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1. America's performance in war in Iraq

Would you say the U.S. is winning the war in Iraq?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	33.1%	38.3%	30.3%	36.5%	34.7%	20.1%	32.8%	44.3%	23.1%	30.0%	37.0%	34.4%
No	30.4%	24.7%	32.8%	29.4%	30.9%	27.6%	29.1%	25.9%	34.4%	30.9%	28.7%	31.0%
Not sure	36.5%	37.0%	36.9%	34.1%	34.4%	52.3%	38.1%	29.8%	42.5%	39.1%	34.3%	34.6%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (153)	100.0% (714)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (830)	100.0% (98)	100.0% (69)	100.0% (461)	100.0% (536)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	33.1%	20.5%	60.4%	29.8%	17.6%	27.3%	55.2%	31.9%	33.6%	32.8%	33.5%	27.9%	31.8%	42.1%
No	30.4%	38.2%	13.8%	38.0%	44.9%	36.0%	19.3%	28.3%	33.8%	27.0%	32.7%	29.9%	35.8%	26.1%
Not sure	36.5%	41.3%	25.9%	32.2%	37.5%	36.7%	25.5%	39.8%	32.6%	40.2%	33.7%	42.2%	32.4%	31.8%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (291)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (147)

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2. U.S. troop deployment in Iraq

Do you think U.S. troops will still be in Iraq in 2012?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	63.4%	52.7%	64.9%	74.5%	65.9%	40.7%	65.0%	65.9%	61.2%	60.1%	61.8%	69.1%
No	17.5%	20.6%	17.2%	13.4%	16.7%	25.1%	16.5%	18.9%	16.3%	18.4%	18.9%	15.3%
Not sure	19.1%	26.6%	17.9%	12.1%	17.4%	34.2%	18.5%	15.2%	22.6%	21.5%	19.3%	15.6%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(152)	(714)	(130)	(829)	(97)	(70)	(460)	(536)	(333)	(299)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	63.4%	61.4%	66.4%	66.2%	62.9%	62.5%	71.7%	65.2%	65.0%	61.1%	63.8%	56.3%	69.1%	69.8%
No	17.5%	21.1%	15.9%	16.9%	21.4%	19.9%	12.9%	19.8%	12.4%	18.9%	18.4%	18.2%	17.7%	17.3%
Not sure	19.1%	17.6%	17.7%	16.9%	15.8%	17.6%	15.4%	15.0%	22.7%	20.0%	17.8%	25.4%	13.3%	12.8%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(356)	(258)	(292)	(211)	(343)	(342)	(144)	(217)	(316)	(319)	(358)	(402)	(147)

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3. Troops in Iraq

Do you favor increasing or decreasing the number of U.S. troops in Iraq?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Increase	8.7%	5.4%	8.8%	13.5%	9.1%	5.8%	7.3%	9.6%	7.9%	9.3%	8.5%	7.9%
Keep the same	29.3%	25.5%	30.1%	32.0%	31.1%	16.9%	25.6%	33.3%	25.7%	33.3%	25.2%	26.7%
Decrease	62.1%	69.1%	61.2%	54.5%	59.8%	77.3%	67.1%	57.2%	66.4%	57.4%	66.3%	65.4%
Totals	100.0% (996)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (828)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (460)	100.0% (536)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Increase	8.7%	3.3%	15.0%	8.7%	1.4%	7.0%	16.1%	5.2%	6.5%	10.2%	10.1%	6.8%	8.3%	11.1%
Keep the same	29.3%	13.7%	52.4%	26.4%	8.1%	22.3%	45.6%	34.4%	26.3%	32.6%	25.3%	31.0%	28.4%	28.4%
Decrease	62.1%	82.9%	32.6%	64.9%	90.5%	70.7%	38.3%	60.5%	67.2%	57.1%	64.5%	62.2%	63.2%	60.5%
Totals	100.0% (996)	100.0% (354)	100.0% (258)	100.0% (293)	100.0% (209)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (147)

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4. Expected outcome in Iraq

What do you think will eventually happen in Iraq?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The United States will win the war in Iraq.	35.8%	46.5%	32.0%	34.6%	36.6%	31.4%	33.6%	43.3%	29.1%	36.7%	36.2%	34.5%
The United States will withdraw from Iraq without winning.	64.2%	53.5%	68.0%	65.4%	63.4%	68.6%	66.4%	56.7%	70.9%	63.3%	63.8%	65.5%
Totals	100.0% (993)	100.0% (152)	100.0% (711)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (824)	100.0% (98)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (458)	100.0% (535)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The United States will win the war in Iraq.	35.8%	24.1%	62.0%	29.2%	22.3%	25.6%	52.2%	37.3%	32.8%	40.9%	31.9%	36.6%	30.2%	40.6%
The United States will withdraw from Iraq without winning.	64.2%	75.9%	38.0%	70.8%	77.7%	74.4%	47.8%	62.7%	67.2%	59.1%	68.1%	63.4%	69.8%	59.4%
Totals	100.0% (993)	100.0% (356)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (287)	100.0% (210)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (216)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (401)	100.0% (147)

5. Iraqi opinion of U.S. troops

Do you think most people in Iraq want to have U.S. troops in their country or would they like the U.S. to leave?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Most would like U.S. troops to stay	12.5%	7.9%	12.6%	19.8%	13.3%	5.1%	13.5%	12.8%	12.3%	11.4%	15.6%	11.8%
About equally divided	33.1%	36.8%	31.5%	34.2%	34.3%	32.9%	22.0%	30.9%	35.1%	33.7%	33.6%	32.0%
Most would like U.S. troops to leave	42.8%	42.7%	43.3%	40.8%	41.4%	49.5%	49.0%	47.5%	38.6%	39.9%	41.9%	47.4%
Not sure	11.6%	12.6%	12.6%	5.3%	11.1%	12.5%	15.4%	8.8%	14.0%	14.9%	8.9%	8.9%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (152)	100.0% (716)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (830)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (460)	100.0% (538)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Most would like U.S. troops to stay	12.5%	4.2%	29.0%	9.7%	3.1%	8.3%	26.5%	13.6%	9.9%	12.8%	13.5%	8.8%	14.3%	21.2%
About equally divided	33.1%	32.9%	41.1%	27.5%	30.2%	32.3%	42.1%	33.9%	35.3%	32.2%	32.3%	36.4%	30.8%	26.0%
Most would like U.S. troops to leave	42.8%	54.4%	20.2%	53.1%	62.0%	48.8%	22.6%	40.3%	40.7%	43.7%	44.4%	38.3%	47.4%	46.9%
Not sure	11.6%	8.5%	9.6%	9.6%	4.7%	10.6%	8.8%	12.3%	14.2%	11.2%	9.8%	16.5%	7.5%	5.9%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (356)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (148)

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6. Decision to send troops to Iraq

Do you think the United States made a mistake sending troops to fight in Iraq?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	55.1%	53.6%	56.9%	49.4%	51.6%	75.7%	66.1%	57.7%	52.8%	53.9%	53.4%	58.0%
No	30.5%	23.6%	31.1%	39.8%	33.8%	13.0%	17.9%	32.4%	28.9%	28.5%	33.0%	31.5%
Not sure	14.4%	22.8%	12.0%	10.8%	14.6%	11.2%	16.1%	10.0%	18.3%	17.5%	13.7%	10.5%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(152)	(715)	(129)	(829)	(96)	(71)	(460)	(536)	(333)	(300)	(363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	55.1%	78.4%	16.1%	61.4%	83.4%	68.9%	25.4%	56.1%	52.1%	50.6%	61.4%	60.1%	52.1%	51.8%
No	30.5%	9.8%	67.4%	28.1%	7.5%	18.4%	64.8%	26.2%	30.2%	35.5%	27.6%	22.7%	35.2%	39.7%
Not sure	14.4%	11.8%	16.5%	10.5%	9.1%	12.7%	9.7%	17.8%	17.7%	13.9%	11.0%	17.3%	12.7%	8.5%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(354)	(259)	(292)	(211)	(342)	(342)	(144)	(218)	(317)	(317)	(359)	(401)	(148)

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7. America's performance in war in Afghanistan

Would you say the U.S. is winning the war in Afghanistan?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	14.9%	26.6%	12.3%	6.9%	14.7%	10.4%	22.3%	20.0%	10.4%	15.1%	19.1%	11.5%
No	47.0%	33.9%	49.1%	59.7%	50.0%	38.1%	27.2%	48.4%	45.7%	43.1%	44.9%	53.9%
Not sure	38.1%	39.5%	38.6%	33.4%	35.3%	51.4%	50.5%	31.6%	43.9%	41.7%	36.0%	34.6%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (153)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (830)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (461)	100.0% (537)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	14.9%	7.7%	29.0%	13.9%	13.8%	8.6%	24.6%	16.0%	15.6%	12.1%	17.0%	14.5%	14.2%	16.8%
No	47.0%	54.2%	32.2%	57.5%	55.4%	52.7%	43.7%	51.5%	49.8%	41.5%	48.7%	41.0%	55.2%	49.4%
Not sure	38.1%	38.2%	38.8%	28.6%	30.8%	38.7%	31.6%	32.5%	34.6%	46.4%	34.3%	44.5%	30.6%	33.8%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (354)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (293)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (148)

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8. U.S. troop deployment in Afghanistan

Do you think U.S. troops will still be in Afghanistan in 2012?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	75.2%	63.1%	76.7%	88.9%	77.9%	57.1%	69.1%	84.4%	67.0%	70.7%	76.3%	80.6%
No	6.5%	11.0%	6.3%	0.3%	5.5%	9.6%	13.1%	5.3%	7.7%	7.9%	5.4%	5.5%
Not sure	18.3%	25.9%	17.1%	10.7%	16.5%	33.3%	17.8%	10.4%	25.3%	21.4%	18.2%	13.9%
Totals	100.0% (996)	100.0% (152)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (129)	100.0% (828)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (461)	100.0% (535)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (362)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	75.2%	74.2%	75.4%	80.7%	76.1%	77.2%	80.3%	73.1%	72.4%	76.8%	76.5%	67.3%	79.8%	87.4%
No	6.5%	7.4%	8.5%	3.0%	8.9%	6.8%	3.7%	8.2%	7.5%	4.3%	7.4%	8.2%	5.9%	5.2%
Not sure	18.3%	18.5%	16.1%	16.3%	15.0%	16.1%	15.9%	18.7%	20.1%	18.9%	16.1%	24.5%	14.3%	7.4%
Totals	100.0% (996)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (257)	100.0% (293)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (401)	100.0% (148)

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9. Troop increase in Afghanistan

