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1. Interest in Politics

Some people seem to follow what's going on in government and public affairs most of the time, whether there's an election going on or not. Others aren't that interested. Would you say you follow what's going on in government and public affairs ... ?

	Total	Gender		Age				Income			Race	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
Most of the time	70.5%	78.0%	64.6%	60.4%	63.4%	74.2%	79.8%	60.5%	74.1%	82.6%	73.9%	56.9%
Some of the time	20.4%	16.7%	23.4%	21.5%	24.0%	19.9%	16.5%	26.5%	17.9%	14.3%	19.2%	25.5%
Only now and then	7.1%	4.9%	8.8%	10.7%	11.4%	4.7%	3.7%	10.0%	6.5%	1.7%	5.3%	13.9%
Hardly at all	2.0%	0.4%	3.3%	7.3%	1.2%	1.3%	0.0%	2.9%	1.5%	1.4%	1.6%	3.6%
Don't Know	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (456)	100.0% (544)	100.0% (92)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (504)	100.0% (181)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (489)	100.0% (206)	100.0% (864)	100.0% (136)

	Total	Voters		Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote	
		Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
Most of the time	70.5%	70.5%	80.1%	65.2%	79.2%	71.9%	76.4%	62.0%	77.5%	67.6%	78.3%
Some of the time	20.4%	20.4%	15.9%	25.4%	15.1%	18.9%	16.2%	29.4%	14.9%	23.0%	14.6%
Only now and then	7.1%	7.1%	3.9%	7.6%	4.4%	7.1%	7.2%	7.3%	6.2%	7.7%	5.4%
Hardly at all	2.0%	2.0%	0.1%	1.8%	1.2%	2.1%	0.2%	1.3%	1.4%	1.6%	1.7%
Don't Know	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (819)	100.0% (405)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (261)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (336)	100.0% (557)	100.0% (378)

New York Statewide Poll



2. Approval of Obama as President

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

	Total	Gender		Age				Income			Race	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
Strongly approve	22.5%	20.2%	24.3%	24.4%	23.0%	20.4%	24.0%	20.3%	23.6%	23.4%	18.2%	39.5%
Somewhat approve	31.7%	30.9%	32.3%	38.6%	36.8%	33.1%	17.8%	35.6%	31.6%	23.9%	29.3%	41.1%
Somewhat disapprove	11.4%	9.6%	12.8%	19.7%	7.8%	10.1%	11.4%	13.4%	10.1%	10.5%	12.8%	5.6%
Strongly disapprove	32.3%	38.7%	27.2%	11.2%	30.3%	35.2%	45.3%	28.8%	32.2%	39.5%	37.9%	9.8%
Not sure	2.2%	0.7%	3.5%	6.1%	2.0%	1.2%	1.5%	1.9%	2.4%	2.7%	1.8%	4.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (456)	100.0% (544)	100.0% (92)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (504)	100.0% (181)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (489)	100.0% (206)	100.0% (864)	100.0% (136)

	Total	Voters		Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote	
		Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
Strongly approve	22.5%	22.5%	25.7%	39.5%	15.2%	2.3%	37.0%	22.9%	7.4%	35.8%	0.8%
Somewhat approve	31.7%	31.7%	29.7%	44.5%	37.4%	5.5%	53.2%	37.2%	5.6%	46.9%	1.4%
Somewhat disapprove	11.4%	11.4%	9.1%	6.6%	14.1%	15.0%	6.4%	18.6%	8.9%	10.3%	13.2%
Strongly disapprove	32.3%	32.3%	34.2%	5.5%	32.8%	76.8%	1.1%	19.0%	77.1%	4.0%	83.9%
Not sure	2.2%	2.2%	1.3%	3.9%	0.5%	0.5%	2.3%	2.2%	0.9%	3.1%	0.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (819)	100.0% (405)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (261)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (336)	100.0% (557)	100.0% (378)

New York Statewide Poll



3. Obama's Performance Against Expectations

Since taking office, do you think Barack Obama has accomplished...

