

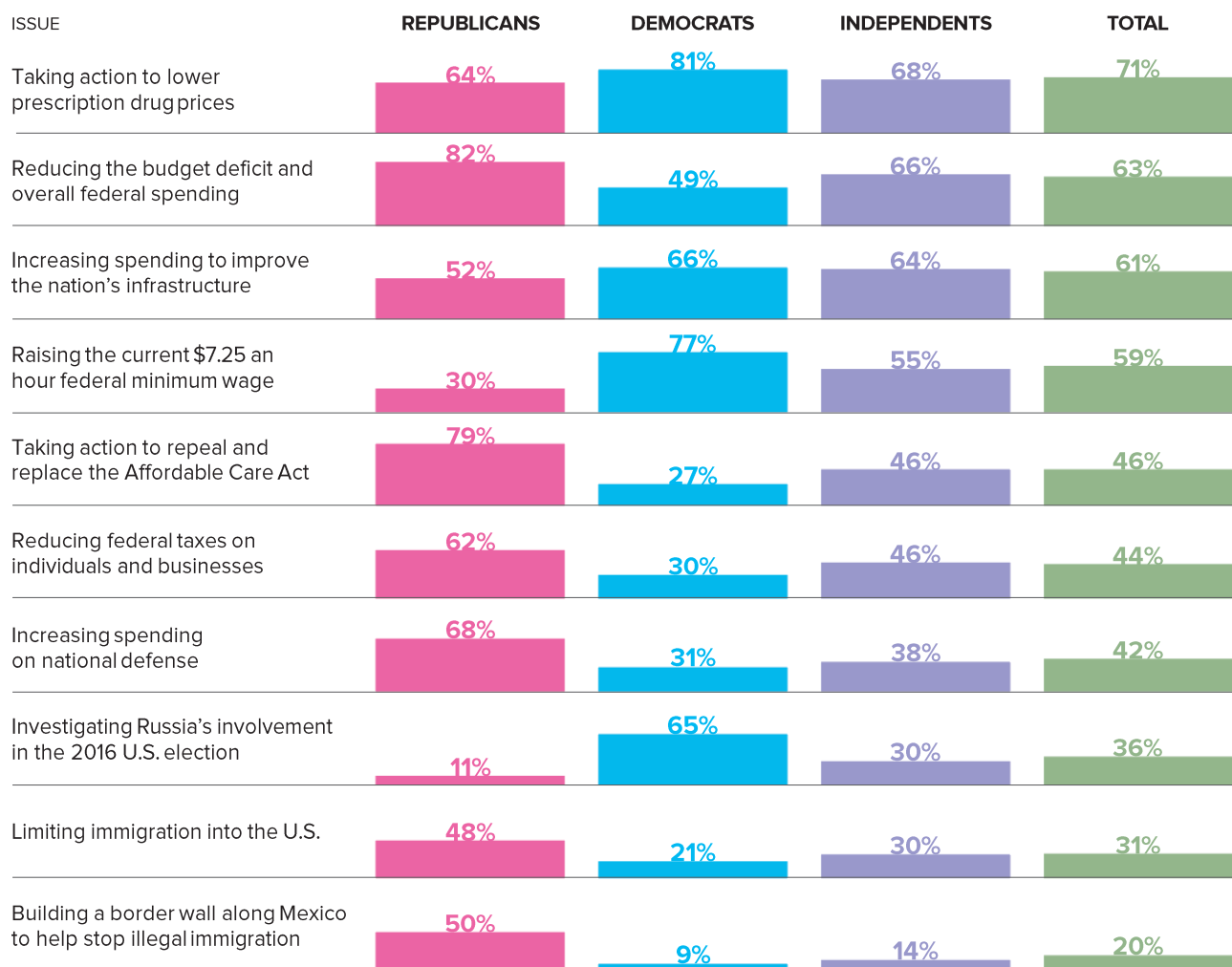
Poll: Americans' Top Priorities for Congress

Congress only has so much time to complete a long list of agenda items before the end of the year. A new POLITICO-Harvard poll finds that Americans show the most consistent support across party lines for prioritizing lower drug prices, deficit and spending reduction and an infrastructure package this year.

WHICH DOMESTIC ISSUES SHOULD CONGRESS PRIORITIZE BEFORE THE END OF THE YEAR?

Q: The country faces a number of critical domestic issues. Here is a list of some things Congress could work on during the rest of the year, keeping in mind that Congress can work on only a few of these issues at a time. For each one, please tell me if you think it SHOULD BE a priority, or SHOULD NOT BE a priority. (If a priority) And should [insert item] be an extremely important, very important, or only somewhat important priority?

Percentage of adults who say the following issues are extremely or very important:



This survey was conducted for POLITICO and Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health by SSRS, an independent research company. Interviews were conducted via telephone (cellphone and landline) from Aug. 30 to Sept. 3, 2017, among a nationally representative sample of 1,016 randomly selected U.S. adults. Each policy area was raised with half of respondents. The margin of error is ± 5.3 percentage points for questions asked of half-samples. The questions were developed jointly by a Harvard research team and editors at POLITICO Pro.