Do you favor increasing the number of troops in Afghanistan?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Increase	36.9%	25.7%	39.0%	45.8%	38.7%	34.1%	21.0%	45.8%	28.8%	35.3%	31.5%	43.0%
Keep the same	25.0%	28.3%	24.2%	23.1%	24.6%	21.9%	33.0%	23.3%	26.6%	25.4%	29.3%	21.3%
Decrease	38.1%	46.0%	36.8%	31.0%	36.7%	44.0%	46.0%	30.9%	44.6%	39.3%	39.2%	35.7%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(993)	(151)	(713)	(129)	(826)	(97)	(70)	(459)	(534)	(331)	(299)	(363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Increase	36.9%	32.2%	48.9%	34.6%	33.0%	34.9%	51.5%	37.8%	32.6%	40.0%	36.0%	28.8%	41.0%	44.6%
Keep the same	25.0%	24.4%	27.7%	24.0%	19.7%	24.5%	25.3%	26.4%	21.6%	27.2%	24.5%	26.5%	25.8%	18.7%
Decrease	38.1%	43.4%	23.4%	41.4%	47.3%	40.5%	23.1%	35.8%	45.8%	32.8%	39.5%	44.7%	33.2%	36.7%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(993)	(353)	(259)	(290)	(210)	(341)	(343)	(142)	(218)	(315)	(318)	(355)	(402)	(148)

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10. Expected outcome in Afghanistan

What do you think will eventually happen in Afghanistan?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The United States will win the war in Afghanistan.	41.5%	56.1%	38.0%	32.0%	40.5%	47.0%	44.3%	45.1%	38.2%	42.6%	45.0%	37.3%
The United States will withdraw from Afghanistan without winning.	58.5%	43.9%	62.0%	68.0%	59.5%	53.0%	55.7%	54.9%	61.8%	57.4%	55.0%	62.7%
Totals	100.0% (985)	100.0% (152)	100.0% (703)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (820)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (68)	100.0% (456)	100.0% (529)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (296)	100.0% (361)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The United States will win the war in Afghanistan.	41.5%	41.1%	57.7%	32.1%	38.3%	34.7%	50.2%	42.8%	36.6%	45.8%	39.7%	44.6%	36.1%	42.6%
The United States will withdraw from Afghanistan without winning.	58.5%	58.9%	42.3%	67.9%	61.7%	65.3%	49.8%	57.2%	63.4%	54.2%	60.3%	55.4%	63.9%	57.4%
Totals	100.0% (985)	100.0% (352)	100.0% (254)	100.0% (289)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (337)	100.0% (139)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (314)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (395)	100.0% (147)

11. Afghan opinion of U.S. troops

Do you think most people in Afghanistan want to have U.S. troops in their country or would they like the U.S. to leave?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Most would like U.S. troops to stay	16.3%	8.2%	18.0%	22.1%	16.7%	15.6%	12.5%	19.8%	13.2%	15.5%	15.5%	18.0%
About equally divided	28.9%	28.9%	27.4%	35.9%	28.4%	30.9%	32.1%	29.4%	28.6%	28.7%	31.5%	27.3%
Most would like U.S. troops to leave	37.5%	43.6%	36.4%	31.8%	37.1%	37.4%	41.4%	37.3%	37.7%	39.0%	34.4%	37.7%
Not sure	17.3%	19.2%	18.1%	10.2%	17.7%	16.1%	14.0%	13.6%	20.6%	16.8%	18.6%	16.9%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(995)	(152)	(714)	(129)	(829)	(97)	(69)	(459)	(536)	(334)	(301)	(360)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Most would like U.S. troops to stay	16.3%	11.4%	24.6%	17.6%	12.0%	12.7%	27.4%	17.4%	14.8%	19.0%	14.0%	12.2%	19.7%	22.8%
About equally divided	28.9%	30.2%	32.3%	27.7%	37.5%	27.9%	30.6%	29.4%	24.4%	26.9%	33.9%	29.8%	28.2%	27.2%
Most would like U.S. troops to leave	37.5%	40.9%	28.6%	41.0%	37.2%	42.8%	27.5%	33.3%	41.3%	36.7%	37.7%	37.1%	38.0%	38.1%
Not sure	17.3%	17.6%	14.5%	13.7%	13.3%	16.6%	14.6%	19.9%	19.5%	17.4%	14.4%	20.9%	14.0%	11.9%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(995)	(355)	(257)	(292)	(210)	(342)	(342)	(144)	(218)	(316)	(317)	(359)	(400)	(147)

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12. Decision to send troops to Afghanistan

Do you think the United States made a mistake sending troops to fight in Afghanistan?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	30.7%	31.8%	29.6%	33.9%	29.2%	32.8%	43.0%	29.1%	32.1%	35.8%	28.8%	25.0%
No	48.5%	40.9%	51.1%	49.4%	50.4%	44.3%	33.5%	56.6%	41.3%	40.7%	53.0%	55.8%
Not sure	20.8%	27.3%	19.3%	16.7%	20.3%	22.8%	23.5%	14.3%	26.6%	23.5%	18.1%	19.1%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(152)	(715)	(129)	(830)	(96)	(70)	(459)	(537)	(334)	(300)	(362)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	30.7%	30.3%	16.8%	38.2%	34.8%	32.0%	19.3%	28.2%	33.7%	29.1%	31.5%	38.8%	26.1%	24.7%
No	48.5%	46.2%	68.6%	43.3%	45.6%	45.7%	68.4%	52.2%	44.9%	47.1%	50.6%	34.2%	57.6%	61.6%
Not sure	20.8%	23.5%	14.6%	18.5%	19.5%	22.3%	12.3%	19.6%	21.4%	23.8%	17.9%	27.0%	16.2%	13.7%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(356)	(256)	(293)	(211)	(344)	(340)	(144)	(218)	(316)	(318)	(360)	(400)	(147)

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13. Angry over release of terrorist

Did the release of Abdel Basset Ali al-Megrahi, the terminally ill Libyan terrorist, from prison in Scotland make you angry?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very angry	42.6%	24.7%	45.3%	59.9%	45.0%	27.0%	37.1%	43.9%	41.3%	41.6%	43.0%	43.5%
Somewhat angry	36.0%	48.7%	32.6%	29.8%	36.4%	32.3%	36.7%	33.2%	38.6%	36.4%	37.8%	34.1%
Not angry	21.4%	26.6%	22.0%	10.3%	18.6%	40.7%	26.3%	22.9%	20.1%	22.0%	19.1%	22.4%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(992)	(150)	(713)	(129)	(825)	(97)	(70)	(461)	(531)	(332)	(297)	(363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very angry	42.6%	32.8%	55.4%	47.1%	29.9%	38.7%	62.4%	51.8%	30.1%	49.1%	39.6%	34.7%	44.5%	60.6%
Somewhat angry	36.0%	41.3%	37.4%	27.5%	44.3%	39.7%	27.2%	37.6%	42.9%	30.2%	36.7%	39.1%	35.9%	23.9%
Not angry	21.4%	25.9%	7.2%	25.4%	25.8%	21.6%	10.4%	10.6%	26.9%	20.7%	23.7%	26.3%	19.6%	15.5%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(992)	(354)	(258)	(290)	(210)	(339)	(342)	(143)	(216)	(316)	(317)	(356)	(400)	(148)

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14. Obama handling of terrorist release

Do you think the Obama administration could have prevented the release of Abdel Basset Ali al-Megrahi?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	31.1%	26.6%	33.2%	29.3%	32.9%	17.9%	29.1%	33.0%	29.5%	31.9%	28.6%	32.0%
No	34.0%	24.4%	35.5%	43.1%	34.7%	42.3%	17.6%	37.3%	31.0%	30.3%	37.4%	36.5%
Not sure	34.9%	49.0%	31.2%	27.6%	32.4%	39.8%	53.3%	29.6%	39.5%	37.8%	34.0%	31.5%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(151)	(715)	(130)	(828)	(97)	(71)	(460)	(536)	(332)	(300)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	31.1%	17.2%	48.8%	31.1%	19.9%	17.9%	50.3%	36.4%	23.9%	30.9%	33.8%	28.5%	32.8%	39.9%
No	34.0%	46.1%	26.4%	34.5%	43.5%	44.1%	24.4%	35.9%	37.5%	36.5%	28.1%	26.9%	40.4%	32.1%
Not sure	34.9%	36.7%	24.8%	34.4%	36.6%	38.0%	25.3%	27.7%	38.6%	32.6%	38.1%	44.7%	26.8%	28.0%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(356)	(259)	(291)	(211)	(343)	(343)	(144)	(217)	(317)	(318)	(358)	(402)	(148)

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15. Effectiveness of stimulus package

About six months ago, Congress passed President Obama's \$787 billion economic stimulus bill. Do you think the stimulus bill is working?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	24.4%	21.4%	24.8%	27.8%	21.4%	48.7%	25.0%	27.9%	21.4%	18.5%	29.3%	29.1%
No	55.5%	49.1%	55.6%	65.5%	61.1%	19.1%	43.5%	59.0%	52.3%	56.9%	53.1%	55.2%
Not sure	20.1%	29.4%	19.6%	6.6%	17.5%	32.1%	31.5%	13.2%	26.3%	24.6%	17.5%	15.7%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(153)	(717)	(129)	(830)	(98)	(71)	(462)	(537)	(335)	(301)	(363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	24.4%	44.3%	6.5%	22.1%	50.7%	31.0%	6.9%	24.3%	25.9%	21.3%	26.9%	18.9%	28.3%	29.2%
No	55.5%	26.1%	88.4%	59.2%	29.6%	46.2%	85.7%	52.4%	56.6%	56.7%	54.8%	52.7%	58.6%	59.7%
Not sure	20.1%	29.6%	5.1%	18.7%	19.7%	22.8%	7.5%	23.4%	17.5%	22.0%	18.3%	28.4%	13.1%	11.1%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(356)	(259)	(292)	(211)	(343)	(343)	(144)	(218)	(319)	(318)	(361)	(401)	(148)

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16. Expected impact of stimulus package

Do you think the stimulus bill WILL work? (Asked of respondents who said the stimulus is not working or were not sure if it is working)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	12.2%	22.6%	9.2%	6.7%	9.5%	27.8%	27.3%	11.4%	12.9%	11.7%	11.9%	13.1%
No	62.7%	45.5%	65.1%	84.2%	66.7%	31.2%	48.0%	71.8%	55.3%	64.6%	58.2%	63.2%
Not sure	25.1%	31.9%	25.8%	9.0%	23.8%	41.0%	24.8%	16.8%	31.9%	23.6%	29.9%	23.7%
Totals	100.0% (714)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (504)	100.0% (90)	100.0% (625)	100.0% (42)	100.0% (47)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (390)	100.0% (254)	100.0% (210)	100.0% (250)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	12.2%	32.6%	1.3%	9.4%	32.3%	15.2%	3.7%	12.1%	14.4%	13.0%	9.9%	15.2%	8.3%	10.2%
No	62.7%	39.2%	83.9%	63.8%	34.8%	53.1%	85.6%	55.0%	65.6%	60.1%	67.5%	52.7%	71.7%	69.9%
Not sure	25.1%	28.2%	14.8%	26.8%	32.9%	31.7%	10.7%	32.9%	20.0%	26.9%	22.6%	32.0%	20.0%	20.0%
Totals	100.0% (714)	100.0% (173)	100.0% (244)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (96)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (103)	100.0% (153)	100.0% (236)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (105)

