



Reproductive Freedom for All Act and Protecting Abortion Rights Now

Topline Findings

- **Voters want the freedom of abortion protections and reject the *Dobbs* decision to restrict access to abortion.** 63% of voters say that abortion should be mostly legal in the United States. Just 39% of voters say they approve of the Supreme Court’s decision in *Dobbs*. Top reactions to the *Dobbs* decision include Angry, Frustrated, and Sad.
- **Voters reject government involvement in abortion.** 79% of voters agree with the statement “Reproductive healthcare decisions should be made between women and their doctors, not politicians.” 72% of voters agree with the statement “Regardless of what I think about abortion, the government should not make laws governing these personal decisions.”
- **Voters want legislative protections for freedoms and abortion access.** The Reproductive Freedom for All Act, a bipartisan compromise path to codify *Roe*, is supported by 54% of voters, including 61% of women, 69% Democrats, 53% Independents, and 38% Republicans. 67% of voters would support ending the filibuster to pass a large legislative package to protect reproductive freedoms, the freedom to marry, and protecting the freedom to vote.

Poll Results - Methodology

- 3386 Voters Nationwide
- Interviewing conducted October 4-8, 2022 online using social media recruitment
- The final results are weighted to reflect the distribution of likely voters throughout the state based on gender, age, ethnicity, region, education level, and 2020 vote preference

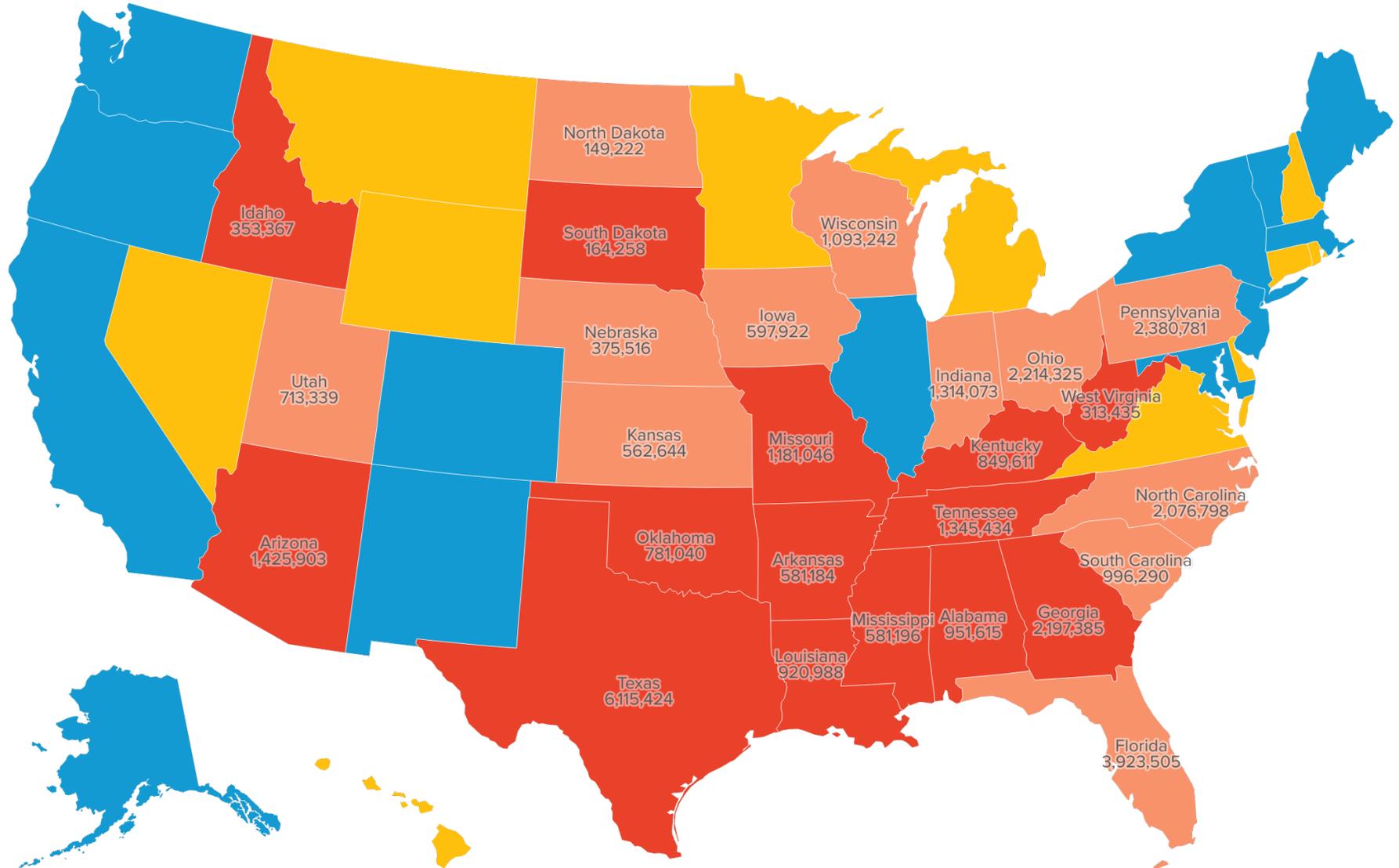
Trust in Institutions and Groups of People

| % Trust | | All | Dem | Ind | GOP |
|------------------------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Firefighters | 94 | 93 | 92 | 96 | |
| Nurses | 87 | 92 | 83 | 84 | |
| Small business owners | 81 | 74 | 78 | 92 | |
| Doctors | 77 | 86 | 73 | 70 | |
| Teachers | 66 | 92 | 62 | 40 | |
| Police officers | 61 | 40 | 58 | 88 | |
| Local TV news | 37 | 58 | 31 | 22 | |
| The U.S. Supreme Court | 35 | 8 | 34 | 67 | |
| Religious leaders | 33 | 17 | 29 | 56 | |
| Your state legislature | 30 | 33 | 23 | 33 | |
| National TV news | 24 | 50 | 15 | 5 | |
| The U.S. Congress | 15 | 26 | 10 | 7 | |

US Abortion Policies after Roe

- 34,149,543 Women and Girls of Childbearing Age (15-44) Reside in States with Abortion Restrictions
- 17,761,888 Reside in States with Functional Bans

- Protective
- Protections & Restrictions
- Restrictive
- Very Restrictive/Banned

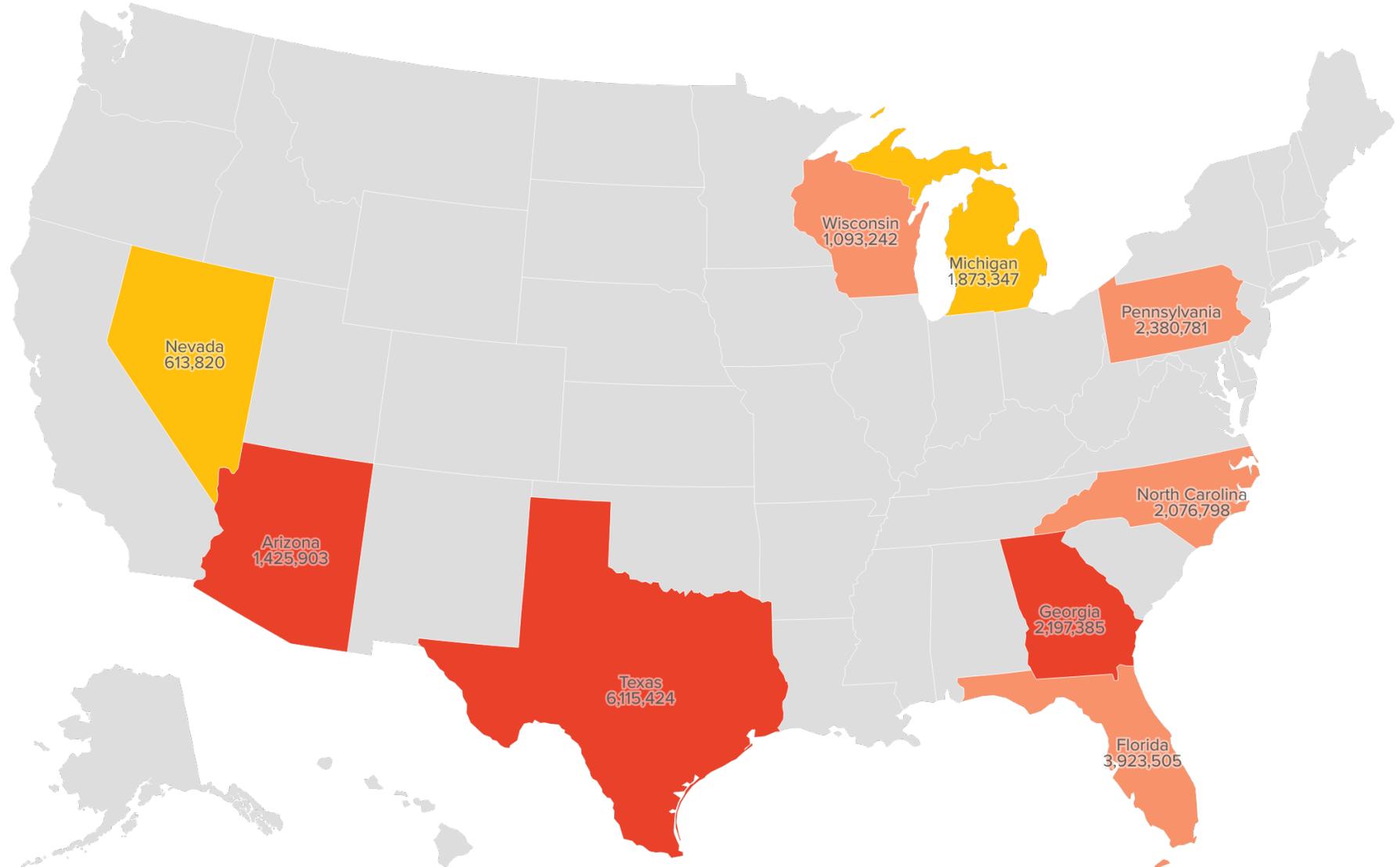


US Abortion Policies after Roe – Swing 2020 States

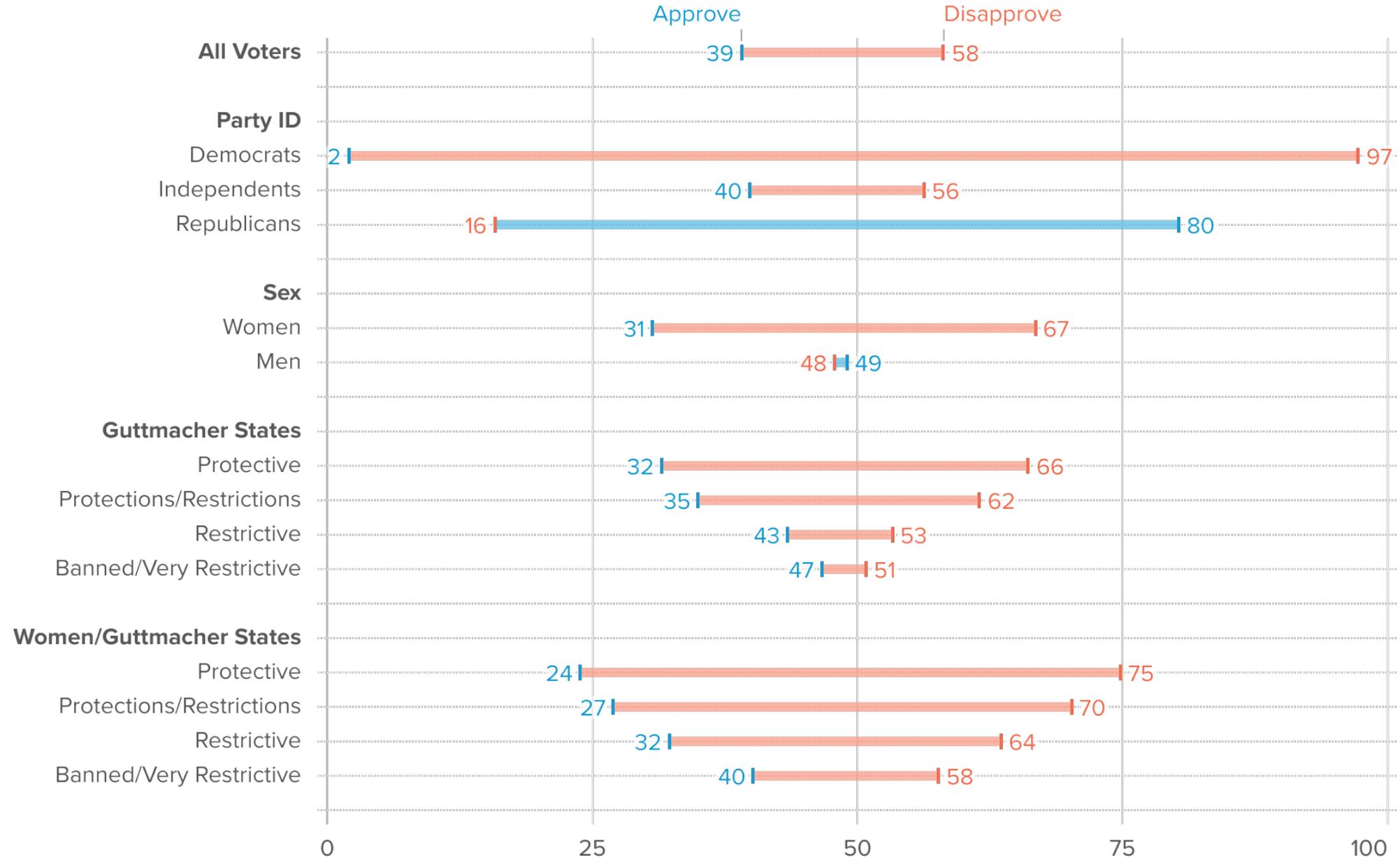
(Decided by 6 Points or Less)

