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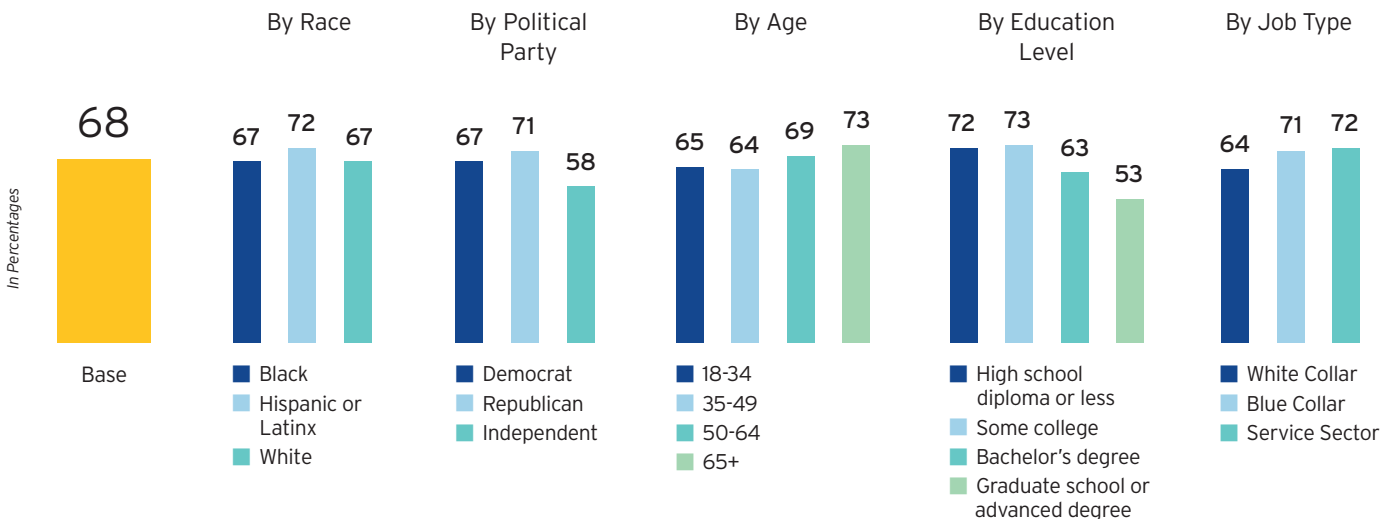
New polling finds that voters believe that they will have to work alongside artificial intelligence (AI) on the job, but they don't fear that it will replace them. Nearly half of voters (45%) believe that the type of work they do will eventually require them to work more closely with AI, but less than a third (31%) believe that the type of work that they do will eventually be done by

artificial intelligence. At the same time, most voters perceive that AI is a serious challenge facing workers and are concerned about opportunities to access skills training that would allow people to work alongside AI. When it comes to policy solutions, voters see an essential role for employers and policymakers in expanding access to skills training.

