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1. Familiarity with Federal Reserve Board

How familiar are you with the Federal Reserve Board?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very familiar	5.6%	6.9%	5.3%	6.4%	5.4%	8.7%	3.4%	7.8%	3.7%	4.8%	4.0%	7.6%
Somewhat familiar	36.1%	20.7%	39.3%	44.5%	39.2%	23.5%	21.1%	42.0%	31.1%	22.8%	43.6%	49.0%
Not very familiar	36.7%	32.8%	39.1%	35.9%	37.1%	35.4%	34.0%	36.5%	36.9%	40.9%	35.8%	31.8%
Not sure what it is	21.6%	39.5%	16.4%	13.2%	18.3%	32.5%	41.5%	13.7%	28.3%	31.5%	16.7%	11.6%
Totals	100.0% (999)	100.0% (124)	100.0% (733)	100.0% (134)	100.0% (810)	100.0% (109)	100.0% (80)	100.0% (506)	100.0% (493)	100.0% (264)	100.0% (287)	100.0% (448)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very familiar	5.6%	5.2%	7.4%	5.6%	4.1%	6.4%	8.4%	6.5%	4.3%	5.0%	7.4%	3.4%	5.9%	10.8%
Somewhat familiar	36.1%	32.6%	43.4%	37.9%	34.4%	43.8%	45.0%	37.5%	35.7%	32.2%	43.8%	24.3%	44.4%	46.8%
Not very familiar	36.7%	43.8%	37.6%	29.4%	43.2%	34.1%	35.0%	33.6%	38.0%	40.6%	29.9%	39.7%	34.7%	34.3%
Not sure what it is	21.6%	18.4%	11.7%	27.0%	18.3%	15.8%	11.6%	22.4%	22.1%	22.2%	18.9%	32.6%	15.0%	8.0%
Totals	100.0% (999)	100.0% (350)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (270)	100.0% (196)	100.0% (381)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (398)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (314)	100.0% (391)	100.0% (184)

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2. Trust most to fix economy

Who do you trust MOST to handle the problems of the economy? (Asked if respondent knows what the Federal Reserve Board is)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Congress	21.8%	28.6%	20.2%	23.9%	21.7%	13.8%	34.7%	21.5%	22.1%	25.5%	22.7%	17.4%
The President	38.7%	39.4%	38.6%	34.3%	35.6%	71.0%	32.8%	36.6%	40.9%	42.9%	41.0%	33.2%
The Federal Reserve Board	39.5%	32.0%	41.2%	41.8%	42.7%	15.2%	32.5%	41.9%	37.1%	31.5%	36.2%	49.4%
Totals	100.0% (821)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (626)	100.0% (111)	100.0% (673)	100.0% (85)	100.0% (63)	100.0% (449)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (392)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Congress	21.8%	16.8%	26.6%	19.2%	19.4%	21.3%	22.8%	20.7%	16.8%	26.4%	18.6%	22.5%	21.1%	15.3%
The President	38.7%	61.0%	9.9%	39.5%	60.0%	42.5%	13.4%	39.7%	40.9%	34.8%	43.2%	45.2%	39.4%	29.8%
The Federal Reserve Board	39.5%	22.2%	63.6%	41.3%	20.6%	36.2%	63.9%	39.6%	42.4%	38.9%	38.2%	32.3%	39.4%	54.9%
Totals	100.0% (821)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (254)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (174)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (237)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (165)

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3. Trust least to fix economy

Who do you trust LEAST to handle the problems of the economy? (Asked if respondent knows what the Federal Reserve Board is)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Congress	57.1%	58.5%	58.8%	46.9%	57.5%	64.1%	38.3%	59.3%	54.8%	56.2%	56.5%	58.3%
The President	27.5%	25.1%	25.4%	39.3%	29.4%	6.4%	34.0%	29.9%	25.1%	28.2%	27.0%	27.2%
The Federal Reserve Board	15.4%	16.3%	15.9%	13.7%	13.0%	29.5%	27.8%	10.8%	20.0%	15.6%	16.5%	14.4%
Totals	100.0% (848)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (646)	100.0% (118)	100.0% (700)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (61)	100.0% (467)	100.0% (381)	100.0% (198)	100.0% (249)	100.0% (401)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Congress	57.1%	67.8%	42.7%	56.4%	70.1%	56.6%	42.0%	55.8%	57.9%	57.7%	55.7%	56.8%	54.4%	56.8%
The President	27.5%	10.9%	50.3%	28.5%	11.1%	21.4%	50.2%	27.8%	25.5%	27.9%	29.2%	25.9%	29.0%	31.8%
The Federal Reserve Board	15.4%	21.3%	7.1%	15.1%	18.8%	22.0%	7.7%	16.4%	16.6%	14.4%	15.1%	17.2%	16.5%	11.4%
Totals	100.0% (848)	100.0% (294)	100.0% (253)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (163)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (175)	100.0% (339)	100.0% (145)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (172)

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4. Preferred Federal Reserve Chairman

Who would you rather have as Chairman of the Federal Reserve Board? (Asked if respondent knows what the Federal Reserve Board is)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Ben Bernanke	19.0%	21.7%	17.8%	22.4%	18.0%	20.8%	31.0%	24.3%	13.6%	15.5%	17.2%	23.6%
Larry Summers	5.8%	1.6%	6.5%	6.9%	5.8%	6.3%	5.6%	6.2%	5.5%	4.5%	4.6%	7.9%
Not sure	75.2%	76.7%	75.6%	70.7%	76.2%	72.8%	63.3%	69.5%	80.9%	80.0%	78.1%	68.5%
Totals	100.0% (859)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (653)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (709)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (63)	100.0% (471)	100.0% (388)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (250)	100.0% (407)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Ben Bernanke	19.0%	20.0%	24.5%	16.0%	20.5%	15.7%	26.4%	20.4%	17.6%	18.0%	21.4%	14.6%	19.7%	26.5%
Larry Summers	5.8%	5.6%	8.1%	4.9%	3.2%	9.2%	7.3%	8.1%	5.2%	4.5%	5.6%	5.5%	5.7%	7.3%
Not sure	75.2%	74.4%	67.4%	79.1%	76.2%	75.1%	66.4%	71.4%	77.2%	77.5%	73.0%	79.9%	74.6%	66.2%
Totals	100.0% (859)	100.0% (298)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (228)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (278)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (146)	100.0% (246)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (174)

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5. 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	17.5%	21.6%	17.1%	11.3%	15.2%	33.5%	19.5%	16.2%	18.6%	12.7%	20.5%	22.6%
No	51.0%	39.0%	53.9%	62.2%	57.2%	20.6%	28.6%	56.2%	46.4%	53.4%	49.1%	48.8%
Not sure	31.5%	39.4%	29.0%	26.6%	27.5%	45.9%	51.9%	27.5%	34.9%	33.9%	30.4%	28.6%
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%
	(998)	(187)	(689)	(122)	(811)	(110)	(77)	(490)	(508)	(364)	(279)	(355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	17.5%	33.6%	2.4%	15.1%	39.3%	20.2%	4.5%	18.8%	20.0%	16.8%	14.4%	17.2%	18.0%	17.6%
No	51.0%	22.2%	87.6%	54.8%	22.5%	40.9%	87.0%	42.7%	51.5%	54.6%	51.2%	47.6%	52.3%	57.3%
Not sure	31.5%	44.2%	10.0%	30.1%	38.2%	38.9%	8.5%	38.6%	28.5%	28.6%	34.3%	35.1%	29.7%	25.1%
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%
	(998)	(359)	(281)	(281)	(235)	(332)	(324)	(184)	(245)	(383)	(186)	(330)	(422)	(148)

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6. Support for second stimulus package

Would you support a second stimulus?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	28.8%	31.6%	28.3%	25.7%	25.2%	55.8%	30.0%	27.6%	29.9%	31.6%	26.0%	26.6%
No	45.7%	39.7%	46.2%	55.2%	49.6%	24.2%	34.6%	56.2%	36.5%	43.0%	49.0%	47.5%
Not sure	25.5%	28.7%	25.5%	19.1%	25.2%	20.0%	35.5%	16.2%	33.6%	25.4%	25.0%	25.9%
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%
	(997)	(187)	(688)	(122)	(811)	(110)	(76)	(489)	(508)	(365)	(278)	(354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	28.8%	47.8%	10.8%	26.9%	46.2%	33.7%	9.1%	32.2%	31.9%	27.0%	25.1%	38.9%	23.9%	19.8%
No	45.7%	18.7%	79.2%	50.9%	21.2%	39.2%	79.6%	35.8%	45.1%	50.1%	47.3%	35.2%	49.1%	55.9%
Not sure	25.5%	33.5%	10.0%	22.2%	32.6%	27.1%	11.3%	32.0%	23.0%	22.9%	27.6%	25.9%	27.1%	24.3%
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%	100.0%	100.0%
	(997)	(360)	(280)	(280)	(235)	(332)	(323)	(184)	(246)	(381)	(186)	(331)	(420)	(148)