- **21,700,205 Women and Girls of Childbearing Age (15-44) Reside in These States**

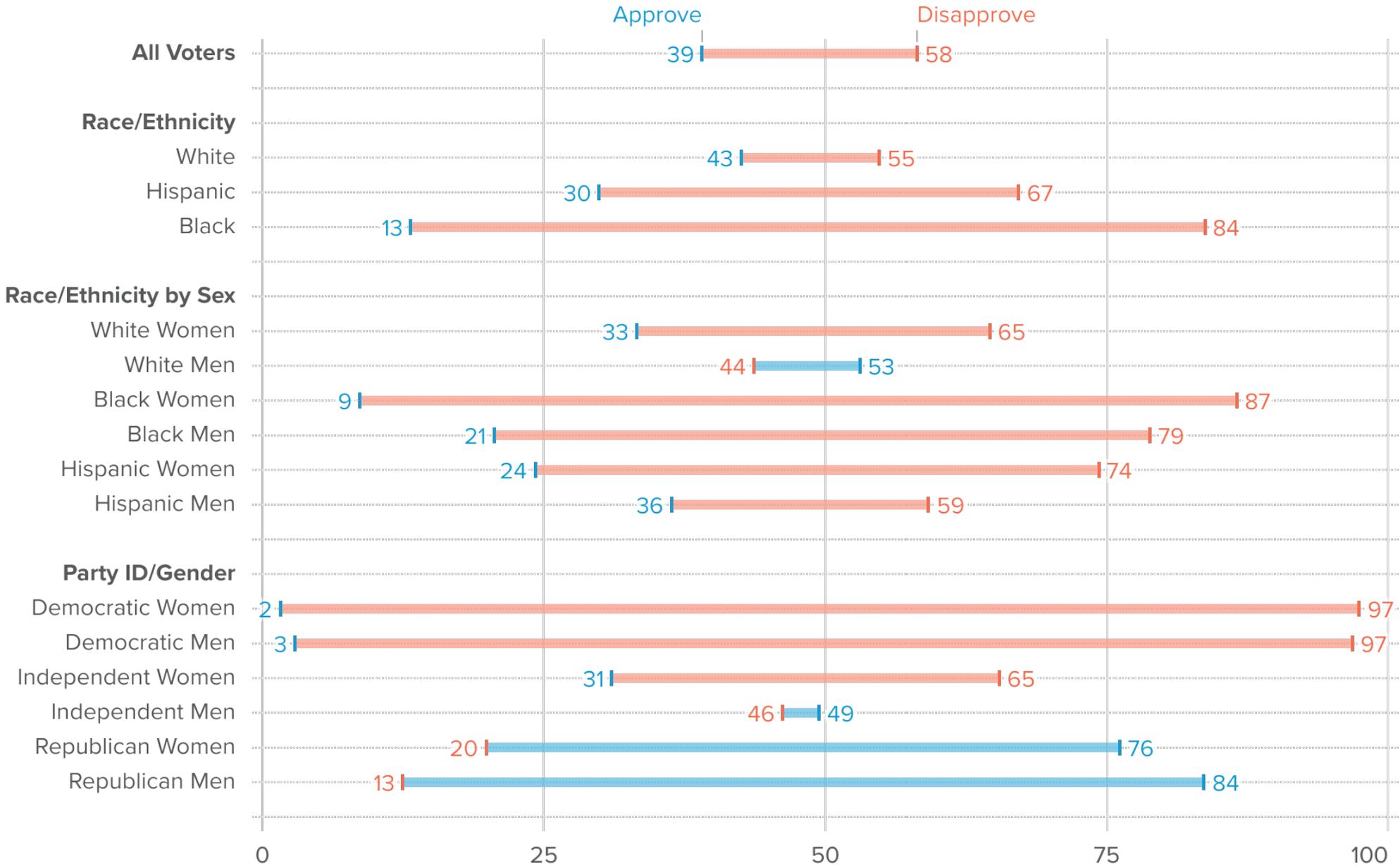
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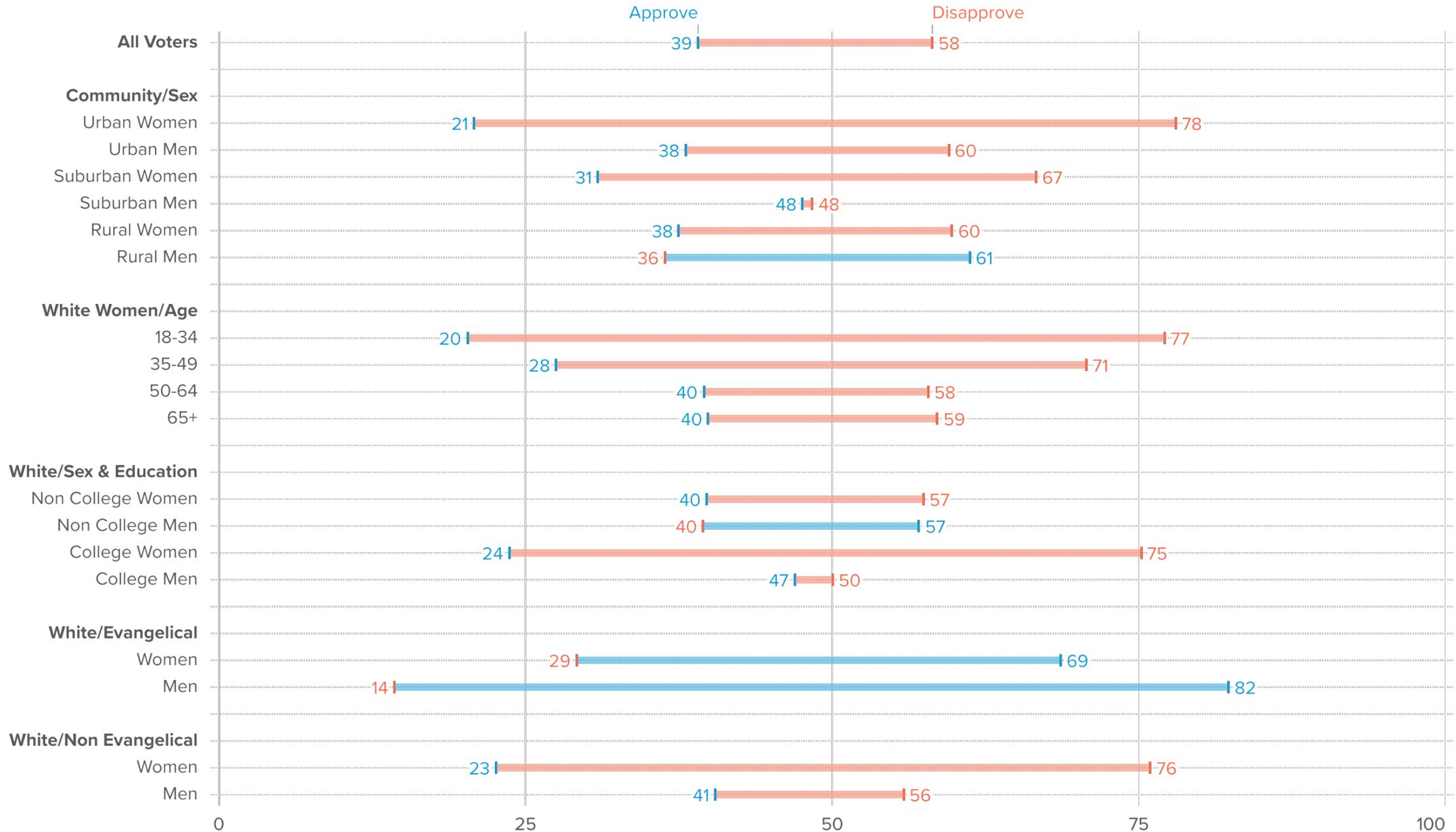
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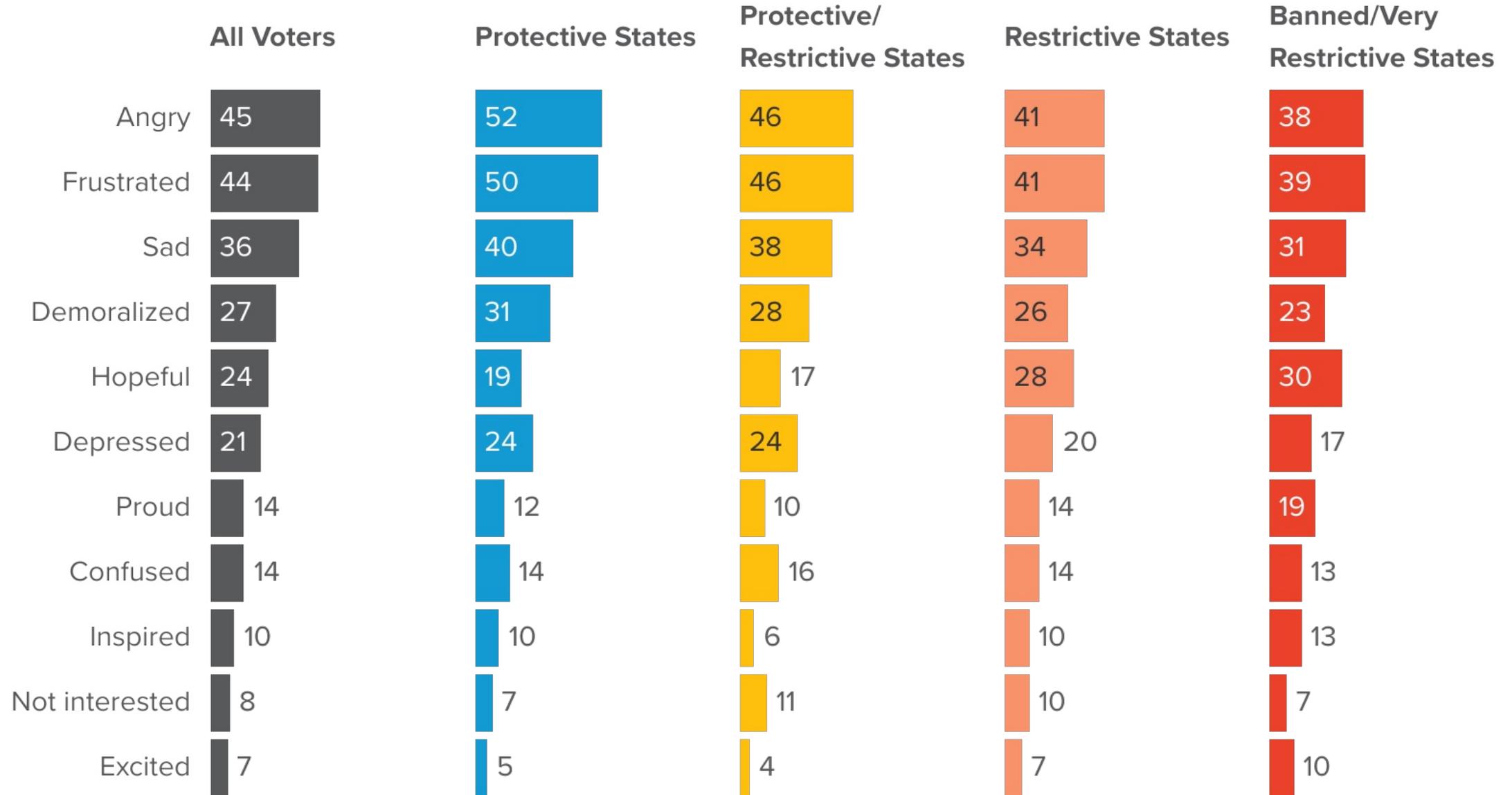
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Reaction to the Dobbs Decision



