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1. Existence of global warming

Some people say that global temperatures have been going up slowly over the past 100 years - the phenomenon called "global warming." Do you think that global warming is happening?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Definitely is happening	32.8%	39.5%	31.7%	26.8%	31.7%	38.7%	36.5%	31.8%	33.8%	24.6%	35.5%	42.1%
Probably is happening	26.3%	28.2%	25.7%	25.5%	25.2%	34.3%	26.6%	25.9%	26.7%	28.0%	25.5%	24.5%
Probably is not happening	15.0%	11.1%	14.3%	23.5%	15.9%	6.5%	16.1%	16.3%	13.7%	14.7%	16.0%	14.6%
Definitely is not happening	14.9%	12.4%	15.2%	17.8%	16.7%	5.5%	9.0%	17.0%	13.0%	15.3%	15.5%	14.0%
Not sure	11.0%	8.8%	13.1%	6.4%	10.4%	15.0%	11.7%	9.0%	12.8%	17.4%	7.5%	4.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (665)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (792)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (379)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (322)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Definitely is happening	32.8%	52.0%	8.4%	32.6%	70.3%	36.1%	8.2%	39.4%	30.5%	27.1%	39.3%	33.3%	32.6%	39.9%
Probably is happening	26.3%	26.6%	27.5%	24.2%	19.8%	33.5%	22.1%	25.0%	23.8%	28.9%	25.8%	25.2%	27.0%	25.8%
Probably is not happening	15.0%	6.7%	24.2%	20.0%	4.2%	12.3%	27.8%	14.5%	18.4%	12.9%	14.9%	14.9%	13.8%	15.9%
Definitely is not happening	14.9%	4.1%	30.1%	16.8%	2.8%	7.7%	35.3%	12.1%	15.3%	17.2%	13.0%	11.2%	18.4%	16.6%
Not sure	11.0%	10.5%	9.7%	6.4%	2.9%	10.4%	6.7%	9.0%	12.0%	13.9%	6.9%	15.4%	8.3%	1.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (135)

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2. Seriousness of global warming problem

How serious a problem do you think global warming is? (Asked of all respondents except those saying global warming is definitely not happening)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very serious	42.5%	45.9%	41.8%	39.7%	40.5%	53.2%	47.2%	41.7%	43.3%	36.3%	40.5%	52.1%
Somewhat serious	28.0%	30.5%	27.6%	25.2%	28.8%	27.0%	21.3%	27.0%	28.9%	28.7%	30.2%	25.6%
Not very serious	20.4%	16.8%	19.7%	29.2%	21.4%	12.0%	21.6%	24.3%	16.9%	20.5%	22.6%	18.7%
Not sure	9.1%	6.7%	10.8%	5.9%	9.2%	7.8%	9.9%	7.1%	10.9%	14.5%	6.7%	3.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (822)	100.0% (149)	100.0% (544)	100.0% (129)	100.0% (631)	100.0% (115)	100.0% (76)	100.0% (379)	100.0% (443)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (247)	100.0% (271)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very serious	42.5%	58.6%	16.0%	40.5%	68.2%	45.7%	15.0%	46.3%	43.6%	38.8%	44.1%	39.1%	44.6%	50.7%
Somewhat serious	28.0%	26.7%	29.6%	29.6%	25.3%	31.3%	28.2%	26.8%	22.3%	32.1%	28.7%	31.9%	27.0%	21.1%
Not very serious	20.4%	8.3%	44.9%	23.6%	4.4%	16.9%	50.0%	15.0%	23.0%	20.2%	22.7%	16.7%	20.0%	27.7%
Not sure	9.1%	6.5%	9.5%	6.2%	2.1%	6.1%	6.8%	12.0%	11.1%	8.9%	4.6%	12.3%	8.3%	0.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (822)	100.0% (351)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (188)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (200)	100.0% (158)	100.0% (195)	100.0% (284)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (321)	100.0% (107)

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3. Cause of global warming

Do you think global warming has been caused by pollution from human activities (such as emissions from cars and factories) or by natural causes? (Asked of all respondents except those saying global warming is definitely not happening)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Pollution from human activities	57.8%	66.7%	55.7%	51.3%	56.3%	62.2%	65.6%	55.8%	59.5%	50.8%	60.4%	65.1%
Natural causes not related to human activities	19.1%	15.0%	18.5%	28.2%	20.1%	18.1%	11.0%	23.7%	15.0%	17.5%	22.2%	19.1%
Not sure	23.2%	18.3%	25.8%	20.5%	23.6%	19.8%	23.4%	20.5%	25.5%	31.7%	17.4%	15.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (821)	100.0% (149)	100.0% (542)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (628)	100.0% (115)	100.0% (78)	100.0% (377)	100.0% (444)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (245)	100.0% (272)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Pollution from human activities	57.8%	70.4%	33.5%	58.1%	80.7%	62.9%	30.8%	62.2%	54.4%	53.8%	63.6%	56.2%	58.0%	62.9%
Natural causes not related to human activities	19.1%	10.1%	39.4%	21.5%	8.2%	13.4%	50.0%	14.5%	18.0%	22.7%	18.7%	19.2%	18.2%	20.2%
Not sure	23.2%	19.5%	27.1%	20.4%	11.1%	23.8%	19.1%	23.3%	27.6%	23.5%	17.7%	24.6%	23.8%	16.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (821)	100.0% (351)	100.0% (169)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (189)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (199)	100.0% (158)	100.0% (195)	100.0% (283)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (106)

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4. Global warming expectations

When do you think global warming will start to cause serious problems? (Asked of all respondents except those saying global warming is definitely not happening)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
They have already begun to happen	45.2%	43.4%	47.0%	40.8%	44.2%	51.0%	46.9%	40.3%	49.5%	38.5%	46.0%	53.5%
In 10 years	4.1%	5.5%	3.8%	3.4%	4.3%	4.0%	2.6%	5.2%	3.2%	4.9%	5.1%	2.4%
In 25 years	5.2%	6.2%	4.7%	5.6%	5.1%	5.9%	5.2%	5.9%	4.6%	4.4%	5.8%	5.8%
In 50 years	5.1%	5.8%	4.8%	5.0%	5.0%	6.6%	3.5%	7.1%	3.3%	5.6%	4.9%	4.5%
In 100 years	7.0%	8.6%	6.7%	5.6%	7.1%	5.4%	8.1%	8.2%	6.0%	6.8%	6.5%	7.6%
It will never cause serious problems	9.7%	7.2%	9.6%	14.2%	10.4%	3.7%	10.9%	12.5%	7.3%	8.3%	11.5%	10.3%
Not sure	23.7%	23.4%	23.4%	25.5%	23.9%	23.4%	22.8%	21.0%	26.1%	31.4%	20.3%	15.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (826)	100.0% (150)	100.0% (546)	100.0% (130)	100.0% (632)	100.0% (116)	100.0% (78)	100.0% (380)	100.0% (446)	100.0% (307)	100.0% (247)	100.0% (272)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
They have already begun to happen	45.2%	58.0%	23.5%	43.9%	73.8%	47.9%	20.3%	48.0%	44.7%	43.1%	46.6%	44.2%	47.1%	48.5%
In 10 years	4.1%	3.9%	3.7%	3.9%	1.2%	7.0%	3.5%	3.1%	4.6%	4.6%	3.9%	4.9%	3.4%	5.6%
In 25 years	5.2%	7.1%	3.4%	4.7%	6.0%	5.3%	4.7%	6.9%	5.0%	5.1%	4.0%	6.0%	5.8%	4.5%
In 50 years	5.1%	4.3%	7.3%	5.6%	7.2%	5.4%	3.0%	5.3%	4.1%	5.6%	5.0%	3.8%	5.9%	6.5%
In 100 years	7.0%	3.1%	12.6%	9.8%	4.2%	6.6%	11.7%	4.1%	7.1%	8.9%	6.6%	9.5%	4.4%	3.8%
It will never cause serious problems	9.7%	3.8%	19.7%	12.8%	1.0%	6.1%	29.9%	8.2%	9.6%	8.6%	13.1%	4.7%	11.7%	18.9%
Not sure	23.7%	19.7%	29.8%	19.2%	6.6%	21.6%	26.9%	24.6%	25.0%	24.1%	20.9%	26.8%	21.8%	12.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (826)	100.0% (353)	100.0% (169)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (189)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (158)	100.0% (196)	100.0% (286)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (303)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (107)

