



Battleground Survey

Red District Survey

Key findings from a survey of 823 likely voters, across the 90 most competitive* U.S. House districts, conducted by Paragon Insights, May 4-7, 2014.

Key findings from a survey of 726 likely voters across the 90 most Republican* U.S. House districts, conducted by Paragon Insights, May 4-7, 2014.

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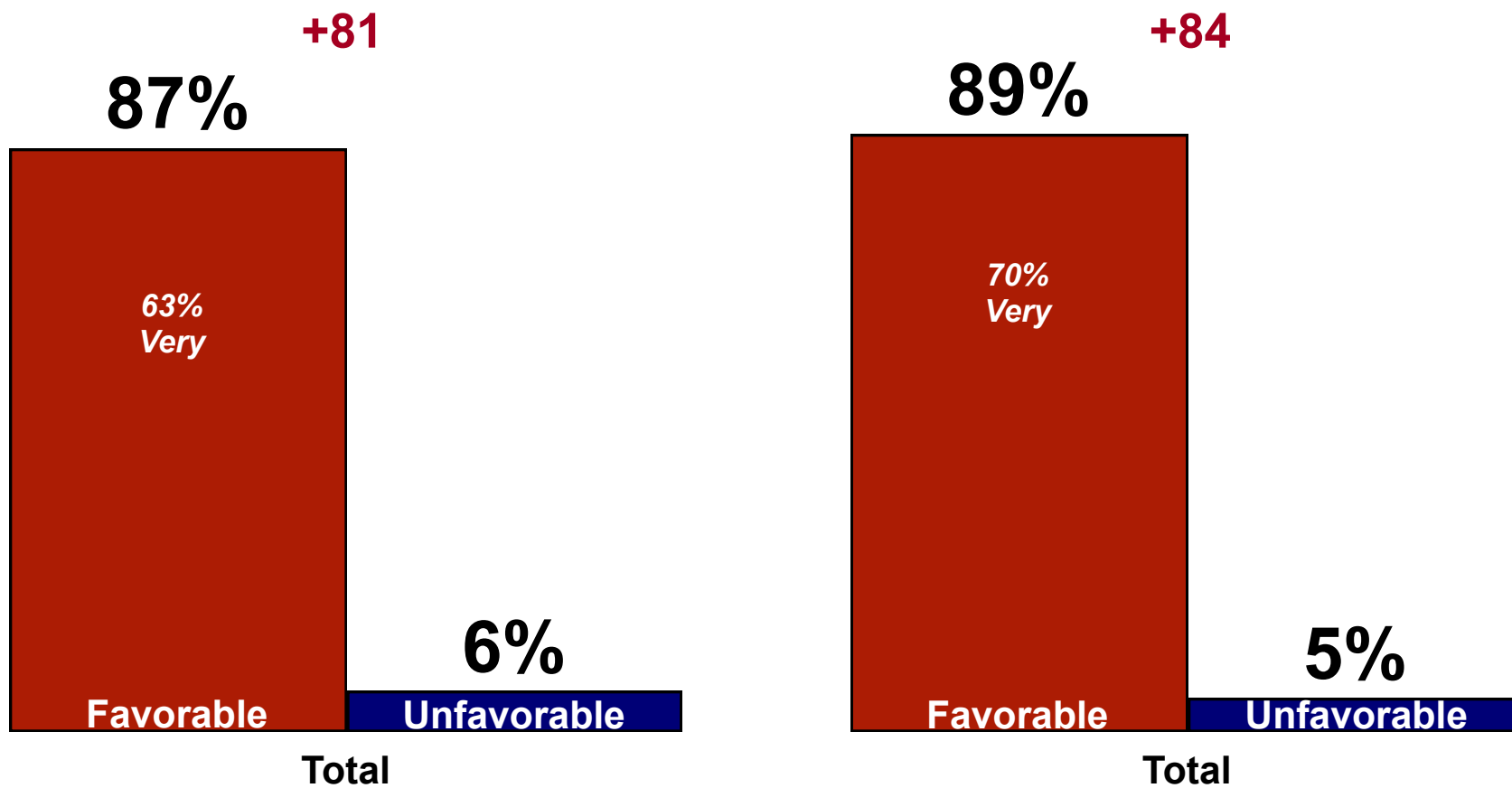
Both Battleground and Red District constituents hold the nation's veterans in the highest regard.

