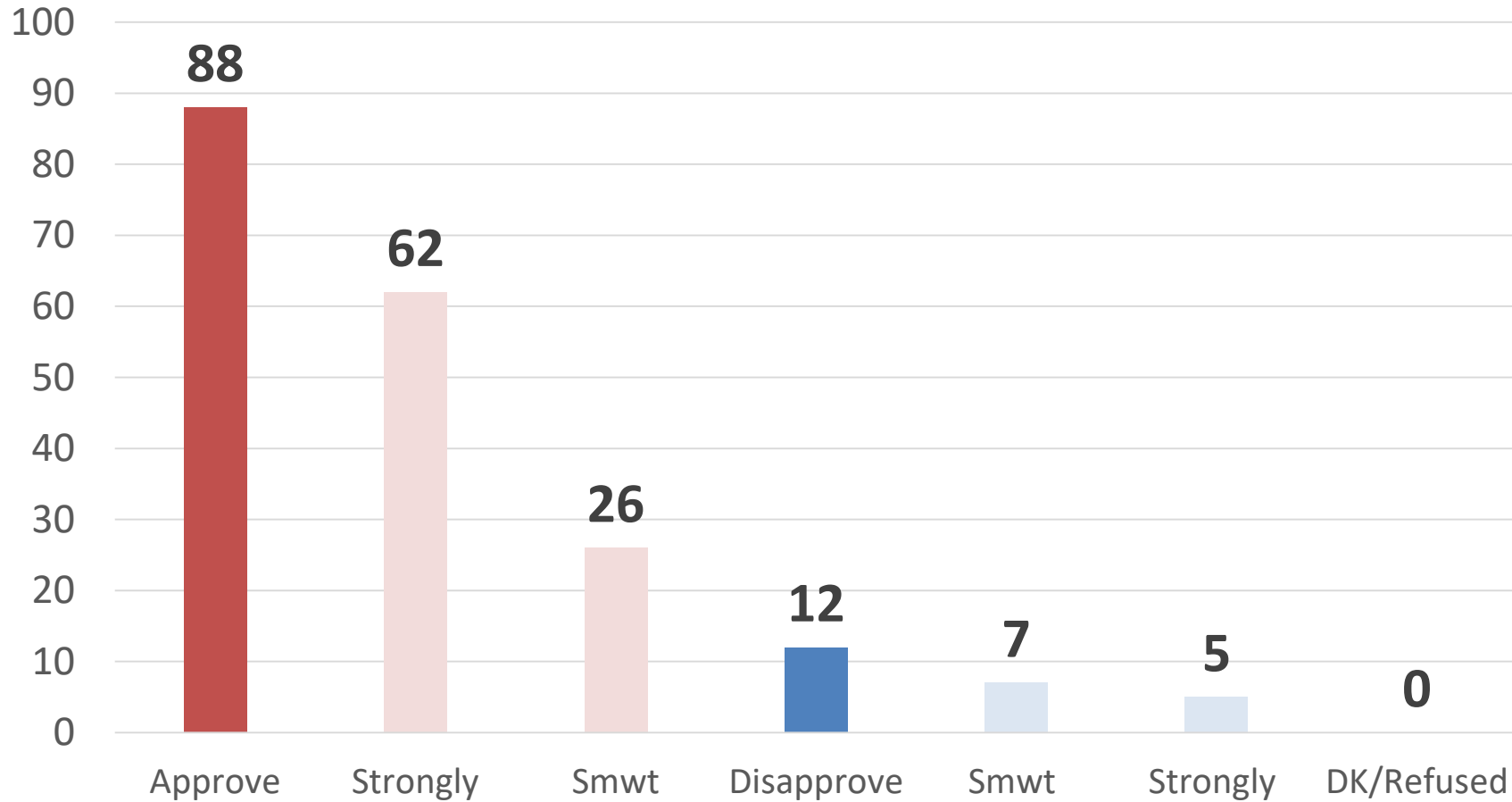
	App	Dis	Net
East	42	58	-16
Midwest	35	65	-30
South	42	58	-16
West	38	62	-25
Urban	57	43	14
Suburban	35	65	-30
Rural	24	75	-51
Early in Person	32	68	-35
Vote By Mail	38	62	-24
Vote Election Day	45	55	-10
Vote Trump	26	74	-48
Vote Biden	51	48	3
GOP	29	71	-42
DEM	54	46	9
IND	33	67	-34
Liberal	61	40	21
Moderate	40	60	-21
Conservative	23	78	-54
White	31	69	-37
Black	54	46	8
Hispanic	62	38	24
Under 40	60	40	20
41-55	37	63	-27
Over 55	25	75	-50
Non-College	42	58	-16
College Graduate	36	64	-28

Bar chart:
- Approve: 39
- Strongly: 19
- Smwt: 20
- Disapprove: 61
- Smwt: 23
- Strongly: 38
- DK/Refused: 0.1