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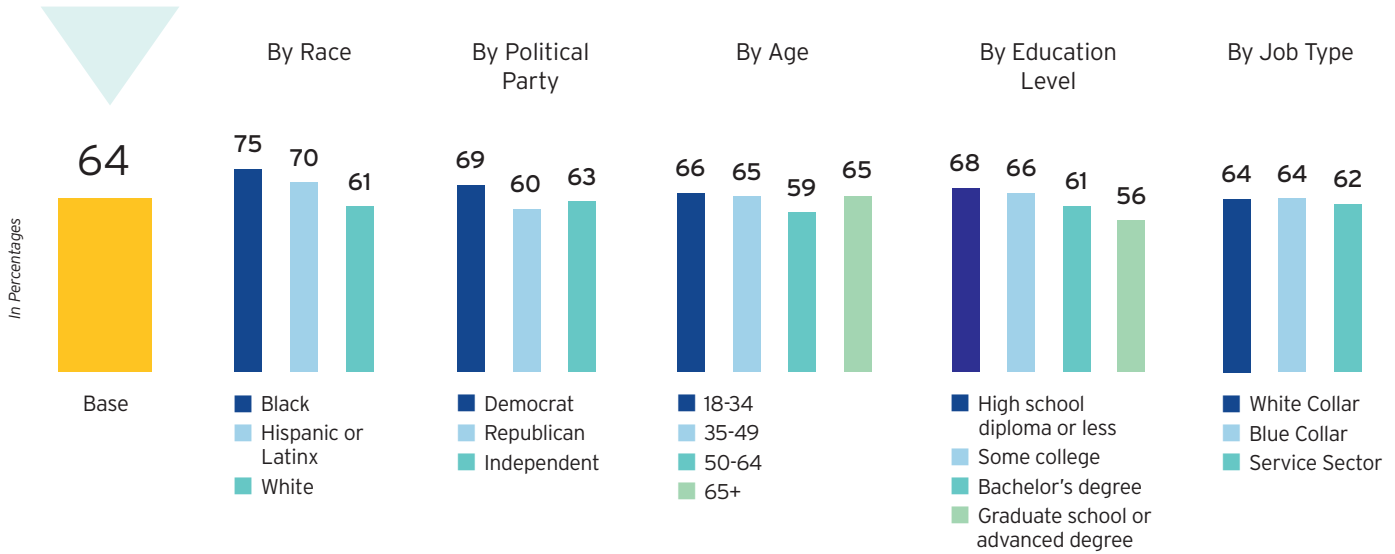
ON AI, SKILLS TRAINING, AND THE WORKFORCE

Over two-thirds (68%) of voters believe that AI is a serious or very serious problem currently facing American workers.



Voters are also concerned about limited opportunities for workers to access skills training that could help them adapt to AI in the workplace.

Two-thirds (64%) of voters believe that lack of access to training programs that help people work alongside new technologies, like AI, is a problem facing workers.