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7. Responsibility for current state of the economy

Who do you think is more responsible for the current state of the economy?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
George W. Bush	51.6%	58.8%	50.0%	44.4%	46.9%	80.6%	61.0%	50.3%	52.8%	49.8%	50.8%	54.8%
Barack Obama	20.6%	16.9%	21.4%	24.9%	22.1%	10.0%	19.4%	24.6%	17.1%	21.7%	19.7%	19.7%
Equally responsible	27.7%	24.3%	28.6%	30.8%	31.0%	9.4%	19.6%	25.1%	30.1%	28.5%	29.4%	25.5%
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%
	(997)	(187)	(689)	(121)	(810)	(110)	(77)	(489)	(508)	(365)	(278)	(354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
George W. Bush	51.6%	80.8%	13.8%	50.8%	85.4%	68.4%	11.4%	67.3%	51.5%	43.3%	53.5%	53.8%	50.9%	48.8%
Barack Obama	20.6%	7.8%	44.8%	15.2%	6.8%	8.8%	47.3%	12.8%	18.2%	26.8%	18.8%	17.9%	20.6%	24.4%
Equally responsible	27.7%	11.4%	41.4%	34.1%	7.7%	22.8%	41.4%	19.9%	30.3%	29.9%	27.7%	28.3%	28.4%	26.8%
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%
	(997)	(360)	(279)	(281)	(235)	(333)	(322)	(184)	(246)	(382)	(185)	(330)	(422)	(148)

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8. Support for affirmative action, version A

Are you in favor of affirmative action? (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
Favor	24.6%	30.9%	22.4%	19.2%	20.2%	58.0%	29.1%	20.4%	28.5%	19.2%	33.3%	26.9%
Oppose	39.4%	27.4%	42.3%	54.2%	46.4%	2.8%	15.0%	52.3%	27.4%	30.4%	37.1%	53.1%
Not sure	36.0%	41.7%	35.3%	26.7%	33.4%	39.2%	55.9%	27.3%	44.2%	50.4%	29.6%	19.9%
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%
	(501)	(104)	(330)	(67)	(418)	(50)	(33)	(259)	(242)	(184)	(130)	(187)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	24.6%	41.7%	11.9%	21.4%	42.9%	23.8%	15.0%	31.5%	17.7%	25.5%	25.2%	26.1%	25.7%	16.3%
Oppose	39.4%	15.0%	64.8%	49.1%	25.5%	39.2%	68.5%	30.4%	44.9%	39.0%	41.6%	22.4%	46.7%	64.2%
Not sure	36.0%	43.2%	23.4%	29.5%	31.6%	36.9%	16.4%	38.1%	37.4%	35.6%	33.2%	51.5%	27.6%	19.5%
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%
	(501)	(172)	(141)	(145)	(125)	(152)	(174)	(86)	(126)	(194)	(95)	(162)	(211)	(77)

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9. Support for affirmative action, version B

Are you in favor of affirmative action programs for racial and ethnic minorities? (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
Favor	22.6%	26.8%	22.4%	16.2%	13.2%	68.7%	53.0%	21.2%	23.7%	21.5%	24.0%	23.1%
Oppose	44.2%	29.2%	48.4%	49.6%	52.2%	9.7%	10.9%	54.2%	36.1%	39.3%	46.5%	50.4%
Not sure	33.2%	44.0%	29.2%	34.2%	34.6%	21.5%	36.2%	24.7%	40.2%	39.2%	29.5%	26.5%
Totals	100.0% (496)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (55)	100.0% (392)	100.0% (60)	100.0% (44)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (266)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (149)	100.0% (168)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	22.6%	38.3%	4.7%	18.0%	44.0%	27.2%	3.5%	26.6%	23.3%	21.7%	18.7%	26.8%	20.2%	22.5%
Oppose	44.2%	23.6%	70.6%	57.4%	27.1%	39.0%	75.0%	38.2%	43.0%	43.1%	55.7%	33.3%	53.1%	58.3%
Not sure	33.2%	38.1%	24.7%	24.6%	28.9%	33.9%	21.5%	35.2%	33.7%	35.2%	25.6%	39.9%	26.7%	19.2%
Totals	100.0% (496)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (139)	100.0% (136)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (149)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (189)	100.0% (91)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (210)	100.0% (71)

10. Importance of Diversity of Supreme Court Justices

How important is it to have ethnic and gender diversity on the Supreme Court?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very important	29.5%	34.7%	29.8%	18.2%	23.5%	64.7%	43.9%	22.5%	35.7%	27.5%	38.5%	26.4%
Somewhat important	26.9%	29.0%	26.7%	23.7%	27.6%	16.7%	33.4%	25.7%	27.9%	23.9%	24.5%	33.0%
Not very important	12.6%	6.7%	14.1%	17.7%	14.1%	2.1%	11.4%	15.5%	10.0%	14.0%	9.5%	12.6%
Shouldn't be a consideration	31.0%	29.7%	29.4%	40.5%	34.9%	16.5%	11.4%	36.2%	26.4%	34.7%	27.4%	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%
	(997)	(187)	(688)	(122)	(810)	(110)	(77)	(490)	(507)	(364)	(279)	(354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very important	29.5%	49.3%	11.2%	23.4%	50.8%	33.6%	9.0%	22.7%	32.0%	31.0%	30.1%	29.2%	30.9%	25.9%
Somewhat important	26.9%	30.5%	19.5%	31.5%	28.2%	33.7%	17.9%	35.8%	24.7%	24.3%	26.1%	29.0%	28.2%	23.1%
Not very important	12.6%	5.7%	21.5%	11.1%	6.2%	8.9%	20.0%	14.7%	12.2%	11.0%	14.1%	12.6%	11.0%	13.9%
Shouldn't be a consideration	31.0%	14.4%	47.8%	34.0%	14.9%	23.7%	53.1%	26.8%	31.1%	33.7%	29.7%	29.2%	30.0%	37.1%
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%
	(997)	(360)	(280)	(280)	(235)	(332)	(323)	(184)	(246)	(381)	(186)	(330)	(422)	(147)

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11. Bias of courts

Who do you think the courts tend to favor more?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Business	23.6%	27.0%	23.2%	18.9%	22.2%	23.7%	38.0%	25.7%	21.8%	20.2%	26.5%	26.8%
Trial lawyers	13.4%	10.2%	13.3%	20.0%	14.5%	9.4%	7.9%	17.4%	9.9%	12.3%	11.5%	16.4%
About the same	24.5%	15.8%	29.7%	19.8%	25.4%	26.4%	13.0%	25.9%	23.3%	23.5%	26.7%	24.6%
Not sure	38.4%	46.9%	33.7%	41.3%	37.9%	40.5%	41.1%	31.0%	45.0%	44.0%	35.2%	32.3%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (689)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (811)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (489)	100.0% (509)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Business	23.6%	33.9%	9.1%	27.8%	36.2%	32.2%	12.1%	24.9%	21.4%	26.5%	19.1%	19.4%	30.7%	21.3%
Trial lawyers	13.4%	5.9%	22.9%	17.0%	5.7%	9.5%	26.3%	12.3%	11.7%	15.7%	12.0%	10.6%	14.5%	22.9%
About the same	24.5%	22.8%	30.2%	26.1%	21.2%	24.2%	29.2%	24.7%	27.2%	23.9%	22.0%	25.9%	23.6%	26.5%
Not sure	38.4%	37.4%	37.8%	29.0%	36.9%	34.0%	32.4%	38.1%	39.6%	33.9%	46.9%	44.1%	31.1%	29.3%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (183)	100.0% (246)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (422)	100.0% (147)

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12. Test-based job promotions

In a case recently heard by the U.S. Supreme Court, a city used a test to determine which firefighters should receive promotions. No black firefighters scored high enough to be promoted, so the city decided not to offer any promotions because it feared a lawsuit over the test's disparate impact on a protected minority. Do you think that a city should be allowed to use a test for promotions that results in no blacks being promoted?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	49.2%	38.4%	51.2%	61.6%	54.1%	27.3%	28.8%	57.5%	41.8%	41.8%	48.2%	61.0%
No	34.5%	41.5%	32.9%	27.5%	31.2%	51.6%	45.0%	24.8%	43.0%	42.0%	33.5%	23.9%
Not sure	16.3%	20.1%	15.9%	10.9%	14.7%	21.0%	26.2%	17.7%	15.1%	16.2%	18.3%	15.2%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (689)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (811)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (489)	100.0% (509)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	49.2%	31.0%	70.3%	59.1%	34.5%	47.8%	72.7%	40.8%	49.1%	50.0%	56.8%	35.2%	56.3%	67.7%
No	34.5%	50.8%	19.9%	26.1%	43.5%	33.6%	18.7%	41.8%	37.7%	32.8%	25.7%	44.6%	28.4%	20.0%
Not sure	16.3%	18.1%	9.8%	14.8%	21.9%	18.5%	8.7%	17.4%	13.2%	17.2%	17.5%	20.2%	15.3%	12.4%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (245)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (423)	100.0% (148)