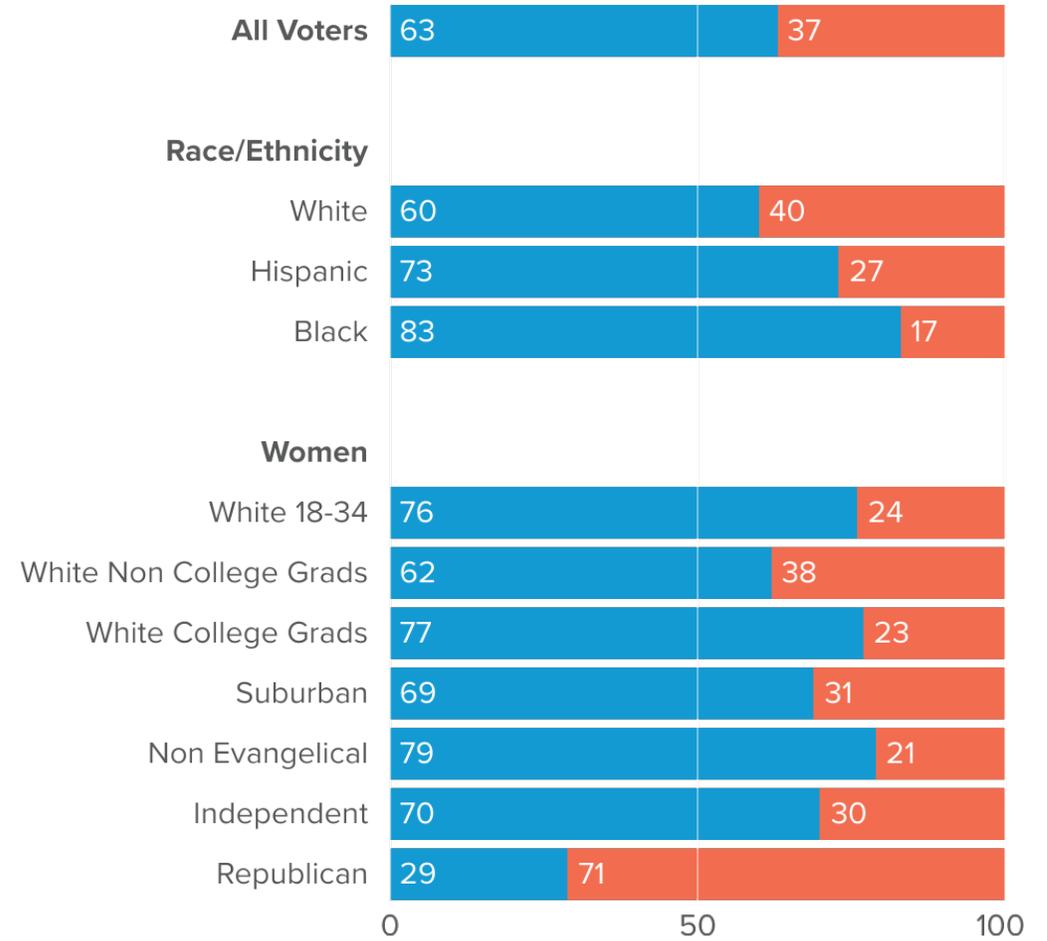
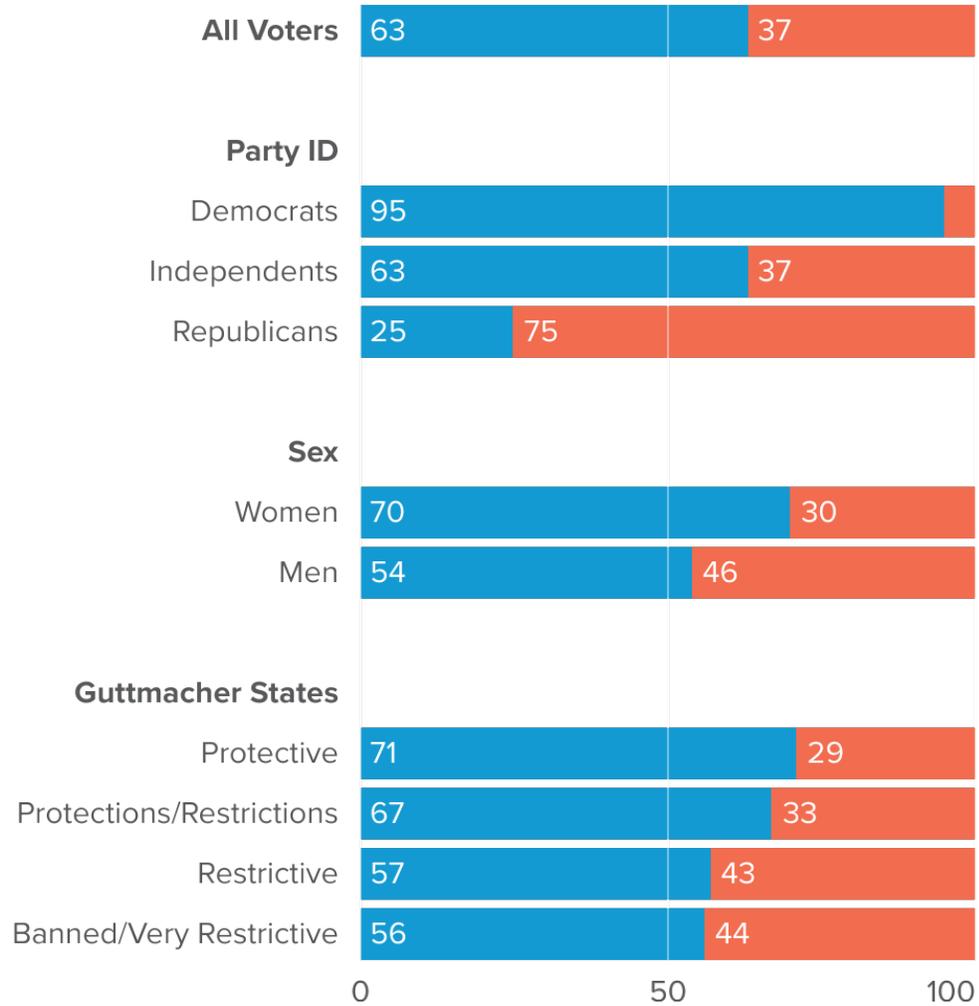
Reaction to the Dobbs Decision

Among Those Who Believe Abortion Should Be...

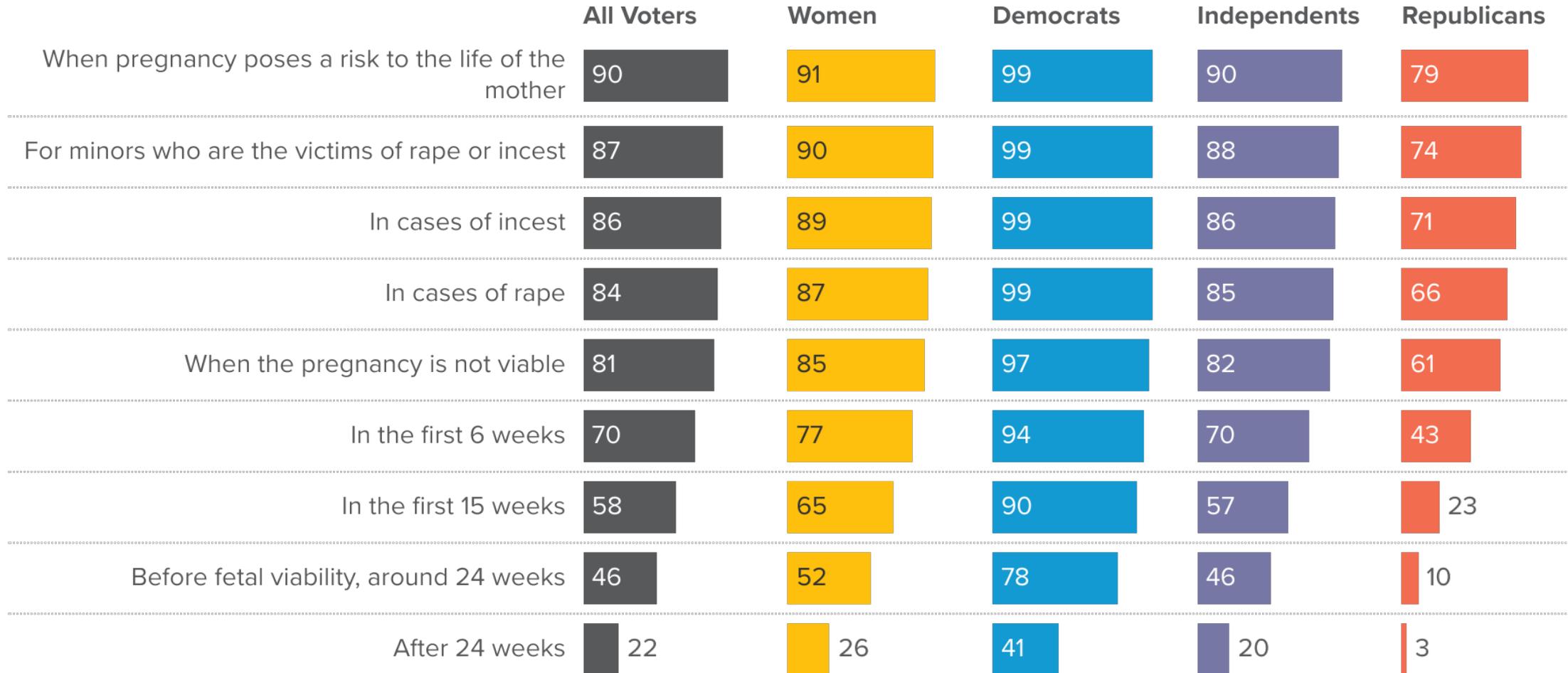
| | Legal in all cases (33%) | Legal in most cases (30%) | Illegal in most cases (31%) | Illegal in all cases (6%) |
|----------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Angry | 84 | 52 | 3 | 12 |
| Frustrated | 73 | 55 | 11 | 11 |
| Sad | 61 | 43 | 7 | 11 |
| Demoralized | 52 | 31 | 2 | 7 |
| Hopeful | 2 | 8 | 54 | 63 |
| Depressed | 43 | 21 | 2 | 3 |
| Proud | 1 | 3 | 33 | 45 |
| Confused | 21 | 14 | 8 | 2 |
| Inspired | 2 | 4 | 22 | 31 |
| Not interested | 1 | 11 | 13 | 6 |
| Excited | 1 | 1 | 14 | 33 |

Should Abortion be...?

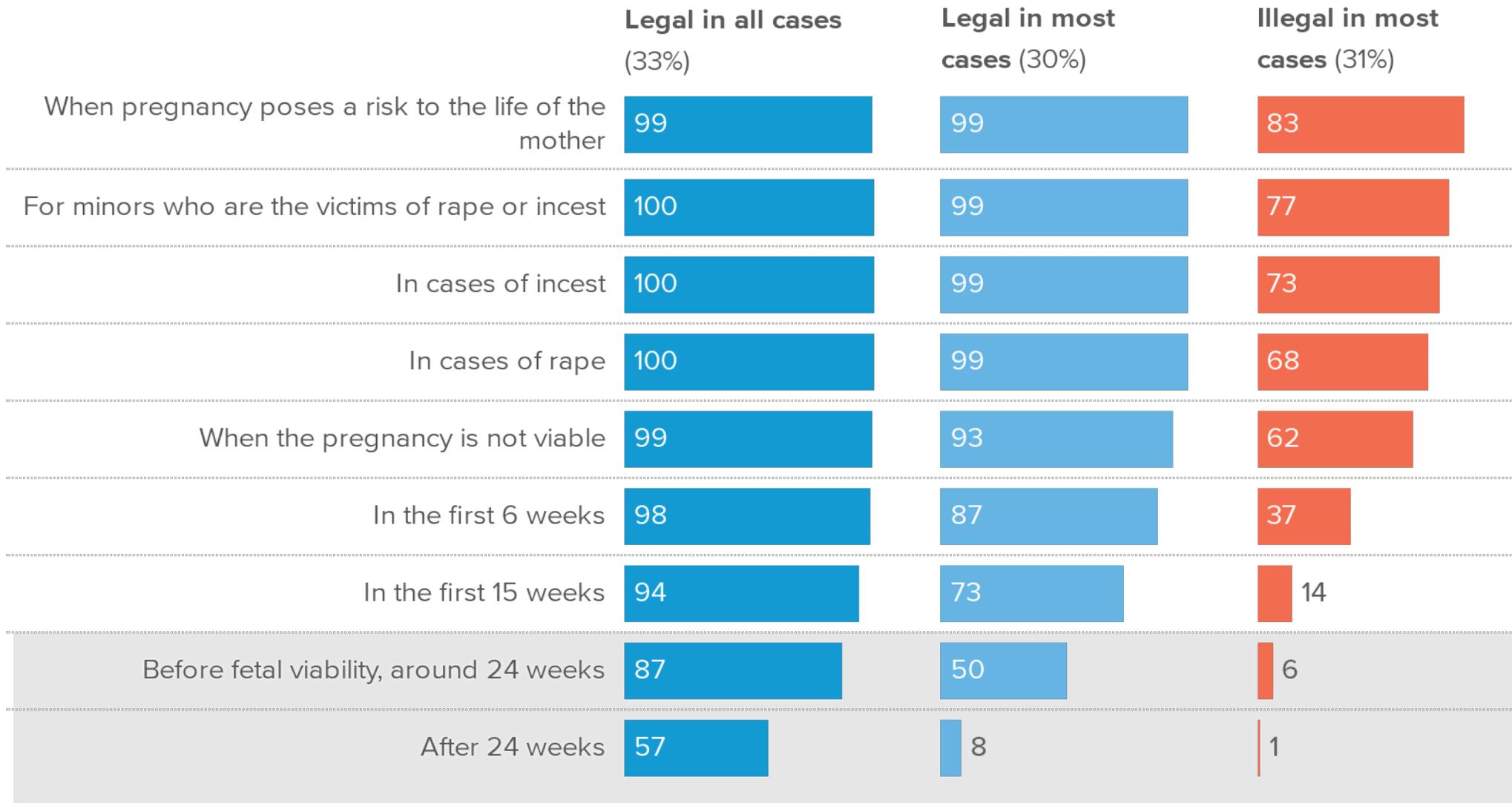
● Mostly Legal ● Mostly Illegal



Abortion Should Be Legal...