	Gender		Age				Income			Race		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
More than I expected	17.6%	17.1%	17.9%	6.3%	22.1%	16.7%	22.5%	18.5%	18.3%	13.5%	14.1%	31.5%
About what I expected	36.0%	32.5%	38.7%	46.4%	34.2%	38.2%	26.0%	33.0%	37.4%	38.7%	36.9%	32.4%
Less than I expected	42.0%	48.4%	36.9%	38.8%	40.5%	42.9%	44.6%	43.0%	40.3%	44.1%	45.1%	29.6%
Not sure	4.5%	1.9%	6.5%	8.5%	3.2%	2.2%	7.0%	5.4%	4.1%	3.6%	4.0%	6.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (454)	100.0% (543)	100.0% (92)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (502)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (487)	100.0% (206)	100.0% (862)	100.0% (135)

	Voters		Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote		
	Total	Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
More than I expected	17.6%	17.6%	20.9%	21.6%	17.1%	11.8%	17.9%	17.5%	17.2%	21.4%	10.5%
About what I expected	36.0%	36.0%	35.4%	43.9%	33.9%	26.1%	44.3%	37.6%	27.8%	39.9%	30.1%
Less than I expected	42.0%	42.0%	40.0%	31.8%	43.3%	55.9%	34.4%	39.6%	51.2%	34.4%	55.5%
Not sure	4.5%	4.5%	3.7%	2.8%	5.7%	6.2%	3.4%	5.3%	3.8%	4.3%	4.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (816)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (296)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (335)	100.0% (556)	100.0% (377)

4. Gay Marriage

Do you favor or oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally?

	Gender			Age				Income			Race	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
Favor	52.9%	49.8%	55.4%	76.5%	53.0%	50.8%	38.4%	52.7%	51.5%	57.7%	55.5%	42.4%
Oppose	34.8%	39.5%	31.0%	16.1%	31.7%	37.2%	48.3%	35.3%	36.3%	29.2%	32.4%	44.1%
Not sure	12.3%	10.7%	13.6%	7.3%	15.3%	12.0%	13.3%	12.0%	12.2%	13.1%	12.0%	13.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (453)	100.0% (544)	100.0% (92)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (502)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (489)	100.0% (206)	100.0% (861)	100.0% (136)

	Voters			Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote	
	Total	Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
Favor	52.9%	52.9%	53.6%	68.4%	55.5%	25.0%	85.7%	54.9%	19.1%	69.3%	24.6%
Oppose	34.8%	34.8%	34.6%	21.6%	30.2%	61.0%	9.6%	30.5%	64.5%	19.6%	60.0%
Not sure	12.3%	12.3%	11.8%	10.0%	14.3%	13.9%	4.7%	14.6%	16.4%	11.1%	15.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (816)	100.0% (405)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (335)	100.0% (557)	100.0% (377)

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5. Illegal Immigration

Do you favor or oppose providing a way for illegal immigrants currently in the country to gain legal citizenship if they pass background checks, pay fines, and have jobs?

	Gender			Age				Income			Race	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
Favor	56.3%	52.2%	59.6%	69.7%	51.4%	56.1%	51.8%	58.1%	54.2%	57.5%	57.0%	53.5%
Oppose	31.3%	36.2%	27.5%	16.1%	32.8%	34.1%	36.3%	33.5%	31.3%	27.3%	33.2%	23.8%
Don't Know	12.4%	11.7%	13.0%	14.2%	15.8%	9.7%	11.9%	8.4%	14.4%	15.2%	9.8%	22.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (454)	100.0% (543)	100.0% (92)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (502)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (298)	100.0% (488)	100.0% (206)	100.0% (861)	100.0% (136)

	Voters			Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote	
	Total	Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
Favor	56.3%	56.3%	56.6%	65.5%	60.9%	36.5%	79.7%	56.5%	32.7%	70.3%	33.3%
Oppose	31.3%	31.3%	30.8%	20.0%	28.2%	53.4%	12.0%	26.1%	56.1%	17.1%	56.1%
Don't Know	12.4%	12.4%	12.6%	14.5%	10.9%	10.1%	8.4%	17.4%	11.2%	12.7%	10.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (817)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (335)	100.0% (557)	100.0% (376)

New York Statewide Poll



6. View on Abortion

Do you think abortion should be...