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13. Race considerations in job promotions

Do you think race should ever be factor in deciding who gets promoted for a job?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	8.6%	9.0%	8.5%	8.0%	7.0%	15.7%	15.2%	9.5%	7.7%	5.7%	8.8%	12.8%
No	84.9%	83.7%	85.3%	85.9%	88.4%	67.3%	73.2%	84.0%	85.8%	87.8%	85.0%	80.6%
Not sure	6.5%	7.3%	6.2%	6.1%	4.6%	17.0%	11.6%	6.6%	6.5%	6.5%	6.2%	6.7%
Totals	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (691)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (813)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (491)	100.0% (509)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	8.6%	14.9%	3.6%	8.0%	14.8%	9.6%	5.3%	8.4%	5.2%	10.8%	8.4%	8.2%	8.6%	15.9%
No	84.9%	75.3%	94.9%	88.2%	77.1%	82.4%	92.7%	83.8%	88.6%	82.3%	86.9%	84.8%	84.1%	81.8%
Not sure	6.5%	9.8%	1.5%	3.8%	8.1%	8.0%	1.9%	7.8%	6.2%	6.9%	4.7%	7.0%	7.4%	2.4%
Totals	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (246)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (423)	100.0% (148)

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14. Rating of Sotomayor Nomination

As you may know, President Obama has nominated Judge Sonia Sotomayor to serve on the U.S. Supreme Court. Generally speaking, how would you rate President Obama's choice of Sonia Sotomayor as a nominee to the U.S. Supreme Court?

	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Excellent	17.7%	18.6%	17.8%	15.5%	14.3%	43.9%	18.4%	17.9%	17.5%	12.4%	19.1%	24.7%
Good	19.9%	21.2%	19.1%	20.9%	18.7%	29.5%	20.3%	14.6%	24.6%	16.2%	24.1%	22.7%
Only Fair	14.3%	10.8%	13.7%	23.4%	15.2%	9.9%	10.7%	17.0%	11.9%	13.0%	12.3%	17.5%
Poor	24.8%	15.2%	27.2%	33.0%	29.3%	2.5%	8.0%	32.0%	18.4%	27.1%	22.2%	23.2%
Not sure	23.3%	34.1%	22.1%	7.2%	22.5%	14.2%	42.6%	18.5%	27.5%	31.4%	22.4%	11.9%
Totals	100.0% (996)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (689)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (810)	100.0% (109)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (489)	100.0% (507)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (278)	100.0% (355)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Excellent	17.7%	37.5%	1.6%	16.5%	46.6%	24.4%	1.6%	17.8%	18.8%	16.5%	18.8%	14.3%	17.5%	32.0%
Good	19.9%	30.2%	9.3%	20.2%	26.4%	25.9%	8.7%	24.8%	18.2%	21.5%	13.7%	18.4%	23.9%	13.6%
Only Fair	14.3%	9.9%	20.1%	16.8%	7.7%	18.8%	17.6%	19.6%	13.0%	12.9%	13.3%	13.5%	11.8%	19.7%
Poor	24.8%	5.8%	54.9%	25.4%	5.3%	12.5%	58.1%	17.3%	23.6%	28.4%	26.4%	18.7%	28.6%	27.9%
Not sure	23.3%	16.5%	14.1%	21.1%	14.0%	18.3%	14.0%	20.5%	26.4%	20.7%	27.8%	35.1%	18.3%	6.8%
Totals	100.0% (996)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (245)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (422)	100.0% (148)

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15. Sonia Sotomayor Ideology

Would you say that Sonia Sotomayor 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	22.9%	12.8%	25.0%	33.4%	26.5%	4.7%	9.9%	31.2%	15.6%	19.5%	22.1%	28.4%
Somewhat liberal	15.8%	18.0%	14.8%	15.5%	15.1%	22.5%	14.3%	17.8%	14.0%	8.1%	20.0%	24.2%
Moderate	16.9%	10.6%	19.8%	16.9%	15.8%	24.1%	19.1%	17.5%	16.4%	11.0%	17.5%	25.2%
Somewhat conservative	2.4%	1.7%	3.1%	1.2%	2.4%	4.3%	0.5%	2.2%	2.7%	2.0%	2.4%	3.1%
Very conservative	1.6%	2.1%	1.8%	0.0%	1.0%	7.0%	1.5%	1.6%	1.6%	3.2%	0.4%	0.2%
Not sure	40.4%	54.8%	35.4%	33.0%	39.3%	37.3%	54.7%	29.7%	49.8%	56.2%	37.6%	18.8%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (688)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (812)	100.0% (108)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (490)	100.0% (507)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (278)	100.0% (355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	22.9%	2.8%	51.2%	26.6%	3.0%	14.4%	59.6%	17.4%	19.5%	26.2%	26.0%	12.5%	27.5%	36.2%
Somewhat liberal	15.8%	19.7%	17.8%	14.9%	30.1%	18.5%	14.2%	16.0%	15.8%	15.1%	16.9%	11.7%	17.0%	26.0%
Moderate	16.9%	30.7%	3.2%	19.5%	32.7%	29.1%	3.8%	15.3%	15.8%	17.3%	19.0%	13.3%	19.5%	25.3%
Somewhat conservative	2.4%	3.1%	0.6%	3.9%	3.3%	3.7%	1.6%	2.7%	2.5%	3.0%	0.9%	2.5%	3.2%	1.2%
Very conservative	1.6%	2.6%	1.2%	1.7%	2.5%	1.4%	1.0%	0.9%	2.5%	2.1%	0.2%	2.9%	1.1%	0.0%
Not sure	40.4%	41.2%	26.0%	33.4%	28.4%	32.9%	19.8%	47.6%	43.8%	36.3%	36.9%	57.2%	31.7%	11.3%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (245)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (422)	100.0% (148)

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16. Sotomayor qualifications

In terms of her education, experience, temperament, and integrity, how would you rate Judge Sotomayor?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Well qualified	23.3%	24.8%	22.8%	22.2%	19.6%	51.3%	24.1%	23.5%	23.0%	15.5%	26.0%	32.9%
Qualified	27.7%	22.2%	28.3%	36.2%	28.5%	26.9%	20.8%	28.7%	26.8%	25.1%	27.9%	31.6%
Not qualified	19.5%	13.0%	20.7%	27.4%	23.2%	0.6%	7.3%	25.5%	14.3%	20.9%	16.5%	19.6%
Not sure	29.5%	40.0%	28.3%	14.2%	28.7%	21.3%	47.8%	22.3%	35.8%	38.5%	29.6%	15.9%
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%
	(998)	(187)	(689)	(122)	(812)	(109)	(77)	(489)	(509)	(365)	(279)	(354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Well qualified	23.3%	40.4%	7.1%	24.5%	55.9%	31.1%	6.0%	23.5%	23.1%	23.4%	22.9%	17.1%	24.0%	39.0%
Qualified	27.7%	31.4%	27.5%	28.4%	23.8%	33.5%	27.7%	32.3%	26.8%	27.1%	25.6%	25.0%	30.1%	26.2%
Not qualified	19.5%	3.0%	43.8%	20.6%	5.5%	11.8%	43.4%	15.4%	16.7%	21.9%	22.7%	14.8%	21.7%	25.6%
Not sure	29.5%	25.2%	21.6%	26.4%	14.8%	23.6%	22.9%	28.8%	33.4%	27.6%	28.8%	43.2%	24.2%	9.2%
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)	(360)	(281)	(280)	(234)	(333)	(324)	(183)	(246)	(383)	(186)	(331)	(422)	(147)

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17. Sonia Sotomayor Confirmation