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Would you approve or disapprove of using universal mail-in ballots for elections WITHOUT any voter identification or signature verification rules?
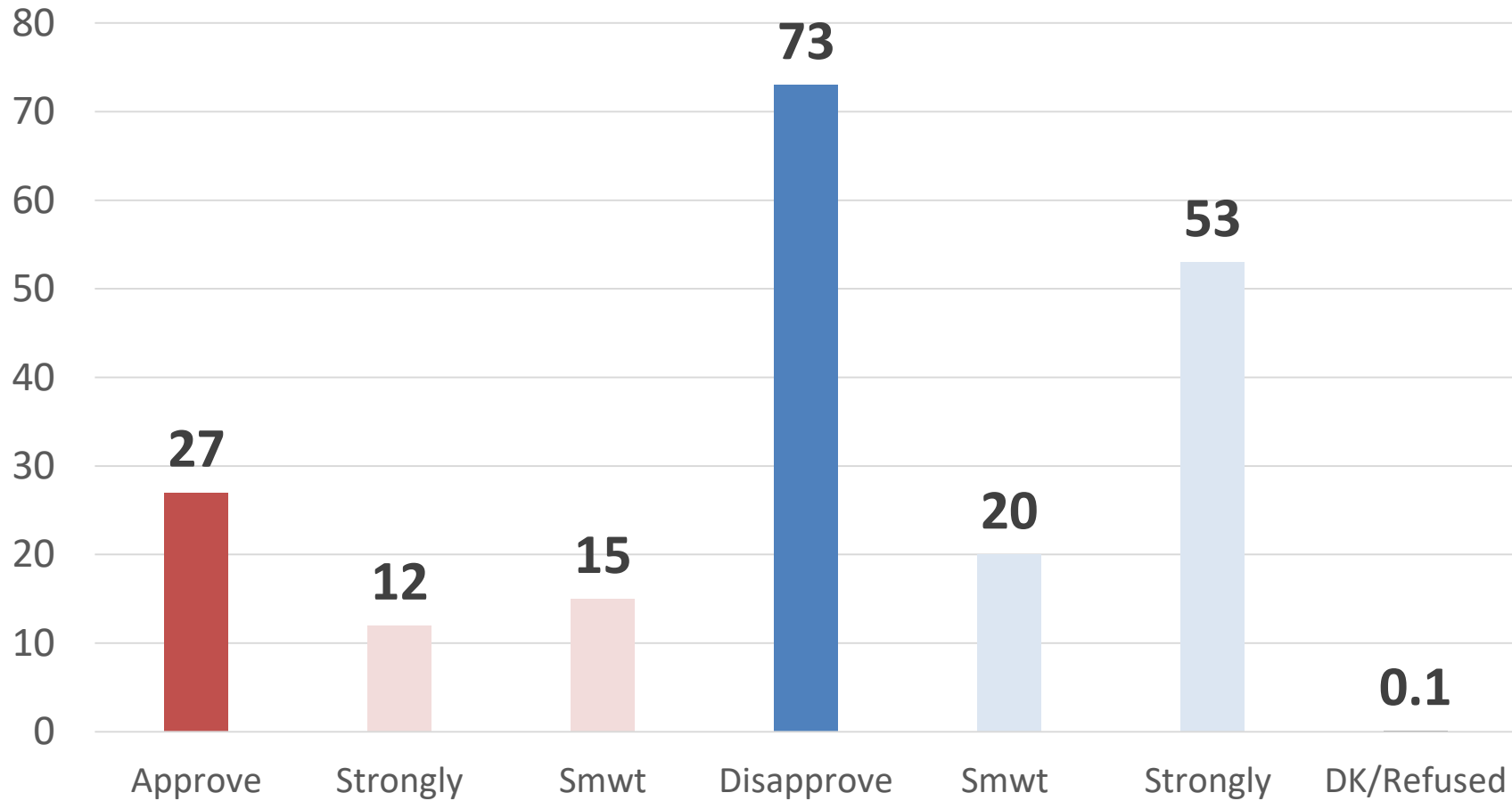
	App	Dis	Net
East	31	69	-38
Midwest	25	75	-51
South	29	71	-42
West	23	77	-54
Urban	42	59	-17
Suburban	23	77	-53
Rural	15	84	-69
Early in Person	20	80	-60
Vote By Mail	23	77	-55
Vote Election Day	36	64	-28
Vote Trump	17	83	-66
Vote Biden	36	64	-27
GOP	20	80	-60
DEM	40	60	-21
IND	19	81	-62
Liberal	48	52	-3
Moderate	25	75	-50
Conservative	13	87	-74
White	20	80	-60
Black	43	57	-13
Hispanic	44	55	-12
Under 40	48	52	-3
41-55	27	74	-47
Over 55	11	89	-78
Non-College	26	74	-48
College Graduate	28	72	-43

Bar chart values:
- Approve: 27
- Strongly: 12
- Smwt: 15
- Disapprove: 73
- Smwt: 20
- Strongly: 53
- DK/Refused: 0.1

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Do you approve or disapprove states requiring that all mail-in ballots have a matching signature with the person's voter registration?

	App	Dis	Net
East	84	16	67
Midwest	90	10	81
South	86	14	72
West	93	7	86
Urban	86	14	73
Suburban	89	11	77
Rural	89	11	78
Early in Person	87	13	75
Vote By Mail	88	12	77
Vote Election Day	88	12	77
Vote Trump	92	8	84
Vote Biden	85	15	70
GOP	91	9	81
DEM	86	14	72
IND	88	12	75
Liberal	84	16	67
Moderate	86	14	73
Conservative	93	7	86
White	90	10	79
Black	85	15	69
Hispanic	85	15	70
Under 40	84	16	67
41-55	87	13	75
Over 55	92	8	84
Non-College	87	14	73
College Graduate	90	10	81

Chart values:
- Approve: 88
- Strongly: 62
- Smwt: 26
- Disapprove: 12
- Smwt: 7
- Strongly: 5
- DK/Refused: 0