	Total	Gender		Age				Income			Race	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
Legal in all cases	32.2%	25.9%	37.3%	43.7%	29.9%	33.8%	23.2%	35.5%	30.2%	31.0%	33.7%	26.4%
Legal in most cases	32.6%	34.3%	31.2%	28.7%	31.2%	35.7%	31.4%	36.0%	28.5%	37.8%	30.7%	40.0%
Illegal in most cases	22.3%	27.5%	18.2%	17.0%	25.6%	19.6%	27.7%	13.4%	28.0%	24.6%	24.4%	13.9%
Illegal in all cases	6.8%	8.6%	5.3%	4.8%	7.7%	5.2%	10.1%	8.2%	7.3%	2.2%	6.0%	9.8%
Not sure	6.1%	3.6%	8.1%	5.8%	5.6%	5.7%	7.5%	7.0%	6.0%	4.4%	5.1%	9.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (455)	100.0% (543)	100.0% (92)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (504)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (298)	100.0% (489)	100.0% (206)	100.0% (862)	100.0% (136)

	Total	Voters		Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote	
		Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
Legal in all cases	32.2%	32.2%	31.9%	45.9%	24.4%	16.2%	53.2%	30.4%	12.9%	42.2%	13.0%
Legal in most cases	32.6%	32.6%	34.1%	32.3%	40.9%	25.9%	35.0%	39.6%	24.0%	37.6%	26.5%
Illegal in most cases	22.3%	22.3%	22.2%	12.3%	26.0%	37.0%	4.8%	21.0%	42.4%	11.5%	42.5%
Illegal in all cases	6.8%	6.8%	7.1%	4.1%	3.2%	15.2%	4.0%	1.9%	14.0%	3.3%	12.7%
Not sure	6.1%	6.1%	4.8%	5.5%	5.5%	5.6%	3.0%	7.2%	6.8%	5.5%	5.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (817)	100.0% (405)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (557)	100.0% (376)

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7. Intention to Vote in 2010

Do you intend to vote in the 2010 midterm elections?

	Total	Gender		Age				Income			Race	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
Definitely will vote	79.0%	80.6%	77.7%	55.0%	77.9%	82.5%	92.1%	74.6%	80.2%	85.4%	81.5%	68.9%
Probably will vote	7.2%	6.3%	8.0%	11.1%	10.3%	7.1%	1.1%	9.7%	6.5%	3.2%	6.9%	8.5%
Equally likely to vote or not vote	5.2%	3.2%	6.8%	12.3%	5.8%	3.8%	1.5%	5.6%	4.5%	6.4%	4.3%	8.7%
Probably will not vote	2.8%	3.2%	2.4%	8.7%	1.9%	2.1%	0.4%	3.5%	2.8%	1.2%	2.7%	3.0%
Definitely will not vote	5.9%	6.7%	5.2%	13.0%	4.1%	4.6%	4.8%	6.6%	6.1%	3.8%	4.6%	10.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (456)	100.0% (544)	100.0% (92)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (504)	100.0% (181)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (489)	100.0% (206)	100.0% (864)	100.0% (136)

	Total	Voters		Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote	
		Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
Definitely will vote	79.0%	79.0%	100.0%	78.0%	80.0%	84.3%	79.6%	79.2%	81.5%	77.7%	86.8%
Probably will vote	7.2%	7.2%	0.0%	5.9%	6.6%	7.8%	6.2%	5.2%	8.3%	7.1%	5.4%
Equally likely to vote or not vote	5.2%	5.2%	0.0%	6.2%	6.5%	1.3%	3.2%	8.2%	2.8%	6.0%	2.9%
Probably will not vote	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%	2.8%	3.0%	0.7%	3.6%	3.4%	1.0%	4.0%	0.7%
Definitely will not vote	5.9%	5.9%	0.0%	7.2%	3.8%	5.8%	7.4%	4.0%	6.3%	5.2%	4.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (819)	100.0% (405)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (261)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (336)	100.0% (557)	100.0% (378)

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8. Governor Vote

Who do you think you will vote for to be Governor of New York?

	Gender			Age				Income			Race	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
Andrew M. Cuomo	56.7%	54.2%	58.6%	68.6%	58.8%	57.4%	43.5%	58.7%	57.0%	50.9%	51.4%	77.6%
Carl P. Paladino	25.3%	32.0%	19.9%	7.2%	22.1%	28.1%	37.7%	20.5%	26.6%	32.3%	31.1%	2.0%
Other	3.3%	3.7%	3.0%	1.9%	4.1%	3.5%	3.2%	2.7%	3.5%	4.2%	3.8%	1.4%
Not sure	11.6%	6.9%	15.3%	11.1%	12.1%	9.7%	14.8%	13.7%	10.8%	8.7%	10.8%	14.8%
Won't vote	3.2%	3.1%	3.2%	11.3%	2.8%	1.3%	0.8%	4.5%	2.0%	3.9%	2.9%	4.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (454)	100.0% (542)	100.0% (92)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (502)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (486)	100.0% (205)	100.0% (860)	100.0% (136)