Now, I would like you to read some names of different people and organizations. For each one, please select whether you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of that person or group. If you have no opinion or have never heard of the person or organization, please indicate that.

U.S. Military Veterans

Battleground Constituents

Red District Constituents



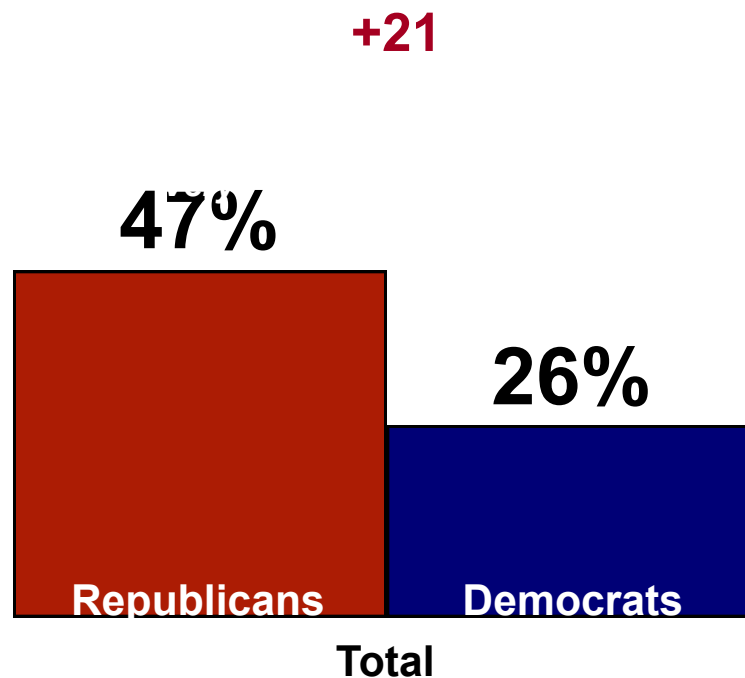
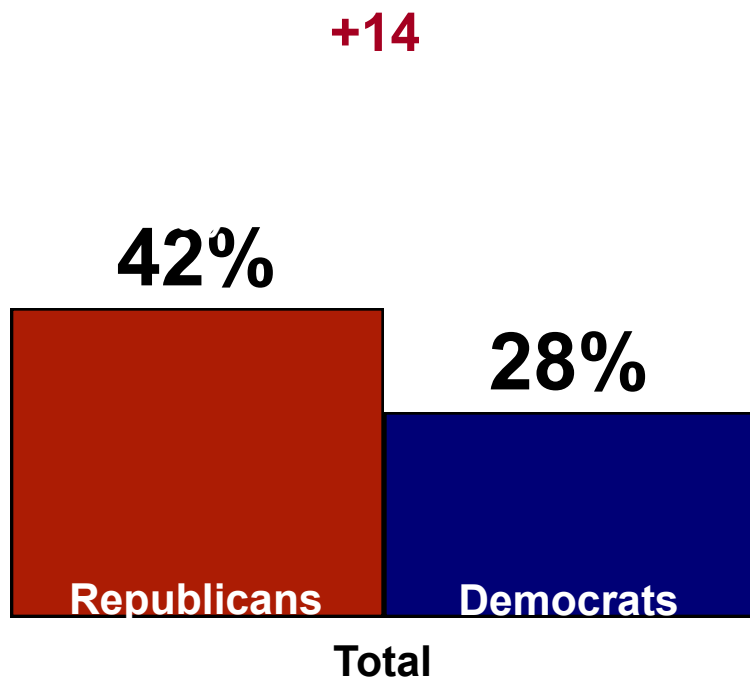
A plurality of both constituent sets believe Republicans will do a better job looking out for the interests of veterans.

Now, regardless of which candidate you may be supporting in the midterm elections, which party do you believe will do a better job on each of the following issues?

Looking out for the interests of the nation's military veterans

Battleground Constituents

Red District Constituents



And, a majority of constituents in military households in both geographies believe Republicans will do a better job.