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If President Trump were to lose this election, would you want to see him run again in 2024 for president?
(Only asked to Republicans and Republican primary voting Independents)
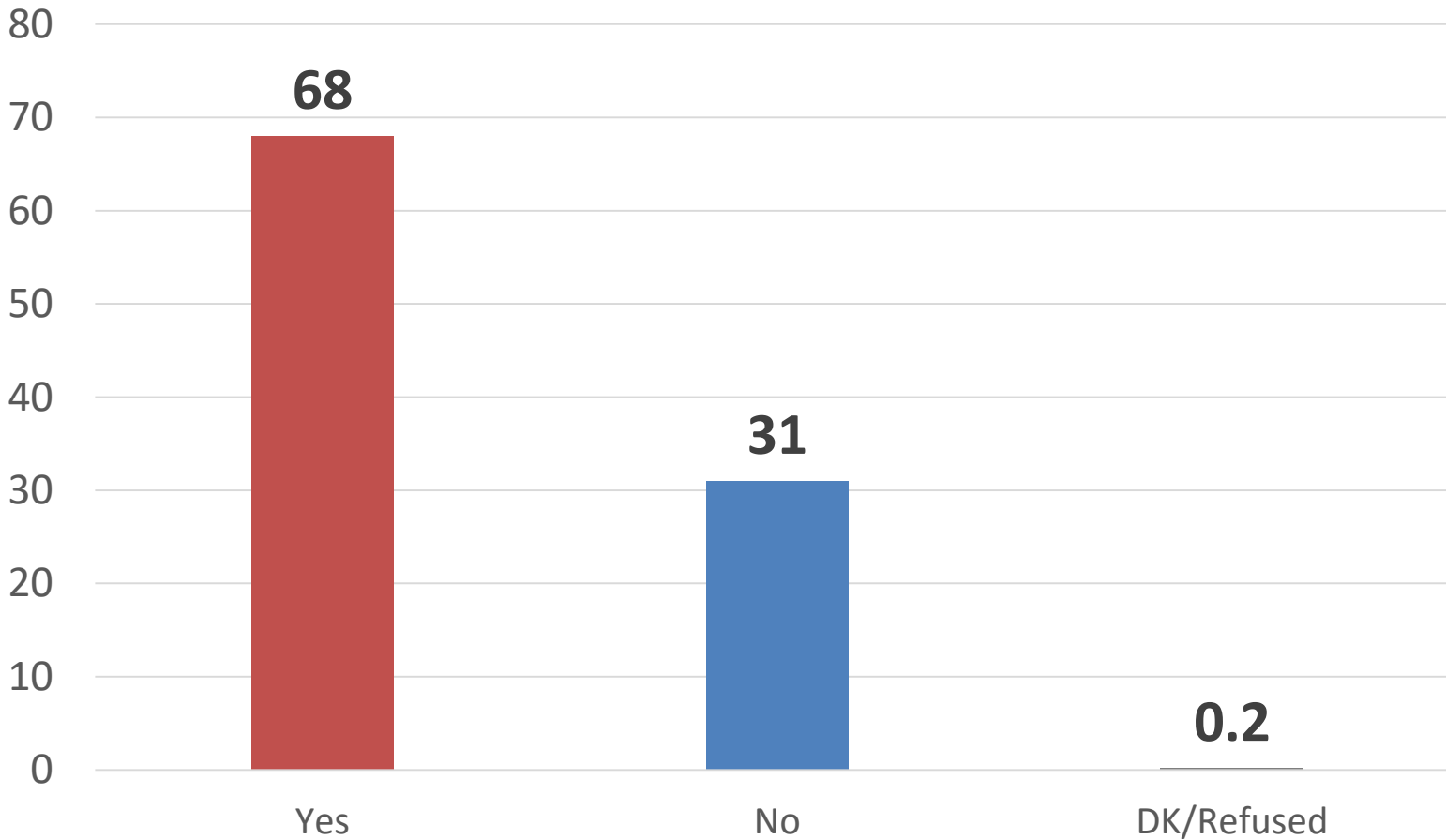
	Yes	No	Net
East	79	21	59
Midwest	67	33	34
South	71	29	43
West	56	43	13
Urban	71	29	42
Suburban	63	37	25
Rural	78	21	57
Early in Person	72	28	44
Vote By Mail	54	45	9
Vote Election Day	77	23	55
Vote Trump	75	25	50
Vote Biden	19	81	-62
GOP	70	30	39
DEM	0	0	0
IND	63	37	27
Liberal	81	20	61
Moderate	56	43	13
Conservative	71	29	42
White	66	33	33
Black	72	28	44
Hispanic	85	15	70
Under 40	81	19	62
41-55	69	30	39
Over 55	60	40	20
Non-College	80	20	61
College Graduate	52	48	5

Bar chart:
- Yes: 68
- No: 31
- DK/Refused: 0.2

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Thinking ahead to the 2024 Republican primary election for President, if that election were held today among the following candidates, for whom would you vote?
(Republican Primary Voters)

| N=442	Total
Donald Trump	53
Mike Pence	9
Ted Cruz	4
Nikki Haley	4
Mitt Romney	4
John Kasich	3
Marco Rubio	2
Ron DeSantis	2
Rick Scott	1
Tom Cotton	1
Tucker Carlson	1
Kristi Noem	1
Tim Scott	1
Mike Pompeo	1
Undecided	15