Do you think the U.S. Senate should confirm or should not confirm Sonia Sotomayor as a Supreme Court justice?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Should confirm	40.7%	40.2%	41.2%	40.1%	36.1%	72.9%	45.3%	38.3%	42.9%	30.5%	43.8%	54.0%
Should not confirm	28.8%	16.6%	31.1%	43.1%	34.2%	2.1%	9.9%	37.6%	21.1%	29.5%	26.8%	29.2%
Not sure	30.4%	43.2%	27.8%	16.8%	29.7%	25.0%	44.8%	24.1%	35.9%	40.1%	29.3%	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%
	(995)	(187)	(686)	(122)	(808)	(110)	(77)	(489)	(506)	(364)	(276)	(355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Should confirm	40.7%	67.6%	17.0%	41.1%	75.4%	55.4%	14.5%	43.7%	41.0%	40.2%	38.6%	35.0%	44.1%	53.5%
Should not confirm	28.8%	8.7%	61.6%	30.5%	8.7%	17.3%	64.4%	22.6%	26.1%	31.4%	33.7%	21.3%	31.3%	36.7%
Not sure	30.4%	23.7%	21.4%	28.3%	15.9%	27.3%	21.1%	33.7%	32.9%	28.5%	27.7%	43.8%	24.6%	9.7%
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%
	(995)	(360)	(278)	(281)	(234)	(332)	(322)	(183)	(246)	(380)	(186)	(331)	(419)	(147)

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18. 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	49.3%	52.0%	49.3%	43.8%	44.7%	79.2%	56.5%	44.2%	53.7%	46.2%	54.9%	50.0%
Joe Biden	41.9%	46.6%	40.7%	37.8%	36.5%	74.5%	54.0%	36.5%	46.7%	33.3%	50.7%	49.0%
Sarah Palin	38.6%	27.4%	39.0%	58.8%	43.2%	9.5%	30.1%	42.9%	34.8%	39.6%	39.2%	36.7%
Mitt Romney	34.9%	22.6%	36.0%	53.7%	39.7%	14.1%	13.6%	41.6%	28.9%	30.9%	37.6%	38.9%
Mike Huckabee	38.7%	25.8%	39.7%	59.2%	43.5%	17.1%	18.6%	43.8%	34.1%	35.5%	45.9%	38.5%
George W. Bush	34.4%	22.0%	37.0%	47.5%	39.9%	7.6%	14.5%	35.4%	33.6%	35.0%	35.6%	32.7%
Dick Cheney	28.8%	19.0%	31.0%	38.5%	32.9%	8.2%	13.8%	33.1%	24.9%	29.5%	27.2%	28.7%
Newt Gingrich	31.3%	16.9%	33.2%	50.8%	35.9%	6.3%	17.1%	38.3%	25.0%	28.9%	33.1%	33.6%
Totals	(1,000)	(187)	(691)	(122)	(813)	(110)	(77)	(491)	(509)	(366)	(279)	(355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Hillary Clinton	49.3%	86.1%	13.1%	48.5%	82.8%	67.7%	13.0%	59.9%	47.6%	45.2%	48.9%	49.8%	50.1%	48.3%
Joe Biden	41.9%	75.6%	9.2%	40.3%	78.7%	55.5%	11.8%	51.6%	39.4%	39.5%	40.2%	38.1%	46.1%	46.7%
Sarah Palin	38.6%	15.0%	79.0%	38.3%	9.6%	29.3%	76.4%	32.4%	34.0%	43.5%	40.8%	33.6%	43.1%	42.7%
Mitt Romney	34.9%	13.6%	72.1%	36.4%	9.7%	26.3%	73.0%	29.7%	28.0%	41.7%	34.9%	23.5%	39.2%	53.5%
Mike Huckabee	38.7%	19.0%	75.0%	38.7%	14.8%	32.9%	74.0%	30.0%	35.0%	45.5%	38.2%	28.8%	43.1%	49.3%
George W. Bush	34.4%	9.6%	81.8%	29.7%	5.6%	17.4%	76.3%	25.5%	35.8%	41.0%	27.7%	30.3%	36.8%	41.7%
Dick Cheney	28.8%	7.5%	68.7%	25.2%	5.8%	13.9%	69.4%	22.5%	27.4%	33.9%	26.3%	21.9%	32.1%	38.4%
Newt Gingrich	31.3%	12.3%	66.6%	29.7%	9.7%	19.0%	69.7%	25.9%	28.4%	36.8%	28.9%	24.4%	33.6%	40.9%
Totals	(1,000)	(360)	(281)	(281)	(235)	(333)	(324)	(185)	(246)	(383)	(186)	(331)	(423)	(148)

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19. Palin as 2012 presidential candidate

Would you consider voting for Alaska Governor Sarah Palin if she runs for President 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	34.7%	23.9%	36.0%	49.8%	41.2%	2.1%	11.9%	36.6%	33.0%	35.4%	34.6%	33.8%
No	65.3%	76.1%	64.0%	50.2%	58.8%	97.9%	88.1%	63.4%	67.0%	64.6%	65.4%	66.2%
Totals	100.0% (999)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (690)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (812)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (490)	100.0% (509)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	34.7%	8.6%	75.0%	35.8%	6.6%	23.9%	71.1%	29.0%	34.7%	38.7%	31.8%	29.0%	39.1%	37.6%
No	65.3%	91.4%	25.0%	64.2%	93.4%	76.1%	28.9%	71.0%	65.3%	61.3%	68.2%	71.0%	60.9%	62.4%
Totals	100.0% (999)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (246)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (422)	100.0% (148)

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20. Trust in U.S. government

How much of the time do you think you can trust the government in Washington to do what is right?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Just about always	1.2%	2.0%	1.0%	0.0%	0.6%	6.2%	0.0%	1.2%	1.1%	1.8%	0.7%	0.5%
Most of the time	9.7%	9.3%	8.7%	14.8%	8.5%	14.7%	15.0%	9.0%	10.3%	9.5%	11.5%	8.8%
Some of the time	47.8%	55.0%	46.6%	38.6%	46.8%	54.7%	49.2%	42.7%	52.3%	40.8%	49.4%	57.1%
Almost never	36.9%	25.7%	39.8%	46.6%	41.0%	16.4%	22.9%	44.1%	30.6%	40.5%	35.9%	32.3%
Don't Know	4.4%	7.9%	3.9%	0.0%	3.1%	8.0%	12.9%	3.1%	5.6%	7.4%	2.4%	1.4%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (689)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (811)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (490)	100.0% (508)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Just about always	1.2%	2.5%	0.2%	1.1%	2.4%	0.5%	0.3%	0.5%	1.3%	1.9%	0.0%	2.5%	0.4%	0.0%
Most of the time	9.7%	18.8%	4.9%	7.2%	17.1%	11.4%	4.0%	10.5%	11.8%	9.0%	7.7%	8.9%	12.2%	5.5%
Some of the time	47.8%	60.1%	34.9%	51.1%	63.6%	58.9%	31.5%	52.8%	47.1%	43.3%	53.3%	46.2%	47.0%	57.2%
Almost never	36.9%	15.1%	57.2%	40.5%	15.9%	26.9%	63.4%	32.4%	36.6%	40.2%	34.9%	34.8%	37.3%	37.3%
Don't Know	4.4%	3.5%	2.8%	0.2%	0.8%	2.3%	0.7%	3.8%	3.3%	5.7%	4.0%	7.4%	3.1%	0.0%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (246)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (421)	100.0% (148)

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21. Most trusted part of government

Which part of the government do you trust MOST to do what's right?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Congress	5.9%	8.8%	5.1%	3.4%	5.1%	8.8%	9.3%	6.4%	5.4%	4.5%	8.2%	6.3%
The Supreme Court	32.1%	34.0%	30.2%	36.3%	34.8%	21.4%	18.6%	34.9%	29.7%	20.3%	35.3%	47.4%
The President	21.5%	23.8%	21.1%	18.8%	16.5%	44.4%	43.1%	20.3%	22.7%	22.6%	22.0%	19.7%
Political parties	2.6%	2.1%	3.2%	1.1%	2.9%	1.3%	1.2%	2.9%	2.3%	2.8%	3.9%	1.4%
Don't Know	37.9%	31.3%	40.4%	40.4%	40.7%	24.3%	27.8%	35.6%	39.9%	49.9%	30.5%	25.2%
Totals	100.0% (994)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (687)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (808)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (76)	100.0% (487)	100.0% (507)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (278)	100.0% (354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Congress	5.9%	7.6%	3.7%	4.7%	6.5%	5.4%	6.0%	6.0%	3.0%	7.0%	7.0%	4.8%	6.1%	4.2%
The Supreme Court	32.1%	28.6%	42.8%	37.9%	33.8%	36.1%	42.2%	29.5%	33.5%	32.8%	31.5%	23.6%	36.7%	48.1%
The President	21.5%	38.4%	5.4%	18.1%	37.4%	28.5%	6.0%	28.2%	20.2%	19.0%	21.9%	26.9%	19.2%	18.4%
Political parties	2.6%	1.5%	6.6%	0.9%	1.4%	1.2%	6.8%	3.0%	0.9%	3.3%	3.0%	2.5%	3.2%	2.4%
Don't Know	37.9%	23.8%	41.5%	38.4%	20.9%	28.7%	38.9%	33.4%	42.4%	37.9%	36.6%	42.2%	34.8%	26.9%
Totals	100.0% (994)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (278)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (244)	100.0% (380)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (422)	100.0% (147)