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5. Opinion on offshore oil drilling

How do you feel about increased drilling for oil and natural gas offshore in U.S. waters?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly favor	38.2%	18.5%	40.8%	58.2%	40.8%	24.2%	29.5%	42.9%	33.8%	41.0%	38.0%	34.5%
Mildly favor	24.0%	26.1%	24.6%	18.0%	23.7%	31.8%	16.5%	22.8%	25.1%	23.2%	19.1%	28.3%
Mildly oppose	13.1%	21.9%	11.2%	7.1%	12.3%	15.8%	18.1%	13.2%	13.0%	10.8%	12.9%	16.4%
Strongly oppose	11.3%	14.1%	10.6%	10.1%	11.4%	12.0%	10.3%	12.3%	10.5%	6.7%	14.7%	15.4%
Not sure	13.4%	19.4%	12.8%	6.6%	11.8%	16.2%	25.7%	8.9%	17.6%	18.3%	15.4%	5.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (169)	100.0% (663)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (86)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (378)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (321)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly favor	38.2%	23.4%	62.9%	39.9%	15.7%	30.6%	71.1%	31.9%	44.3%	42.0%	30.4%	33.5%	43.6%	38.8%
Mildly favor	24.0%	29.5%	20.3%	23.0%	24.9%	29.0%	17.7%	28.4%	21.7%	24.4%	21.8%	25.3%	23.0%	25.0%
Mildly oppose	13.1%	19.1%	3.6%	14.7%	24.5%	15.3%	3.9%	11.5%	14.7%	11.5%	15.5%	12.4%	12.2%	16.7%
Strongly oppose	11.3%	15.6%	4.3%	13.1%	27.6%	11.6%	3.1%	13.0%	8.7%	9.0%	16.8%	9.2%	11.2%	13.6%
Not sure	13.4%	12.4%	8.9%	9.3%	7.3%	13.5%	4.3%	15.1%	10.5%	13.2%	15.5%	19.6%	10.0%	5.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (258)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (135)

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6. Opinion on building nuclear power plants

Would you approve or disapprove of building more nuclear power plants to generate electricity?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	26.8%	16.7%	28.5%	35.8%	29.2%	13.4%	20.4%	37.6%	16.9%	22.8%	24.7%	33.7%
Somewhat approve	32.9%	29.4%	33.1%	37.7%	34.1%	27.7%	27.6%	36.2%	30.0%	30.8%	34.4%	34.9%
Somewhat disapprove	13.3%	21.9%	11.0%	8.9%	11.8%	26.1%	12.5%	9.6%	16.7%	12.8%	14.1%	13.5%
Strongly disapprove	12.9%	15.7%	12.7%	9.8%	12.2%	16.0%	17.0%	8.7%	16.9%	13.6%	12.2%	12.6%
Not sure	14.0%	16.2%	14.6%	7.8%	12.8%	16.7%	22.5%	7.9%	19.6%	20.0%	14.7%	5.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (664)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (792)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (379)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (321)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	26.8%	15.4%	38.1%	35.6%	19.1%	23.2%	47.1%	22.2%	32.2%	28.6%	21.9%	15.2%	33.5%	40.5%
Somewhat approve	32.9%	37.7%	33.0%	30.5%	37.4%	36.5%	32.1%	34.4%	35.6%	30.1%	33.5%	34.0%	32.2%	36.5%
Somewhat disapprove	13.3%	20.0%	8.0%	9.9%	21.4%	14.0%	8.0%	15.2%	9.1%	14.4%	14.5%	14.1%	12.7%	10.2%
Strongly disapprove	12.9%	13.3%	9.0%	14.0%	15.9%	15.6%	5.2%	10.4%	12.9%	12.0%	16.9%	16.7%	9.7%	10.8%
Not sure	14.0%	13.6%	12.0%	10.0%	6.2%	10.8%	7.7%	17.8%	10.2%	14.9%	13.1%	19.9%	11.9%	2.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (192)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (135)

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7. Passage of health care reform legislation this year

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	12.8%	10.0%	11.9%	20.7%	10.9%	28.2%	12.6%	14.8%	11.0%	11.5%	14.2%	13.7%
Somewhat likely	31.2%	31.1%	32.2%	27.3%	33.1%	25.1%	20.0%	32.8%	29.7%	24.8%	28.0%	42.1%
Somewhat unlikely	23.3%	22.8%	23.2%	24.5%	24.1%	14.4%	27.0%	21.6%	24.9%	25.6%	23.1%	20.4%
Very unlikely	17.1%	15.3%	17.1%	19.5%	17.8%	13.1%	15.1%	17.0%	17.1%	17.6%	18.0%	15.7%
Not sure	15.6%	20.7%	15.5%	8.1%	14.1%	19.2%	25.4%	13.7%	17.3%	20.5%	16.8%	8.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (170)	100.0% (664)	100.0% (163)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (377)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (321)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very likely	12.8%	22.0%	4.3%	10.9%	22.4%	14.2%	6.3%	13.6%	14.1%	12.0%	12.0%	15.1%	12.1%	11.8%
Somewhat likely	31.2%	36.4%	25.4%	35.1%	44.5%	30.9%	29.5%	30.4%	34.7%	30.0%	30.0%	27.8%	32.5%	45.1%
Somewhat unlikely	23.3%	18.4%	31.4%	24.4%	16.5%	25.6%	28.0%	21.6%	19.3%	25.3%	26.1%	21.1%	26.1%	24.5%
Very unlikely	17.1%	12.3%	22.4%	19.1%	11.1%	16.9%	23.9%	16.2%	18.6%	17.6%	15.2%	17.2%	15.1%	13.9%
Not sure	15.6%	10.9%	16.4%	10.6%	5.6%	12.4%	12.4%	18.2%	13.2%	15.1%	16.7%	18.8%	14.2%	4.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (273)	100.0% (192)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (135)

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8. Position on health care reform