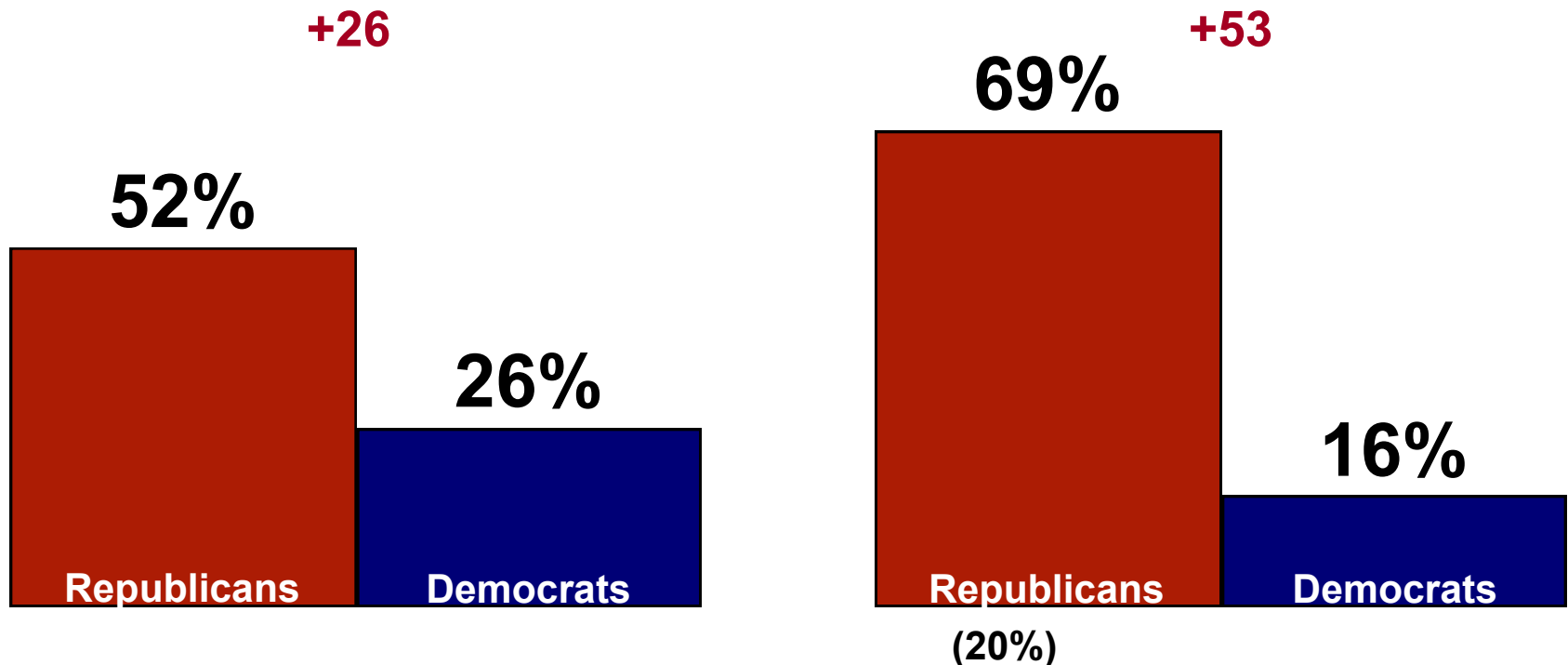
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Looking out for the interests of the nation's military veterans

Among Military Households

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A strong majority of military households in both geographies believe R's are better at handling national security/military.