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17. Health insurance

Do you currently have health insurance?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	74.7%	61.6%	74.4%	98.0%	75.5%	78.8%	61.2%	74.1%	75.2%	68.8%	74.6%	83.0%
No	24.0%	34.1%	25.1%	2.0%	23.5%	16.6%	38.8%	23.8%	24.3%	30.3%	22.7%	16.2%
Don't know	1.3%	4.2%	0.5%	0.0%	1.0%	4.6%	0.0%	2.1%	0.5%	0.9%	2.7%	0.8%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(153)	(716)	(130)	(830)	(98)	(71)	(461)	(538)	(335)	(301)	(363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	74.7%	72.0%	83.2%	73.3%	80.8%	72.2%	82.7%	79.6%	74.5%	70.5%	76.9%	61.9%	83.0%	91.6%
No	24.0%	27.4%	15.1%	26.7%	18.9%	26.0%	17.3%	20.4%	24.6%	28.2%	20.9%	36.0%	16.5%	8.4%
Don't know	1.3%	0.7%	1.7%	0.0%	0.3%	1.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	1.3%	2.3%	2.1%	0.5%	0.0%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(356)	(259)	(292)	(211)	(344)	(342)	(144)	(218)	(319)	(318)	(361)	(401)	(148)

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18. Health coverage type

What kind of health care coverage do you currently have? (Asked of respondents who have health insurance)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
I have private insurance or belong to an HMO.	66.0%	61.1%	79.0%	27.5%	67.6%	57.1%	60.8%	66.2%	65.9%	48.5%	69.2%	84.2%
I'm covered by a government plan, such as Medicare or Medicaid.	31.1%	28.4%	19.6%	72.5%	30.5%	36.4%	30.9%	30.7%	31.5%	46.7%	27.6%	15.4%
Not sure	2.9%	10.4%	1.3%	0.0%	1.9%	6.6%	8.3%	3.1%	2.7%	4.8%	3.2%	0.4%
Totals	100.0% (792)	100.0% (103)	100.0% (562)	100.0% (127)	100.0% (659)	100.0% (81)	100.0% (52)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (420)	100.0% (244)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (307)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
I have private insurance or belong to an HMO.	66.0%	64.1%	71.9%	67.2%	70.5%	63.6%	71.7%	60.0%	62.5%	64.7%	72.5%	38.3%	80.3%	91.6%
I'm covered by a government plan, such as Medicare or Medicaid.	31.1%	34.7%	27.6%	28.6%	26.5%	33.0%	26.3%	36.9%	34.2%	32.1%	25.3%	56.0%	19.7%	7.5%
Not sure	2.9%	1.2%	0.5%	4.2%	3.0%	3.4%	2.0%	3.1%	3.3%	3.2%	2.2%	5.8%	0.0%	0.9%
Totals	100.0% (792)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (228)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (265)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (170)	100.0% (248)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (138)

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19. Health insurance plan preference, version A

Suppose you were offered a choice between the following two health insurance plans. Which one would you choose? (Asked of half of respondents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A plan that limited the total amount of benefits in your lifetime to \$1 million.	44.2%	47.5%	44.5%	38.3%	41.4%	50.7%	70.7%	39.3%	48.5%	51.2%	43.6%	35.6%
A plan with no lifetime limit on benefits, but cost you an additional \$1000 per year.	55.8%	52.5%	55.5%	61.7%	58.6%	49.3%	29.3%	60.7%	51.5%	48.8%	56.4%	64.4%
Totals	100.0% (501)	100.0% (72)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (63)	100.0% (420)	100.0% (49)	100.0% (32)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (159)	100.0% (152)	100.0% (190)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A plan that limited the total amount of benefits in your lifetime to \$1 million.	44.2%	50.6%	40.1%	37.3%	42.4%	42.7%	36.5%	39.9%	39.8%	47.4%	46.5%	53.0%	39.3%	30.1%
A plan with no lifetime limit on benefits, but cost you an additional \$1000 per year.	55.8%	49.4%	59.9%	62.7%	57.6%	57.3%	63.5%	60.1%	60.2%	52.6%	53.5%	47.0%	60.7%	69.9%
Totals	100.0% (501)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (131)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (165)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (70)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (162)	100.0% (148)	100.0% (183)	100.0% (194)	100.0% (81)

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20. Health insurance plan preference, version B

Suppose you were offered a choice between the following health insurance plans. Which would you choose? (Asked of half of respondents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A plan with no lifetime limit on benefits.	79.5%	79.9%	78.6%	82.7%	79.4%	83.9%	74.8%	78.8%	80.2%	77.9%	81.2%	80.5%
A plan that limited the total amount of benefits in your lifetime to \$1 million, but saved you \$1000 per year.	20.5%	20.1%	21.4%	17.3%	20.6%	16.1%	25.2%	21.2%	19.8%	22.1%	18.8%	19.5%
Totals	100.0% (475)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (335)	100.0% (63)	100.0% (392)	100.0% (46)	100.0% (37)	100.0% (228)	100.0% (247)	100.0% (162)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (169)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A plan with no lifetime limit on benefits.	79.5%	82.5%	75.6%	80.6%	78.9%	85.9%	76.9%	77.5%	87.3%	76.1%	79.4%	78.6%	79.3%	85.9%
A plan that limited the total amount of benefits in your lifetime to \$1 million, but saved you \$1000 per year.	20.5%	17.5%	24.4%	19.4%	21.1%	14.1%	23.1%	22.5%	12.7%	23.9%	20.6%	21.4%	20.7%	14.1%
Totals	100.0% (475)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (172)	100.0% (156)	100.0% (70)	100.0% (96)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (165)	100.0% (203)	100.0% (65)

21. Knowledge of health care reform plans

How much have you heard or read about the health care reform plans now being considered by Congress?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A great deal	30.4%	14.8%	32.6%	47.3%	33.5%	17.5%	15.6%	35.3%	26.0%	25.3%	25.8%	41.1%
A fair amount	32.9%	25.9%	35.3%	33.7%	33.5%	34.4%	25.1%	34.2%	31.6%	28.2%	37.1%	36.2%
Not much	29.0%	45.2%	25.0%	18.9%	26.5%	33.1%	48.2%	22.2%	35.0%	32.5%	35.4%	19.2%
Nothing at all	7.7%	14.1%	7.1%	0.0%	6.5%	15.0%	11.0%	8.3%	7.3%	14.0%	1.7%	3.4%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(998)	(153)	(716)	(129)	(829)	(98)	(71)	(460)	(538)	(335)	(300)	(363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A great deal	30.4%	21.8%	44.8%	36.9%	29.5%	22.5%	53.2%	35.5%	26.8%	30.5%	30.3%	20.0%	37.6%	41.9%
A fair amount	32.9%	35.7%	28.3%	33.6%	40.4%	41.8%	27.2%	31.8%	29.4%	33.2%	35.3%	26.9%	37.1%	37.8%
Not much	29.0%	34.3%	24.4%	22.5%	28.5%	33.2%	17.2%	28.0%	34.9%	22.4%	32.4%	38.5%	23.1%	19.9%
Nothing at all	7.7%	8.2%	2.5%	6.9%	1.6%	2.5%	2.4%	4.8%	8.8%	13.8%	2.0%	14.5%	2.2%	0.5%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(998)	(355)	(259)	(292)	(210)	(344)	(342)	(144)	(218)	(318)	(318)	(360)	(401)	(148)

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22. Quality impact of health care reform plan

If President Obama and Congress pass a health care reform plan, do you think you personally would receive better or worse care than you receive now?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Better care	15.3%	21.0%	15.5%	4.8%	12.4%	23.2%	35.1%	17.2%	13.5%	11.9%	19.9%	16.5%
About the same	29.8%	32.9%	28.4%	30.8%	29.0%	42.4%	21.6%	26.9%	32.3%	26.5%	30.8%	33.6%
Worse care	39.5%	26.9%	40.5%	56.3%	44.8%	9.5%	23.2%	42.4%	36.9%	39.9%	36.5%	41.3%
Not sure	15.4%	19.1%	15.7%	8.1%	13.8%	24.9%	20.1%	13.4%	17.2%	21.7%	12.9%	8.5%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(152)	(717)	(130)	(831)	(98)	(70)	(462)	(537)	(334)	(301)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Better care	15.3%	27.9%	5.7%	13.9%	31.2%	19.2%	4.4%	18.4%	15.1%	11.8%	17.6%	18.3%	14.3%	11.8%
About the same	29.8%	44.5%	14.5%	30.8%	52.9%	38.4%	13.4%	26.7%	33.4%	27.2%	31.5%	27.6%	33.3%	28.5%
Worse care	39.5%	11.5%	75.5%	39.7%	10.3%	24.5%	77.5%	38.9%	33.7%	43.9%	39.2%	31.8%	43.1%	55.1%
Not sure	15.4%	16.1%	4.2%	15.6%	5.7%	17.9%	4.7%	16.0%	17.8%	17.1%	11.7%	22.3%	9.3%	4.6%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(356)	(258)	(293)	(210)	(344)	(343)	(143)	(218)	(319)	(319)	(360)	(402)	(148)

23. Tax impact of health care reform plan

Do you think you personally would pay more, either in taxes or insurance costs, if President Obama and Congress pass a health care reform plan?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Pay more	56.2%	40.7%	59.3%	68.2%	61.7%	19.6%	44.7%	57.4%	55.1%	57.8%	52.3%	56.9%
About the same	20.3%	23.9%	19.3%	18.7%	17.8%	43.5%	17.7%	17.4%	22.8%	16.8%	25.8%	21.0%
Pay less	8.8%	13.8%	8.0%	3.9%	6.9%	12.4%	23.3%	12.2%	5.7%	6.0%	12.6%	9.7%
Not sure	14.8%	21.6%	13.5%	9.2%	13.7%	24.5%	14.3%	13.0%	16.3%	19.3%	9.3%	12.4%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(151)	(715)	(130)	(828)	(97)	(71)	(459)	(537)	(333)	(300)	(363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Pay more	56.2%	29.6%	84.3%	60.7%	32.1%	44.8%	86.3%	57.3%	53.8%	58.5%	54.8%	49.8%	61.1%	69.9%
About the same	20.3%	38.3%	5.3%	17.9%	41.4%	24.5%	9.2%	20.5%	22.9%	17.0%	21.9%	18.4%	21.2%	18.2%
Pay less	8.8%	15.9%	2.4%	9.0%	18.2%	12.4%	1.4%	5.6%	7.7%	9.3%	10.4%	10.0%	8.7%	8.2%
Not sure	14.8%	16.2%	8.0%	12.5%	8.4%	18.3%	3.1%	16.5%	15.6%	15.2%	12.9%	21.8%	9.0%	3.7%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(355)	(259)	(292)	(210)	(343)	(342)	(144)	(218)	(317)	(317)	(359)	(401)	(148)