Overall, given what you know about them, do you support or oppose the proposed changes to the health care system being developed by Congress and the Obama Administration?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Support strongly	18.8%	19.2%	18.9%	17.6%	15.3%	46.9%	18.2%	22.7%	15.2%	14.9%	20.3%	22.9%
Support somewhat	31.1%	40.4%	30.3%	19.4%	29.1%	37.6%	43.3%	24.6%	37.0%	29.5%	37.7%	28.6%
Oppose somewhat	16.7%	22.7%	16.0%	9.9%	17.0%	10.6%	21.3%	14.5%	18.6%	20.4%	13.7%	13.7%
Oppose strongly	33.5%	17.7%	34.8%	53.1%	38.7%	5.0%	17.2%	38.1%	29.2%	35.2%	28.3%	34.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (170)	100.0% (659)	100.0% (161)	100.0% (785)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (85)	100.0% (476)	100.0% (514)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (321)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Support strongly	18.8%	36.4%	1.5%	16.7%	35.9%	22.3%	6.5%	16.5%	21.1%	18.3%	19.2%	18.5%	18.4%	24.7%
Support somewhat	31.1%	43.5%	9.0%	33.2%	45.3%	37.5%	8.9%	38.4%	24.5%	29.8%	33.8%	35.3%	29.3%	24.4%
Oppose somewhat	16.7%	13.7%	17.4%	13.9%	12.4%	19.1%	11.9%	14.5%	19.3%	17.7%	13.9%	19.4%	16.8%	9.8%
Oppose strongly	33.5%	6.4%	72.2%	36.2%	6.5%	21.1%	72.6%	30.6%	35.1%	34.2%	33.1%	26.8%	35.5%	41.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (192)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (237)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (340)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (135)

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9. Priority of reforming health care

When, if ever, do you think the health care system should be reformed?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Immediately	48.3%	44.9%	52.0%	39.1%	46.4%	63.1%	49.2%	48.2%	48.5%	44.8%	47.7%	53.5%
Next year	8.2%	9.9%	6.7%	11.6%	8.5%	8.2%	4.9%	6.6%	9.6%	7.5%	9.6%	8.1%
In a few years	13.8%	16.7%	12.8%	13.0%	13.9%	14.1%	11.8%	15.7%	12.0%	11.9%	13.7%	16.3%
Not necessary to reform the health care system	14.0%	10.6%	11.9%	27.7%	15.7%	4.6%	9.5%	15.5%	12.7%	16.1%	13.0%	12.0%
Not sure	15.7%	17.9%	16.6%	8.7%	15.5%	10.0%	24.7%	14.0%	17.3%	19.7%	16.1%	10.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (665)	100.0% (163)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (86)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (377)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (322)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Immediately	48.3%	68.8%	22.1%	51.9%	76.7%	55.6%	27.5%	53.1%	50.2%	46.4%	45.2%	48.1%	50.7%	48.4%
Next year	8.2%	6.0%	11.5%	8.4%	2.2%	9.7%	10.4%	8.1%	8.4%	7.3%	9.4%	6.6%	8.3%	10.8%
In a few years	13.8%	10.0%	20.9%	12.9%	9.4%	10.9%	22.8%	8.5%	15.0%	15.4%	14.3%	11.3%	14.6%	17.3%
Not necessary to reform the health care system	14.0%	5.1%	29.4%	15.4%	4.5%	9.0%	29.1%	11.9%	12.3%	16.4%	14.0%	13.1%	13.1%	17.2%
Not sure	15.7%	10.1%	16.1%	11.4%	7.2%	14.7%	10.2%	18.4%	14.1%	14.5%	17.1%	20.9%	13.3%	6.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (135)

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10. Using budget reconciliation to pass health care reform

In the Senate, it takes the votes of 60 out of 100 Senators to stop debate and force a vote on a bill. But Democrats in the Senate may use a parliamentary procedure known as budget reconciliation to pass the health care bill with only 51 votes. How do you feel about using budget reconciliation to pass the existing health care bill with a simple majority?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly Approve	22.3%	19.9%	22.1%	26.6%	20.9%	29.1%	27.8%	26.1%	18.8%	12.1%	24.5%	34.5%
Somewhat Approve	13.6%	19.2%	13.9%	3.8%	11.2%	28.1%	18.9%	14.0%	13.2%	14.3%	14.9%	11.8%
Somewhat Disapprove	9.6%	13.5%	8.8%	6.9%	10.0%	9.0%	6.9%	8.4%	10.8%	8.9%	10.0%	10.5%
Strongly Disapprove	34.3%	16.1%	36.6%	53.5%	39.7%	4.3%	18.4%	38.0%	31.0%	33.7%	30.7%	37.7%
Not Sure	20.1%	31.3%	18.5%	9.2%	18.1%	29.5%	28.1%	13.5%	26.2%	31.0%	19.9%	5.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (170)	100.0% (664)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (791)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (86)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (378)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (321)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly Approve	22.3%	41.5%	2.5%	20.3%	51.3%	27.7%	4.0%	23.1%	24.8%	16.7%	28.3%	18.0%	24.1%	35.7%
Somewhat Approve	13.6%	19.4%	1.6%	19.8%	16.1%	18.0%	6.5%	16.4%	12.9%	13.7%	11.7%	15.1%	13.9%	8.7%
Somewhat Disapprove	9.6%	11.4%	11.2%	6.2%	12.4%	10.7%	9.4%	7.9%	8.6%	11.6%	9.2%	11.6%	8.8%	10.7%
Strongly Disapprove	34.3%	6.9%	74.8%	36.8%	6.3%	25.1%	75.5%	27.0%	37.0%	37.3%	32.9%	24.9%	39.0%	41.7%
Not Sure	20.1%	20.9%	10.0%	16.8%	13.9%	18.5%	4.6%	25.6%	16.7%	20.7%	17.9%	30.3%	14.2%	3.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (135)

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11. 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	18.1%	24.4%	18.3%	7.0%	15.5%	39.2%	17.3%	18.3%	17.9%	16.3%	21.3%	18.3%
About the same	33.1%	36.0%	32.7%	30.2%	32.2%	41.3%	32.3%	35.1%	31.4%	28.1%	32.2%	40.6%
Worse care	33.3%	18.7%	33.6%	55.7%	38.2%	4.3%	21.5%	36.3%	30.6%	34.2%	30.8%	33.9%
Not sure	15.5%	20.9%	15.4%	7.2%	14.2%	15.3%	28.9%	10.4%	20.1%	21.5%	15.7%	7.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (662)	100.0% (163)	100.0% (790)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (85)	100.0% (478)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (378)	100.0% (298)	100.0% (320)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Better care	18.1%	29.2%	4.8%	17.5%	34.7%	21.3%	6.3%	20.2%	16.4%	18.0%	18.2%	23.5%	14.7%	15.3%
About the same	33.1%	47.3%	15.2%	35.5%	49.3%	43.7%	14.1%	35.9%	35.9%	27.9%	36.5%	29.3%	37.2%	38.5%
Worse care	33.3%	9.0%	68.6%	34.7%	5.3%	23.8%	70.1%	27.3%	37.3%	34.3%	32.7%	24.5%	36.5%	43.0%
Not sure	15.5%	14.5%	11.4%	12.3%	10.6%	11.2%	9.5%	16.6%	10.4%	19.8%	12.7%	22.7%	11.6%	3.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (367)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (356)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (134)

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12. 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	47.7%	36.7%	47.4%	65.7%	53.0%	17.9%	31.8%	50.3%	45.3%	51.4%	39.5%	48.2%
About the same	25.8%	30.5%	24.0%	25.8%	24.2%	40.1%	24.7%	27.6%	24.3%	17.5%	29.5%	34.6%
Pay less	9.3%	10.9%	9.6%	5.8%	8.0%	20.5%	8.8%	11.0%	7.8%	8.0%	12.6%	8.9%
Not sure	17.2%	21.9%	19.0%	2.6%	14.9%	21.6%	34.7%	11.2%	22.7%	23.1%	18.4%	8.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (664)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (791)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (378)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (322)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Pay more	47.7%	24.6%	79.2%	51.4%	19.4%	41.3%	83.0%	41.0%	54.0%	47.5%	46.8%	36.8%	53.2%	57.5%
About the same	25.8%	42.3%	8.7%	24.8%	50.0%	33.3%	8.7%	27.4%	25.8%	23.5%	28.4%	24.8%	26.3%	31.0%
Pay less	9.3%	16.1%	1.5%	9.9%	18.6%	10.6%	2.9%	9.8%	9.0%	8.1%	11.4%	10.7%	7.5%	10.9%
Not sure	17.2%	17.0%	10.6%	13.9%	12.0%	14.8%	5.4%	21.9%	11.2%	20.9%	13.4%	27.7%	13.0%	0.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (135)