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22. Least trusted part of government

Which part of the government do you trust LEAST to do what's right?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Congress	33.8%	28.6%	34.9%	39.3%	35.7%	25.0%	26.4%	41.0%	27.5%	27.9%	36.9%	40.4%
The Supreme Court	2.9%	1.5%	3.3%	4.1%	2.3%	5.1%	6.5%	3.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.8%	2.9%
The President	9.5%	8.9%	9.1%	12.6%	10.6%	1.9%	8.9%	9.0%	9.9%	11.6%	8.0%	7.5%
Political parties	34.1%	35.3%	34.6%	29.9%	33.8%	44.2%	23.3%	34.1%	34.0%	29.1%	36.6%	39.8%
Don't Know	19.7%	25.8%	18.1%	14.2%	17.6%	23.9%	34.9%	12.9%	25.7%	28.4%	15.8%	9.3%
Totals	100.0% (996)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (688)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (811)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (75)	100.0% (488)	100.0% (508)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Congress	33.8%	23.6%	52.3%	35.4%	21.2%	33.3%	54.0%	32.1%	28.1%	37.9%	34.5%	26.6%	37.0%	47.8%
The Supreme Court	2.9%	3.5%	3.1%	3.6%	4.0%	2.1%	2.9%	2.3%	2.4%	3.5%	2.9%	2.8%	2.1%	3.1%
The President	9.5%	5.2%	18.1%	9.7%	5.0%	4.1%	18.5%	5.9%	8.9%	11.0%	11.0%	11.7%	8.7%	6.9%
Political parties	34.1%	50.2%	17.1%	36.7%	59.2%	42.4%	17.4%	40.0%	42.7%	26.9%	31.6%	32.4%	34.6%	36.8%
Don't Know	19.7%	17.4%	9.5%	14.6%	10.5%	18.1%	7.2%	19.7%	17.9%	20.7%	19.9%	26.6%	17.6%	5.4%
Totals	100.0% (996)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (183)	100.0% (246)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (421)	100.0% (148)

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23. 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	25.3%	30.7%	23.8%	20.8%	21.0%	56.6%	27.7%	21.4%	28.6%	19.7%	30.4%	30.1%
Somewhat approve	26.1%	28.0%	27.1%	18.6%	26.1%	25.4%	27.3%	24.5%	27.6%	26.1%	25.6%	26.5%
Somewhat disapprove	14.4%	13.8%	13.8%	17.6%	16.3%	5.9%	5.8%	11.2%	17.1%	15.7%	13.2%	13.1%
Strongly disapprove	27.3%	14.8%	30.1%	39.8%	32.2%	2.7%	10.1%	35.9%	19.7%	27.7%	26.5%	27.3%
Not sure	7.0%	12.6%	5.3%	3.2%	4.4%	9.4%	29.1%	6.9%	7.0%	10.9%	4.3%	3.0%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (689)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (812)	100.0% (109)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (489)	100.0% (509)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	25.3%	51.6%	4.1%	19.1%	54.2%	32.5%	4.6%	33.1%	24.2%	23.3%	22.8%	25.3%	24.9%	27.4%
Somewhat approve	26.1%	32.3%	10.2%	29.5%	35.0%	33.2%	7.6%	31.6%	25.1%	22.4%	29.9%	26.7%	28.4%	20.7%
Somewhat disapprove	14.4%	8.1%	19.4%	19.3%	4.9%	15.7%	19.7%	11.0%	16.5%	14.8%	14.0%	16.1%	12.0%	16.7%
Strongly disapprove	27.3%	3.5%	62.9%	26.9%	5.0%	12.5%	65.6%	16.4%	27.7%	34.1%	23.2%	19.8%	31.7%	32.9%
Not sure	7.0%	4.6%	3.4%	5.2%	0.8%	6.0%	2.5%	7.9%	6.5%	5.4%	10.1%	12.1%	3.0%	2.3%
Totals	100.0% (998)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (183)	100.0% (246)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (422)	100.0% (147)

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24. Approval of U.S. Congress

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	2.0%	2.7%	1.9%	0.7%	1.2%	8.7%	1.0%	2.2%	1.7%	2.7%	2.2%	0.7%
Somewhat approve	14.0%	14.8%	14.4%	10.7%	11.7%	28.6%	18.5%	12.5%	15.3%	10.2%	19.6%	15.9%
Neither approve nor disapprove	20.3%	23.2%	19.1%	20.0%	19.9%	19.8%	25.4%	11.6%	28.0%	23.2%	18.5%	17.3%
Somewhat disapprove	18.1%	21.2%	17.5%	14.5%	18.7%	13.3%	18.1%	19.3%	17.0%	16.1%	16.2%	22.3%
Strongly disapprove	36.1%	22.6%	39.3%	48.9%	40.9%	12.6%	18.8%	47.3%	26.2%	33.8%	34.6%	40.6%
Not sure	9.5%	15.5%	7.8%	5.2%	7.6%	17.0%	18.2%	7.0%	11.7%	14.1%	8.8%	3.1%
Totals	100.0% (999)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (690)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (812)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (490)	100.0% (509)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	2.0%	4.2%	0.9%	1.2%	3.5%	1.8%	1.2%	0.0%	1.9%	3.2%	1.3%	3.9%	0.8%	0.8%
Somewhat approve	14.0%	27.6%	4.3%	9.1%	30.9%	18.4%	2.5%	14.6%	13.6%	13.9%	14.1%	15.0%	15.5%	13.5%
Neither approve nor disapprove	20.3%	28.0%	9.7%	18.7%	29.0%	19.7%	6.2%	32.0%	21.5%	14.5%	18.9%	24.8%	18.4%	10.8%
Somewhat disapprove	18.1%	21.9%	15.3%	18.9%	23.4%	24.6%	15.1%	20.4%	19.1%	15.7%	19.4%	15.9%	18.2%	27.0%
Strongly disapprove	36.1%	9.5%	65.7%	45.7%	8.8%	27.5%	71.8%	22.3%	37.2%	40.6%	39.9%	26.6%	38.6%	47.5%
Not sure	9.5%	8.8%	4.2%	6.4%	4.6%	7.9%	3.2%	10.7%	6.7%	12.0%	6.4%	13.8%	8.5%	0.4%
Totals	100.0% (999)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (245)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (423)	100.0% (148)

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25. 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	30.9%	19.9%	33.4%	41.7%	37.0%	2.1%	8.2%	36.6%	25.9%	27.7%	29.5%	36.7%
Lean Republican	5.7%	7.4%	4.9%	5.8%	6.3%	0.4%	6.2%	4.7%	6.6%	5.6%	6.8%	5.1%
Lean Democrat	8.6%	11.4%	7.0%	10.0%	7.7%	13.4%	11.3%	7.8%	9.4%	9.2%	11.8%	5.7%
Democrat	36.8%	42.5%	36.2%	28.3%	31.4%	73.5%	43.5%	32.1%	41.0%	30.1%	40.9%	44.2%
Not Sure	17.9%	18.7%	18.5%	14.3%	17.6%	10.7%	30.8%	18.9%	17.1%	27.5%	11.1%	8.4%
Totals	100.0% (995)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (687)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (808)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (487)	100.0% (508)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (278)	100.0% (353)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Republican	30.9%	1.3%	85.7%	22.8%	3.2%	16.7%	76.5%	21.3%	29.9%	36.4%	30.2%	23.1%	34.5%	45.0%
Lean Republican	5.7%	0.5%	10.2%	10.2%	1.9%	6.2%	9.3%	6.9%	5.8%	5.6%	4.6%	5.2%	6.2%	3.2%
Lean Democrat	8.6%	15.1%	0.0%	9.9%	12.0%	11.0%	2.0%	6.8%	7.0%	7.8%	14.7%	12.0%	8.0%	2.2%
Democrat	36.8%	81.1%	1.2%	27.7%	78.5%	49.2%	6.8%	47.6%	35.2%	35.6%	30.5%	37.2%	34.0%	42.2%
Not Sure	17.9%	1.9%	2.9%	29.3%	4.4%	16.9%	5.3%	17.4%	22.1%	14.6%	20.1%	22.4%	17.3%	7.5%
Totals	100.0% (995)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (182)	100.0% (245)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (419)	100.0% (148)