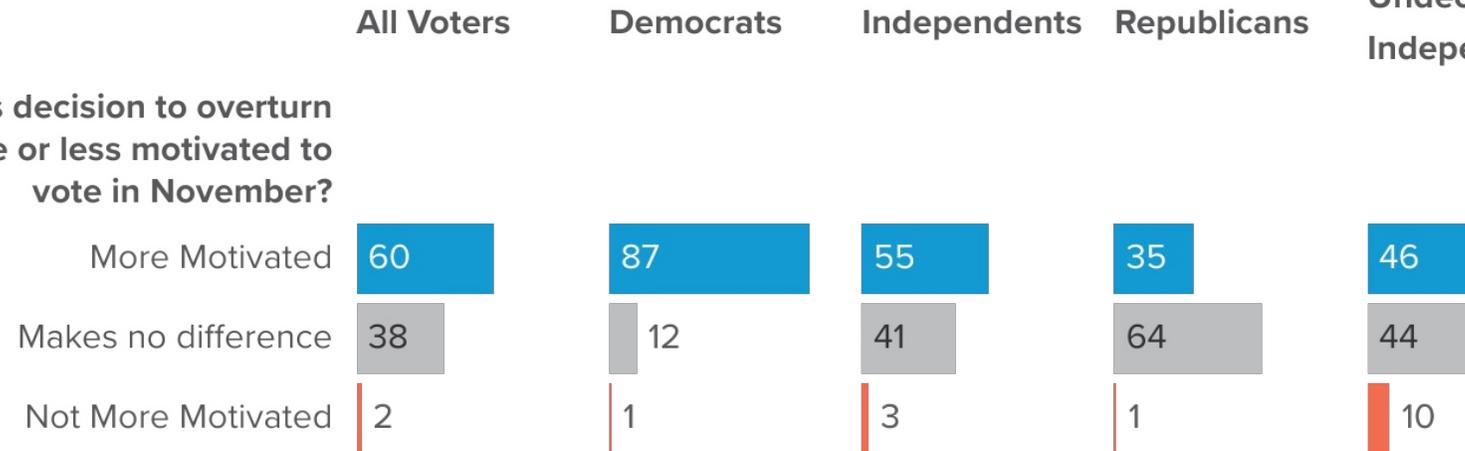
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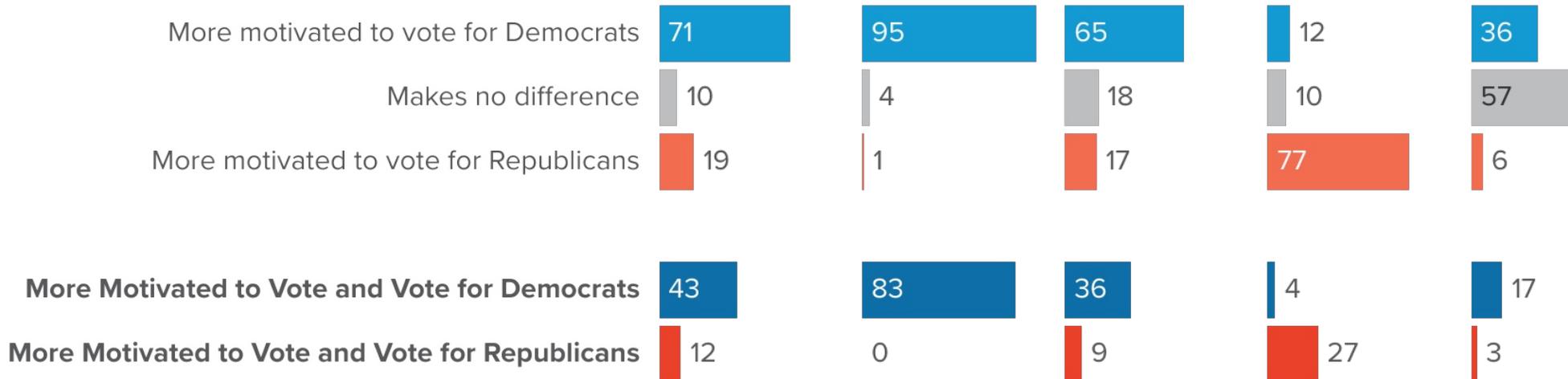
Impact of Dobbs Decision on Motivation to Vote

Undecided
Independents

Does the U.S. Supreme Court's decision to overturn
Roe v. Wade make you more or less motivated to
vote in November?



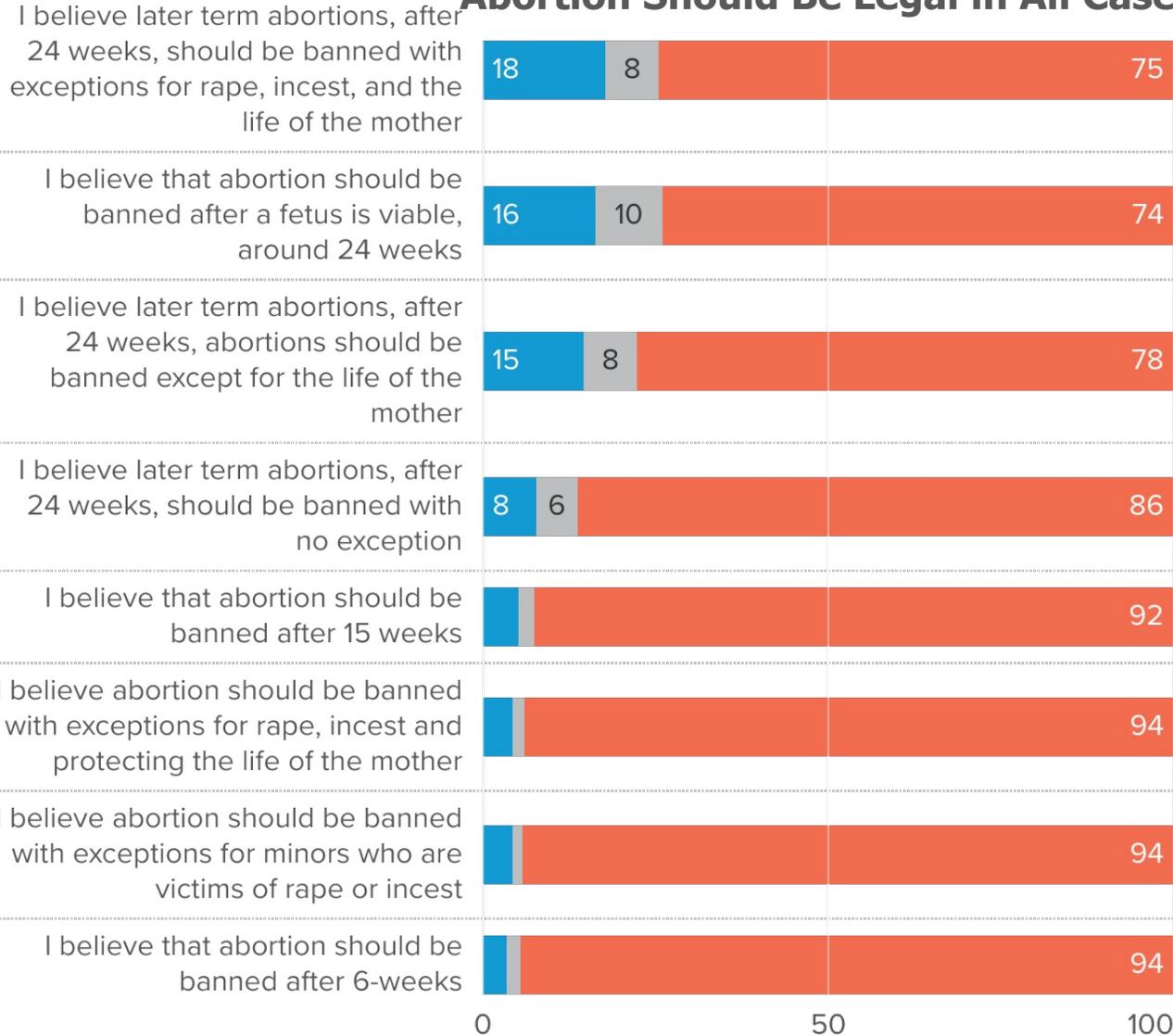
(If more motivated) Does the decision make you:



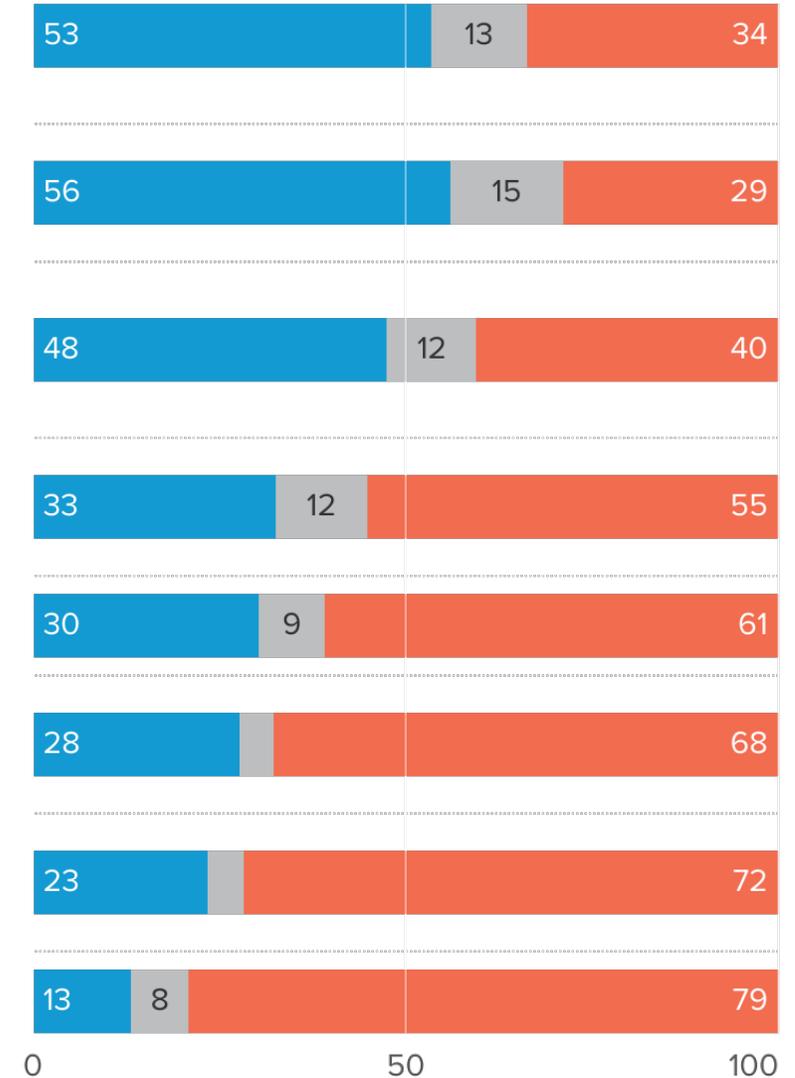
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● Agree ● Not Sure ● Disagree