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13. Impact of health care reform on 2010 vote

When deciding whom to support in the 2010 elections, how important will the candidate's position on health care reform be in your decision?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The most important factor	12.4%	7.7%	11.4%	23.7%	12.4%	14.6%	9.1%	13.2%	11.6%	14.2%	12.6%	9.8%
Very important	46.6%	32.7%	48.6%	60.6%	47.5%	43.8%	40.9%	46.7%	46.5%	40.2%	45.5%	56.0%
Somewhat important	26.1%	35.4%	26.3%	11.0%	26.3%	24.6%	26.6%	25.6%	26.6%	22.7%	27.4%	29.9%
Not very important	3.9%	4.0%	4.2%	2.7%	3.1%	8.0%	6.4%	4.4%	3.4%	4.5%	5.7%	1.9%
Don't plan to vote	11.0%	20.3%	9.6%	2.1%	10.6%	9.0%	17.1%	10.0%	11.8%	18.4%	8.8%	2.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (663)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (791)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (379)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (322)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The most important factor	12.4%	13.3%	12.2%	11.9%	10.8%	12.8%	15.8%	10.7%	11.5%	13.3%	13.4%	13.3%	11.3%	10.8%
Very important	46.6%	46.0%	55.0%	46.9%	51.5%	43.1%	57.2%	43.5%	52.0%	47.3%	42.2%	44.1%	46.7%	58.3%
Somewhat important	26.1%	27.7%	25.4%	25.9%	27.7%	31.9%	22.2%	28.7%	23.4%	23.1%	32.0%	21.5%	28.0%	29.6%
Not very important	3.9%	4.3%	3.3%	4.3%	2.5%	5.9%	1.8%	1.6%	4.9%	5.0%	3.0%	3.8%	5.2%	0.0%
Don't plan to vote	11.0%	8.8%	4.1%	11.0%	7.6%	6.3%	3.0%	15.5%	8.2%	11.3%	9.4%	17.3%	8.9%	1.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (367)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (135)

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14. 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	29.6%	30.8%	29.6%	27.6%	28.4%	39.4%	28.8%	33.4%	26.0%	22.5%	33.8%	36.3%
Evenly split	31.9%	47.3%	30.6%	13.2%	27.6%	52.6%	50.0%	26.5%	36.9%	35.8%	29.4%	28.4%
Opposes	38.5%	21.8%	39.8%	59.2%	44.0%	8.0%	21.2%	40.0%	37.0%	41.7%	36.8%	35.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (660)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (790)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (85)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (515)	100.0% (377)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (321)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favors	29.6%	42.5%	10.2%	34.6%	50.5%	37.7%	13.2%	30.3%	34.4%	25.0%	31.3%	27.5%	30.7%	37.8%
Evenly split	31.9%	40.5%	17.7%	28.1%	35.5%	33.6%	16.8%	38.2%	25.6%	31.7%	33.5%	37.4%	30.8%	22.2%
Opposes	38.5%	17.0%	72.1%	37.3%	14.0%	28.7%	70.0%	31.5%	40.0%	43.3%	35.1%	35.1%	38.5%	40.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (192)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (135)

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15. Trust a great deal to make decisions about health care reform

How much confidence do you have in the following groups or individuals to make the right decisions about 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
The Democrats in Congress	12.7%	13.7%	12.6%	11.3%	9.2%	37.6%	15.9%	12.9%	12.4%	11.7%	14.5%	12.8%
The Republicans in Congress	9.4%	8.0%	8.9%	13.8%	10.2%	4.8%	8.2%	10.1%	8.8%	11.7%	8.1%	7.4%
President Barack Obama	28.0%	27.7%	29.2%	23.8%	22.8%	66.8%	31.7%	30.0%	26.2%	20.9%	32.0%	35.0%
Insurance companies	3.2%	5.9%	2.2%	2.9%	3.0%	3.4%	5.1%	1.9%	4.5%	2.9%	5.0%	2.4%
Totals	(1,000)	(171)	(665)	(164)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(481)	(519)	(379)	(299)	(322)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The Democrats in Congress	12.7%	25.6%	1.8%	9.2%	21.9%	13.8%	6.4%	11.0%	13.8%	13.3%	12.0%	17.1%	10.1%	7.0%
The Republicans in Congress	9.4%	3.9%	23.1%	7.5%	3.2%	6.5%	19.7%	9.3%	10.0%	9.9%	8.1%	10.1%	7.5%	12.8%
President Barack Obama	28.0%	51.6%	3.4%	26.5%	50.6%	36.0%	7.4%	28.7%	27.6%	26.3%	30.8%	27.1%	28.5%	34.9%
Insurance companies	3.2%	3.1%	3.5%	3.7%	1.9%	5.3%	3.1%	3.8%	3.3%	2.4%	4.0%	4.3%	2.3%	1.1%
Totals	(1,000)	(369)	(260)	(275)	(193)	(360)	(334)	(186)	(242)	(348)	(224)	(345)	(404)	(135)

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16. Don't trust at all to make decisions about health care reform

How much confidence do you have in the following groups or individuals to make the right decisions about 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
The Democrats in Congress	29.8%	14.4%	30.7%	49.9%	34.0%	4.7%	18.7%	36.1%	24.0%	33.1%	26.6%	27.4%
The Republicans in Congress	33.2%	29.7%	32.4%	41.8%	30.6%	53.0%	33.3%	41.4%	25.6%	28.2%	34.1%	39.2%
President Barack Obama	31.6%	17.9%	32.2%	50.8%	35.8%	5.6%	23.4%	37.6%	26.2%	34.7%	28.2%	29.9%
Insurance companies	49.9%	37.2%	52.4%	59.8%	51.2%	46.8%	41.2%	55.2%	45.0%	46.3%	46.3%	57.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(171)	(665)	(164)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(481)	(519)	(379)	(299)	(322)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The Democrats in Congress	29.8%	6.1%	58.0%	32.2%	3.7%	20.1%	63.0%	22.5%	32.9%	30.4%	31.7%	25.9%	30.8%	34.0%
The Republicans in Congress	33.2%	52.2%	9.0%	31.6%	55.5%	37.8%	14.2%	34.6%	34.2%	31.2%	34.0%	32.2%	34.5%	37.5%
President Barack Obama	31.6%	6.1%	66.6%	32.6%	5.1%	19.3%	69.3%	24.9%	35.2%	32.4%	32.6%	25.8%	32.9%	39.2%
Insurance companies	49.9%	61.6%	36.3%	53.1%	69.0%	57.2%	36.1%	42.9%	49.3%	53.3%	51.2%	47.8%	51.2%	62.8%
Totals	(1,000)	(369)	(260)	(275)	(193)	(360)	(334)	(186)	(242)	(348)	(224)	(345)	(404)	(135)