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26. 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	34.7%	36.4%	35.4%	29.0%	30.6%	60.9%	43.0%	32.1%	37.0%	27.3%	39.5%	42.6%
Off on the wrong track	51.0%	44.8%	51.8%	59.7%	56.8%	19.1%	34.0%	56.6%	46.1%	54.5%	45.7%	49.4%
Not sure	14.3%	18.8%	12.8%	11.3%	12.6%	20.0%	23.0%	11.3%	16.9%	18.2%	14.8%	8.0%
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%
	(994)	(187)	(685)	(122)	(808)	(110)	(76)	(487)	(507)	(363)	(277)	(354)

	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	34.7%	62.0%	10.5%	33.4%	67.0%	46.9%	9.6%	38.2%	36.7%	32.1%	34.0%	33.1%	33.1%	42.4%
Off on the wrong track	51.0%	20.5%	82.8%	57.5%	22.5%	38.7%	86.3%	46.1%	50.8%	54.2%	49.8%	48.3%	55.4%	50.6%
Not sure	14.3%	17.4%	6.8%	9.0%	10.5%	14.4%	4.2%	15.7%	12.5%	13.7%	16.2%	18.6%	11.5%	7.1%
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%
	(994)	(357)	(280)	(280)	(235)	(331)	(322)	(184)	(244)	(380)	(186)	(329)	(420)	(148)

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27. 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	38.8%	49.3%	34.5%	36.3%	34.5%	67.7%	44.7%	38.0%	39.5%	33.4%	40.7%	45.5%
Big government	61.2%	50.7%	65.5%	63.7%	65.5%	32.3%	55.3%	62.0%	60.5%	66.6%	59.3%	54.5%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (688)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (811)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (76)	100.0% (490)	100.0% (507)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Big business	38.8%	67.3%	5.7%	41.2%	72.2%	49.7%	7.2%	49.9%	38.3%	32.6%	41.1%	36.7%	39.8%	41.8%
Big government	61.2%	32.7%	94.3%	58.8%	27.8%	50.3%	92.8%	50.1%	61.7%	67.4%	58.9%	63.3%	60.2%	58.2%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (244)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (423)	100.0% (148)

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28. 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	17.2%	20.0%	16.6%	14.3%	15.4%	28.8%	20.9%	19.3%	15.3%	11.5%	19.7%	24.1%
About the same	35.5%	37.3%	36.6%	27.5%	35.3%	41.8%	29.4%	29.2%	41.2%	33.3%	36.7%	38.0%
Getting worse	39.2%	26.1%	41.7%	53.8%	44.1%	13.3%	22.5%	43.8%	35.0%	41.8%	38.2%	35.8%
Not sure	8.1%	16.5%	5.1%	4.4%	5.2%	16.0%	27.1%	7.7%	8.5%	13.3%	5.4%	2.2%
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)	(186)	(689)	(120)	(811)	(108)	(76)	(490)	(505)	(364)	(277)	(354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Getting better	17.2%	29.8%	6.1%	17.5%	36.2%	22.3%	4.9%	18.8%	23.6%	14.0%	13.8%	13.4%	18.8%	23.9%
About the same	35.5%	45.0%	28.3%	34.9%	41.1%	39.1%	27.9%	41.2%	30.2%	37.0%	33.3%	40.0%	32.6%	37.5%
Getting worse	39.2%	17.7%	62.5%	42.6%	18.5%	31.1%	66.0%	31.9%	39.3%	41.7%	41.2%	33.8%	44.3%	37.7%
Not sure	8.1%	7.5%	3.0%	5.1%	4.2%	7.4%	1.1%	8.1%	7.0%	7.2%	11.7%	12.8%	4.3%	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%
	(995)	(358)	(280)	(280)	(235)	(329)	(323)	(185)	(245)	(379)	(186)	(331)	(420)	(148)

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29. 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	9.4%	14.6%	8.9%	1.4%	7.7%	17.5%	15.8%	10.7%	8.2%	5.9%	12.6%	12.4%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	39.2%	36.0%	40.6%	39.6%	40.3%	37.7%	29.8%	39.0%	39.4%	36.2%	35.6%	46.1%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	47.8%	40.8%	48.7%	57.3%	50.0%	37.5%	39.0%	46.5%	48.9%	51.8%	49.6%	40.6%
Not sure	3.6%	8.7%	1.8%	1.8%	2.0%	7.3%	15.4%	3.8%	3.4%	6.1%	2.3%	0.8%
Totals	100.0% (995)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (688)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (809)	100.0% (109)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (488)	100.0% (507)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (355)

	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	9.4%	12.8%	7.7%	9.1%	15.1%	9.6%	6.1%	6.2%	9.6%	11.0%	9.1%	9.0%	9.9%	13.6%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	39.2%	39.7%	43.5%	39.0%	42.7%	38.0%	45.3%	45.3%	43.9%	35.9%	33.3%	37.0%	44.3%	37.4%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	47.8%	44.3%	46.7%	50.0%	39.6%	50.0%	47.9%	46.7%	43.6%	48.6%	53.0%	47.2%	45.1%	49.0%
Not sure	3.6%	3.3%	2.1%	1.9%	2.6%	2.4%	0.8%	1.8%	2.9%	4.5%	4.6%	6.7%	0.8%	0.0%
Totals	100.0% (995)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (183)	100.0% (245)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (420)	100.0% (148)

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30. 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	28.5%	33.6%	27.6%	22.7%	26.3%	39.1%	36.9%	33.7%	23.9%	20.5%	32.9%	37.7%
About the same	31.3%	29.1%	32.4%	30.9%	33.1%	26.9%	19.1%	30.3%	32.2%	30.8%	30.3%	32.8%
Lower	21.9%	14.6%	25.0%	22.9%	24.1%	6.4%	20.0%	23.6%	20.4%	24.1%	21.0%	19.3%
Not sure	18.3%	22.7%	15.0%	23.5%	16.5%	27.6%	24.1%	12.3%	23.6%	24.7%	15.8%	10.3%
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%
	(996)	(186)	(688)	(122)	(810)	(109)	(77)	(490)	(506)	(365)	(279)	(352)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Higher	28.5%	43.5%	18.0%	24.2%	50.7%	36.1%	17.4%	28.6%	28.0%	27.4%	31.6%	23.4%	31.0%	41.1%
About the same	31.3%	28.0%	38.3%	35.9%	29.5%	30.5%	39.1%	32.2%	33.2%	30.8%	28.8%	29.2%	35.1%	31.8%
Lower	21.9%	12.3%	31.0%	25.0%	8.5%	15.8%	34.3%	17.0%	23.7%	22.5%	23.3%	23.9%	19.9%	20.9%
Not sure	18.3%	16.3%	12.6%	14.8%	11.2%	17.6%	9.2%	22.1%	15.2%	19.2%	16.3%	23.6%	14.0%	6.3%
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%	100.0%	100.0%
	(996)	(358)	(281)	(280)	(235)	(330)	(324)	(183)	(246)	(382)	(185)	(331)	(420)	(148)

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31. 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
War in Iraq	54.3%	49.9%	55.5%	57.9%	52.7%	68.6%	51.9%	56.2%	52.6%	46.5%	57.9%	63.7%
Economy	43.9%	52.4%	42.5%	33.4%	37.9%	73.4%	66.0%	40.0%	47.4%	37.8%	47.7%	50.5%
Immigration	29.5%	32.6%	29.7%	22.7%	25.2%	51.1%	44.4%	27.9%	30.9%	26.5%	30.1%	33.5%
Environment	49.6%	51.9%	50.5%	41.8%	46.3%	67.1%	60.7%	46.0%	52.9%	41.5%	56.8%	56.9%
Terrorism	46.4%	44.3%	48.5%	41.5%	43.1%	70.8%	47.7%	44.7%	47.9%	40.2%	52.2%	51.8%
Gay Rights	30.9%	25.8%	33.5%	29.8%	29.5%	37.4%	36.1%	27.1%	34.3%	23.1%	34.9%	39.9%
Education	48.1%	49.3%	48.6%	43.5%	44.3%	65.5%	63.5%	43.9%	51.8%	43.2%	53.0%	51.9%
Health Care	44.5%	50.3%	45.2%	30.6%	39.3%	68.1%	65.7%	40.0%	48.5%	39.4%	47.7%	50.0%
Social Security	34.9%	36.2%	35.3%	30.8%	29.3%	56.7%	63.0%	32.6%	37.0%	32.9%	38.1%	35.7%
Totals	(1,000)	(187)	(691)	(122)	(813)	(110)	(77)	(491)	(509)	(366)	(279)	(355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
War in Iraq	54.3%	76.4%	36.2%	56.1%	75.8%	67.4%	36.2%	60.2%	55.5%	49.8%	56.2%	50.3%	56.9%	69.1%
Economy	43.9%	81.3%	10.1%	39.0%	82.3%	55.5%	11.6%	55.1%	39.6%	41.8%	42.3%	43.7%	45.2%	47.5%
Immigration	29.5%	52.2%	8.8%	28.1%	54.5%	35.7%	9.0%	32.5%	28.6%	30.8%	24.5%	31.7%	30.3%	35.1%
Environment	49.6%	76.9%	22.2%	51.5%	80.7%	62.3%	22.2%	53.7%	49.4%	48.8%	47.3%	51.4%	48.6%	55.5%
Terrorism	46.4%	75.9%	19.0%	47.2%	73.3%	61.3%	19.3%	53.5%	44.9%	43.7%	46.6%	46.5%	47.7%	53.7%
Gay Rights	30.9%	44.8%	19.1%	33.7%	51.1%	39.5%	18.2%	34.3%	31.7%	28.3%	31.8%	27.3%	31.8%	44.6%
Education	48.1%	78.5%	23.8%	43.4%	79.3%	59.7%	20.6%	55.2%	48.5%	45.2%	45.9%	49.9%	48.5%	49.8%
Health Care	44.5%	75.7%	11.3%	45.7%	78.4%	56.1%	14.9%	51.1%	40.4%	44.6%	42.6%	47.1%	44.9%	48.0%
Social Security	34.9%	61.5%	10.2%	34.9%	59.5%	45.0%	11.1%	38.8%	33.5%	34.8%	32.8%	38.7%	35.4%	37.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(360)	(281)	(281)	(235)	(333)	(324)	(185)	(246)	(383)	(186)	(331)	(423)	(148)