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24. Overall impact of health care reform plan

Overall, if the President Obama and Congress pass health care reform, do you think you personally would be better or worse off?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Better off	20.5%	22.0%	21.4%	13.9%	17.2%	35.2%	36.0%	23.4%	17.8%	15.6%	24.2%	24.4%
About the same	24.3%	31.2%	22.3%	21.4%	23.7%	33.7%	19.0%	22.7%	25.6%	23.9%	25.2%	24.0%
Worse off	40.7%	26.9%	42.2%	56.6%	46.0%	9.9%	24.1%	43.8%	37.9%	40.1%	38.1%	43.4%
Not sure	14.6%	19.9%	14.1%	8.0%	13.2%	21.2%	21.0%	10.0%	18.6%	20.3%	12.5%	8.3%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(998)	(152)	(716)	(130)	(830)	(97)	(71)	(461)	(537)	(333)	(301)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Better off	20.5%	37.9%	5.0%	19.8%	46.5%	25.5%	4.0%	20.4%	22.0%	16.4%	23.8%	19.8%	24.2%	16.9%
About the same	24.3%	36.4%	10.4%	25.1%	33.1%	30.6%	13.2%	16.8%	27.5%	25.5%	24.3%	25.9%	22.5%	23.0%
Worse off	40.7%	10.4%	75.5%	43.1%	13.1%	26.9%	79.5%	41.0%	37.3%	43.4%	40.0%	32.1%	44.2%	57.2%
Not sure	14.6%	15.4%	9.1%	12.0%	7.3%	16.9%	3.3%	21.9%	13.3%	14.7%	11.9%	22.2%	9.1%	2.9%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(998)	(356)	(259)	(292)	(211)	(344)	(342)	(143)	(218)	(318)	(319)	(359)	(402)	(148)

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25. Expected outcome if health care reform bill is passed

If Congress passes and the President signs a health care reform bill, do you think...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
there will be long-term savings in health care costs?	40.9%	42.4%	42.1%	33.5%	35.3%	66.9%	65.4%	38.4%	43.2%	36.2%	44.5%	44.9%
health care will be rationed?	57.5%	61.5%	54.7%	63.0%	58.9%	37.9%	67.4%	57.7%	57.4%	59.4%	56.9%	55.2%
there will be limits to medical care for the elderly and people with disabilities?	57.7%	49.0%	60.0%	62.2%	60.7%	29.8%	61.1%	55.2%	59.9%	60.7%	53.3%	56.7%
people will be able to get health insurance coverage for pre-existing conditions?	61.5%	55.6%	63.0%	64.6%	60.4%	74.8%	55.8%	63.8%	59.3%	53.7%	65.3%	69.5%
the elderly will be required to have consultations with doctors about end of life decisions?	55.3%	53.2%	56.3%	54.8%	56.2%	37.8%	68.3%	56.3%	54.5%	58.6%	56.0%	50.2%
you would be able to keep your health care coverage even if you became seriously ill?	55.6%	57.1%	55.8%	52.3%	52.5%	77.9%	59.3%	57.3%	54.1%	45.0%	61.8%	65.7%
Totals	(1,000)	(153)	(717)	(130)	(831)	(98)	(71)	(462)	(538)	(335)	(301)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
there will be long-term savings in health care costs?	40.9%	69.2%	13.4%	39.1%	81.0%	51.3%	13.6%	46.6%	41.5%	35.1%	44.0%	40.5%	42.4%	39.4%
health care will be rationed?	57.5%	34.1%	83.0%	57.7%	29.9%	43.5%	85.7%	49.8%	58.1%	61.8%	56.2%	57.0%	54.9%	64.2%
there will be limits to medical care for the elderly and people with disabilities?	57.7%	33.6%	84.4%	58.5%	34.4%	44.7%	88.6%	52.2%	55.8%	64.1%	54.7%	54.4%	58.8%	67.2%
people will be able to get health insurance coverage for pre-existing conditions?	61.5%	81.0%	40.2%	68.7%	86.8%	66.8%	48.6%	64.3%	63.0%	58.1%	62.6%	56.1%	67.9%	60.9%
the elderly will be required to have consultations with doctors about end of life decisions?	55.3%	38.7%	71.4%	55.3%	39.4%	44.7%	79.4%	48.4%	51.5%	63.6%	52.4%	54.3%	54.9%	56.8%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
you would be able to keep your health care coverage even if you became seriously ill?	55.6%	80.5%	33.3%	57.0%	84.9%	66.2%	35.1%	57.5%	59.8%	52.0%	55.7%	52.5%	59.7%	60.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(356)	(259)	(293)	(211)	(344)	(343)	(144)	(218)	(319)	(319)	(361)	(402)	(148)

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26. Public option

Do you favor or oppose having a "public option" which would allow individuals to purchase health insurance coverage from the government?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Favor	43.2%	47.8%	43.2%	35.5%	39.6%	65.9%	51.8%	43.2%	43.2%	36.4%	47.1%	49.9%
Oppose	29.6%	20.5%	30.3%	41.5%	33.8%	6.1%	15.5%	36.0%	23.8%	27.5%	28.0%	33.7%
Not sure	27.2%	31.7%	26.5%	23.0%	26.6%	28.0%	32.7%	20.8%	33.0%	36.2%	24.9%	16.4%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(153)	(716)	(130)	(830)	(98)	(71)	(461)	(538)	(335)	(301)	(363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	43.2%	69.8%	18.9%	39.7%	81.9%	52.5%	20.4%	43.8%	44.9%	38.6%	46.6%	39.6%	49.8%	39.6%
Oppose	29.6%	7.1%	56.4%	34.6%	7.3%	19.6%	59.6%	27.5%	24.1%	37.2%	26.1%	23.1%	32.3%	43.6%
Not sure	27.2%	23.1%	24.7%	25.8%	10.8%	27.9%	20.0%	28.7%	31.0%	24.1%	27.3%	37.3%	17.8%	16.8%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(356)	(259)	(292)	(211)	(343)	(343)	(143)	(218)	(319)	(319)	(360)	(402)	(148)

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27. Government analysis of medical procedures

One proposal would be for the government to have experts evaluate how effective different medical treatments are and which ones are too costly. How good a job do you think the government can do in determining the comparative effectiveness of different medical procedures?

	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Excellent	5.2%	5.9%	5.2%	3.6%	3.4%	18.0%	6.4%	7.6%	2.9%	5.5%	5.3%	4.6%
Good	17.6%	24.8%	15.5%	15.3%	15.5%	26.0%	28.3%	18.0%	17.3%	14.6%	20.4%	19.8%
Fair	25.0%	38.6%	22.9%	11.3%	23.2%	38.8%	25.7%	23.3%	26.5%	26.3%	25.4%	23.0%
Poor	52.2%	30.7%	56.4%	69.9%	57.8%	17.2%	39.6%	51.1%	53.2%	53.7%	49.0%	52.6%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (153)	100.0% (714)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (828)	100.0% (98)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (462)	100.0% (535)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (364)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Excellent	5.2%	10.8%	0.5%	4.6%	11.4%	3.4%	1.5%	10.6%	4.3%	4.8%	3.6%	6.8%	3.9%	6.0%
Good	17.6%	25.7%	8.2%	15.9%	27.0%	24.0%	4.3%	15.4%	18.8%	12.8%	23.0%	18.1%	17.0%	13.6%
Fair	25.0%	32.4%	18.8%	20.8%	35.7%	25.6%	12.9%	27.4%	21.2%	28.4%	22.9%	29.6%	22.8%	23.9%
Poor	52.2%	31.1%	72.5%	58.6%	25.8%	47.0%	81.3%	46.6%	55.7%	54.1%	50.5%	45.5%	56.3%	56.5%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (356)	100.0% (258)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (147)

28. Opinion of health care reform protesters

Recently, there have been protests at town hall meetings conducted by members of Congress by people opposed to health care reform. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the people protesting health care reform?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Favorable	37.4%	25.6%	38.3%	53.2%	40.8%	10.5%	36.0%	44.3%	31.2%	38.9%	33.2%	38.3%
Neither favorable nor unfavorable	33.3%	46.0%	32.4%	16.0%	31.8%	41.7%	37.8%	25.7%	40.1%	40.5%	33.4%	23.2%
Unfavorable	29.3%	28.4%	29.4%	30.8%	27.4%	47.8%	26.3%	30.1%	28.7%	20.6%	33.4%	38.5%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(153)	(713)	(130)	(827)	(98)	(71)	(461)	(535)	(334)	(300)	(362)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favorable	37.4%	11.5%	71.2%	41.0%	9.0%	24.3%	75.4%	35.9%	33.2%	41.5%	36.4%	30.8%	40.1%	49.8%
Neither favorable nor unfavorable	33.3%	36.7%	21.9%	28.9%	26.6%	34.8%	17.2%	31.7%	41.2%	32.9%	29.0%	45.4%	25.8%	14.6%
Unfavorable	29.3%	51.7%	6.9%	30.1%	64.5%	41.0%	7.5%	32.4%	25.5%	25.5%	34.5%	23.8%	34.2%	35.6%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(356)	(257)	(292)	(211)	(342)	(342)	(142)	(218)	(317)	(319)	(360)	(401)	(147)

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29. Opinion of majority of public on health care reform

Do you think the majority of the public favors or opposes health care reform?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Favors	27.0%	28.5%	26.7%	25.4%	23.8%	44.9%	37.1%	29.5%	24.7%	24.9%	26.5%	30.2%
Evenly split	31.7%	43.1%	30.0%	19.6%	30.2%	39.3%	37.4%	28.4%	34.6%	33.9%	31.5%	28.8%
Opposes	41.3%	28.3%	43.2%	54.9%	46.1%	15.8%	25.4%	42.0%	40.7%	41.2%	42.1%	41.0%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (152)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (828)	100.0% (98)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (462)	100.0% (535)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favors	27.0%	44.0%	7.4%	29.0%	50.8%	33.4%	9.7%	28.5%	27.8%	22.3%	30.6%	24.7%	28.7%	30.9%
Evenly split	31.7%	39.7%	20.1%	29.1%	33.0%	40.1%	15.5%	31.2%	35.8%	31.2%	29.6%	40.3%	28.5%	15.8%
Opposes	41.3%	16.3%	72.5%	42.0%	16.2%	26.5%	74.8%	40.3%	36.5%	46.5%	39.8%	35.0%	42.8%	53.3%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (210)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (148)

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30. Passage of health care reform legislation