Abortion Should Be Legal in All Cases

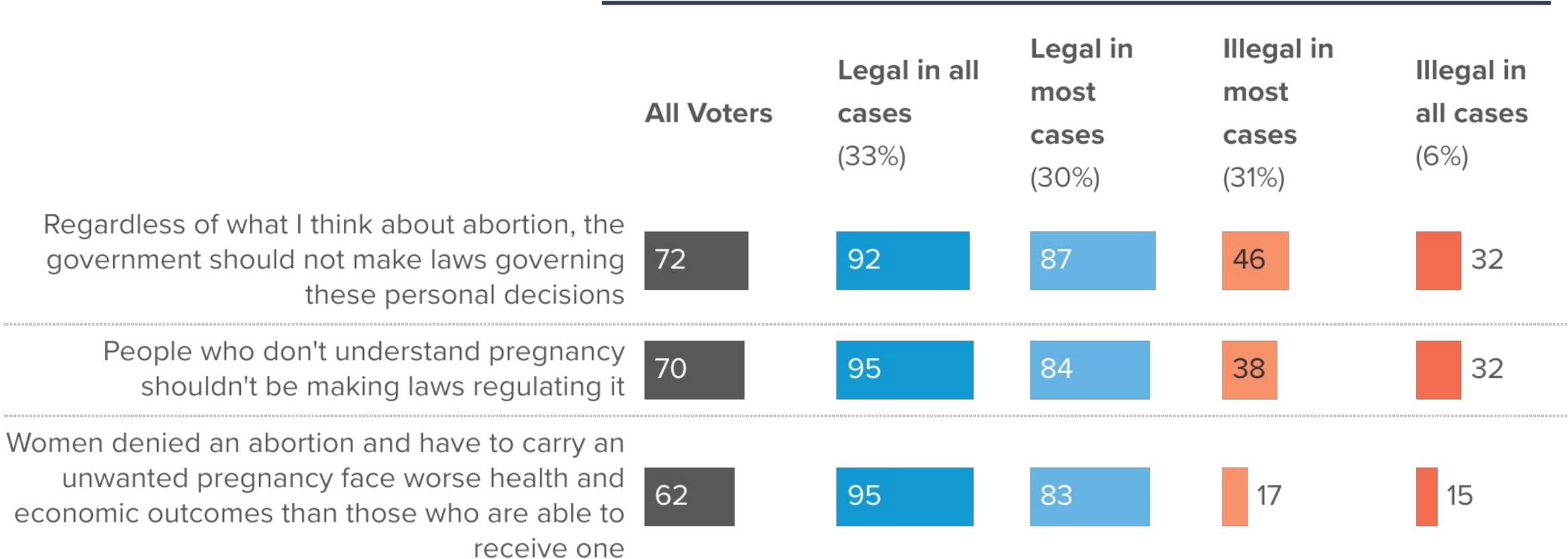


Abortion Should Be Legal in Most Cases

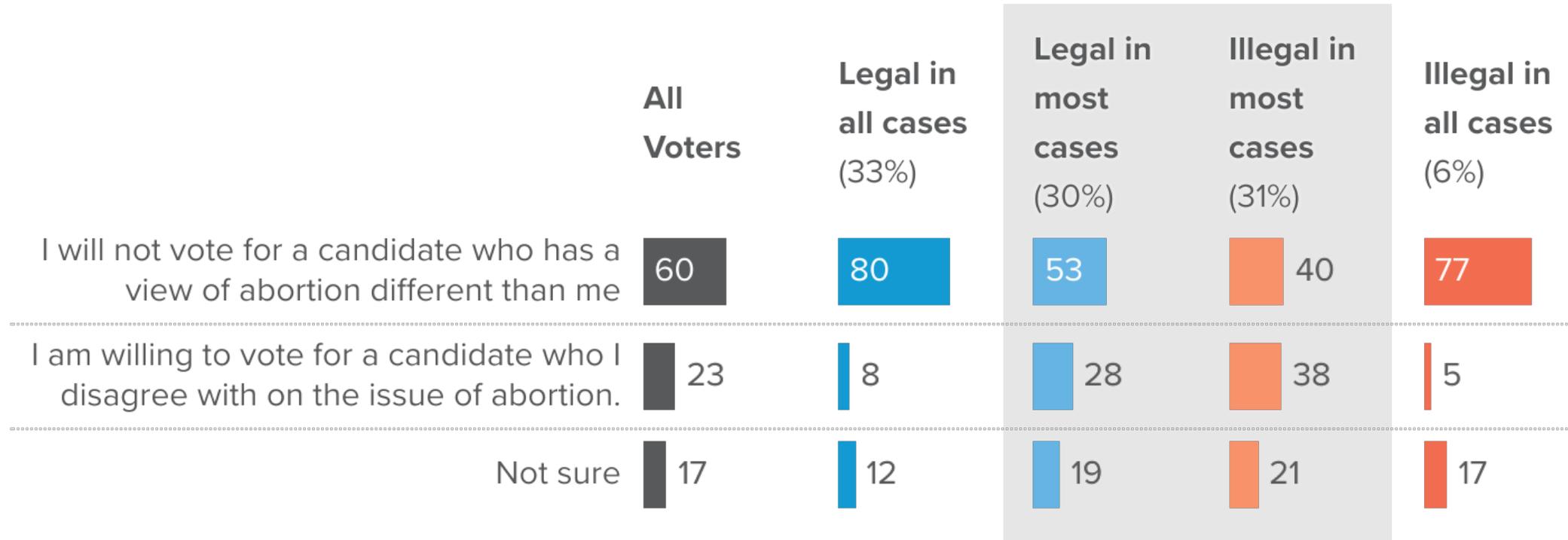


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% Agree

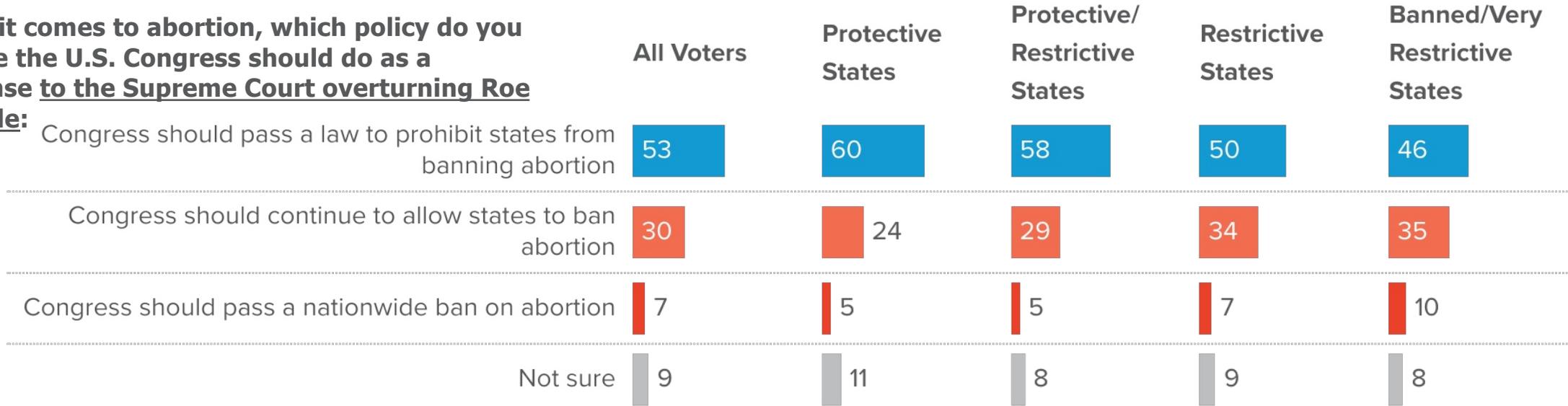


Which Statement Do You Agree with More?

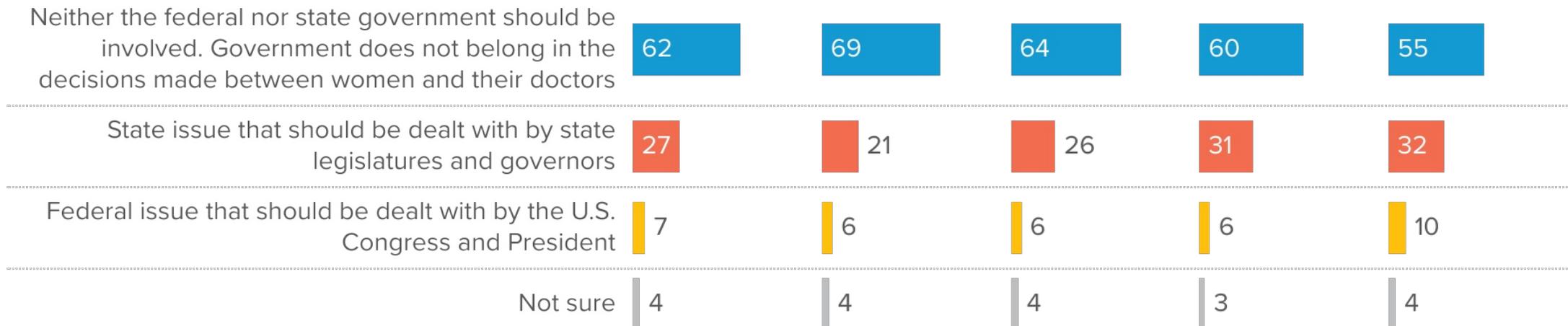


Voters Oppose State Bans and Want the Government Out of This

When it comes to abortion, which policy do you believe the U.S. Congress should do as a response to the Supreme Court overturning **Roe v. Wade**:

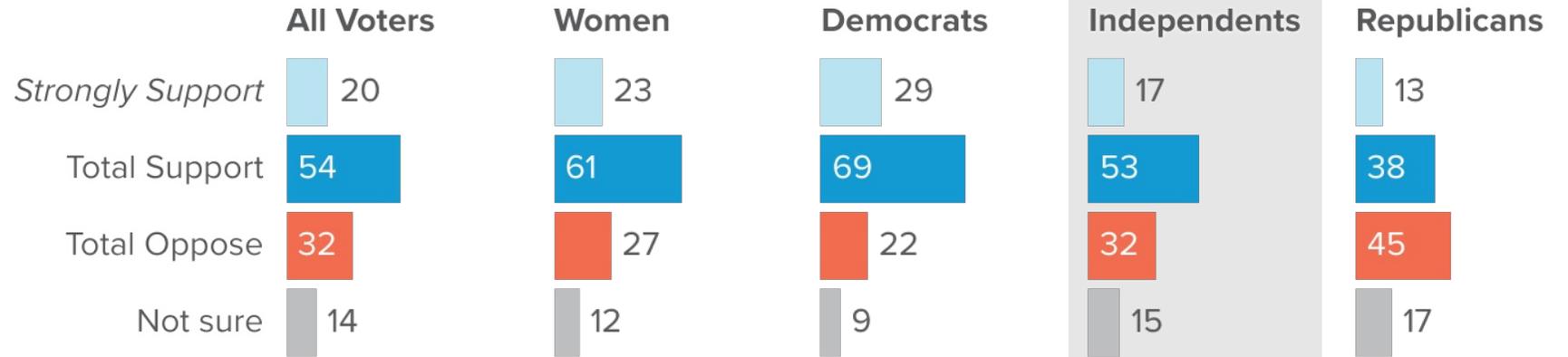


Do you believe abortion is mostly a:

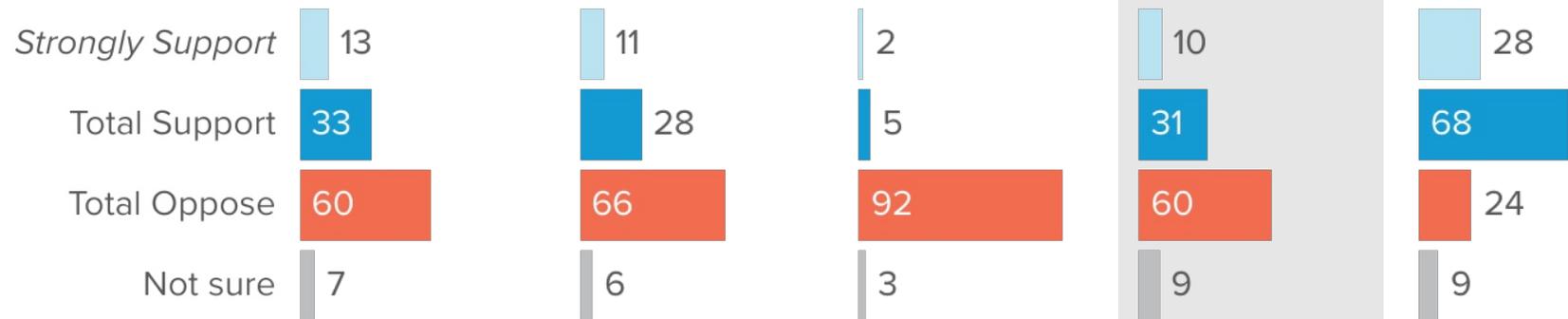


Support for the Reproductive Freedom for All Act vs. the 15-Week Abortion Ban Bill

There are nearly 22 million women and children in states where abortion is prohibited. Do you support or oppose a bipartisan compromise bill – the Reproductive Freedom for All Act – that has been introduced in the U.S. Senate that would guarantee the right to contraception and prohibit states from outlawing abortion prior to fetal viability and in instances where the health or life of the mother is at risk, but would allow states to otherwise restrict abortions after 24 weeks?

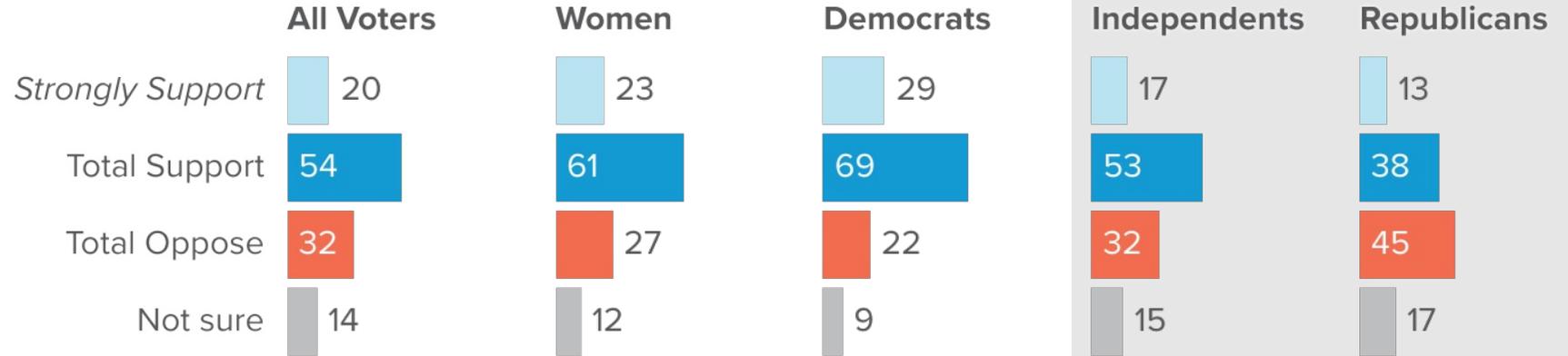


Republican Senator Lindsey Graham of South Carolina recently proposed a nationwide abortion ban at 15 weeks of pregnancy, with some exceptions for rape, incest, and the life of the mother. This bill would still allow states to pass abortion bans that start earlier in pregnancy or completely bans the procedure at any time in pregnancy. Do you support or oppose this proposal?