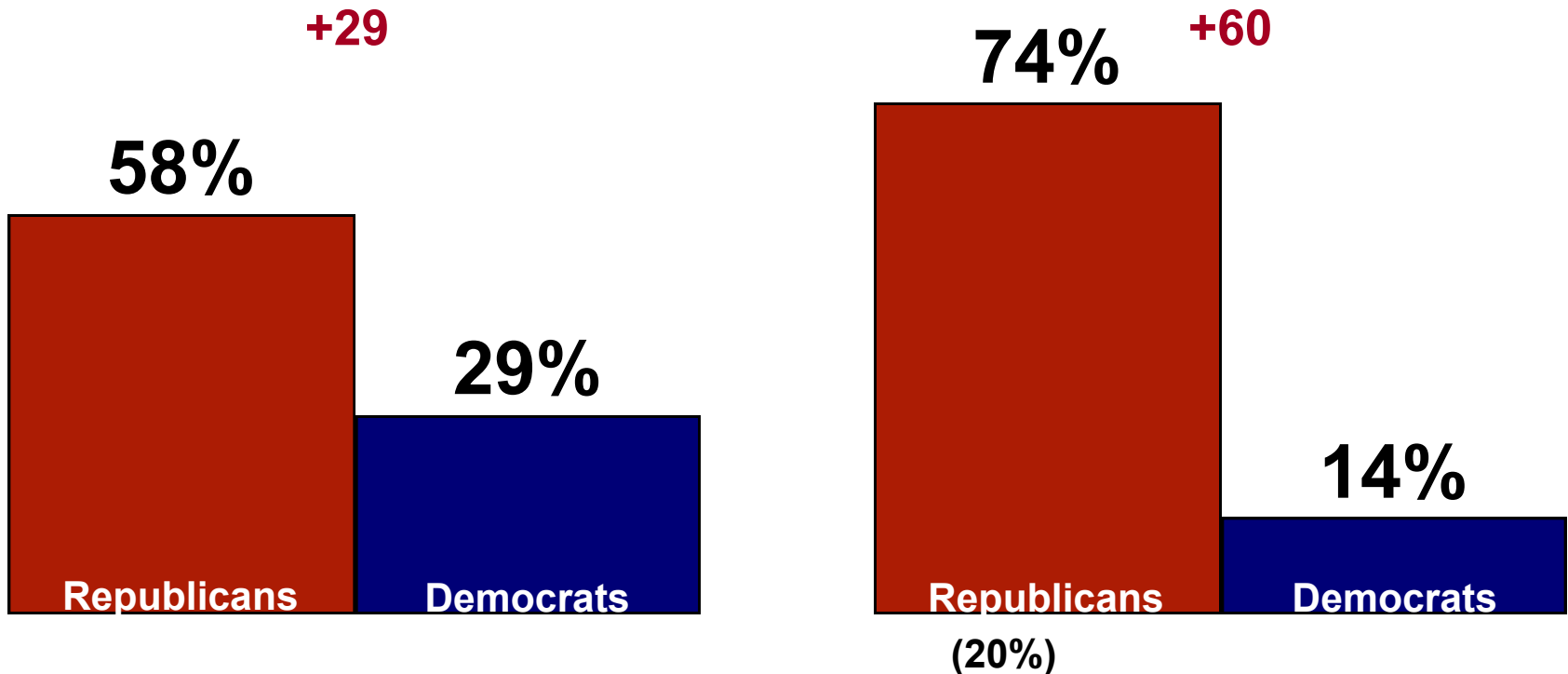
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Handling national security and the military

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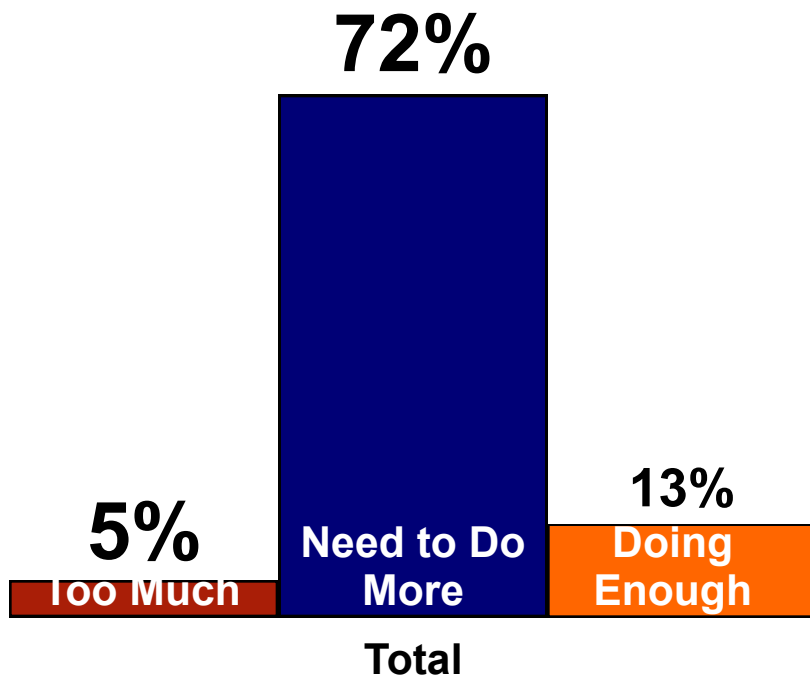
Red District Constituents