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17. 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	46.7%	43.6%	47.9%	47.1%	44.9%	71.3%	34.0%	52.8%	41.2%	35.5%	48.0%	61.0%
The economy	39.8%	42.3%	41.0%	31.1%	35.7%	73.6%	38.8%	40.3%	39.3%	31.5%	41.8%	49.7%
Immigration	31.2%	39.0%	29.4%	26.4%	26.7%	63.7%	35.7%	30.9%	31.5%	24.8%	33.9%	38.1%
The environment	43.8%	49.4%	44.1%	33.7%	40.2%	74.4%	41.0%	44.9%	42.8%	33.1%	48.8%	54.7%
Terrorism	44.7%	45.6%	47.0%	34.4%	41.0%	75.6%	43.2%	46.6%	43.0%	35.2%	46.2%	56.6%
Gay rights	35.6%	37.9%	35.1%	34.0%	34.9%	45.5%	30.0%	34.5%	36.6%	23.4%	39.3%	49.5%
Education	44.6%	46.0%	46.6%	34.4%	40.1%	78.8%	47.0%	45.5%	43.7%	36.0%	46.6%	54.9%
Health care	40.9%	50.3%	39.8%	30.6%	35.5%	79.3%	46.4%	43.0%	39.0%	33.3%	45.6%	48.1%
Social security	34.7%	39.8%	33.9%	29.9%	30.6%	64.6%	38.3%	36.0%	33.5%	27.1%	34.5%	45.2%
The budget deficit	34.7%	40.3%	34.8%	25.6%	30.1%	72.7%	32.9%	33.5%	35.8%	29.3%	33.7%	42.7%
The war in Afghanistan	43.5%	38.1%	45.6%	44.2%	42.1%	62.0%	34.7%	48.3%	39.2%	34.9%	43.0%	55.7%
Totals	(1,000)	(171)	(665)	(164)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(481)	(519)	(379)	(299)	(322)

	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	46.7%	66.4%	30.8%	47.2%	66.2%	56.3%	38.7%	50.9%	42.7%	44.5%	51.2%	43.3%	48.4%	61.4%
The economy	39.8%	70.0%	10.5%	36.8%	73.0%	53.5%	11.4%	43.6%	37.5%	36.6%	44.3%	38.8%	41.2%	46.3%
Immigration	31.2%	55.6%	8.8%	27.3%	58.0%	38.3%	11.3%	35.1%	29.4%	27.0%	36.9%	31.7%	32.0%	32.0%
The environment	43.8%	71.3%	16.2%	42.9%	73.0%	57.7%	19.0%	50.1%	40.5%	40.4%	47.4%	40.0%	45.0%	56.5%
Terrorism	44.7%	76.4%	17.8%	42.7%	78.0%	59.1%	18.7%	47.5%	41.6%	41.0%	52.1%	42.8%	45.6%	58.9%
Gay rights	35.6%	57.6%	11.8%	36.4%	63.9%	45.7%	14.2%	42.6%	32.2%	29.7%	43.0%	30.7%	38.4%	47.6%
Education	44.6%	72.4%	19.7%	43.3%	73.4%	56.3%	21.6%	47.6%	43.0%	41.6%	48.8%	42.3%	49.6%	51.3%
Health care	40.9%	74.4%	6.9%	38.7%	76.9%	50.0%	13.7%	42.6%	42.0%	38.2%	42.8%	40.7%	40.4%	47.1%
Social security	34.7%	59.1%	9.5%	33.3%	59.9%	45.6%	13.4%	32.2%	31.3%	34.2%	41.6%	33.0%	36.0%	41.0%
The budget deficit	34.7%	64.1%	6.6%	30.6%	64.6%	42.4%	11.6%	38.9%	35.2%	30.2%	38.1%	34.7%	33.9%	40.1%
The war in Afghanistan	43.5%	61.8%	34.0%	42.2%	56.3%	52.2%	38.9%	45.7%	42.9%	41.3%	46.2%	38.6%	45.8%	53.8%
Totals	(1,000)	(369)	(260)	(275)	(193)	(360)	(334)	(186)	(242)	(348)	(224)	(345)	(404)	(135)

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18. 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	84.3%	79.9%	85.8%	85.4%	85.5%	81.0%	76.3%	81.7%	86.7%	84.1%	82.5%	85.9%
The economy	96.3%	95.7%	97.2%	93.7%	97.0%	93.0%	93.7%	96.1%	96.4%	93.6%	97.4%	99.2%
Immigration	77.8%	71.2%	79.0%	83.0%	78.5%	74.3%	75.0%	74.8%	80.5%	81.5%	73.6%	75.6%
The environment	80.8%	81.0%	80.0%	83.6%	80.3%	88.7%	75.4%	77.0%	84.3%	79.3%	82.2%	81.8%
Terrorism	87.1%	77.3%	89.6%	92.5%	88.0%	86.4%	79.2%	84.5%	89.5%	86.9%	84.5%	89.1%
Gay rights	46.5%	51.7%	43.4%	51.1%	47.5%	45.7%	37.5%	38.9%	53.5%	42.0%	48.9%	51.0%
Education	91.2%	89.7%	93.0%	86.8%	90.0%	98.6%	94.5%	91.0%	91.5%	88.3%	91.4%	95.1%
Health care	91.4%	89.9%	92.8%	88.1%	90.9%	94.0%	93.0%	87.6%	94.9%	89.5%	94.2%	92.1%
Social security	90.0%	79.7%	93.3%	93.0%	90.3%	89.2%	88.7%	89.5%	90.5%	90.2%	89.3%	90.3%
The budget deficit	90.8%	86.8%	91.9%	92.6%	90.8%	88.7%	93.4%	90.9%	90.7%	89.0%	88.6%	94.6%
The war in Afghanistan	82.5%	73.8%	85.4%	84.7%	83.9%	81.0%	69.9%	80.2%	84.6%	82.1%	82.8%	82.7%
Totals	(1,000)	(171)	(665)	(164)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(481)	(519)	(379)	(299)	(322)

	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	84.3%	84.7%	88.0%	81.0%	83.0%	85.8%	88.3%	84.7%	86.0%	84.4%	82.0%	82.6%	83.7%	87.6%
The economy	96.3%	95.5%	96.4%	97.0%	97.2%	95.8%	98.1%	97.5%	96.8%	94.8%	97.2%	93.9%	98.0%	100.0%
Immigration	77.8%	73.2%	84.8%	77.2%	66.1%	75.3%	85.8%	79.8%	71.6%	76.6%	84.8%	79.8%	77.5%	73.5%
The environment	80.8%	89.3%	70.3%	80.4%	90.2%	85.5%	67.1%	86.1%	76.6%	82.5%	77.8%	82.7%	79.5%	81.6%
Terrorism	87.1%	84.7%	93.2%	85.0%	78.0%	89.1%	91.1%	89.6%	81.6%	88.4%	88.8%	88.7%	87.8%	82.4%
Gay rights	46.5%	53.8%	41.3%	42.0%	69.3%	46.5%	30.9%	50.9%	37.0%	45.8%	54.5%	48.6%	43.6%	51.1%
Education	91.2%	92.7%	92.0%	89.7%	92.2%	90.6%	91.9%	87.6%	89.7%	93.9%	91.9%	88.7%	92.6%	95.2%
Health care	91.4%	95.5%	86.4%	90.4%	97.6%	94.9%	84.3%	94.4%	89.9%	91.1%	91.0%	90.3%	92.3%	91.7%
Social security	90.0%	88.5%	90.9%	90.2%	84.0%	91.5%	92.1%	89.2%	89.8%	90.1%	90.9%	90.5%	91.8%	85.8%
The budget deficit	90.8%	89.3%	92.0%	90.8%	87.9%	90.7%	96.1%	92.4%	91.2%	87.5%	94.3%	86.4%	93.7%	96.4%
The war in Afghanistan	82.5%	81.8%	85.7%	79.9%	80.7%	83.2%	86.2%	84.7%	81.6%	83.5%	79.7%	81.2%	82.2%	84.1%
Totals	(1,000)	(369)	(260)	(275)	(193)	(360)	(334)	(186)	(242)	(348)	(224)	(345)	(404)	(135)