From a different list of candidates, thinking ahead to the 2024 Republican primary election for President, if that election were held today, for whom would you vote? *(Republican Primary Voters)*

N=442	Total
Mike Pence	20
Donald Trump Jr.	20
Ted Cruz	7
Nikki Haley	6
Mitt Romney	5
Ivanka Trump	4
John Kasich	3
Marco Rubio	3
Ron Desantis	2
Tom Cotton	2
Kristi Noem	2
Tim Scott	2
Mike Pompeo	1
Tucker Carlson	1
Rick Scott	.4
Undecided	22

Thinking ahead to the 2024 Democratic primary election for President, if that election were held today among the following candidates, for whom would you vote?
(Democrat Primary Voters)

N=445	Total
Kamala Harris	29
Michelle Obama	23
Pete Buttigieg	6
Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez	6
Andrew Cuomo	5
Cory Booker	2
Amy Klobuchar	2
John Hickenlooper	1
Deval Patrick	1
Kirsten Gillibrand	1
Tim Kaine	1
Ilhan Omar	1
Undecided	23

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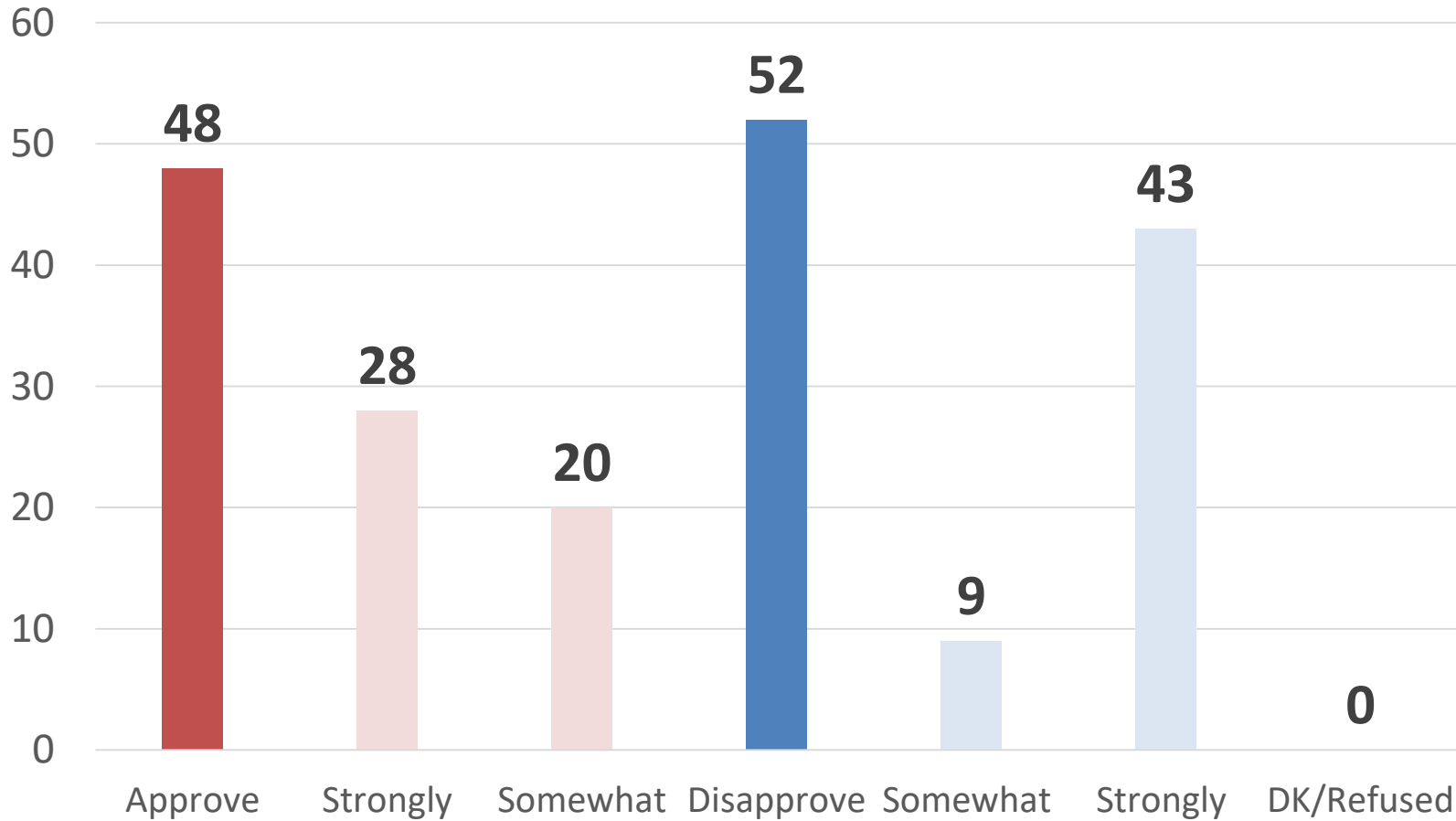
	App	Dis	Net
East	41	59	-18
Midwest	49	51	-2
South	53	47	5
West	45	56	-11
Urban	42	59	-17
Suburban	47	53	-6
Rural	59	41	18
Early in Person	53	47	7
Vote By Mail	31	69	-38
Vote Election Day	65	35	30
Vote Trump	90	10	80
Vote Biden	10	90	-81
GOP	86	14	72
DEM	15	85	-70
IND	42	58	-17
Liberal	23	77	-54
Moderate	35	65	-31
Conservative	79	21	59
White	56	44	12
Black	20	80	-60
Hispanic	35	65	-30
Under 40	46	54	-7
41-55	54	47	7
Over 55	46	54	-8
Non-College	49	51	-3
College Graduate	47	53	-6