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32. 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	36.7%	47.3%	33.0%	31.4%	30.0%	75.0%	54.0%	33.4%	39.6%	32.7%	40.0%	40.3%
Intelligent	66.6%	65.8%	66.6%	68.3%	63.1%	86.7%	75.5%	63.5%	69.4%	58.2%	75.5%	73.3%
Religious	14.7%	18.3%	14.4%	8.8%	11.4%	40.3%	14.4%	12.6%	16.5%	14.6%	18.7%	12.0%
Inspiring	45.3%	54.7%	42.8%	37.8%	40.7%	76.0%	52.1%	45.0%	45.5%	37.6%	48.7%	54.6%
Patriotic	30.7%	41.2%	26.6%	27.4%	27.6%	52.9%	32.5%	27.8%	33.3%	26.4%	32.5%	35.9%
Strong	40.5%	47.9%	38.3%	35.3%	34.7%	70.4%	60.3%	32.8%	47.4%	37.4%	45.4%	41.8%
Bold	41.1%	44.0%	38.5%	46.5%	38.3%	63.8%	40.1%	36.4%	45.2%	35.7%	45.7%	46.1%
Experienced	17.7%	22.6%	16.4%	13.8%	13.4%	46.8%	24.1%	12.7%	22.2%	16.6%	19.7%	18.1%
Sincere	42.0%	50.3%	40.2%	33.6%	36.7%	79.3%	46.7%	35.2%	48.0%	38.5%	41.2%	47.8%
Partisan	22.3%	13.9%	22.7%	36.6%	24.6%	9.1%	15.9%	28.7%	16.6%	15.0%	28.0%	29.3%
Effective	31.8%	38.3%	28.9%	31.4%	26.2%	64.3%	46.6%	28.7%	34.7%	26.3%	37.8%	36.2%
Unifying	27.5%	36.8%	24.0%	23.8%	23.8%	46.4%	39.2%	27.2%	27.7%	23.0%	30.0%	32.4%
In Touch	34.6%	42.9%	33.2%	24.3%	30.7%	61.4%	38.7%	28.1%	40.4%	27.5%	37.9%	43.0%
Realistic	35.4%	42.7%	35.5%	21.1%	30.1%	65.9%	49.9%	31.0%	39.4%	31.0%	38.6%	40.0%
Decisive	30.2%	29.3%	31.0%	28.5%	28.1%	41.8%	36.4%	26.0%	33.9%	24.6%	35.1%	35.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(187)	(691)	(122)	(813)	(110)	(77)	(491)	(509)	(366)	(279)	(355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Honest	36.7%	68.9%	6.1%	31.8%	70.7%	47.9%	6.1%	39.3%	36.5%	34.5%	38.7%	37.4%	37.9%	31.5%
Intelligent	66.6%	85.2%	45.6%	70.2%	87.0%	78.6%	48.1%	59.3%	68.4%	62.9%	80.4%	62.3%	67.2%	79.2%
Religious	14.7%	27.5%	6.1%	11.3%	22.5%	17.7%	3.7%	12.2%	18.8%	14.2%	12.6%	18.3%	13.7%	9.2%
Inspiring	45.3%	73.2%	18.5%	43.6%	75.8%	57.6%	21.4%	43.2%	43.0%	45.4%	50.4%	41.7%	44.8%	51.3%
Patriotic	30.7%	50.5%	5.2%	31.0%	60.2%	37.2%	7.5%	34.0%	32.0%	27.8%	31.4%	29.8%	32.5%	28.2%
Strong	40.5%	67.5%	13.6%	34.2%	66.6%	47.8%	13.4%	41.4%	39.4%	39.6%	43.1%	43.1%	41.2%	34.5%
Bold	41.1%	57.9%	27.1%	41.3%	53.8%	49.9%	29.0%	41.8%	36.6%	42.2%	44.2%	39.9%	42.2%	40.1%
Experienced	17.7%	37.7%	1.4%	14.3%	30.3%	22.9%	3.0%	19.3%	16.4%	20.0%	13.0%	19.7%	17.8%	15.6%
Sincere	42.0%	73.4%	7.6%	44.4%	74.0%	52.6%	11.0%	41.9%	41.8%	41.3%	43.9%	43.2%	40.6%	39.7%
Partisan	22.3%	11.2%	44.2%	22.5%	7.5%	17.6%	49.3%	13.5%	21.3%	27.4%	21.9%	14.2%	25.5%	36.3%
Effective	31.8%	57.2%	8.1%	26.0%	55.3%	37.6%	6.9%	33.9%	25.7%	33.4%	34.7%	30.7%	33.5%	28.9%
Unifying	27.5%	45.0%	10.8%	25.4%	47.7%	35.0%	11.0%	25.5%	24.9%	28.6%	30.7%	25.5%	26.7%	26.3%
In Touch	34.6%	62.1%	6.9%	35.0%	67.7%	43.9%	7.4%	38.2%	35.3%	32.9%	33.3%	33.9%	36.6%	34.9%

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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	35.4%	66.0%	3.4%	32.8%	67.6%	45.5%	3.3%	41.6%	33.6%	34.9%	32.5%	37.2%	33.5%	35.3%
Decisive	30.2%	47.2%	14.1%	27.9%	50.1%	39.8%	12.7%	29.9%	30.2%	30.9%	29.0%	26.9%	31.1%	35.9%
Totals	(1,000)	(360)	(281)	(281)	(235)	(333)	(324)	(185)	(246)	(383)	(186)	(331)	(423)	(148)

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33. Words that don't describe Obama