	Voters			Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote	
	Total	Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
Andrew M. Cuomo	56.7%	56.7%	57.3%	84.9%	56.1%	11.5%	89.4%	63.9%	18.4%	82.7%	12.8%
Carl P. Paladino	25.3%	25.3%	27.4%	2.5%	26.0%	65.3%	1.1%	13.6%	61.6%	2.8%	62.9%
Other	3.3%	3.3%	3.7%	1.6%	6.4%	1.6%	1.8%	4.1%	3.8%	3.5%	3.1%
Not sure	11.6%	11.6%	10.1%	7.4%	9.8%	19.2%	2.8%	16.0%	14.0%	8.7%	18.4%
Won't vote	3.2%	3.2%	1.5%	3.6%	1.6%	2.4%	4.9%	2.3%	2.2%	2.4%	2.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (815)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (295)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (335)	100.0% (554)	100.0% (377)

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9. Senator Vote

Who do you think you will vote for in the 2010 election for U.S. Senate?

	Gender		Age				Income			Race		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
Charles E. Schumer	56.3%	51.5%	60.2%	59.1%	58.8%	58.0%	48.2%	60.9%	56.1%	47.1%	51.8%	74.2%
Jay Townsend	31.4%	40.6%	23.9%	15.1%	27.4%	32.8%	46.1%	23.6%	34.0%	40.8%	36.5%	10.9%
Other	0.4%	0.6%	0.2%	0.9%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.1%	0.7%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%
Not sure	9.6%	5.5%	13.0%	13.4%	12.6%	8.4%	5.5%	11.7%	8.3%	8.7%	9.4%	10.4%
Won't vote	2.3%	1.7%	2.7%	11.6%	0.8%	0.5%	0.0%	3.6%	1.0%	3.1%	1.8%	4.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (961)	100.0% (439)	100.0% (522)	100.0% (89)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (173)	100.0% (289)	100.0% (473)	100.0% (194)	100.0% (828)	100.0% (133)

	Voters		Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote		
	Total	Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
Charles E. Schumer	56.3%	56.3%	58.6%	83.5%	56.3%	11.2%	89.2%	64.5%	17.1%	82.6%	11.3%
Jay Townsend	31.4%	31.4%	34.8%	4.9%	32.0%	78.2%	0.9%	23.2%	72.0%	5.2%	79.2%
Other	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.0%	0.5%	0.5%	0.4%	0.5%
Not sure	9.6%	9.6%	5.6%	8.3%	10.3%	9.9%	5.4%	10.2%	10.1%	9.5%	9.0%
Won't vote	2.3%	2.3%	0.7%	2.9%	1.0%	0.4%	4.5%	1.6%	0.3%	2.2%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (961)	100.0% (961)	100.0% (787)	100.0% (389)	100.0% (267)	100.0% (251)	100.0% (286)	100.0% (311)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (534)	100.0% (366)

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10. Senator Vote - 2nd Race NY

In the other race for U. S. Senator in your state, who do you think you will vote for in the 2010 election for U.S. Senate?

	Gender		Age				Income			Race		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
Kirsten E. Gillibrand	55.5%	51.8%	58.4%	58.7%	61.7%	56.6%	43.7%	57.4%	57.2%	45.9%	49.6%	78.8%
Joseph J. DiGuardi	29.7%	35.8%	24.8%	12.8%	25.1%	31.8%	44.2%	22.5%	31.0%	42.2%	36.2%	3.8%
Other	0.5%	0.9%	0.2%	0.9%	0.0%	0.4%	1.2%	0.7%	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	0.3%
Not sure	11.9%	9.6%	13.7%	16.4%	12.4%	10.5%	10.3%	15.7%	10.3%	7.7%	11.7%	12.7%
Won't vote	2.5%	1.9%	2.9%	11.3%	0.8%	0.8%	0.5%	3.8%	1.0%	3.7%	1.9%	4.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (456)	100.0% (540)	100.0% (92)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (502)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (487)	100.0% (204)	100.0% (860)	100.0% (136)