Approve: 48
Strongly: 28
Somewhat: 20
Disapprove: 52
Somewhat: 9
Strongly: 43
DK/Refused: 0

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Generic Ballot for U.S. Congress
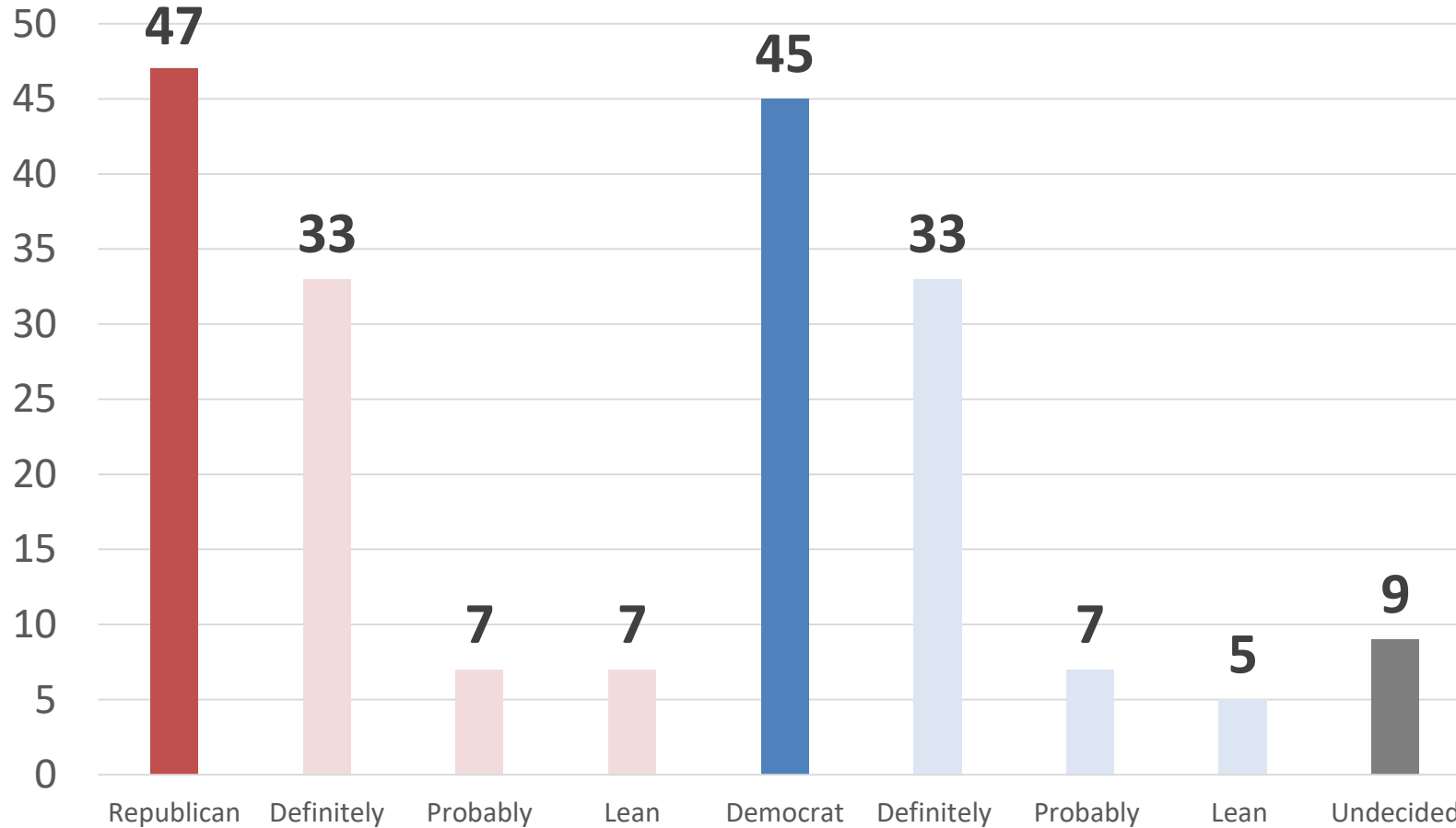
	GOP	DEM	Net
East	36	51	-15
Midwest	50	39	11
South	53	42	11
West	41	50	-10
Urban	34	59	-25
Suburban	49	41	8
Rural	58	35	24
Early in Person	53	42	11
Vote By Mail	35	55	-20
Vote Election Day	57	35	22
Vote Trump	90	3	87
Vote Biden	7	84	-77
GOP	93	5	88
DEM	5	92	-88
IND	41	32	9
Liberal	14	82	-67
Moderate	32	51	-19
Conservative	85	11	74
White	57	35	22
Black	18	76	-58
Hispanic	25	64	-39
Under 40	39	53	-13
41-55	50	39	12
Over 55	50	42	8
Non-College	45	47	-2
College Graduate	49	42	7

Bar chart:
- Republican: 47
- Definitely: 33
- Probably: 7
- Lean: 7
- Democrat: 45
- Definitely: 33
- Probably: 7
- Lean: 5
- Undecided: 9