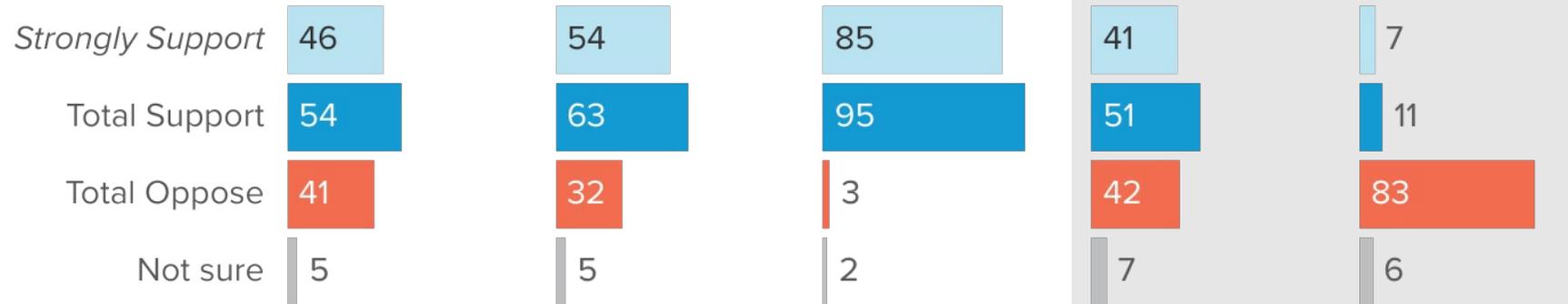


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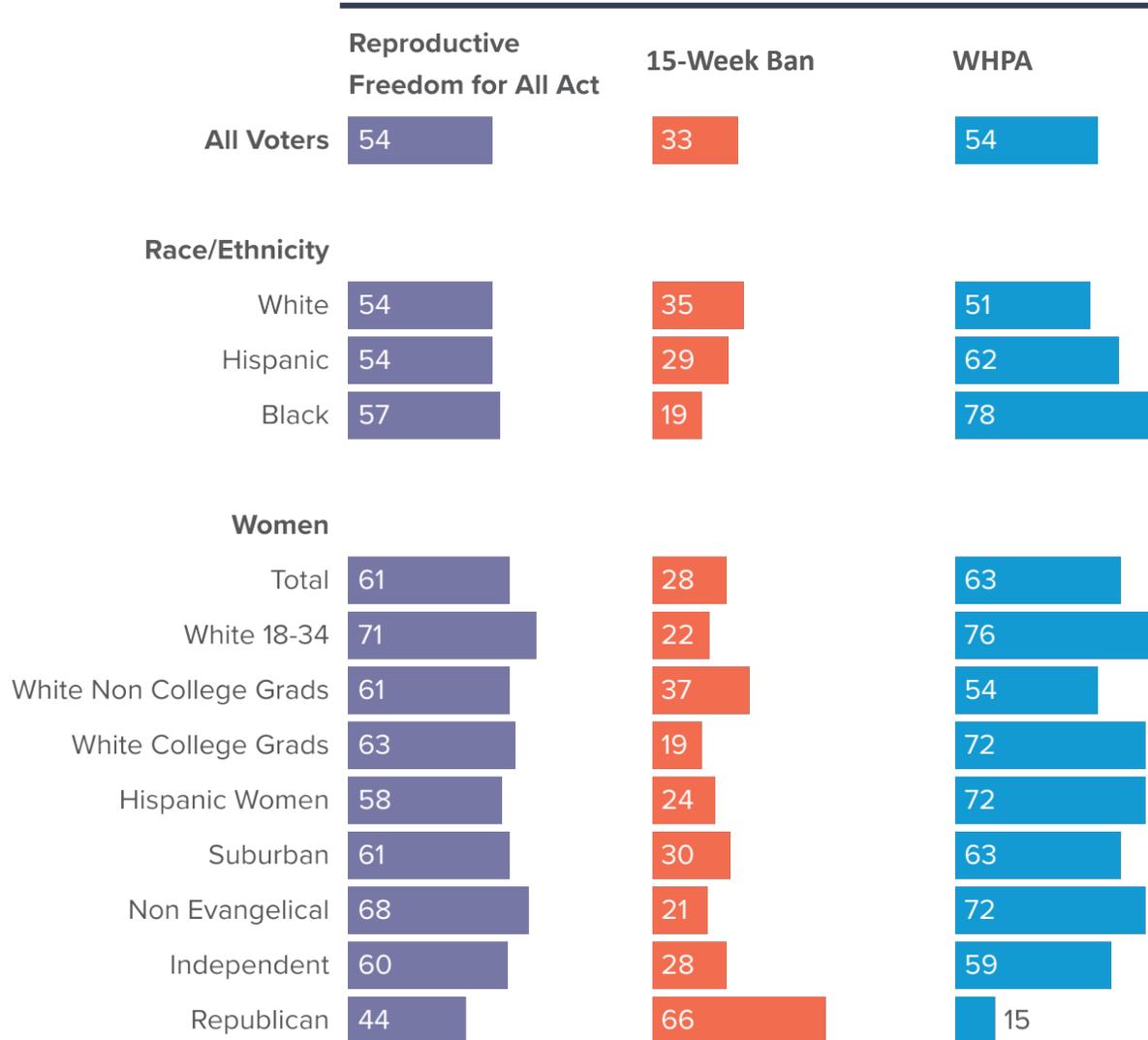


The Democrats in the U.S. House of Representatives passed a bill that would codify Roe v. Wade and prohibit states from placing any restrictions on abortion. Do you support or oppose this proposal?

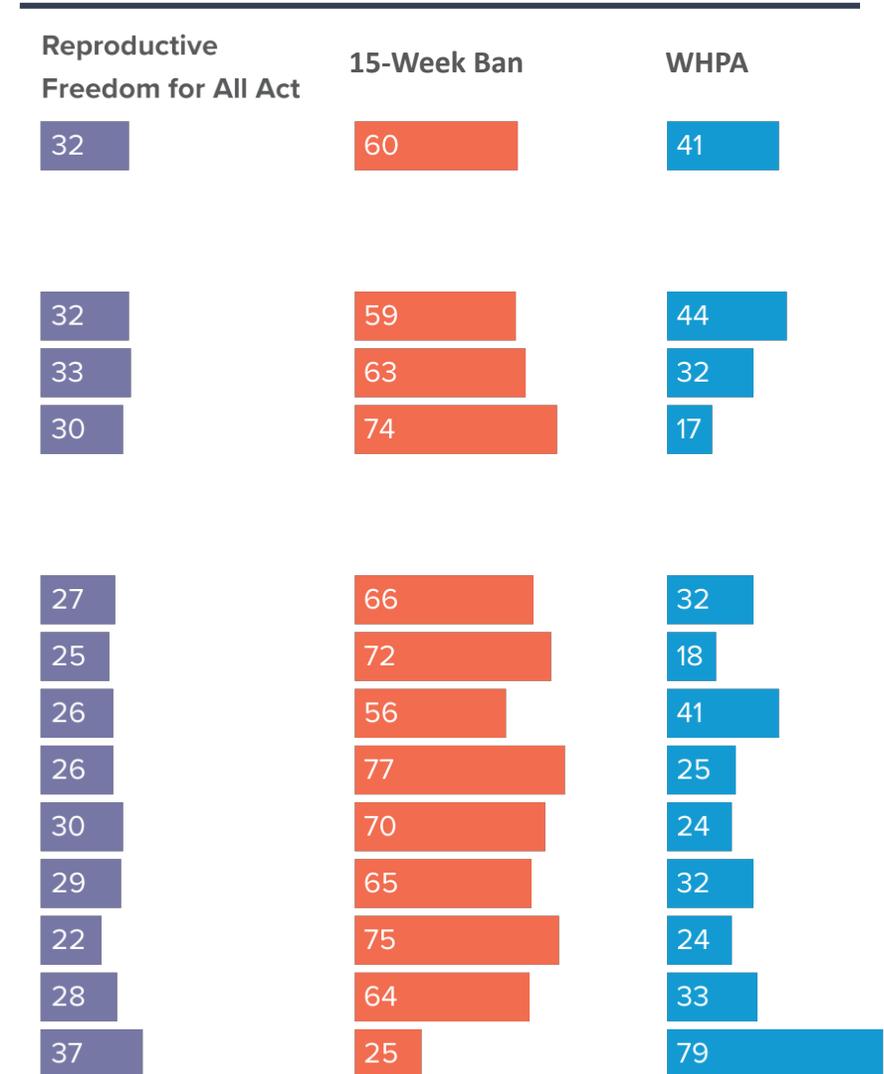


Support for the Three Bills

% Support

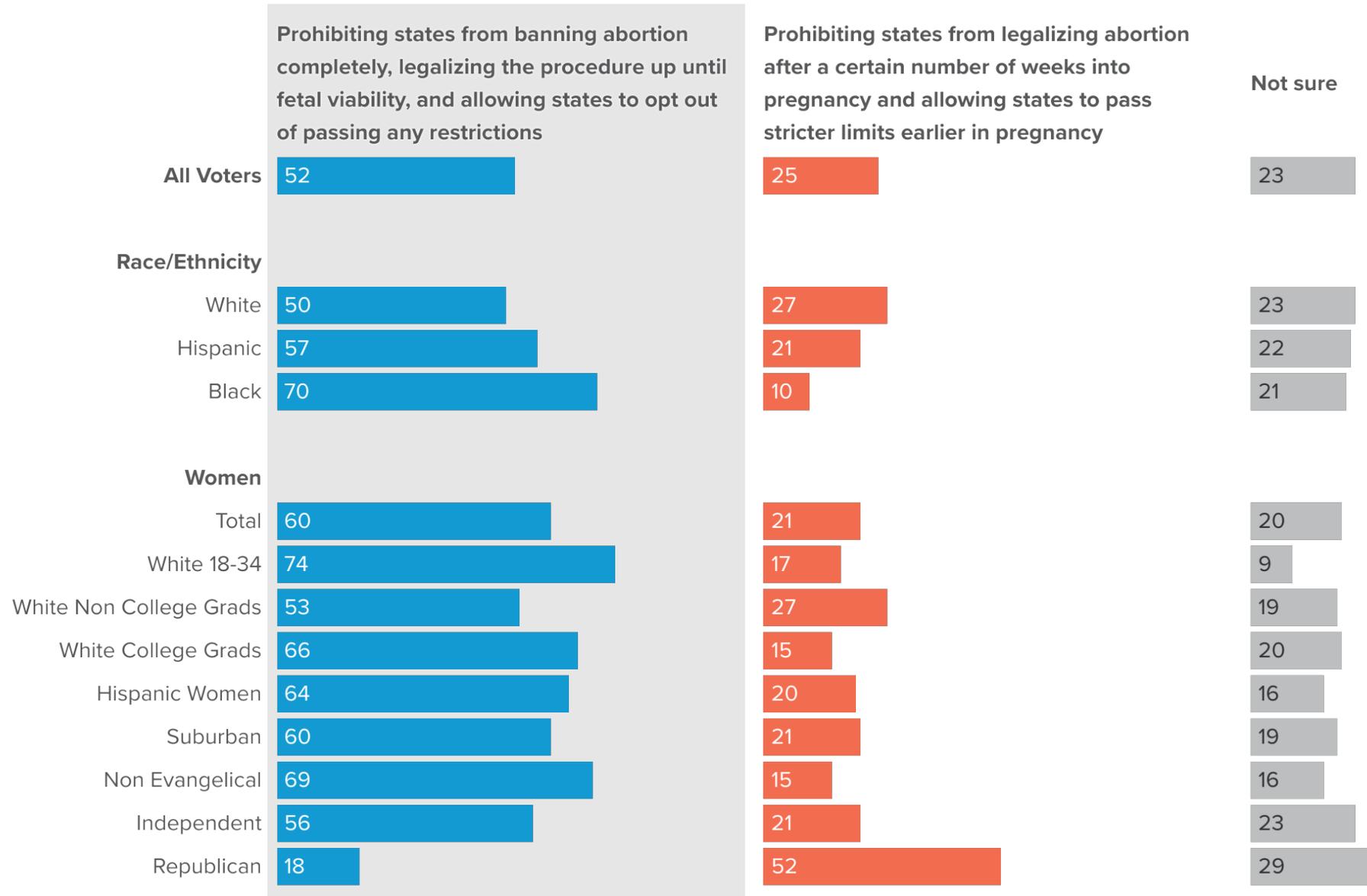


% Oppose



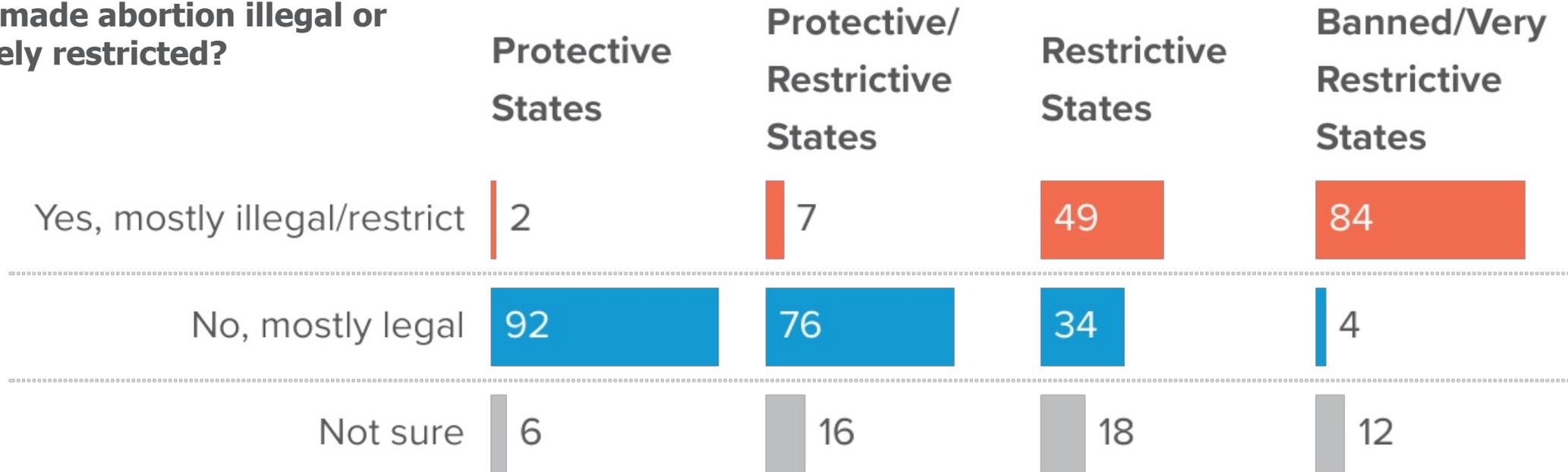
Voters Place a Greater Priority on Ending State Bans

What should be the focus of any bill regulating abortion that Congress considers?