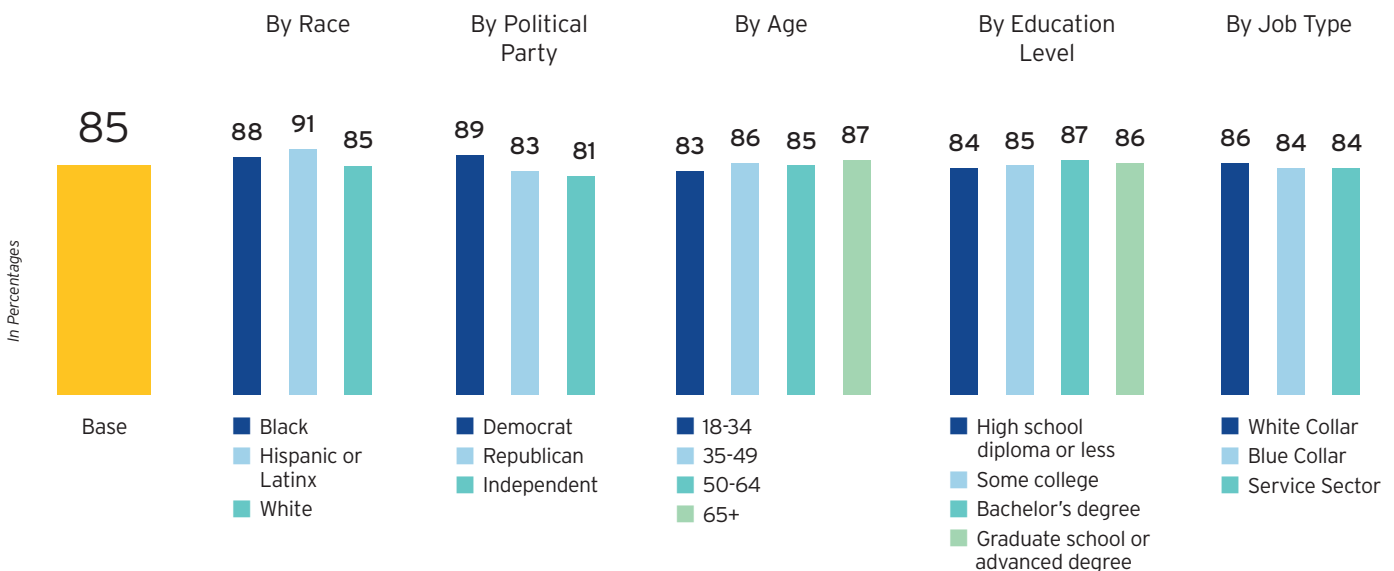


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ON POLICY SOLUTIONS

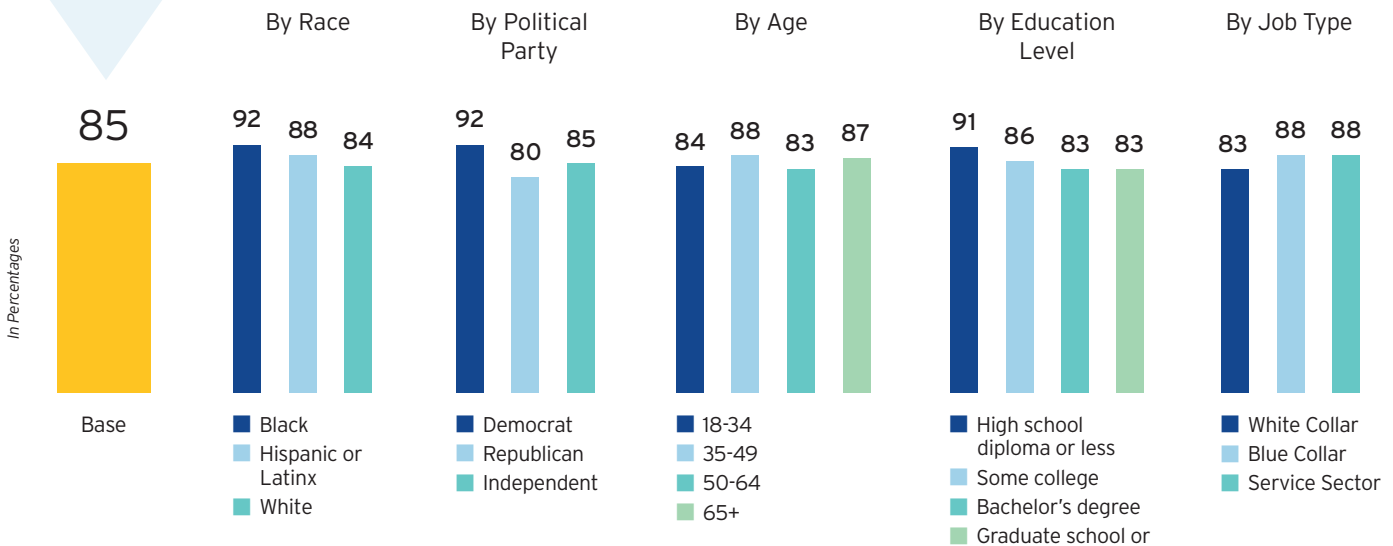
Voters see a role for public policy in ensuring that employers can help their workforce adapt to and harness the transformative impact of AI in the workplace.

85% of voters would support policies that make it easier for employers to help their employees adapt to technological changes in the workplace like artificial intelligence.



Voters also overwhelmingly support policies that help workers who are displaced by AI to train for a new career.

85% of voters would support a policy that provides skills retraining at no cost to any worker who loses their job due to automation or artificial intelligence.



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National Skills Coalition commissioned a nationwide online poll of 1000 registered voters. Impact Research conducted the poll between March 11-17, 2024. The margin of error for a sample of this size is +/- 3.1 percentage points at the 95% level of confidence.