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With Joe Biden as President and the Democrats having a majority in the House of Representatives, if the Democrats were to win the two U.S. Senate races in Georgia in January, liberal Democrats would have full control of the federal government. Keeping this in mind, who do you want to win in Georgia's runoff elections for the U.S. Senate?
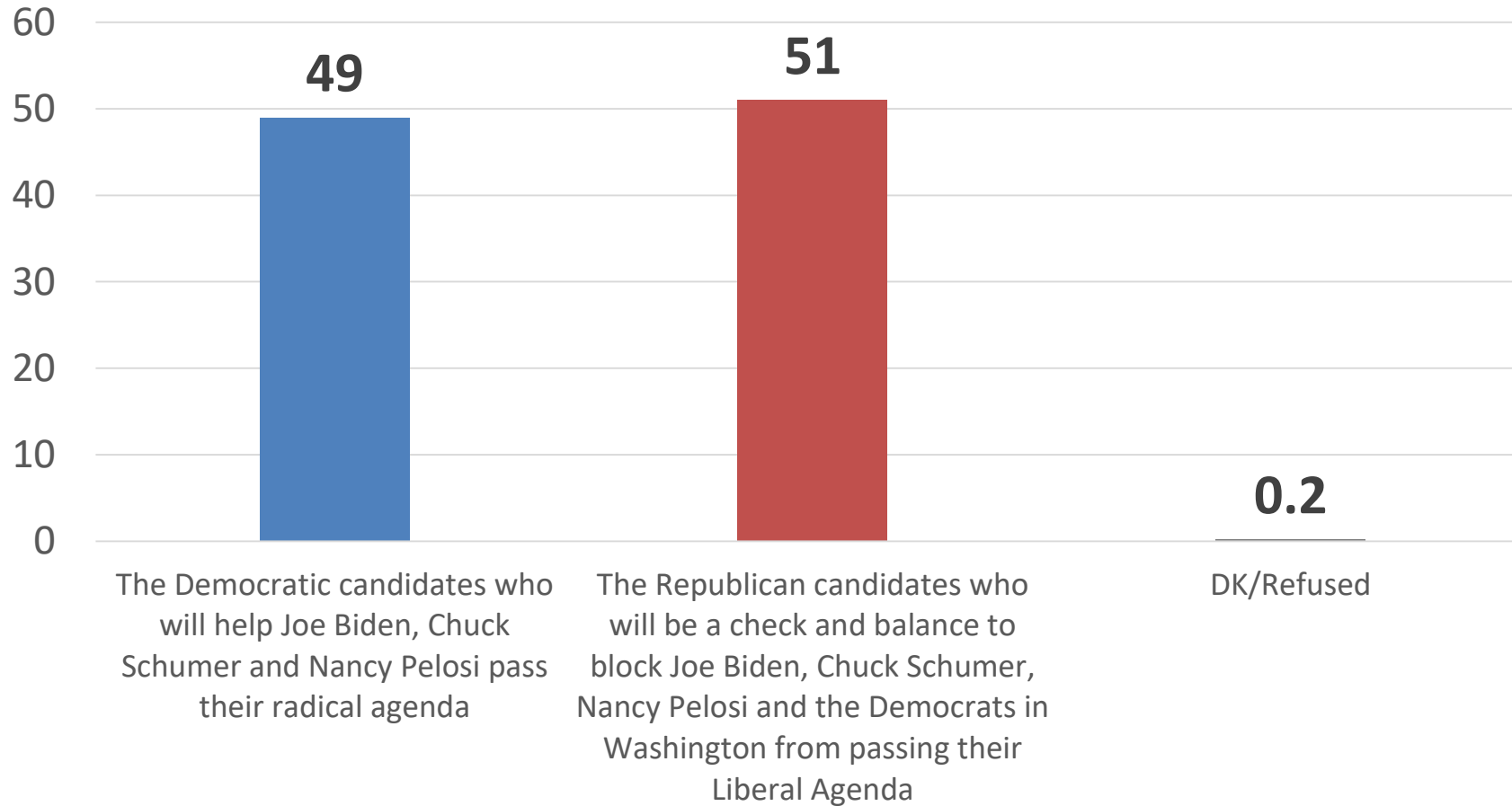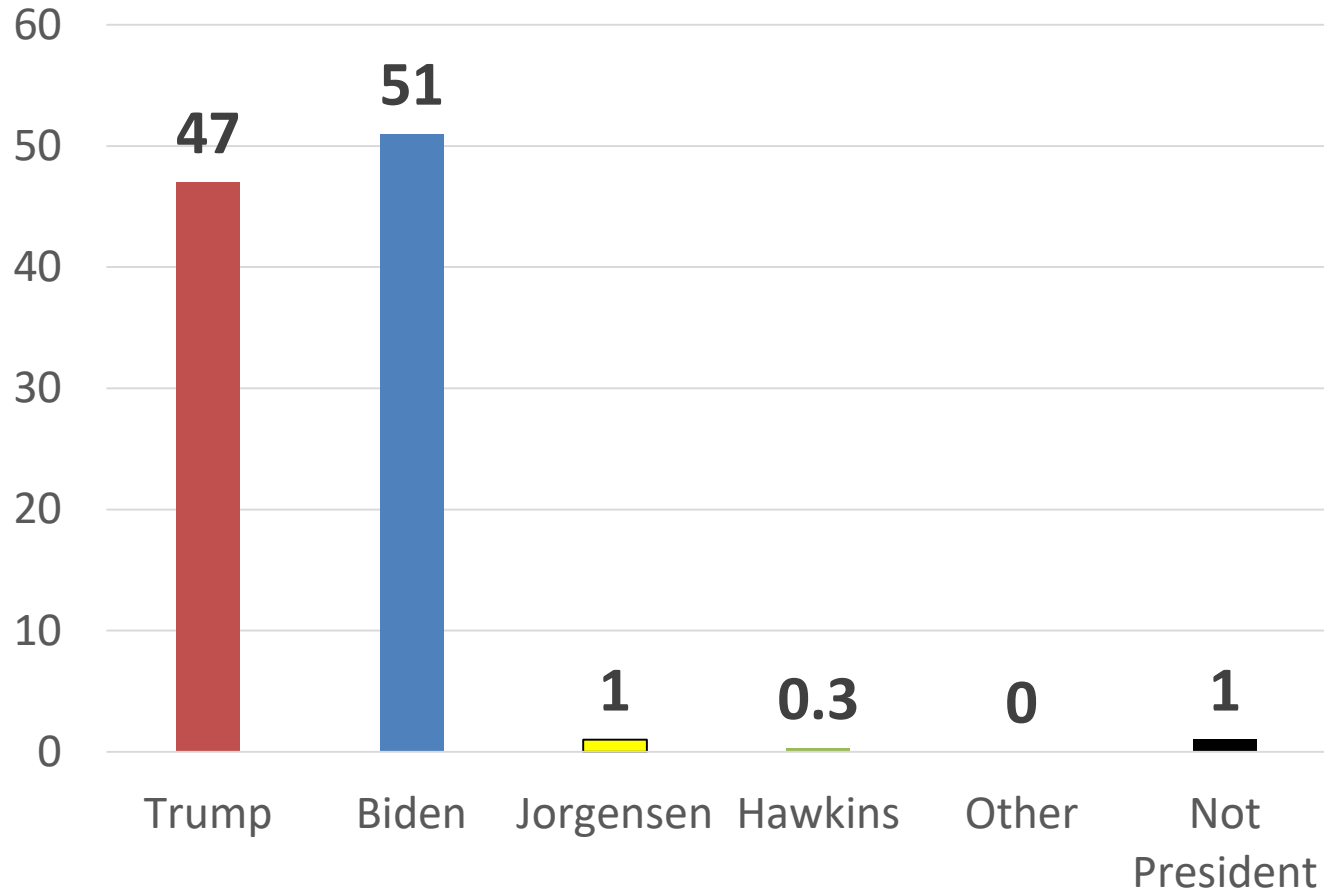
	Dem	GOP	Net
East	58	41	17
Midwest	42	58	-15
South	46	54	-8
West	53	47	6
Urban	60	40	21
Suburban	47	53	-7
Rural	38	62	-23
Early in Person	42	58	-15
Vote By Mail	57	42	15
Vote Election Day	42	58	-15
Vote Trump	7	93	-86
Vote Biden	88	12	76
GOP	11	89	-79
DEM	90	10	80
IND	44	56	-13
Liberal	83	17	67
Moderate	56	44	13
Conservative	16	84	-68
White	38	62	-24
Black	77	23	55
Hispanic	74	26	48
Under 40	58	42	16
41-55	45	55	-10
Over 55	44	56	-12
Non-College	51	49	2
College Graduate	46	54	-8