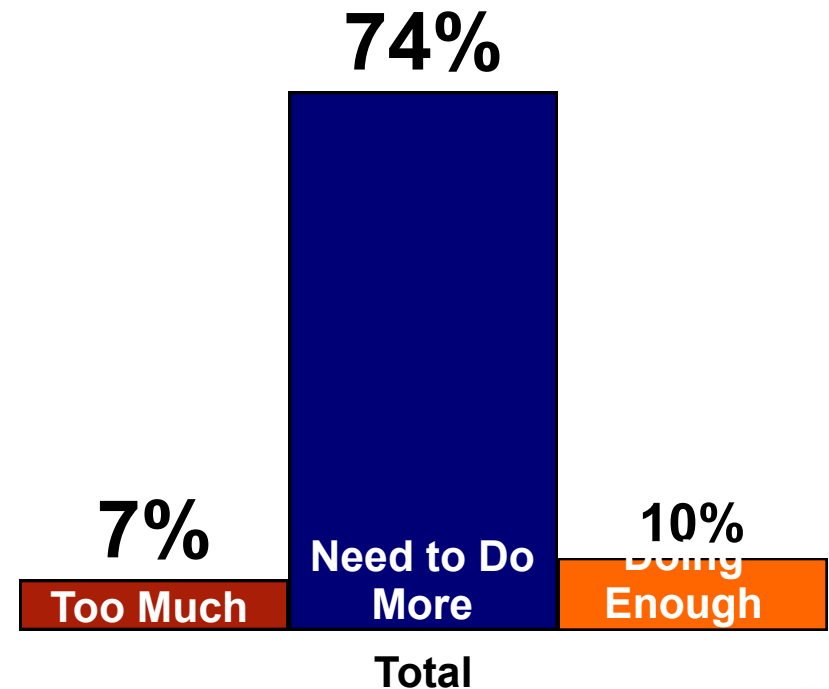
Battleground and Red District constituents overwhelmingly believe the government needs to do more to support veterans.

Do you think that the federal government is currently doing enough to support military veterans, are they doing too much to support military veterans, or do you think more needs to be done to support military veterans?