Which of these words would you definitely not 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	25.4%	19.2%	26.4%	33.4%	29.8%	2.9%	10.7%	28.4%	22.8%	23.6%	27.8%	26.7%
Intelligent	8.8%	8.1%	9.1%	8.8%	10.0%	0.0%	8.3%	11.4%	6.4%	10.0%	6.3%	8.5%
Religious	27.0%	19.6%	27.6%	38.9%	30.0%	16.0%	11.8%	32.2%	22.4%	21.8%	32.4%	31.2%
Inspiring	15.2%	10.3%	16.9%	17.1%	17.5%	1.9%	8.8%	16.5%	13.9%	16.6%	14.7%	13.2%
Patriotic	24.6%	17.8%	26.6%	29.0%	28.5%	7.3%	7.5%	28.6%	21.0%	24.2%	26.7%	23.6%
Strong	14.0%	13.3%	14.1%	14.6%	15.6%	2.1%	12.7%	17.8%	10.6%	16.6%	13.1%	10.7%
Bold	13.0%	12.5%	14.1%	9.7%	14.3%	7.6%	7.3%	16.2%	10.2%	15.6%	10.2%	11.0%
Experienced	45.4%	36.6%	46.1%	59.7%	50.5%	16.5%	31.7%	50.7%	40.7%	45.6%	43.2%	46.7%
Sincere	22.9%	16.4%	23.0%	34.6%	26.8%	2.3%	9.6%	27.1%	19.1%	23.3%	22.6%	22.3%
Partisan	20.3%	20.5%	20.6%	19.0%	20.1%	28.6%	11.7%	19.9%	20.7%	15.6%	18.6%	28.6%
Effective	21.6%	13.4%	24.1%	27.0%	25.4%	2.1%	9.2%	23.9%	19.7%	22.9%	24.5%	17.9%
Unifying	24.8%	16.4%	28.3%	26.2%	28.4%	12.0%	5.0%	26.8%	22.9%	22.0%	25.0%	28.7%
In Touch	22.3%	12.3%	24.2%	33.4%	25.4%	9.8%	7.0%	23.9%	20.9%	25.7%	22.9%	16.8%
Realistic	26.9%	17.1%	29.6%	34.7%	31.4%	5.0%	10.3%	29.9%	24.3%	26.9%	25.3%	28.1%
Decisive	18.4%	17.0%	19.5%	16.4%	19.1%	13.7%	17.3%	22.4%	14.8%	18.6%	20.4%	16.8%
Totals	(1,000)	(187)	(691)	(122)	(813)	(110)	(77)	(491)	(509)	(366)	(279)	(355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Honest	25.4%	3.2%	55.2%	29.3%	5.8%	17.9%	57.9%	16.9%	24.5%	32.2%	21.2%	17.1%	29.0%	33.9%
Intelligent	8.8%	0.6%	20.6%	8.6%	1.9%	4.5%	18.6%	6.7%	7.8%	10.5%	8.6%	8.5%	8.6%	8.0%
Religious	27.0%	12.1%	46.9%	34.5%	15.6%	24.1%	51.8%	21.2%	29.1%	27.8%	28.7%	20.1%	30.1%	35.7%
Inspiring	15.2%	1.4%	36.0%	14.5%	2.8%	10.1%	32.1%	11.8%	14.5%	17.6%	14.3%	11.8%	16.2%	17.7%
Patriotic	24.6%	3.9%	54.0%	25.7%	1.9%	14.0%	56.8%	16.3%	24.0%	30.3%	21.9%	18.4%	25.4%	31.4%
Strong	14.0%	3.4%	27.5%	13.8%	2.4%	8.8%	30.1%	11.9%	14.1%	13.8%	16.6%	10.9%	14.3%	16.8%
Bold	13.0%	7.4%	19.1%	14.2%	5.7%	10.8%	21.9%	12.5%	14.5%	13.2%	11.1%	13.1%	10.7%	16.0%
Experienced	45.4%	22.5%	73.6%	51.3%	21.0%	42.8%	72.8%	40.7%	44.7%	45.5%	51.2%	39.2%	43.7%	56.7%
Sincere	22.9%	3.7%	49.6%	26.1%	4.0%	17.1%	50.3%	19.4%	21.3%	26.5%	20.7%	17.9%	24.6%	28.5%
Partisan	20.3%	27.1%	15.0%	24.4%	34.1%	23.2%	14.6%	24.7%	22.2%	18.3%	17.5%	19.4%	20.2%	23.0%
Effective	21.6%	6.5%	45.8%	22.7%	4.5%	17.2%	43.0%	18.2%	21.4%	24.2%	20.0%	18.3%	23.0%	23.6%
Unifying	24.8%	9.4%	47.8%	27.5%	7.7%	20.3%	51.3%	21.2%	29.8%	25.6%	19.7%	21.1%	23.7%	39.6%
In Touch	22.3%	7.8%	44.8%	23.4%	1.6%	14.6%	46.3%	18.7%	22.1%	26.1%	18.0%	21.0%	23.2%	19.2%

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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	26.9%	8.2%	54.5%	29.7%	6.0%	21.6%	52.8%	18.8%	30.8%	28.8%	26.4%	18.8%	32.1%	29.9%
Decisive	18.4%	8.7%	29.0%	21.1%	6.7%	18.4%	30.5%	14.7%	21.3%	17.7%	19.9%	17.4%	16.3%	24.9%
Totals	(1,000)	(360)	(281)	(281)	(235)	(333)	(324)	(185)	(246)	(383)	(186)	(331)	(423)	(148)

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34. 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	33.4%	27.5%	33.1%	45.7%	38.1%	12.0%	13.3%	41.8%	26.0%	25.5%	37.6%	42.1%
Somewhat liberal	20.7%	22.3%	20.1%	20.5%	21.1%	18.5%	20.1%	20.1%	21.3%	13.7%	22.4%	30.0%
Moderate	20.4%	23.6%	20.2%	14.9%	17.8%	34.5%	28.2%	18.7%	21.8%	20.9%	21.2%	19.0%
Somewhat conservative	3.3%	3.5%	3.6%	1.2%	3.1%	6.6%	0.5%	3.1%	3.5%	2.5%	4.6%	3.5%
Very conservative	2.1%	0.4%	3.4%	0.0%	1.3%	8.3%	1.5%	1.1%	3.0%	2.3%	3.3%	0.9%
Not sure	20.2%	22.8%	19.6%	17.6%	18.6%	20.0%	36.4%	15.3%	24.5%	35.0%	10.9%	4.5%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (688)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (811)	100.0% (109)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (489)	100.0% (508)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (279)	100.0% (355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	33.4%	8.8%	72.9%	36.7%	8.7%	25.0%	80.5%	25.0%	33.1%	38.6%	31.0%	22.7%	37.2%	51.4%
Somewhat liberal	20.7%	32.2%	9.9%	21.9%	50.5%	26.8%	7.5%	20.4%	23.1%	17.7%	24.5%	17.1%	22.8%	28.1%
Moderate	20.4%	30.1%	4.2%	25.6%	26.3%	34.9%	3.3%	25.5%	17.6%	16.4%	27.5%	20.6%	21.4%	16.1%
Somewhat conservative	3.3%	6.0%	0.6%	2.4%	3.7%	4.4%	2.3%	4.4%	2.8%	3.8%	1.5%	4.4%	3.0%	1.7%
Very conservative	2.1%	3.5%	1.3%	2.2%	3.3%	2.4%	2.3%	0.5%	2.7%	3.0%	0.7%	3.0%	2.2%	0.0%
Not sure	20.2%	19.4%	11.1%	11.2%	7.4%	6.6%	4.2%	24.2%	20.7%	20.4%	14.7%	32.2%	13.3%	2.7%
Totals	100.0% (997)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (183)	100.0% (245)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (422)	100.0% (148)

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35. 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	53.0%	60.6%	51.9%	43.0%	47.6%	84.1%	67.0%	47.6%	57.8%	52.2%	55.2%	52.9%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	47.0%	39.4%	48.1%	57.0%	52.4%	15.9%	33.0%	52.4%	42.2%	47.8%	44.8%	47.1%
Totals	100.0% (994)	100.0% (187)	100.0% (685)	100.0% (122)	100.0% (807)	100.0% (110)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (488)	100.0% (506)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (354)

	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	53.0%	82.1%	17.1%	47.9%	85.1%	60.0%	16.6%	61.1%	51.3%	48.4%	57.0%	57.6%	50.6%	47.6%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	47.0%	17.9%	82.9%	52.1%	14.9%	40.0%	83.4%	38.9%	48.7%	51.6%	43.0%	42.4%	49.4%	52.4%
Totals	100.0% (994)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (280)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (244)	100.0% (381)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (420)	100.0% (148)

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36. 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	40.2%	49.2%	38.6%	29.3%	33.6%	80.8%	52.6%	36.5%	43.4%	32.6%	46.2%	47.3%
Like somewhat	30.2%	24.2%	31.7%	35.8%	33.3%	9.2%	26.7%	31.9%	28.8%	32.2%	30.7%	27.0%
Dislike	19.5%	14.6%	19.5%	28.7%	23.2%	1.9%	5.3%	21.1%	18.1%	21.4%	17.3%	18.1%
Not sure	10.1%	12.0%	10.2%	6.2%	9.9%	8.1%	15.4%	10.5%	9.8%	13.8%	5.8%	7.6%
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)	(187)	(687)	(122)	(809)	(110)	(77)	(487)	(509)	(364)	(279)	(353)

	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	40.2%	72.2%	10.0%	35.1%	77.4%	52.5%	10.7%	47.5%	35.6%	38.4%	42.6%	37.2%	41.9%	43.0%
Like somewhat	30.2%	18.5%	37.7%	36.7%	15.9%	29.4%	38.2%	27.7%	32.8%	29.1%	31.7%	31.2%	28.7%	30.3%
Dislike	19.5%	4.3%	44.0%	18.2%	3.5%	9.4%	43.4%	15.2%	22.3%	21.8%	15.1%	17.0%	21.9%	18.0%
Not sure	10.1%	5.1%	8.3%	9.9%	3.2%	8.7%	7.7%	9.6%	9.2%	10.7%	10.5%	14.6%	7.5%	8.7%
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)	(359)	(280)	(280)	(234)	(333)	(322)	(184)	(246)	(381)	(185)	(331)	(420)	(148)