49 — The Democratic candidates who will help Joe Biden, Chuck Schumer and Nancy Pelosi pass their radical agenda

51 — The Republican candidates who will be a check and balance to block Joe Biden, Chuck Schumer, Nancy Pelosi and the Democrats in Washington from passing their Liberal Agenda

0.2 — DK/Refused

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Direction: United States
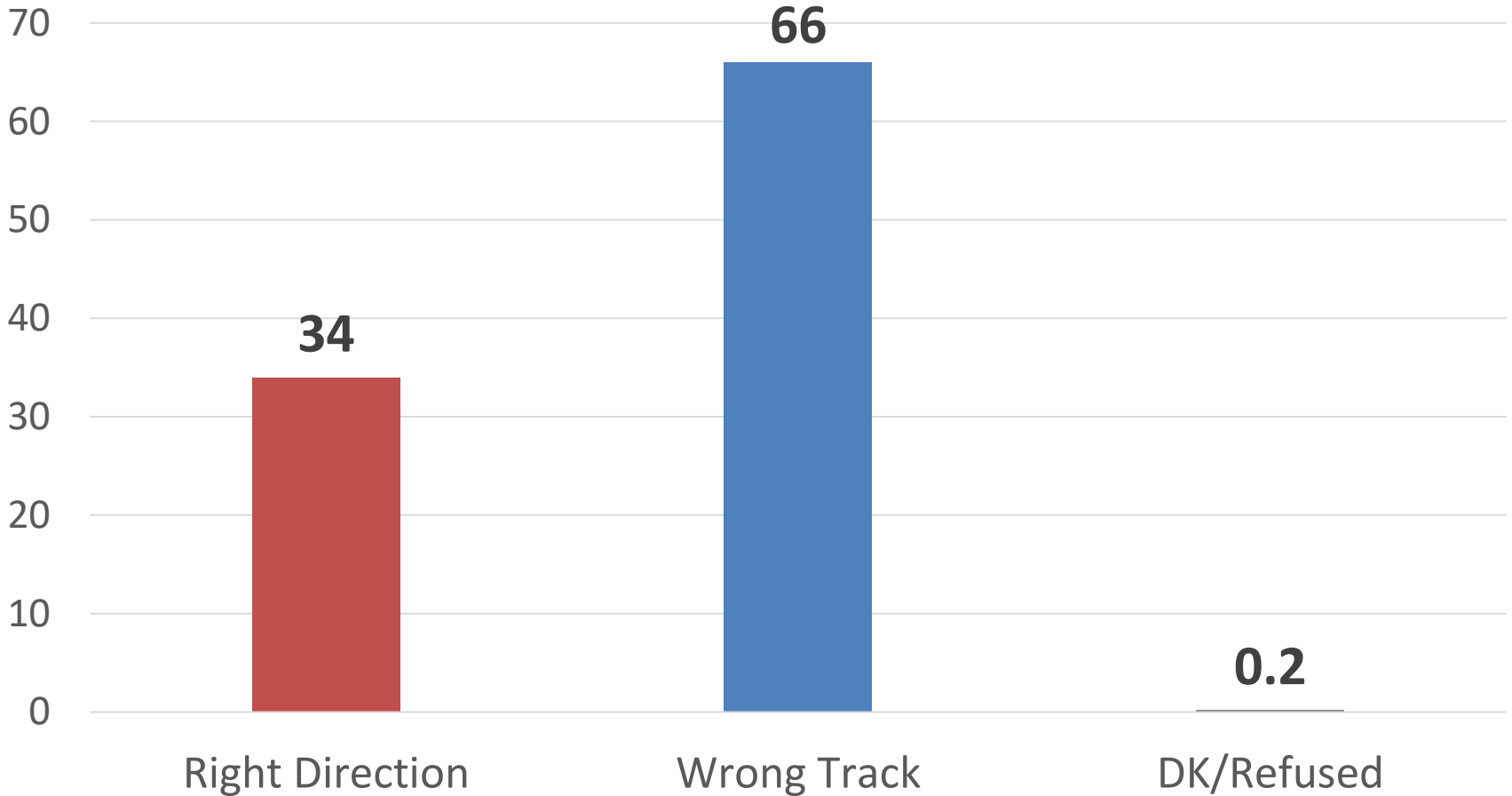
	RD	WT	Net
East	25	75	-49
Midwest	35	65	-30
South	36	64	-28
West	36	64	-29
Urban	36	64	-28
Suburban	32	68	-36
Rural	35	65	-30
Early in Person	37	63	-26
Vote By Mail	23	77	-55
Vote Election Day	45	55	-10
Vote Trump	55	45	11
Vote Biden	14	86	-71
GOP	57	43	14
DEM	18	82	-64
IND	25	75	-51
Liberal	24	75	-51
Moderate	23	76	-53
Conservative	51	49	2
White	37	63	-26
Black	18	82	-64
Hispanic	32	68	-37
Under 40	40	60	-20
41-55	33	67	-34
Over 55	29	70	-41
Non-College	31	69	-38
College Graduate	38	62	-25

Chart values:
- Right Direction: 34
- Wrong Track: 66
- DK/Refused: 0.2

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Ballot for President

	DJT	JB	JJ	HH	Net
East	39	59	1	1	-21
Midwest	51	46	2	0	5
South	51	48	1	0	2
West	44	54	0	1	-10
Urban	36	62	1	0	-27
Suburban	48	50	1	1	-1
Rural	61	38	0	0	23
Early in Person	53	45	2	0	8
Vote By Mail	36	62	1	1	-26
Vote Election Day	57	41	1	0	16
Vote Trump	100	0	0	0	100
Vote Biden	0	100	0	0	-100
GOP	89	9	1	0	80
DEM	7	92	1	0	-85
IND	46	50	2	1	-4
Liberal	15	84	1	0	-69
Moderate	35	62	2	1	-27
Conservative	84	16	1	0	68
White	56	42	1	0	15
Black	19	80	0	0	-61
Hispanic	30	69	1	0	-39
Under 40	38	60	1	1	-22
41-55	53	45	1	0	8
Over 55	51	48	1	0	3
Non-College	47	51	1	1	-4
College Graduate	47	51	2	0	-4

Voter Profile
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Party	Total	Age	Total	Region	TOTAL
Republican	36	18-29	17	East	18
Democrat	37	30-40	16	Midwest	23
Independent	27	41-55	25	South	38
Ideology		56-65	20	West	22
Liberal	28	Over 65	22	**Area**	
Moderate	35	**Race**		Urban	29
Conservative	37	White	67	Suburban	51
Voting Method		African American	13	Rural	20
Election Day	37	Hispanic	13		
Early	63	Asian	4		
In Person	20	**Gender**			
Mail In	32	Male	48		
Drop it off	11	Female	52		

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Vote Behavior	Total	Religion	Total	Employment Situation	Total
Democrat	43	Protestant	40	Private Sector	35
Ticket Splitter	17	Catholic	23	Government	8
Republican	40	Jewish	4	Self-Employed	8
Marital Status		Muslim	2	Homemaker	7
Single	33	Atheist/Secular/Agnostic	9	Student	3
Married	51	**Born Again?**		Retired	28
Separated/Divorced	11	Yes	43	Unemployed	11
Widowed	4	No	57		
		Education			
		Non-College	22		
		Some College	37		
		College Graduate	41		

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