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19. 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	1.0%	1.2%	0.9%	1.2%	0.9%	0.0%	3.0%	1.1%	0.9%	1.0%	1.8%	0.4%
The economy	40.1%	40.0%	45.0%	20.1%	39.2%	47.3%	40.1%	43.0%	37.4%	39.4%	41.7%	40.0%
Immigration	3.0%	4.4%	2.1%	3.9%	2.6%	0.0%	10.9%	3.6%	2.4%	3.8%	1.7%	2.7%
The environment	3.4%	6.9%	2.6%	1.0%	3.6%	2.5%	2.7%	3.9%	2.9%	1.9%	5.7%	3.8%
Terrorism	3.3%	1.9%	3.9%	3.0%	3.5%	2.4%	2.7%	2.9%	3.7%	5.1%	2.4%	1.5%
Gay rights	1.7%	3.9%	1.0%	0.9%	1.9%	0.0%	1.4%	2.6%	0.8%	1.2%	1.9%	2.2%
Education	5.4%	13.3%	3.1%	1.7%	5.0%	8.2%	5.3%	3.2%	7.4%	4.0%	7.8%	5.5%
Health care	23.2%	17.0%	24.7%	27.0%	22.8%	26.3%	22.9%	18.4%	27.6%	19.9%	21.5%	28.6%
Social security	10.4%	3.0%	8.8%	28.7%	11.3%	9.5%	2.1%	9.3%	11.4%	15.3%	6.4%	6.6%
The budget deficit	7.1%	4.6%	6.9%	11.5%	7.9%	1.6%	5.4%	10.1%	4.3%	6.4%	7.4%	7.7%
The war in Afghanistan	1.6%	3.6%	1.0%	0.9%	1.3%	2.2%	3.7%	2.0%	1.2%	2.0%	1.5%	1.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (985)	100.0% (169)	100.0% (658)	100.0% (158)	100.0% (781)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (85)	100.0% (475)	100.0% (510)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (298)	100.0% (319)

	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	1.0%	1.1%	1.6%	0.2%	1.9%	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%	1.3%	1.5%	1.7%	0.6%	1.1%
The economy	40.1%	36.3%	42.2%	40.7%	27.5%	42.5%	45.6%	41.9%	39.5%	38.2%	42.3%	36.6%	43.7%	40.0%
Immigration	3.0%	2.4%	4.5%	1.6%	2.3%	2.2%	5.4%	3.3%	1.3%	2.9%	4.6%	2.8%	4.0%	1.4%
The environment	3.4%	5.2%	0.0%	3.5%	7.5%	2.9%	0.5%	4.1%	3.6%	2.7%	3.7%	2.0%	3.4%	5.0%
Terrorism	3.3%	1.7%	7.3%	2.5%	0.7%	3.2%	5.0%	4.0%	2.7%	3.3%	3.3%	3.3%	2.4%	2.3%
Gay rights	1.7%	2.3%	0.9%	2.3%	4.1%	0.9%	0.7%	2.2%	0.6%	2.6%	0.8%	1.2%	1.7%	2.4%
Education	5.4%	6.3%	2.0%	6.2%	9.0%	4.5%	1.6%	2.3%	5.7%	5.0%	8.4%	6.7%	5.3%	3.3%
Health care	23.2%	30.1%	17.7%	22.9%	36.8%	23.0%	17.8%	22.9%	23.5%	24.4%	21.0%	24.4%	20.9%	26.9%
Social security	10.4%	10.7%	10.9%	9.0%	4.9%	11.5%	10.7%	13.3%	11.4%	11.4%	4.9%	15.7%	7.4%	1.4%
The budget deficit	7.1%	1.9%	11.5%	9.4%	3.3%	7.7%	11.9%	5.0%	10.3%	6.3%	6.8%	4.8%	8.0%	13.9%
The war in Afghanistan	1.6%	1.8%	1.3%	1.7%	2.1%	0.8%	1.0%	0.9%	0.5%	2.0%	2.7%	0.8%	2.7%	2.2%

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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+
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (985)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (272)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (354)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (183)	100.0% (237)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (337)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (135)

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20. 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	18.8%	14.6%	20.5%	18.9%	15.2%	47.4%	18.9%	19.9%	17.8%	14.7%	20.9%	23.0%
Somewhat approve	29.0%	41.7%	27.9%	13.6%	26.8%	40.4%	37.4%	25.4%	32.4%	25.9%	26.6%	34.9%
Somewhat disapprove	14.1%	19.0%	11.7%	15.6%	14.9%	3.1%	19.9%	14.3%	13.9%	17.7%	15.6%	8.1%
Strongly disapprove	30.8%	13.3%	32.9%	49.8%	35.7%	3.8%	16.5%	35.3%	26.7%	31.5%	27.4%	32.3%
Not sure	7.2%	11.3%	6.9%	2.1%	7.5%	5.3%	7.2%	5.1%	9.2%	10.2%	9.5%	1.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (665)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (792)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (379)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (322)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	18.8%	38.1%	3.9%	12.8%	33.1%	25.1%	4.8%	15.0%	24.1%	17.4%	18.8%	17.8%	20.0%	22.9%
Somewhat approve	29.0%	41.7%	8.1%	31.3%	50.0%	35.2%	10.8%	36.1%	21.5%	27.5%	33.6%	31.2%	27.3%	31.7%
Somewhat disapprove	14.1%	9.6%	17.6%	17.2%	7.5%	15.7%	12.4%	14.5%	13.8%	15.8%	11.1%	16.8%	15.3%	3.9%
Strongly disapprove	30.8%	5.2%	67.1%	33.8%	6.1%	18.0%	71.3%	24.3%	35.7%	31.6%	30.2%	23.6%	32.2%	41.5%
Not sure	7.2%	5.4%	3.4%	4.9%	3.3%	5.9%	0.7%	10.2%	4.9%	7.7%	6.3%	10.7%	5.2%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (135)

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21. 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	0.9%	1.5%	0.6%	1.2%	0.8%	0.6%	2.4%	1.0%	0.8%	0.6%	1.9%	0.6%
Somewhat approve	9.1%	10.4%	9.3%	6.4%	7.0%	15.9%	21.9%	8.4%	9.7%	7.0%	11.1%	10.6%
Neither approve nor disapprove	14.3%	18.2%	13.6%	11.0%	11.3%	30.4%	24.2%	10.8%	17.5%	18.1%	10.4%	12.0%
Somewhat disapprove	24.0%	27.3%	23.8%	19.7%	25.2%	22.3%	14.2%	22.4%	25.5%	21.3%	25.4%	26.6%
Strongly disapprove	40.8%	21.6%	43.9%	58.4%	46.2%	13.7%	20.8%	48.6%	33.6%	36.5%	40.0%	47.1%
Not sure	10.9%	21.0%	8.9%	3.3%	9.6%	17.1%	16.5%	8.7%	12.9%	16.5%	11.2%	3.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (665)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (792)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (379)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (322)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	0.9%	1.4%	0.0%	1.0%	1.2%	1.8%	0.3%	0.5%	1.7%	0.8%	0.6%	1.8%	0.5%	0.0%
Somewhat approve	9.1%	18.6%	3.8%	5.3%	19.7%	10.8%	2.7%	10.9%	6.7%	7.0%	13.7%	7.5%	11.2%	9.1%
Neither approve nor disapprove	14.3%	17.8%	10.9%	10.8%	14.9%	16.5%	8.1%	11.1%	10.4%	17.7%	15.9%	16.0%	13.1%	11.2%
Somewhat disapprove	24.0%	29.4%	19.3%	24.6%	31.7%	29.7%	16.9%	30.5%	25.3%	22.8%	18.6%	25.8%	22.9%	24.1%
Strongly disapprove	40.8%	22.0%	59.5%	51.2%	27.0%	34.4%	68.6%	31.9%	47.6%	41.2%	40.6%	31.0%	44.6%	55.2%
Not sure	10.9%	10.8%	6.6%	7.0%	5.5%	6.9%	3.4%	15.1%	8.4%	10.5%	10.6%	18.0%	7.6%	0.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (135)