How likely is it that Congress will pass health care reform legislation this year?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very likely	12.1%	6.4%	13.3%	17.0%	12.1%	11.6%	13.5%	14.6%	10.0%	10.5%	9.6%	16.3%
Somewhat likely	34.1%	36.9%	32.7%	35.6%	33.4%	33.4%	42.1%	33.9%	34.2%	30.5%	34.9%	38.5%
Somewhat unlikely	24.5%	28.5%	24.4%	18.4%	24.8%	24.4%	21.8%	25.1%	24.0%	21.6%	29.3%	25.0%
Very unlikely	14.2%	9.3%	16.5%	12.6%	15.5%	9.5%	7.5%	15.3%	13.3%	15.2%	13.2%	13.6%
Not sure	15.0%	18.9%	13.2%	16.4%	14.3%	21.1%	15.1%	11.1%	18.5%	22.2%	13.1%	6.6%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (153)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (829)	100.0% (98)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (462)	100.0% (536)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very likely	12.1%	14.5%	10.0%	13.2%	18.0%	14.2%	9.5%	19.4%	10.8%	10.7%	11.1%	9.2%	15.9%	12.1%
Somewhat likely	34.1%	36.7%	34.7%	33.6%	39.3%	38.7%	32.4%	31.8%	30.8%	34.8%	36.6%	29.7%	37.9%	40.6%
Somewhat unlikely	24.5%	25.8%	28.5%	24.3%	23.2%	22.0%	28.3%	25.6%	27.0%	22.3%	24.8%	23.5%	26.7%	19.7%
Very unlikely	14.2%	13.4%	15.6%	16.4%	15.4%	12.1%	18.0%	12.4%	16.7%	12.9%	14.8%	15.1%	12.5%	18.4%
Not sure	15.0%	9.6%	11.2%	12.4%	4.2%	13.1%	11.8%	10.8%	14.7%	19.3%	12.8%	22.4%	7.1%	9.2%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (258)	100.0% (293)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (148)

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31. Pace of health care reform

Is Congress moving too quickly or too slowly to reform health care?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Too quickly	44.9%	34.1%	45.8%	58.8%	50.2%	13.7%	29.8%	47.1%	42.9%	41.3%	45.3%	49.6%
About the right pace	24.6%	28.6%	26.0%	12.2%	23.0%	38.0%	24.8%	22.9%	26.2%	28.4%	25.2%	19.1%
Too slowly	30.4%	37.2%	28.2%	29.0%	26.8%	48.4%	45.5%	30.0%	30.9%	30.3%	29.5%	31.4%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(994)	(152)	(712)	(130)	(827)	(97)	(70)	(462)	(532)	(329)	(301)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Too quickly	44.9%	17.1%	76.5%	47.9%	14.6%	33.8%	79.3%	43.7%	38.6%	48.4%	46.1%	36.7%	47.1%	58.1%
About the right pace	24.6%	33.1%	11.2%	26.1%	28.6%	29.4%	12.0%	25.5%	30.1%	25.2%	19.9%	29.5%	23.8%	13.5%
Too slowly	30.4%	49.9%	12.3%	26.0%	56.8%	36.7%	8.7%	30.9%	31.3%	26.4%	33.9%	33.8%	29.1%	28.4%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(994)	(354)	(259)	(291)	(210)	(342)	(343)	(142)	(218)	(315)	(319)	(356)	(402)	(148)

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32. Favorable opinion of individual

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following people?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Hillary Clinton	52.1%	49.6%	52.8%	53.5%	48.8%	79.9%	50.9%	48.0%	55.8%	48.5%	53.8%	56.0%
Rush Limbaugh	28.4%	13.2%	30.9%	42.7%	32.0%	4.3%	22.4%	34.3%	23.2%	26.9%	27.0%	31.6%
Barack Obama	48.5%	50.6%	49.6%	39.8%	43.6%	84.2%	53.3%	45.7%	51.0%	41.6%	54.6%	53.4%
George W. Bush	34.6%	26.9%	35.0%	45.9%	37.3%	14.6%	32.4%	33.8%	35.4%	35.2%	30.6%	36.9%
John Boehner	13.1%	7.2%	12.8%	24.6%	13.5%	8.5%	14.8%	16.8%	9.9%	10.9%	10.0%	18.6%
Nancy Pelosi	24.3%	17.4%	25.9%	28.8%	20.9%	48.5%	28.5%	24.3%	24.3%	18.7%	26.7%	30.2%
Ted Kennedy	42.8%	30.2%	47.8%	41.7%	39.4%	65.7%	49.0%	39.0%	46.2%	37.5%	42.9%	50.1%
Totals	(1,000)	(153)	(717)	(130)	(831)	(98)	(71)	(462)	(538)	(335)	(301)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Hillary Clinton	52.1%	88.7%	17.9%	47.5%	82.3%	67.2%	21.1%	63.9%	55.3%	47.7%	49.1%	53.4%	52.4%	52.7%
Rush Limbaugh	28.4%	7.2%	64.8%	27.9%	10.5%	10.8%	68.0%	25.2%	26.3%	29.8%	29.8%	20.3%	32.0%	43.2%
Barack Obama	48.5%	81.4%	18.1%	45.9%	83.6%	65.6%	16.7%	56.4%	49.6%	41.3%	51.5%	48.7%	49.2%	48.8%
George W. Bush	34.6%	11.1%	79.8%	28.4%	8.9%	23.1%	70.1%	32.0%	35.5%	37.9%	31.8%	29.5%	37.0%	46.0%
John Boehner	13.1%	6.3%	25.8%	12.7%	6.3%	6.3%	26.8%	16.4%	14.9%	11.8%	11.8%	9.2%	15.8%	14.9%
Nancy Pelosi	24.3%	48.2%	5.2%	21.2%	58.7%	31.8%	6.8%	21.9%	26.8%	20.7%	27.4%	18.2%	29.1%	28.0%
Ted Kennedy	42.8%	72.0%	17.2%	37.9%	70.9%	57.6%	15.7%	47.4%	44.2%	37.4%	45.4%	40.4%	46.3%	47.0%
Totals	(1,000)	(356)	(259)	(293)	(211)	(344)	(343)	(144)	(218)	(319)	(319)	(361)	(402)	(148)

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33. Obama's toughness

Do you think Barack Obama is tough enough to make the hard choices a President has to make or not?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	54.1%	62.1%	53.9%	42.2%	48.2%	84.4%	76.5%	50.0%	57.9%	51.0%	57.2%	56.3%
No	45.9%	37.9%	46.1%	57.8%	51.8%	15.6%	23.5%	50.0%	42.1%	49.0%	42.8%	43.7%
Totals	100.0% (995)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (714)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (827)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (462)	100.0% (533)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (298)	100.0% (364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	54.1%	79.9%	23.6%	50.4%	84.6%	68.7%	21.0%	59.5%	55.0%	46.5%	58.9%	57.8%	52.2%	50.3%
No	45.9%	20.1%	76.4%	49.6%	15.4%	31.3%	79.0%	40.5%	45.0%	53.5%	41.1%	42.2%	47.8%	49.7%
Totals	100.0% (995)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (258)	100.0% (291)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (148)

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34. Obama's leadership

Do you think Barack Obama has strong qualities of leadership, or not?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	56.6%	65.0%	57.5%	38.6%	51.2%	87.2%	72.9%	52.9%	60.0%	51.2%	60.9%	60.9%
No	43.4%	35.0%	42.5%	61.4%	48.8%	12.8%	27.1%	47.1%	40.0%	48.8%	39.1%	39.1%
Totals	100.0% (994)	100.0% (152)	100.0% (713)	100.0% (129)	100.0% (826)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (462)	100.0% (532)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (362)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	56.6%	83.3%	26.2%	52.3%	87.2%	73.1%	22.9%	58.6%	57.6%	49.9%	62.1%	59.1%	53.2%	55.8%
No	43.4%	16.7%	73.8%	47.7%	12.8%	26.9%	77.1%	41.4%	42.4%	50.1%	37.9%	40.9%	46.8%	44.2%
Totals	100.0% (994)	100.0% (356)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (289)	100.0% (210)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (399)	100.0% (148)

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35. Obama approval on issues

Below are some issues facing the country. For each one, indicate whether you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling that issue.

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The war in Iraq	43.3%	34.9%	46.4%	43.8%	42.5%	56.0%	35.7%	47.9%	39.2%	33.4%	48.0%	53.7%
The economy	44.3%	43.1%	45.8%	39.7%	39.2%	75.9%	56.4%	42.7%	45.7%	40.6%	44.8%	49.0%
Immigration	23.8%	23.8%	25.0%	18.5%	19.4%	48.8%	37.2%	25.8%	22.0%	20.4%	26.1%	26.8%
The environment	45.7%	51.0%	43.1%	48.1%	42.4%	71.4%	47.2%	43.6%	47.5%	40.0%	48.2%	51.7%
Terrorism	37.9%	35.0%	39.5%	35.9%	34.8%	59.3%	43.3%	42.0%	34.3%	30.1%	44.6%	43.9%
Gay rights	29.5%	26.3%	30.7%	29.4%	27.9%	40.3%	32.6%	29.5%	29.4%	22.7%	34.1%	35.4%
Education	43.5%	43.2%	43.4%	44.0%	38.3%	78.9%	52.2%	39.9%	46.6%	36.0%	50.2%	48.8%
Health care	40.3%	40.7%	40.7%	37.7%	35.5%	71.4%	49.5%	41.0%	39.6%	35.1%	43.5%	45.0%
Social security	32.1%	33.8%	31.1%	33.7%	26.9%	62.9%	46.5%	32.3%	32.0%	31.0%	30.2%	35.1%
The war in Afghanistan	41.6%	33.7%	44.4%	42.9%	39.6%	62.6%	36.7%	47.2%	36.7%	32.3%	43.1%	53.6%
Totals	(1,000)	(153)	(717)	(130)	(831)	(98)	(71)	(462)	(538)	(335)	(301)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The war in Iraq	43.3%	63.7%	25.8%	43.0%	66.7%	55.9%	30.2%	49.0%	42.7%	40.9%	43.6%	39.3%	44.8%	52.7%
The economy	44.3%	76.2%	14.2%	38.7%	80.5%	57.8%	14.3%	55.4%	47.7%	36.7%	44.7%	45.5%	43.4%	44.2%
Immigration	23.8%	41.2%	8.3%	20.8%	46.2%	31.8%	7.9%	21.4%	27.2%	25.0%	21.4%	25.7%	23.8%	22.0%
The environment	45.7%	71.9%	24.7%	38.4%	76.3%	56.7%	20.0%	43.6%	47.5%	43.6%	47.7%	45.7%	47.1%	46.6%
Terrorism	37.9%	66.2%	11.1%	35.1%	68.2%	51.8%	15.6%	38.0%	42.2%	35.1%	38.1%	35.5%	39.4%	39.6%
Gay rights	29.5%	44.6%	17.7%	27.7%	46.3%	39.4%	16.7%	33.5%	28.3%	27.7%	30.3%	25.9%	31.6%	30.0%
Education	43.5%	67.9%	22.5%	38.3%	69.1%	54.8%	23.9%	43.6%	47.8%	45.1%	38.7%	43.3%	44.8%	44.5%
Health care	40.3%	72.5%	13.5%	37.3%	77.6%	55.1%	9.3%	47.1%	47.9%	32.4%	40.1%	43.5%	39.5%	35.0%
Social security	32.1%	57.4%	12.4%	26.6%	58.9%	39.4%	13.4%	38.0%	42.1%	26.9%	28.2%	34.4%	30.7%	28.9%
The war in Afghanistan	41.6%	62.9%	26.0%	40.1%	60.1%	49.1%	35.4%	45.2%	41.6%	41.9%	39.7%	33.9%	46.8%	53.3%
Totals	(1,000)	(356)	(259)	(293)	(211)	(344)	(343)	(144)	(218)	(319)	(319)	(361)	(402)	(148)