	Voters		Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote		
	Total	Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
Kirsten E. Gillibrand	55.5%	55.5%	57.3%	83.0%	55.3%	9.9%	86.4%	65.2%	16.7%	83.2%	9.8%
Joseph J. DiGuardi	29.7%	29.7%	33.1%	4.6%	30.6%	75.0%	1.6%	19.0%	70.5%	3.3%	78.1%
Other	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.3%	0.8%	0.3%	0.0%	0.5%	1.0%	0.3%	0.4%
Not sure	11.9%	11.9%	8.2%	8.9%	12.0%	14.4%	7.2%	13.6%	11.4%	10.7%	11.6%
Won't vote	2.5%	2.5%	0.8%	3.2%	1.3%	0.4%	4.7%	1.7%	0.4%	2.4%	0.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (815)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (295)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (336)	100.0% (554)	100.0% (377)

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11. 2010 Congressional Ballot

Who do you think you will vote for in the 2010 election for U.S. House of Representatives?

	Gender			Age				Income			Race	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Less than 40K	40K-100K	100K+	White	Non-White
Democrat	47.2%	46.4%	47.8%	49.9%	54.4%	46.6%	37.9%	47.5%	49.0%	41.5%	43.7%	61.2%
Republican	30.5%	34.0%	27.7%	12.0%	25.3%	32.4%	47.3%	26.7%	29.6%	41.0%	37.4%	2.9%
Other	2.4%	2.7%	2.3%	2.6%	2.5%	1.9%	3.3%	2.0%	2.2%	4.1%	2.7%	1.4%
Not sure	16.5%	13.2%	19.1%	24.7%	14.2%	17.8%	10.2%	19.1%	17.0%	9.4%	13.2%	29.6%
Won't vote	3.4%	3.7%	3.1%	10.8%	3.6%	1.2%	1.2%	4.7%	2.2%	3.9%	3.0%	4.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (456)	100.0% (541)	100.0% (92)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (502)	100.0% (181)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (487)	100.0% (205)	100.0% (861)	100.0% (136)

	Voters			Party ID			Ideology			2008 Vote	
	Total	Registered Voter	Likely Voter	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Obama	McCain
Democrat	47.2%	47.2%	47.8%	68.8%	51.8%	6.2%	73.5%	56.4%	14.6%	70.1%	8.3%
Republican	30.5%	30.5%	34.0%	5.7%	29.0%	78.8%	2.7%	21.5%	69.1%	5.2%	78.1%
Other	2.4%	2.4%	2.7%	3.0%	1.5%	1.8%	2.8%	2.0%	2.2%	3.0%	2.1%
Not sure	16.5%	16.5%	14.1%	18.8%	15.0%	11.5%	15.6%	18.7%	11.4%	19.2%	10.8%
Won't vote	3.4%	3.4%	1.4%	3.7%	2.7%	1.7%	5.5%	1.4%	2.7%	2.5%	0.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (816)	100.0% (405)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (296)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (336)	100.0% (555)	100.0% (377)

11. Sample Composition

	Unweighted	Weighted
Age		
18–29	9%	16%
30–44	22%	24%
45–64	50%	39%
Over 65	18%	21%
Race		
White	86%	80%
Black	8%	11%
Hispanic	5%	9%
Gender		
Male	46%	44%
Female	54%	56%
Education		
HS or less	20%	34%
Some College	32%	28%
College Grad	29%	23%
Post Grad	20%	15%
Party Identification		
Democrat	40%	44%
Lean Democrat	13%	14%
Independent	10%	8%
Lean Republican	11%	8%
Republican	26%	25%
Ideology		
Very Liberal	10%	9%
Liberal	20%	24%
Moderate	33%	31%
Conservative	27%	25%
Very Conservative	7%	7%
Not Sure	4%	3%

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Fieldwork	YouGov
Interviewing Dates	October 25–28, 2010
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's PollingPoint panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by age, gender, race, education, and region) was selected from the 2005–2007 American Community Study. Voter registration, turnout, religion, news interest, minor party identification, and non-placement on an ideology scale, were imputed from the 2008 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement and the Pew Religion in American Life Survey. Matching respondents were selected from the PollingPoint panel, an opt-in Internet panel.
Weighting	The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on age, gender, race, education, news interest, voter registration, and non-placement on an ideology scale. The weights range from 0 to 5.7, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.8.
Number of respondents	1000 (819 Likely Voters)
Margin of error (Registered Voters)	± 3.9% (adjusted for weighting)
Margin of error (Likely Voters)	± 4.3% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	4