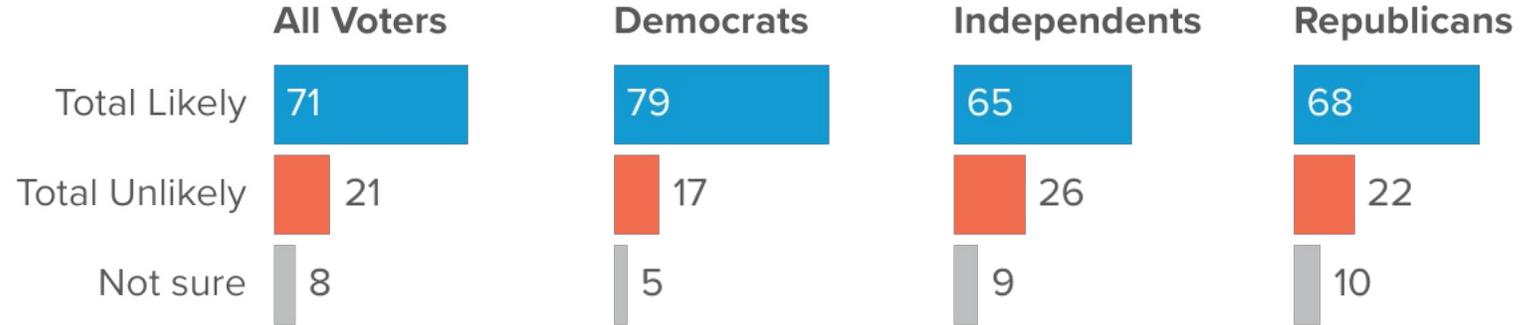
Voters in States with Very Restrictive Laws or Bans Know What Their States Have Done

As far as you know, has your state made abortion illegal or severely restricted?

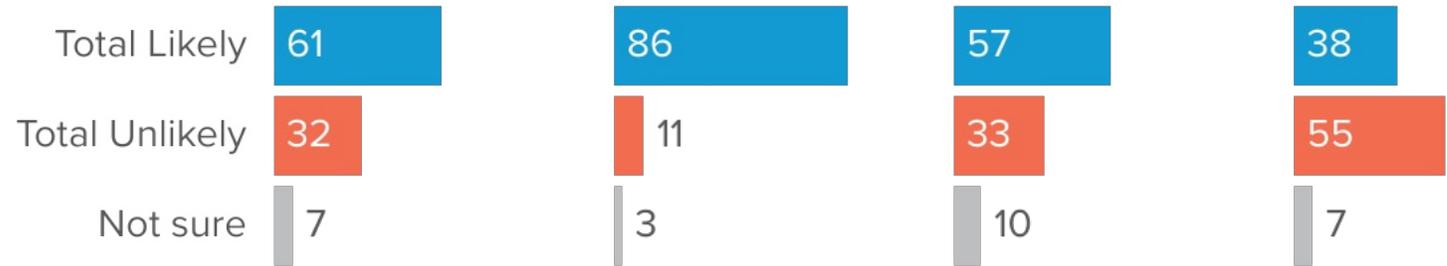


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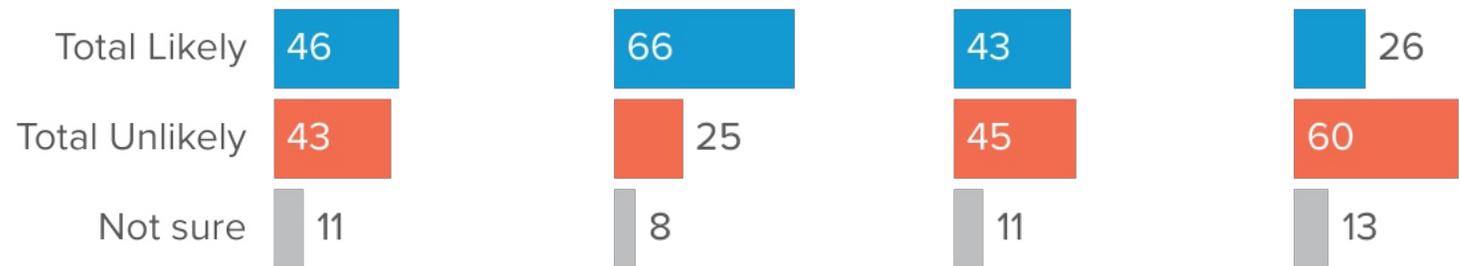
If the Democrats keep control of Congress this November, how likely do you think it is they would pass a law to restore Roe v. Wade and make abortion legal throughout the country?



If the Republicans take control of Congress this November, how likely do you think it is they would pass a law to ban abortion nationwide?



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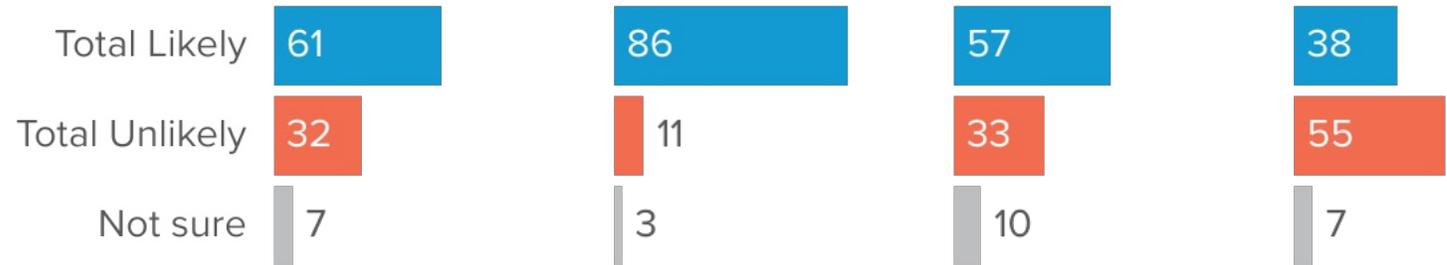


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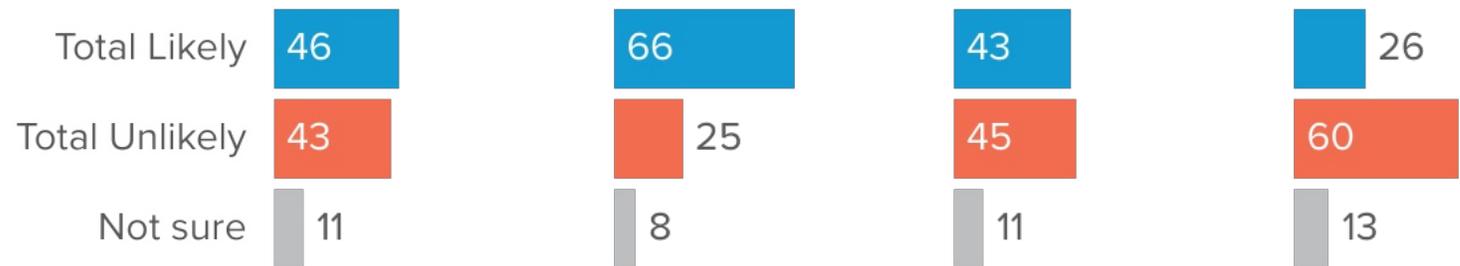
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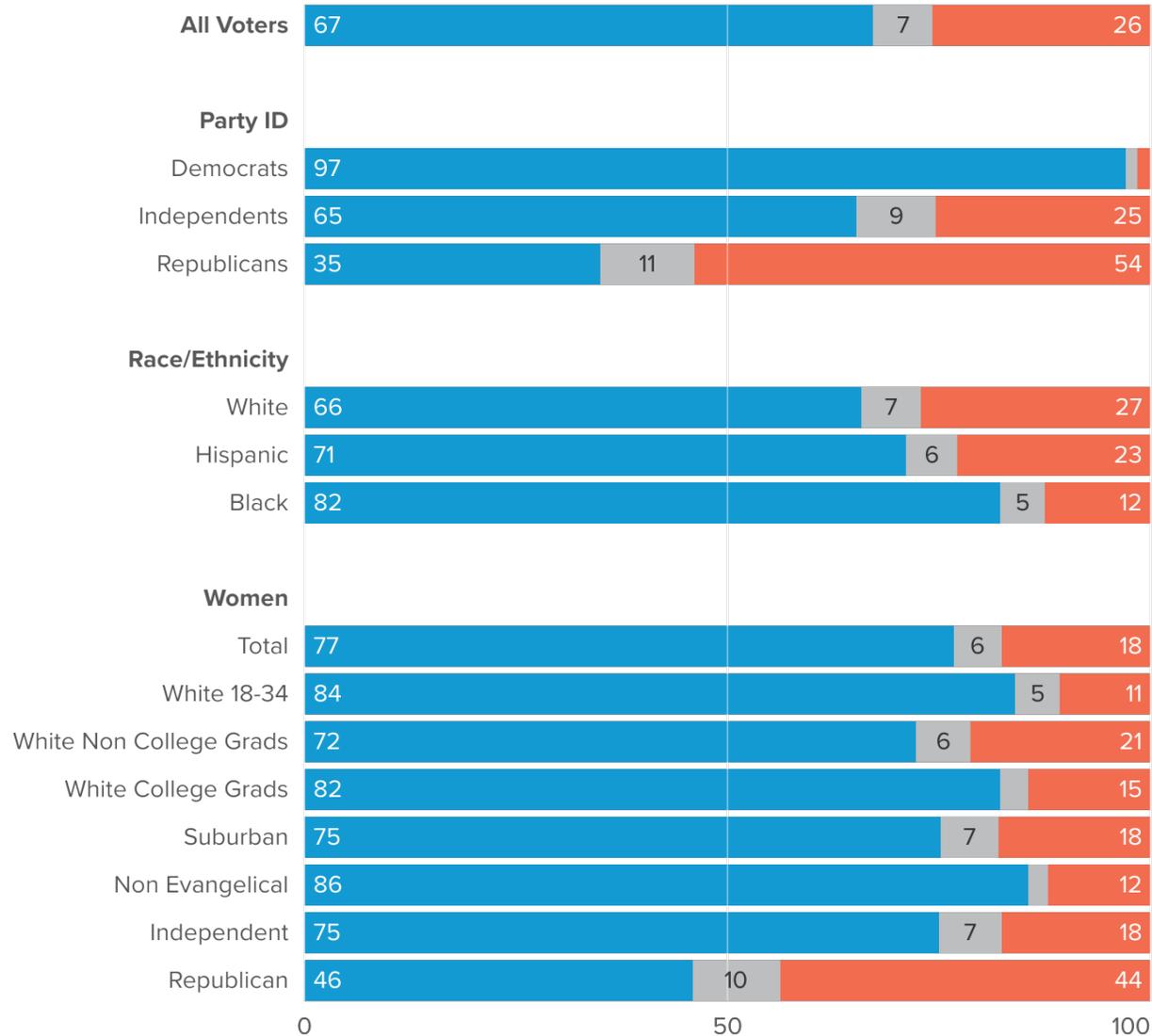


Support for Bill to Protect Freedom to Marry, Vote, and Start a Family and Ending the Filibuster to Pass It