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36. Important issue

How important are the following issues to you?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The war in Iraq	80.8%	73.4%	81.7%	89.0%	80.9%	72.8%	89.1%	76.6%	84.5%	78.0%	82.5%	83.4%
The economy	95.1%	88.8%	96.9%	98.3%	95.2%	92.9%	97.0%	93.3%	96.8%	92.8%	96.5%	97.4%
Immigration	81.0%	72.9%	82.4%	88.5%	80.9%	76.7%	86.9%	81.9%	80.2%	77.9%	85.0%	82.3%
The environment	80.6%	77.8%	81.2%	82.8%	79.2%	89.6%	84.3%	76.8%	84.1%	82.4%	78.2%	79.9%
Terrorism	86.0%	74.6%	87.8%	97.6%	86.0%	84.0%	88.4%	85.4%	86.5%	84.3%	88.4%	86.7%
Gay rights	39.4%	46.9%	37.3%	36.2%	39.4%	36.2%	43.3%	35.4%	43.0%	33.0%	44.8%	44.4%
Education	86.2%	82.0%	86.9%	90.1%	85.2%	92.9%	87.8%	83.5%	88.6%	82.7%	89.6%	88.6%
Health care	91.2%	83.4%	93.1%	96.0%	90.6%	91.7%	96.5%	88.4%	93.7%	90.2%	91.9%	92.1%
Social security	90.4%	78.4%	93.5%	96.9%	89.5%	92.4%	97.0%	87.4%	93.0%	90.0%	89.1%	91.8%
The budget deficit	89.3%	82.6%	90.7%	94.5%	89.0%	86.5%	96.5%	89.4%	89.3%	85.5%	92.7%	92.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(153)	(717)	(130)	(831)	(98)	(71)	(462)	(538)	(335)	(301)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The war in Iraq	80.8%	77.0%	88.6%	80.1%	79.2%	83.0%	88.0%	78.1%	80.6%	81.5%	81.4%	78.1%	83.8%	83.2%
The economy	95.1%	94.7%	95.2%	97.8%	98.9%	97.7%	97.6%	98.4%	97.2%	92.7%	94.8%	92.0%	99.1%	98.8%
Immigration	81.0%	74.4%	87.1%	82.9%	72.0%	80.4%	91.5%	79.3%	75.6%	81.7%	84.7%	77.5%	84.8%	82.1%
The environment	80.6%	88.0%	71.8%	79.0%	92.1%	87.2%	66.3%	79.3%	77.1%	80.7%	83.6%	83.8%	78.7%	81.7%
Terrorism	86.0%	86.6%	94.2%	83.1%	84.0%	89.1%	94.7%	89.9%	85.3%	87.9%	82.7%	82.0%	90.2%	91.7%
Gay rights	39.4%	45.2%	29.9%	40.5%	59.9%	45.7%	27.2%	38.6%	35.4%	35.2%	47.0%	35.1%	43.7%	38.8%
Education	86.2%	89.9%	83.2%	86.1%	89.7%	90.2%	86.2%	87.8%	84.3%	87.4%	85.4%	83.9%	88.9%	88.3%
Health care	91.2%	93.4%	89.5%	93.3%	98.9%	95.3%	88.0%	93.1%	93.4%	90.0%	90.2%	90.8%	93.8%	88.5%
Social security	90.4%	91.7%	91.2%	91.3%	92.8%	93.1%	91.8%	95.7%	91.8%	89.6%	87.8%	89.5%	93.5%	90.3%
The budget deficit	89.3%	89.0%	92.7%	90.4%	89.4%	91.1%	94.5%	93.0%	87.2%	86.7%	91.9%	84.7%	93.9%	92.9%
Totals	(1,000)	(356)	(259)	(293)	(211)	(344)	(343)	(144)	(218)	(319)	(319)	(361)	(402)	(148)

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37. Most important issue

Which of these is the most important issue for you?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The war in Iraq	1.7%	2.2%	1.4%	2.1%	1.8%	1.6%	1.2%	1.7%	1.7%	2.0%	2.0%	1.1%
The economy	41.8%	44.5%	45.8%	20.0%	40.4%	57.7%	36.9%	43.9%	39.9%	36.6%	46.5%	45.2%
Immigration	6.0%	3.7%	6.0%	9.7%	5.9%	0.0%	14.2%	8.0%	4.3%	8.5%	3.3%	4.8%
The environment	3.9%	8.6%	2.9%	1.2%	4.6%	1.1%	0.6%	4.5%	3.4%	5.4%	2.7%	2.8%
Terrorism	3.2%	4.3%	3.2%	1.5%	3.7%	0.0%	2.2%	3.0%	3.4%	2.8%	3.7%	3.4%
Gay rights	2.7%	6.2%	1.6%	1.7%	2.4%	3.6%	4.2%	2.8%	2.5%	1.8%	5.2%	1.9%
Education	6.1%	13.8%	3.9%	3.5%	5.3%	7.8%	12.1%	5.5%	6.6%	4.9%	5.6%	8.1%
Health care	14.5%	8.6%	14.7%	22.6%	14.7%	13.9%	13.2%	11.0%	17.6%	13.7%	14.1%	15.9%
Social security	11.0%	2.6%	10.4%	26.8%	11.9%	12.0%	1.4%	7.1%	14.5%	16.0%	8.2%	6.4%
The budget deficit	9.1%	5.5%	10.0%	10.9%	9.4%	2.3%	14.1%	12.6%	6.0%	8.3%	8.7%	10.4%
Totals	100.0% (986)	100.0% (148)	100.0% (708)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (820)	100.0% (96)	100.0% (70)	100.0% (455)	100.0% (531)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (359)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The war in Iraq	1.7%	1.7%	2.0%	1.1%	1.8%	2.2%	1.8%	4.2%	0.5%	0.9%	2.1%	2.3%	1.0%	1.2%
The economy	41.8%	47.2%	38.7%	40.4%	40.1%	48.8%	35.0%	51.5%	40.0%	38.6%	41.6%	38.5%	46.0%	47.7%
Immigration	6.0%	4.5%	8.0%	7.5%	3.8%	4.0%	8.2%	5.2%	6.7%	4.3%	7.7%	5.3%	7.1%	6.3%
The environment	3.9%	3.3%	0.0%	6.4%	6.0%	3.6%	1.3%	3.4%	4.8%	3.4%	4.0%	3.1%	3.2%	6.2%
Terrorism	3.2%	0.3%	8.4%	1.9%	0.0%	0.8%	7.0%	2.7%	4.5%	3.8%	2.1%	1.9%	4.3%	2.9%
Gay rights	2.7%	2.9%	5.4%	0.9%	6.3%	2.0%	2.1%	2.7%	1.8%	2.0%	3.9%	3.1%	2.2%	1.8%
Education	6.1%	8.5%	4.5%	5.5%	8.3%	5.7%	4.2%	1.9%	4.1%	9.1%	6.4%	6.8%	5.8%	6.4%
Health care	14.5%	17.0%	12.3%	14.3%	18.9%	14.4%	13.4%	11.9%	17.7%	13.3%	14.8%	12.3%	16.9%	11.3%
Social security	11.0%	12.0%	8.2%	9.3%	12.2%	12.4%	10.2%	9.1%	12.7%	14.4%	7.3%	19.4%	5.7%	4.1%
The budget deficit	9.1%	2.6%	12.4%	12.7%	2.6%	6.1%	16.7%	7.4%	7.2%	10.1%	10.1%	7.4%	7.9%	12.2%
Totals	100.0% (986)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (257)	100.0% (291)	100.0% (210)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (340)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (313)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (352)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (147)

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38. Approval of Obama as President

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	22.6%	18.3%	24.8%	19.9%	18.2%	57.4%	24.2%	21.0%	24.0%	20.2%	22.8%	25.8%
Somewhat approve	25.4%	32.8%	23.7%	20.5%	24.5%	26.1%	33.8%	23.1%	27.4%	24.6%	28.8%	24.0%
Somewhat disapprove	12.8%	15.3%	12.5%	10.1%	13.7%	0.5%	18.6%	10.8%	14.6%	12.6%	12.7%	13.2%
Strongly disapprove	32.5%	21.7%	32.9%	48.8%	36.5%	11.8%	17.0%	38.8%	26.8%	33.4%	29.7%	33.2%
Not sure	6.7%	11.9%	6.1%	0.7%	7.1%	4.2%	6.4%	6.3%	7.1%	9.2%	6.0%	3.8%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (153)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (830)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (461)	100.0% (537)	100.0% (335)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (362)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	22.6%	46.5%	4.3%	17.2%	47.4%	30.4%	4.8%	26.6%	22.0%	20.9%	22.9%	20.3%	25.6%	22.9%
Somewhat approve	25.4%	36.5%	9.9%	27.0%	35.8%	36.0%	10.1%	29.7%	30.6%	18.9%	26.7%	30.1%	22.3%	20.4%
Somewhat disapprove	12.8%	7.6%	14.7%	11.8%	9.8%	12.4%	13.1%	12.7%	9.5%	15.4%	12.3%	11.5%	14.9%	11.9%
Strongly disapprove	32.5%	4.4%	67.7%	38.2%	4.8%	16.3%	70.2%	28.3%	32.4%	35.0%	31.7%	26.8%	35.1%	42.3%
Not sure	6.7%	5.0%	3.4%	5.8%	2.2%	4.9%	1.8%	2.7%	5.4%	9.7%	6.4%	11.2%	2.1%	2.5%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (147)

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39. Approval of U.S. Congress

Overall, do you approve of the way the U.S. Congress is handling its job?