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22. 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	32.6%	19.9%	33.1%	50.6%	36.8%	4.8%	26.5%	35.3%	30.1%	34.7%	29.5%	32.0%
Lean Republican	5.7%	3.6%	7.0%	3.5%	6.6%	3.0%	0.0%	4.0%	7.2%	5.8%	5.1%	5.9%
Lean Democrat	8.8%	13.9%	8.1%	3.7%	8.1%	13.7%	10.1%	11.1%	6.7%	8.7%	10.6%	7.8%
Democrat	36.2%	41.8%	35.1%	31.7%	31.7%	64.6%	44.6%	35.0%	37.3%	28.1%	39.9%	44.6%
Not Sure	16.7%	20.8%	16.7%	10.4%	16.8%	13.8%	18.8%	14.5%	18.6%	22.8%	14.9%	9.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (169)	100.0% (659)	100.0% (162)	100.0% (783)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (86)	100.0% (474)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (374)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (319)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Republican	32.6%	4.3%	84.9%	31.5%	5.2%	23.3%	74.6%	22.0%	34.9%	36.1%	33.8%	24.2%	36.1%	39.8%
Lean Republican	5.7%	1.2%	9.2%	7.3%	0.0%	8.3%	7.4%	6.2%	3.5%	6.0%	7.0%	6.4%	6.2%	3.5%
Lean Democrat	8.8%	13.1%	0.2%	10.2%	8.5%	12.0%	2.5%	7.4%	7.9%	11.6%	6.5%	9.1%	6.1%	8.0%
Democrat	36.2%	76.5%	2.7%	25.9%	79.4%	43.8%	9.8%	38.8%	35.9%	32.0%	41.5%	34.6%	38.1%	44.4%
Not Sure	16.7%	4.9%	3.0%	25.2%	6.9%	12.6%	5.8%	25.6%	17.7%	14.4%	11.3%	25.6%	13.5%	4.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (267)	100.0% (192)	100.0% (354)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (401)	100.0% (134)

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23. 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	30.6%	34.9%	30.2%	24.9%	27.3%	55.5%	31.2%	31.7%	29.5%	24.8%	32.4%	37.1%
Off on the wrong track	55.8%	51.4%	54.6%	67.1%	60.9%	18.3%	51.3%	57.6%	54.1%	56.0%	57.5%	54.2%
Not sure	13.7%	13.6%	15.1%	8.0%	11.7%	26.2%	17.5%	10.7%	16.4%	19.2%	10.2%	8.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (665)	100.0% (163)	100.0% (791)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (379)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (321)

	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	30.6%	52.5%	12.2%	27.1%	53.7%	42.0%	9.1%	34.1%	30.3%	27.3%	33.0%	30.8%	32.8%	35.2%
Off on the wrong track	55.8%	29.2%	81.2%	66.0%	33.8%	44.8%	85.1%	46.3%	59.5%	57.9%	56.6%	52.2%	57.7%	56.0%
Not sure	13.7%	18.3%	6.6%	6.9%	12.5%	13.3%	5.8%	19.7%	10.2%	14.8%	10.3%	17.0%	9.5%	8.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (134)

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24. 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	23.4%	28.1%	21.4%	24.3%	21.8%	34.5%	25.6%	25.4%	21.6%	17.4%	27.1%	29.0%
About the same	34.9%	44.4%	34.6%	21.4%	33.5%	40.3%	41.7%	31.9%	37.6%	34.8%	35.1%	34.8%
Getting worse	37.3%	20.9%	40.0%	52.0%	40.9%	16.0%	28.4%	37.8%	36.9%	40.9%	34.1%	34.6%
Not sure	4.4%	6.7%	4.1%	2.4%	3.8%	9.2%	4.3%	5.0%	3.9%	6.9%	3.7%	1.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (170)	100.0% (662)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (478)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (377)	100.0% (298)	100.0% (321)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Getting better	23.4%	36.4%	10.7%	23.4%	40.9%	30.7%	11.2%	25.2%	23.4%	19.1%	29.1%	20.6%	24.5%	33.9%
About the same	34.9%	40.8%	30.9%	32.2%	39.9%	35.9%	27.2%	34.9%	28.3%	40.1%	33.4%	35.0%	36.7%	24.5%
Getting worse	37.3%	18.9%	55.4%	42.1%	16.9%	30.8%	60.1%	32.8%	45.0%	37.2%	33.0%	37.5%	36.5%	40.2%
Not sure	4.4%	4.0%	3.1%	2.4%	2.3%	2.6%	1.5%	7.1%	3.3%	3.7%	4.6%	7.0%	2.3%	1.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (192)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (134)

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25. 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	10.8%	14.3%	10.9%	4.7%	10.1%	18.7%	7.7%	10.7%	10.9%	7.6%	11.4%	14.7%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	43.5%	46.2%	43.0%	41.0%	43.1%	48.0%	41.4%	45.3%	41.7%	40.4%	40.9%	49.3%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	43.1%	34.3%	43.8%	54.4%	44.9%	28.0%	44.7%	41.5%	44.6%	48.1%	44.9%	35.1%
Not sure	2.6%	5.1%	2.3%	0.0%	1.9%	5.3%	6.2%	2.5%	2.8%	3.9%	2.7%	0.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (664)	100.0% (162)	100.0% (790)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (86)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (377)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (321)

	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	10.8%	14.7%	10.3%	9.9%	12.7%	11.9%	12.1%	12.4%	8.9%	11.8%	9.8%	10.2%	11.9%	16.7%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	43.5%	49.6%	35.6%	44.2%	55.7%	44.8%	36.3%	40.3%	42.9%	47.5%	40.1%	40.8%	46.2%	48.2%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	43.1%	34.5%	50.7%	44.3%	29.7%	42.2%	50.6%	43.1%	46.7%	39.2%	45.8%	45.3%	40.3%	35.1%
Not sure	2.6%	1.2%	3.4%	1.6%	1.9%	1.1%	1.0%	4.3%	1.6%	1.5%	4.3%	3.7%	1.6%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (273)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (135)

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26. 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	29.9%	30.4%	29.5%	30.7%	28.9%	36.8%	31.4%	35.6%	24.7%	24.3%	28.2%	38.8%
About the same	33.9%	33.6%	33.5%	36.2%	35.1%	27.9%	29.4%	34.7%	33.2%	33.4%	39.6%	30.8%
Lower	17.4%	13.7%	18.9%	17.4%	18.9%	9.4%	12.1%	16.2%	18.6%	17.8%	14.9%	18.6%
Not sure	18.7%	22.2%	18.1%	15.7%	17.0%	26.0%	27.0%	13.5%	23.5%	24.5%	17.3%	11.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (661)	100.0% (163)	100.0% (790)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (85)	100.0% (478)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (377)	100.0% (298)	100.0% (320)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Higher	29.9%	41.4%	18.8%	28.8%	44.6%	39.2%	19.7%	32.9%	27.1%	29.5%	31.1%	23.9%	33.0%	40.5%
About the same	33.9%	34.0%	39.6%	33.9%	35.2%	33.0%	36.8%	32.8%	35.0%	33.6%	34.3%	31.1%	36.0%	37.1%
Lower	17.4%	11.5%	24.4%	18.7%	8.3%	16.1%	28.4%	14.5%	19.2%	17.8%	17.4%	21.5%	14.4%	16.6%
Not sure	18.7%	13.1%	17.3%	18.6%	11.9%	11.7%	15.1%	19.8%	18.7%	19.1%	17.2%	23.5%	16.5%	5.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (356)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (135)