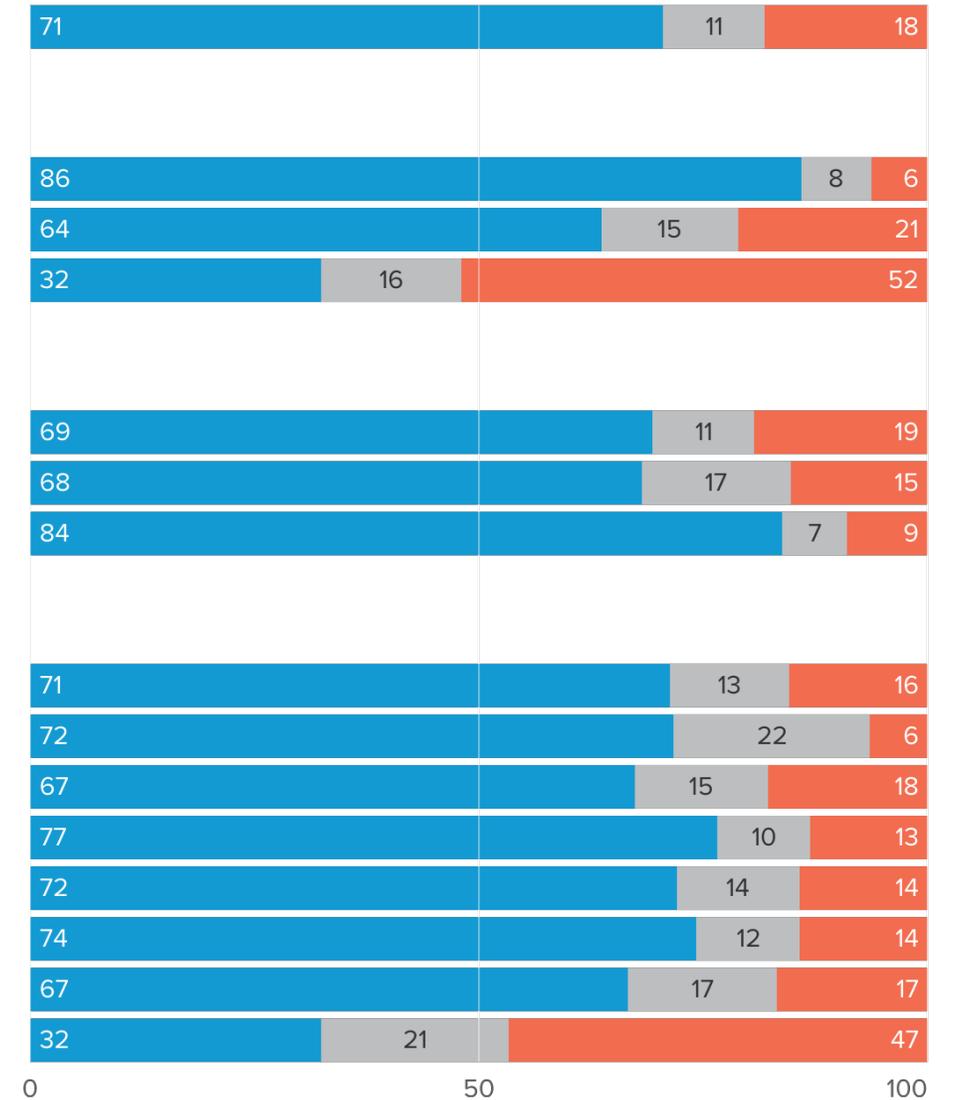


● Support ● Not Sure ● Oppose

Support for Bill

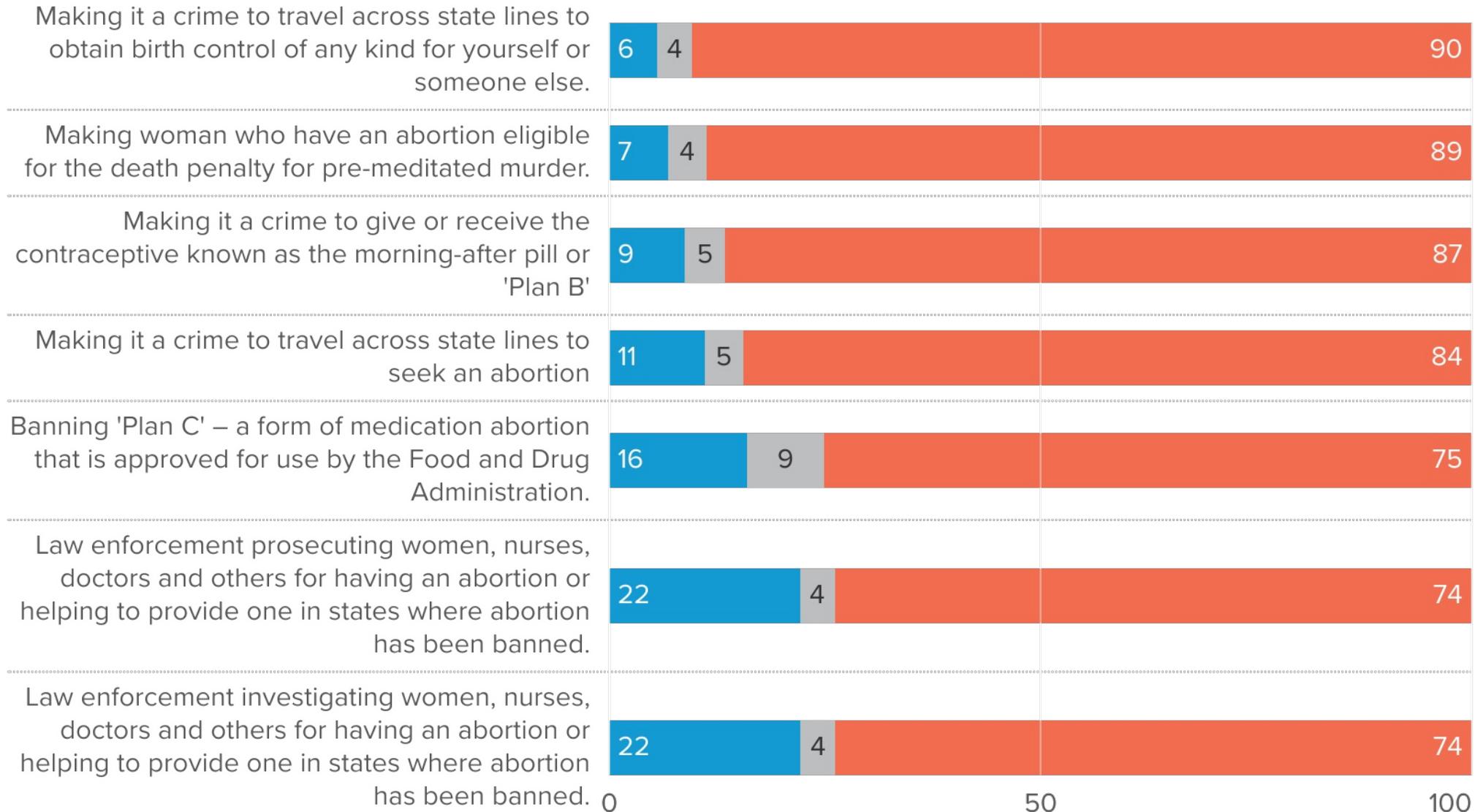


Support for Ending the Filibuster to Pass



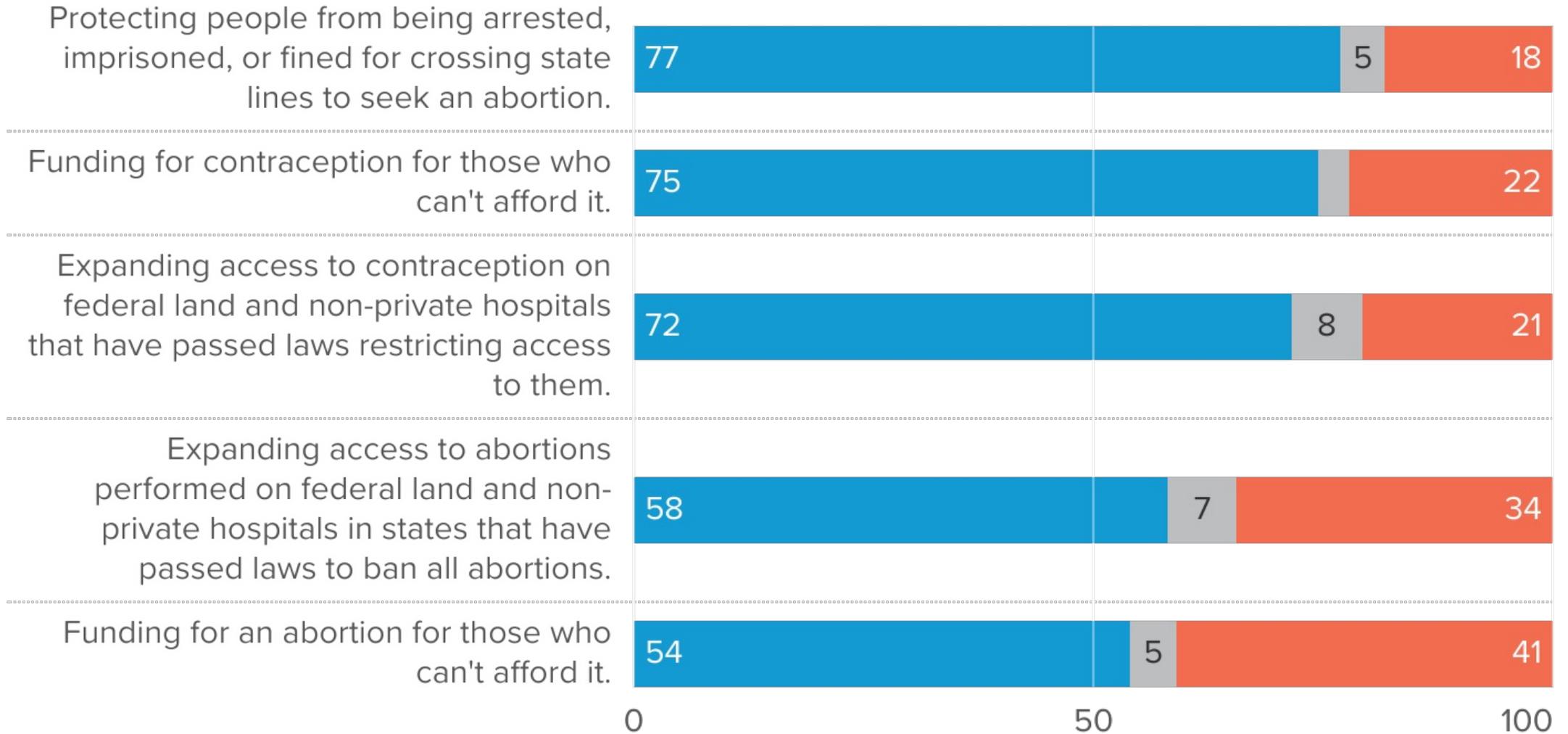
Voters Solidly Oppose Republican Proposals to Restrict Abortion

● Support ● Not Sure ● Oppose

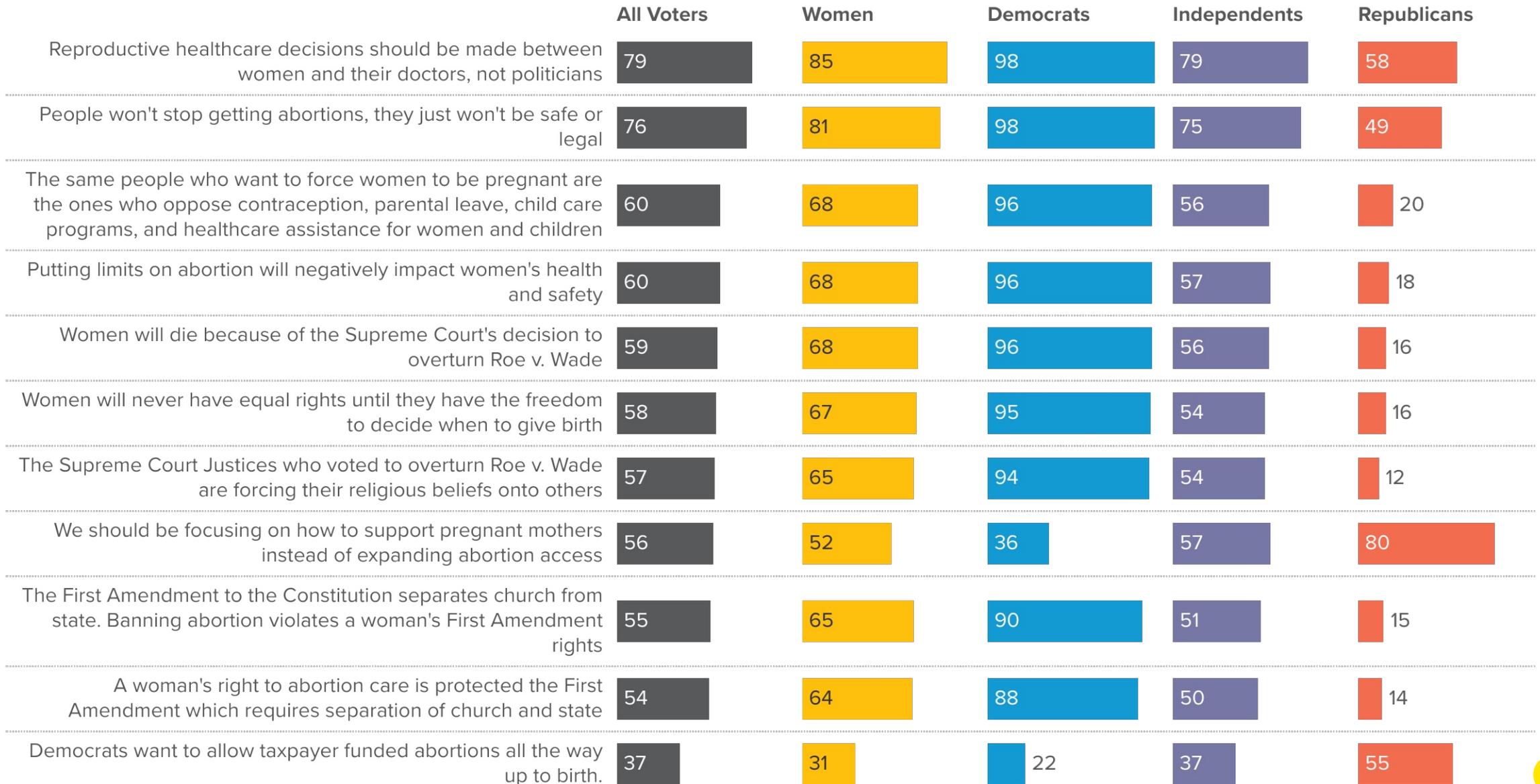


Voters Support Democrats' Proposals to Protect Reproductive Rights

● Support ● Not Sure ● Oppose



Agreement with Statements





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