	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	1.8%	3.3%	1.1%	2.2%	0.8%	7.3%	4.9%	2.0%	1.6%	3.0%	1.0%	0.7%
Somewhat approve	11.8%	11.5%	12.5%	8.8%	10.9%	18.8%	11.8%	10.8%	12.6%	8.7%	16.1%	12.9%
Neither approve nor disapprove	17.2%	21.8%	17.4%	9.0%	14.9%	30.3%	25.0%	11.0%	22.8%	19.5%	17.6%	13.9%
Somewhat disapprove	21.0%	26.1%	19.4%	19.4%	22.2%	11.2%	21.4%	19.4%	22.5%	16.6%	21.5%	26.8%
Strongly disapprove	39.2%	20.1%	42.6%	56.6%	43.5%	15.1%	26.0%	48.5%	30.9%	37.5%	37.3%	43.1%
Not sure	9.0%	17.2%	7.0%	4.0%	7.8%	17.3%	11.0%	8.3%	9.6%	14.8%	6.6%	2.7%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (153)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (829)	100.0% (98)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (461)	100.0% (537)	100.0% (335)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (364)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	1.8%	4.7%	0.7%	0.2%	3.2%	1.0%	1.5%	1.1%	1.5%	1.9%	2.2%	3.1%	1.1%	0.9%
Somewhat approve	11.8%	21.8%	6.9%	6.8%	22.7%	16.1%	4.0%	12.6%	14.3%	9.5%	12.0%	8.5%	15.6%	11.0%
Neither approve nor disapprove	17.2%	26.3%	6.7%	15.4%	24.0%	22.4%	5.7%	18.4%	15.7%	15.9%	19.2%	22.5%	15.0%	10.9%
Somewhat disapprove	21.0%	24.5%	22.7%	20.2%	29.4%	26.1%	16.5%	19.0%	22.7%	19.4%	22.6%	21.1%	22.1%	22.1%
Strongly disapprove	39.2%	13.4%	59.6%	50.5%	14.5%	28.2%	71.0%	43.1%	37.1%	41.1%	36.9%	30.7%	43.6%	54.2%
Not sure	9.0%	9.3%	3.4%	6.9%	6.1%	6.1%	1.3%	5.9%	8.7%	12.3%	7.2%	14.1%	2.6%	1.0%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (356)	100.0% (258)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (401)	100.0% (147)

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40. 2010 Congressional vote

If the 2010 elections for U.S. Congress were being held today, who would you vote for in the district where you live?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Republican	33.8%	30.1%	32.3%	46.5%	37.1%	8.1%	32.2%	39.7%	28.5%	32.1%	34.0%	35.9%
Lean Republican	4.4%	1.0%	5.4%	5.5%	4.7%	1.2%	5.1%	3.5%	5.2%	3.3%	7.6%	3.5%
Lean Democrat	8.4%	5.3%	10.1%	6.3%	8.1%	14.9%	3.5%	6.2%	10.4%	7.4%	10.1%	8.5%
Democrat	32.9%	34.6%	32.2%	33.2%	29.2%	59.5%	37.0%	31.2%	34.4%	30.1%	33.3%	36.6%
Not Sure	20.5%	28.9%	20.1%	8.4%	20.9%	16.3%	22.2%	19.4%	21.5%	27.1%	15.1%	15.5%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (152)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (828)	100.0% (98)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (461)	100.0% (536)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Republican	33.8%	5.0%	85.0%	30.8%	6.4%	21.1%	72.8%	31.8%	27.8%	37.0%	35.4%	24.0%	39.7%	46.7%
Lean Republican	4.4%	1.1%	7.7%	4.3%	2.5%	3.5%	6.1%	2.6%	4.1%	5.3%	4.4%	3.9%	3.7%	7.4%
Lean Democrat	8.4%	13.2%	0.9%	7.3%	7.5%	14.3%	1.7%	14.3%	9.4%	4.9%	8.7%	9.6%	9.6%	4.3%
Democrat	32.9%	76.2%	3.8%	20.0%	73.1%	44.0%	8.2%	30.4%	34.9%	30.0%	35.8%	32.6%	35.4%	28.1%
Not Sure	20.5%	4.5%	2.6%	37.5%	10.4%	17.1%	11.2%	20.9%	23.8%	22.9%	15.7%	29.9%	11.6%	13.5%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (293)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (148)

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41. Direction of country

Would you say things in this country today are ...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Generally headed in the right direction	31.7%	28.5%	33.0%	31.3%	28.1%	59.6%	34.0%	31.8%	31.6%	25.7%	34.9%	37.7%
Off on the wrong track	53.8%	48.7%	52.7%	67.1%	58.6%	16.4%	51.9%	56.1%	51.8%	57.8%	49.9%	51.3%
Not sure	14.5%	22.8%	14.2%	1.6%	13.3%	24.1%	14.1%	12.1%	16.6%	16.6%	15.1%	11.0%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(151)	(715)	(130)	(828)	(98)	(70)	(462)	(534)	(332)	(300)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Generally headed in the right direction	31.7%	60.6%	8.2%	26.5%	59.7%	42.3%	10.1%	33.0%	32.4%	26.9%	35.7%	29.1%	33.5%	31.9%
Off on the wrong track	53.8%	25.4%	83.5%	61.2%	27.7%	42.0%	86.5%	53.1%	51.6%	56.8%	52.5%	49.6%	56.9%	62.3%
Not sure	14.5%	14.0%	8.3%	12.2%	12.6%	15.7%	3.5%	13.9%	16.0%	16.2%	11.7%	21.3%	9.6%	5.9%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(354)	(259)	(292)	(210)	(342)	(342)	(144)	(218)	(318)	(316)	(359)	(401)	(148)

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42. Relative threat of big business and big government

What do you think is more of a threat?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Big business	39.9%	44.5%	39.6%	34.1%	36.4%	70.0%	38.2%	43.8%	36.4%	35.9%	42.1%	43.9%
Big government	60.1%	55.5%	60.4%	65.9%	63.6%	30.0%	61.8%	56.2%	63.6%	64.1%	57.9%	56.1%
Totals	100.0% (991)	100.0% (150)	100.0% (711)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (824)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (70)	100.0% (460)	100.0% (531)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Big business	39.9%	65.6%	12.7%	37.2%	72.5%	55.1%	7.5%	43.0%	37.6%	36.1%	44.1%	39.9%	40.9%	37.3%
Big government	60.1%	34.4%	87.3%	62.8%	27.5%	44.9%	92.5%	57.0%	62.4%	63.9%	55.9%	60.1%	59.1%	62.7%
Totals	100.0% (991)	100.0% (352)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (289)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (339)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (148)

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43. Trend of economy

Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Getting better	24.3%	24.9%	24.6%	22.4%	22.3%	44.8%	19.6%	27.6%	21.4%	17.1%	28.7%	31.2%
About the same	32.4%	35.9%	31.7%	29.2%	32.3%	30.1%	35.8%	30.9%	33.7%	31.2%	34.4%	32.4%
Getting worse	35.8%	25.5%	38.0%	43.7%	39.1%	9.0%	35.8%	34.7%	36.8%	39.7%	31.3%	33.9%
Not sure	7.5%	13.7%	5.7%	4.7%	6.3%	16.1%	8.8%	6.8%	8.1%	12.0%	5.6%	2.5%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(153)	(717)	(129)	(830)	(98)	(71)	(462)	(537)	(334)	(301)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Getting better	24.3%	42.3%	9.7%	22.1%	50.5%	30.6%	10.7%	27.1%	22.0%	23.3%	25.7%	19.9%	26.2%	33.9%
About the same	32.4%	35.1%	31.1%	30.7%	31.4%	37.7%	28.9%	34.3%	37.3%	29.0%	31.7%	31.4%	35.7%	27.9%
Getting worse	35.8%	15.2%	54.9%	42.3%	16.0%	24.6%	57.3%	33.4%	35.2%	36.4%	36.8%	36.6%	36.2%	37.3%
Not sure	7.5%	7.4%	4.3%	5.0%	2.0%	7.2%	3.1%	5.2%	5.5%	11.2%	5.9%	12.2%	1.9%	1.0%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(355)	(259)	(293)	(210)	(344)	(343)	(144)	(217)	(319)	(319)	(360)	(402)	(148)

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44. Change in personal finances over past year

Would you say that you and your family are...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Better off financially than you were a year ago	10.5%	16.0%	10.2%	2.3%	10.2%	16.4%	6.3%	11.8%	9.4%	6.7%	8.9%	17.0%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	32.8%	25.5%	33.4%	43.1%	31.1%	47.6%	31.8%	33.3%	32.4%	29.8%	35.5%	35.1%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	51.8%	45.3%	53.8%	54.3%	54.7%	26.1%	54.7%	49.3%	54.1%	55.4%	52.6%	46.3%
Not sure	4.8%	13.2%	2.6%	0.3%	4.0%	9.9%	7.2%	5.6%	4.1%	8.1%	3.0%	1.6%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (153)	100.0% (716)	100.0% (128)	100.0% (828)	100.0% (98)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (460)	100.0% (537)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Better off financially than you were a year ago	10.5%	10.1%	10.1%	11.7%	11.9%	11.1%	11.5%	8.3%	6.5%	12.5%	12.1%	10.2%	9.7%	17.9%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	32.8%	39.1%	33.3%	30.4%	47.7%	34.5%	29.9%	30.9%	32.1%	28.3%	39.0%	27.5%	36.3%	40.8%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	51.8%	46.7%	53.0%	55.7%	40.4%	49.6%	56.6%	56.7%	56.7%	54.8%	43.2%	55.5%	52.5%	40.9%
Not sure	4.8%	4.0%	3.6%	2.2%	0.0%	4.8%	2.0%	4.1%	4.7%	4.4%	5.7%	6.8%	1.5%	0.4%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (354)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (210)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (399)	100.0% (148)

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45. Stock market expectations over next year

Do you think the stock market will be higher or lower 12 months from now?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Higher	33.1%	31.4%	33.9%	32.5%	31.1%	50.3%	31.5%	39.0%	27.8%	22.2%	37.8%	44.8%
About the same	27.8%	28.7%	26.7%	31.3%	27.9%	23.0%	32.9%	23.9%	31.4%	29.6%	25.6%	27.1%
Lower	19.5%	14.3%	21.0%	21.4%	21.5%	6.3%	15.0%	20.9%	18.2%	24.0%	16.9%	15.1%
Not sure	19.6%	25.6%	18.4%	14.8%	19.4%	20.3%	20.7%	16.2%	22.6%	24.2%	19.8%	13.0%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(998)	(153)	(715)	(130)	(829)	(98)	(71)	(460)	(538)	(334)	(300)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Higher	33.1%	49.1%	18.7%	32.1%	54.9%	41.4%	20.9%	35.5%	35.3%	30.2%	33.6%	28.1%	36.6%	41.7%
About the same	27.8%	25.6%	38.9%	24.1%	29.1%	26.0%	33.2%	29.7%	25.2%	26.5%	30.2%	23.6%	31.1%	35.7%
Lower	19.5%	9.7%	25.9%	24.8%	5.6%	14.9%	30.6%	17.7%	17.6%	22.3%	18.6%	19.3%	22.8%	11.9%
Not sure	19.6%	15.7%	16.5%	19.1%	10.3%	17.7%	15.2%	17.1%	21.9%	21.1%	17.6%	28.9%	9.6%	10.7%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(998)	(356)	(259)	(291)	(211)	(343)	(342)	(144)	(217)	(318)	(319)	(360)	(402)	(148)