Battleground Constituents



Red District Constituents



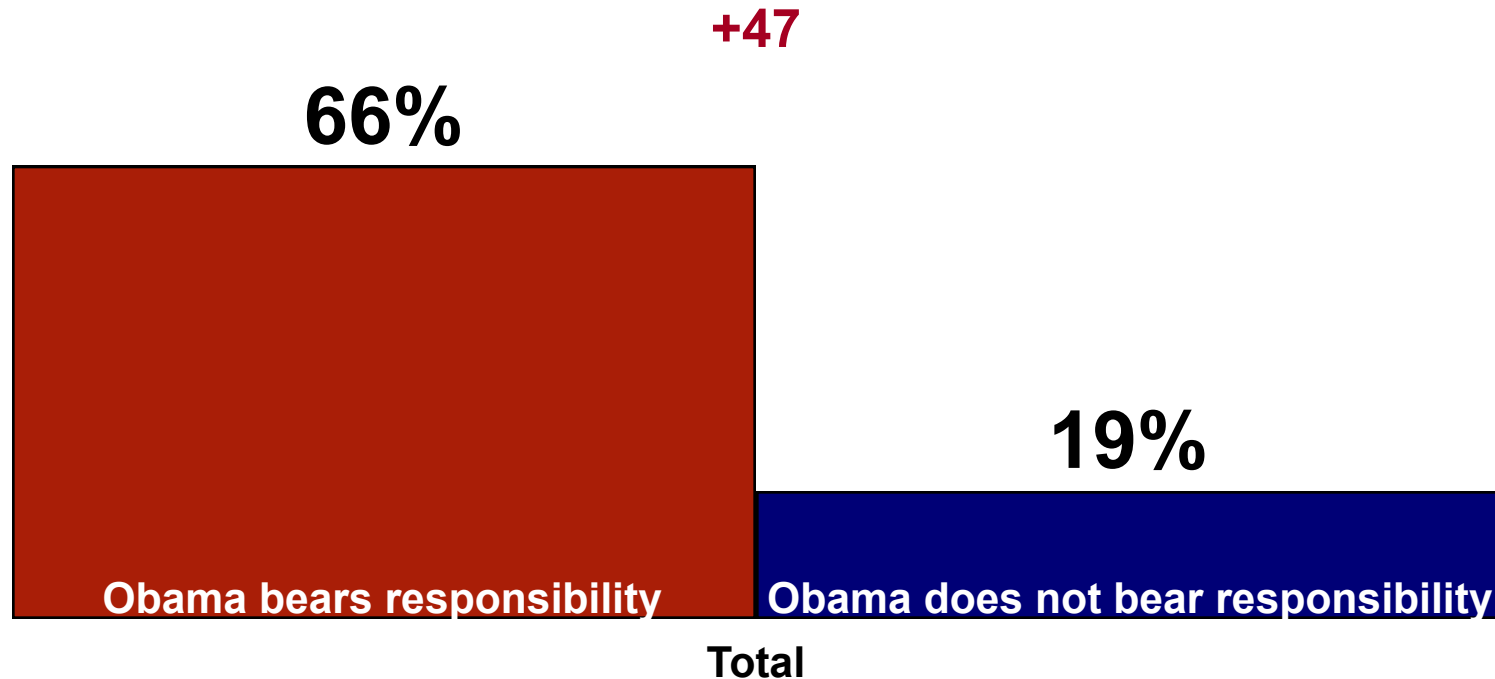
2/3 of Battleground constituents believe Obama bears responsibility for the situation in Phoenix.

On average, military veterans wait more than 150 days to receive medical benefits. And recently, it was discovered that a Veterans Affairs Department hospital in Phoenix tried to cover up delays in service for more than 1,400 sick veterans, including some who died while waiting for care. As Commander-In-Chief, do you believe President Obama bears responsibility to ensure these military veterans receive care in a much quicker fashion?

Among military households:

