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**Methodology:**

Results are based on an online study conducted from March 25 to March 27, 2022, among 1,000 adults in the United States. The data has been statistically weighted according to U.S. census figures for age, gender and region. The margin of error—which measures sample variability—is +/- 3.1 percentage points, nineteen times out of twenty.

**Below is a list of institutions and features that can elicit feelings of pride among Americans. For each one, please say if it makes you proud.**

- The Armed Forces – 82%
- The Constitution – 77%
- The flag – 77%
- The police – 61%
- American Sports (Football, Baseball, Basketball) – 55%
- The justice system – 51%
- The economy – 44%
- Health care – 44%
- State of democracy – 42%
- The President – 41%
- Congress – 35%
- Race relations – 26%

**Armed Forces, Constitution and Flag Top Pride List in U.S.**

Fewer than two-in-five Americans are proud of Congress and the state of race relations in the country.

Vancouver, BC [March 29, 2021] – Significant proportions of Americans express pride in some of the country's institutions and features, a new Research Co. poll has found.

In the online survey of a representative national sample, 82% of Americans say the country's Armed Forces make them proud.

More than three-in-four Americans are proud of the Constitution (77%) and the flag (also 77%), while majorities feel the same way about the police (61%), American sports (55%) and the justice system (51%).

"Republicans in the United States are more likely to say that they are proud of the police (81%) than Independents (60%) and Democrats (44%)," says Mario Canseco, President of Research Co. "A similar scenario ensues when Americans are asked about the justice system, with 61% of Republicans stating they are proud of it, compared to 48% of Independents and 44% of Democrats."

More than two-in-five Americans are proud of the economy (44%), health care (also 44%), the state of democracy (42%) and the President (41%). The lowest ranked institutions and features are Congress (35%) and race relations (26%).

While 33% of Americans of Hispanic or Latino descent are proud of the state of race relations in the United States, the numbers are lower among White Americans (26%) and African Americans (24%).

Americans aged 18-to-34 are less likely to express pride about health care (38%) than their counterparts aged 35-to-54 (46%) and aged 55 and over (45%).

Across the United States, 42% of Americans approve of Joe Biden's performance as president, down 11 points since a similar Research Co. poll [conducted in April 2021](#).

Biden's approval reaches 75% among Democrats, but drops to 49% among Independents and to 15% among Republicans.

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