

Portrait of Four Electorates, 1996, 2000, 2004, 2008

<u>Party (Self) Identification</u>	<u>1996</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2008</u>
Republican	39%	38%	40%	31%
Democratic	42%	41%	39%	41%*
Independent	18%	21%	21%	28%*

Voters by Ideology

Conservative	38%	38%	40%	37%
Moderate	47%	46%	43%	44%
Liberal	16%	16%	17%	18%

*rounded to the nearest one