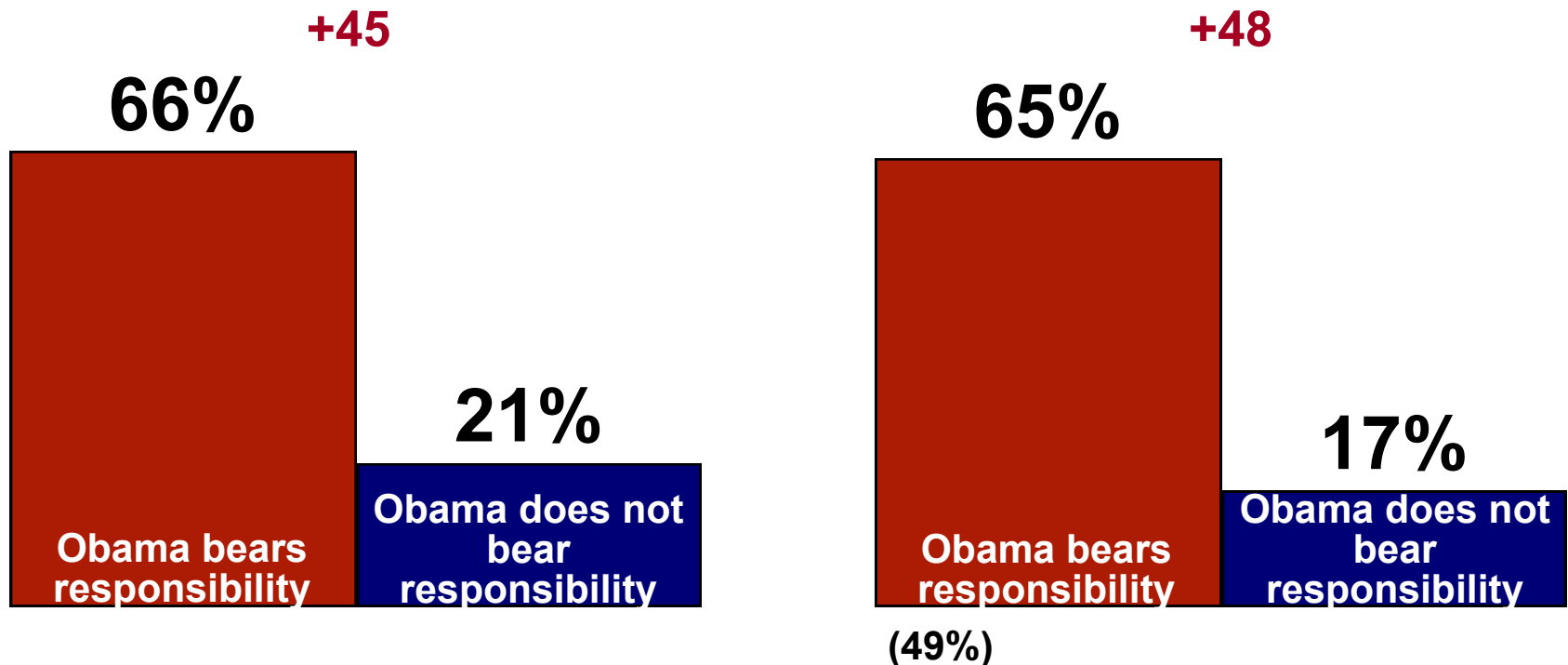
Obama bears responsibility: 80%

Obama does not bear responsibility: 16%



Battleground men and women equally agree Obama isn't fulfilling his duties to veterans as their Commander-In-Chief.

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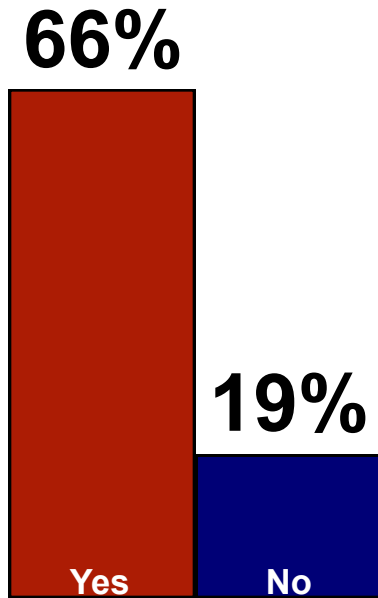


In fact, 56% of Obama's own party believes he should be doing a better job for the nation's veterans.

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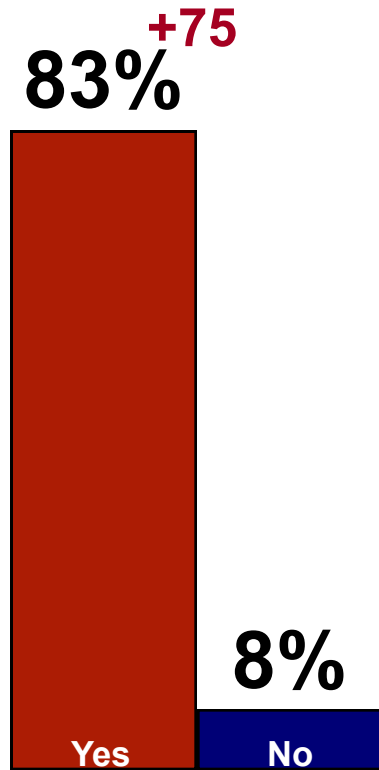
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By Party

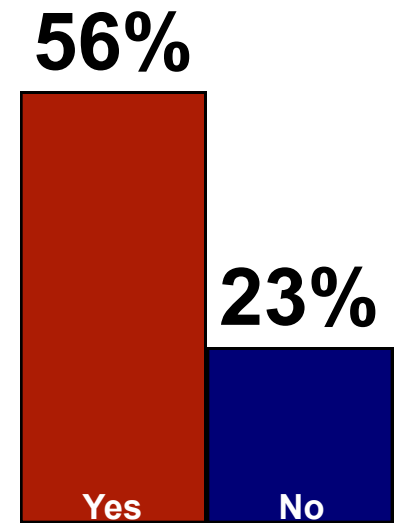
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Yes

No