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46. Words that describe Obama

Which of these words would you use to describe Barack Obama?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Honest	36.5%	31.2%	40.5%	27.5%	31.0%	76.1%	42.6%	33.5%	39.1%	30.8%	41.8%	40.4%
Intelligent	64.5%	57.5%	64.0%	78.4%	61.2%	86.3%	70.8%	62.3%	66.5%	58.2%	69.8%	69.3%
Religious	15.2%	11.8%	17.6%	10.8%	12.2%	40.8%	14.3%	13.8%	16.5%	14.9%	18.8%	13.2%
Inspiring	39.6%	38.5%	42.1%	30.5%	34.8%	74.2%	45.6%	40.5%	38.8%	27.7%	48.8%	49.4%
Patriotic	28.7%	23.7%	30.3%	29.7%	27.1%	47.3%	21.1%	28.9%	28.5%	20.4%	35.9%	34.9%
Strong	36.2%	37.8%	38.1%	25.5%	31.2%	73.0%	41.3%	28.1%	43.5%	34.2%	36.9%	38.6%
Bold	34.3%	27.8%	36.2%	37.3%	33.2%	46.0%	30.9%	31.0%	37.3%	30.7%	34.6%	39.2%
Experienced	13.9%	14.8%	13.9%	12.2%	10.8%	35.0%	19.2%	13.2%	14.5%	12.8%	17.0%	13.0%
Sincere	37.9%	32.2%	41.7%	30.9%	33.3%	73.7%	40.7%	36.1%	39.6%	31.5%	42.6%	43.4%
Partisan	26.0%	18.1%	28.0%	30.4%	28.6%	12.8%	16.8%	31.8%	20.8%	19.8%	29.7%	32.0%
Effective	27.6%	24.3%	29.6%	24.5%	22.7%	62.0%	34.6%	28.3%	27.0%	24.6%	32.5%	28.0%
Unifying	23.0%	20.9%	24.6%	19.4%	20.5%	44.5%	22.2%	19.8%	25.9%	17.8%	25.4%	28.5%
In Touch	32.1%	31.0%	34.6%	22.6%	27.3%	63.5%	41.5%	29.3%	34.5%	27.0%	37.3%	35.2%
Realistic	30.2%	21.1%	34.5%	26.3%	26.4%	55.7%	36.7%	28.5%	31.8%	27.9%	33.4%	31.0%
Decisive	29.0%	29.4%	30.7%	21.0%	25.7%	47.1%	40.6%	29.3%	28.8%	24.7%	31.4%	33.3%
Totals	(1,000)	(153)	(717)	(130)	(831)	(98)	(71)	(462)	(538)	(335)	(301)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Honest	36.5%	64.5%	11.8%	30.7%	66.4%	47.6%	10.6%	32.1%	39.6%	32.8%	40.4%	39.4%	33.7%	42.6%
Intelligent	64.5%	85.7%	44.5%	64.3%	85.6%	78.5%	48.1%	72.9%	64.8%	57.0%	68.2%	62.2%	65.6%	66.5%
Religious	15.2%	27.0%	4.5%	11.4%	21.8%	20.8%	4.4%	15.0%	15.7%	15.2%	15.1%	17.3%	14.3%	15.7%
Inspiring	39.6%	63.7%	16.7%	38.3%	70.0%	52.0%	16.7%	44.2%	41.3%	33.2%	43.0%	37.0%	42.9%	45.0%
Patriotic	28.7%	50.1%	5.6%	27.7%	59.7%	39.4%	7.5%	33.6%	28.5%	22.6%	32.9%	24.0%	33.2%	34.0%
Strong	36.2%	60.7%	13.8%	32.6%	60.8%	45.5%	13.6%	39.5%	38.9%	34.4%	34.8%	37.0%	37.5%	38.3%
Bold	34.3%	43.9%	31.1%	32.7%	46.0%	40.2%	31.2%	36.1%	33.8%	33.5%	34.7%	32.2%	36.5%	37.8%
Experienced	13.9%	27.9%	3.0%	9.7%	31.2%	16.9%	3.3%	9.6%	13.7%	10.9%	19.2%	15.0%	15.3%	9.4%
Sincere	37.9%	66.1%	15.0%	34.4%	71.3%	48.7%	14.9%	40.9%	40.0%	31.4%	42.1%	36.5%	37.7%	49.2%
Partisan	26.0%	11.3%	43.2%	31.5%	11.7%	20.1%	49.2%	26.5%	27.8%	26.6%	24.0%	18.7%	29.8%	36.5%
Effective	27.6%	50.2%	8.9%	23.9%	50.5%	32.6%	11.3%	35.1%	29.2%	22.7%	28.1%	28.6%	29.4%	27.1%
Unifying	23.0%	40.9%	6.6%	20.9%	43.1%	31.9%	8.6%	23.8%	22.3%	17.7%	28.8%	20.2%	24.7%	27.5%
In Touch	32.1%	62.5%	8.2%	26.0%	64.2%	40.3%	9.8%	37.6%	33.0%	27.3%	33.8%	33.0%	32.6%	36.0%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Realistic	30.2%	56.3%	6.9%	27.9%	58.9%	39.7%	8.2%	30.8%	36.5%	24.9%	31.3%	32.5%	32.0%	26.9%
Decisive	29.0%	47.9%	12.7%	26.9%	50.3%	36.9%	15.7%	33.5%	29.0%	25.2%	31.1%	30.3%	30.5%	27.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(356)	(259)	(293)	(211)	(344)	(343)	(144)	(218)	(319)	(319)	(361)	(402)	(148)

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47. Obama's ideological leanings

Would you say Barack Obama is ...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very liberal	34.4%	23.6%	34.1%	53.7%	37.9%	17.6%	19.4%	41.1%	28.3%	29.5%	34.9%	40.9%
Somewhat liberal	19.6%	21.5%	18.5%	21.1%	20.1%	17.1%	16.8%	20.5%	18.8%	12.7%	22.8%	26.8%
Moderate	20.7%	19.3%	22.7%	13.9%	18.9%	26.2%	31.9%	17.4%	23.6%	18.4%	23.3%	21.9%
Somewhat conservative	3.2%	3.5%	3.8%	0.0%	2.4%	5.8%	7.8%	2.8%	3.5%	4.5%	2.6%	1.7%
Very conservative	2.2%	3.3%	2.3%	0.0%	0.8%	12.9%	3.0%	2.4%	2.1%	3.9%	0.8%	0.9%
Not sure	20.0%	28.8%	18.6%	11.3%	19.8%	20.5%	21.1%	15.9%	23.7%	30.9%	15.6%	7.9%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (153)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (830)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (461)	100.0% (537)	100.0% (335)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (362)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	34.4%	8.1%	71.3%	40.8%	7.8%	19.8%	75.4%	36.3%	28.9%	37.2%	34.1%	21.5%	43.8%	48.3%
Somewhat liberal	19.6%	34.9%	10.3%	15.9%	50.9%	25.1%	8.3%	20.8%	19.8%	15.0%	23.7%	14.9%	22.5%	28.2%
Moderate	20.7%	29.0%	7.0%	23.9%	27.9%	34.8%	6.8%	20.7%	22.9%	15.8%	24.3%	22.8%	20.4%	19.0%
Somewhat conservative	3.2%	3.7%	2.5%	2.0%	3.8%	3.2%	1.8%	4.6%	2.5%	3.3%	2.9%	3.6%	3.3%	1.1%
Very conservative	2.2%	4.0%	0.8%	1.0%	1.6%	1.9%	0.7%	3.2%	0.5%	3.6%	1.5%	4.2%	0.5%	0.0%
Not sure	20.0%	20.3%	8.1%	16.5%	8.0%	15.1%	7.1%	14.3%	25.3%	25.1%	13.6%	33.0%	9.6%	3.3%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (147)

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48. Obama's sincerity

Do you think Barack Obama ...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Says what he believes	48.8%	48.4%	51.9%	36.0%	44.2%	77.0%	60.2%	46.6%	50.8%	45.4%	54.1%	49.6%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	51.2%	51.6%	48.1%	64.0%	55.8%	23.0%	39.8%	53.4%	49.2%	54.6%	45.9%	50.4%
Totals	100.0% (994)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (713)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (825)	100.0% (98)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (461)	100.0% (533)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (363)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Says what he believes	48.8%	77.2%	21.5%	46.9%	74.5%	60.1%	21.6%	54.1%	48.9%	41.0%	54.3%	52.0%	45.3%	49.1%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	51.2%	22.8%	78.5%	53.1%	25.5%	39.9%	78.4%	45.9%	51.1%	59.0%	45.7%	48.0%	54.7%	50.9%
Totals	100.0% (994)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (258)	100.0% (290)	100.0% (210)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (147)

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49. Obama's likeability

Regardless of whether you agree with him, do you like Barack Obama as a person?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Like a lot	37.4%	33.7%	40.2%	30.8%	31.5%	81.5%	42.1%	33.7%	40.6%	31.4%	42.5%	41.9%
Like somewhat	26.1%	32.6%	24.2%	23.8%	28.5%	6.0%	26.4%	27.7%	24.7%	27.0%	27.0%	24.2%
Dislike	22.8%	18.5%	22.5%	31.0%	25.5%	6.0%	16.2%	24.4%	21.3%	26.4%	17.6%	21.5%
Not sure	13.8%	15.2%	13.1%	14.5%	14.5%	6.5%	15.3%	14.2%	13.4%	15.2%	12.8%	12.5%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(152)	(717)	(130)	(830)	(98)	(71)	(462)	(537)	(335)	(300)	(364)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Like a lot	37.4%	69.9%	10.5%	30.9%	68.6%	47.3%	11.8%	38.0%	38.6%	32.6%	41.3%	36.9%	36.6%	40.8%
Like somewhat	26.1%	17.0%	28.1%	30.5%	18.2%	29.4%	27.9%	30.1%	24.4%	23.6%	28.1%	28.3%	23.9%	28.5%
Dislike	22.8%	6.4%	43.4%	25.8%	9.9%	12.4%	45.7%	18.8%	25.3%	26.1%	19.4%	20.2%	27.1%	24.2%
Not sure	13.8%	6.6%	18.1%	12.7%	3.4%	11.0%	14.6%	13.2%	11.7%	17.8%	11.3%	14.6%	12.4%	6.5%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	(999)	(356)	(259)	(292)	(211)	(343)	(343)	(144)	(217)	(319)	(319)	(361)	(402)	(148)