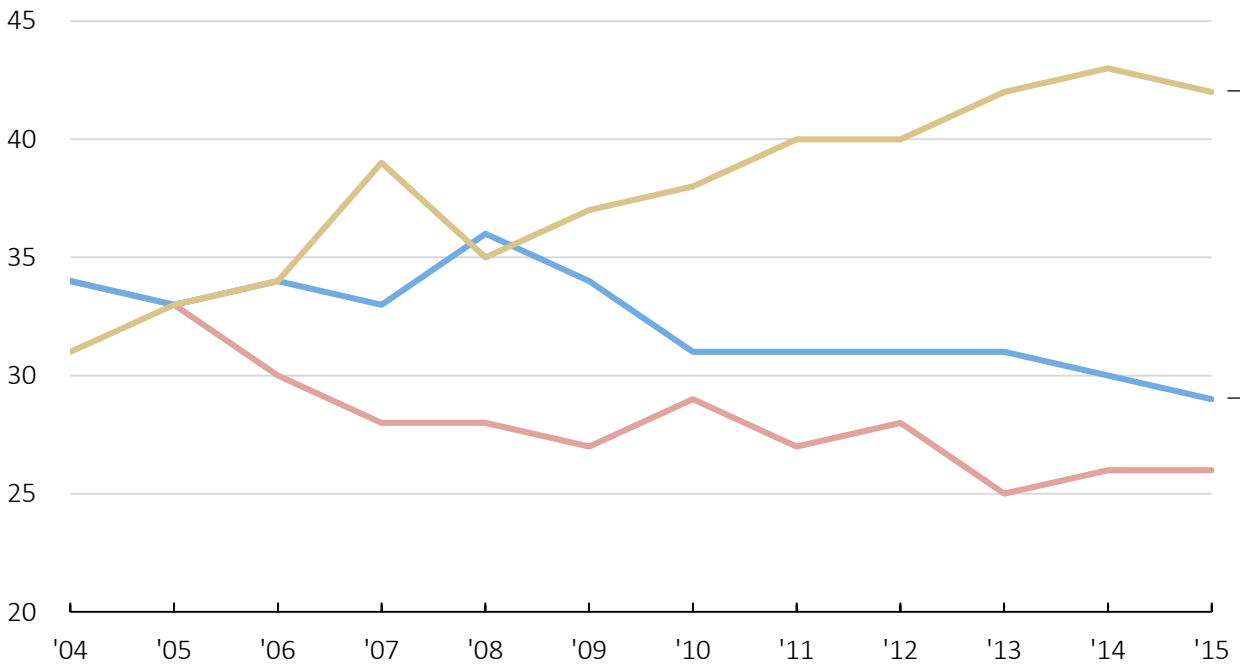


Identification with U.S. Political Parties Near All-Time Lows

U.S. Party Identification

Yearly averages, all adults

Republican Independent Democratic



When asked which party they lean towards, **independents** split evenly between Democrats (16%) and Republicans (16%)

The number of adults identifying as **Democrats** (29%) is at an all-time historical low since Gallup began asking this question in 1958

Source: Gallup, "Democratic, Republican Identification Near Historical Lows," January 11, 2016.