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27. 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	36.3%	40.4%	36.3%	30.3%	31.4%	74.0%	38.5%	35.6%	37.0%	28.9%	38.5%	44.9%
Intelligent	64.7%	66.5%	66.1%	56.2%	61.3%	85.5%	71.6%	64.3%	65.0%	56.7%	68.9%	72.5%
Religious	13.7%	14.8%	14.2%	10.0%	10.6%	32.8%	20.4%	12.4%	14.8%	18.4%	14.4%	6.8%
Inspiring	41.6%	49.6%	41.3%	30.3%	37.3%	74.7%	42.5%	41.6%	41.6%	31.8%	44.5%	52.8%
Patriotic	30.1%	34.2%	30.2%	23.6%	27.4%	45.3%	38.5%	29.5%	30.8%	22.8%	37.6%	35.0%
Strong	35.9%	43.7%	36.5%	21.3%	30.8%	69.5%	44.4%	31.9%	39.5%	33.1%	40.9%	36.2%
Bold	36.9%	42.7%	34.1%	39.2%	34.3%	54.4%	41.0%	33.6%	40.0%	36.1%	38.7%	36.9%
Experienced	14.2%	16.5%	14.6%	9.3%	11.1%	35.9%	18.3%	12.6%	15.7%	13.6%	15.8%	14.0%
Sincere	39.8%	44.1%	40.8%	29.1%	35.5%	74.3%	39.4%	37.7%	41.8%	32.9%	42.1%	47.6%
Partisan	23.5%	11.7%	26.0%	32.1%	24.4%	16.4%	23.5%	28.4%	19.0%	18.0%	25.3%	29.6%
Effective	21.2%	19.4%	24.0%	12.7%	16.2%	57.8%	25.0%	21.3%	21.0%	18.4%	22.9%	23.6%
Unifying	21.1%	25.2%	20.6%	16.7%	18.2%	40.7%	26.0%	19.7%	22.4%	15.9%	23.6%	26.5%
In Touch	28.1%	27.8%	30.5%	19.2%	24.3%	53.3%	34.3%	26.4%	29.6%	21.5%	34.6%	32.6%
Realistic	30.8%	35.6%	31.0%	22.6%	27.4%	54.4%	34.7%	30.6%	31.0%	24.3%	38.1%	34.6%
Decisive	22.9%	22.5%	23.6%	20.8%	20.9%	35.6%	27.6%	21.8%	24.0%	17.8%	27.7%	26.6%
Totals	(1,000)	(171)	(665)	(164)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(481)	(519)	(379)	(299)	(322)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Honest	36.3%	64.1%	10.5%	30.4%	67.7%	47.3%	11.5%	37.3%	33.5%	33.8%	42.8%	33.9%	38.5%	42.4%
Intelligent	64.7%	84.3%	46.1%	66.6%	92.4%	74.1%	45.3%	64.6%	64.0%	66.7%	61.9%	63.0%	67.4%	71.2%
Religious	13.7%	21.1%	6.8%	11.2%	12.3%	18.0%	7.5%	8.8%	14.0%	16.1%	13.6%	18.1%	10.8%	7.4%
Inspiring	41.6%	64.6%	16.6%	42.5%	73.3%	50.1%	19.8%	41.7%	42.0%	39.5%	44.5%	38.8%	42.3%	55.4%
Patriotic	30.1%	48.8%	8.4%	29.7%	55.4%	39.4%	9.4%	31.8%	28.0%	27.9%	34.7%	27.7%	31.7%	38.1%
Strong	35.9%	58.2%	13.2%	29.9%	56.6%	43.6%	13.3%	32.5%	41.4%	35.4%	33.5%	37.6%	35.5%	38.0%
Bold	36.9%	46.9%	27.3%	35.3%	49.5%	40.2%	26.2%	36.8%	33.4%	39.2%	37.3%	41.4%	37.7%	30.3%
Experienced	14.2%	26.0%	4.2%	8.8%	24.1%	15.7%	5.0%	12.0%	14.5%	16.4%	12.3%	17.0%	12.4%	13.3%
Sincere	39.8%	67.3%	10.8%	38.0%	73.9%	49.4%	13.8%	39.0%	39.3%	38.0%	44.2%	37.0%	42.7%	49.9%
Partisan	23.5%	12.3%	40.3%	26.4%	8.9%	19.2%	49.2%	20.5%	27.5%	22.4%	23.6%	15.5%	26.8%	28.5%
Effective	21.2%	38.6%	5.0%	17.0%	34.7%	28.8%	7.6%	20.8%	18.1%	23.5%	20.8%	24.0%	20.7%	19.1%
Unifying	21.1%	34.1%	5.6%	19.3%	42.2%	24.8%	8.1%	21.2%	21.3%	17.4%	27.2%	18.8%	23.5%	27.1%
In Touch	28.1%	49.9%	6.6%	26.8%	50.4%	39.6%	8.0%	28.9%	27.0%	25.4%	33.0%	26.9%	30.5%	27.1%

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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	30.8%	54.6%	5.6%	28.1%	58.3%	38.5%	8.4%	30.2%	29.8%	29.9%	34.0%	33.9%	28.8%	34.8%
Decisive	22.9%	36.8%	10.4%	18.7%	39.0%	29.7%	9.9%	21.1%	21.0%	24.2%	24.6%	23.7%	23.5%	21.4%
Totals	(1,000)	(369)	(260)	(275)	(193)	(360)	(334)	(186)	(242)	(348)	(224)	(345)	(404)	(135)

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28. 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	30.4%	17.7%	31.2%	47.3%	34.1%	8.1%	22.4%	34.6%	26.6%	26.0%	29.0%	37.4%
Somewhat liberal	22.2%	33.4%	18.6%	19.2%	21.8%	26.3%	21.8%	21.7%	22.7%	16.2%	29.6%	25.5%
Moderate	21.9%	21.2%	24.4%	12.9%	21.1%	32.1%	16.1%	22.6%	21.2%	18.6%	19.7%	27.8%
Somewhat conservative	4.3%	3.8%	4.9%	3.0%	3.5%	6.7%	9.7%	4.1%	4.6%	5.9%	4.1%	2.4%
Very conservative	1.7%	3.3%	1.2%	1.1%	0.7%	6.8%	5.1%	1.3%	2.0%	2.8%	1.4%	0.3%
Not sure	19.4%	20.7%	19.7%	16.5%	18.8%	20.0%	24.9%	15.7%	22.9%	30.5%	16.2%	6.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (665)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (792)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (379)	100.0% (299)	100.0% (322)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	30.4%	9.2%	67.0%	31.8%	8.2%	18.2%	75.5%	26.1%	31.6%	33.6%	27.9%	21.1%	35.2%	40.0%
Somewhat liberal	22.2%	32.2%	13.1%	22.4%	45.5%	27.6%	10.0%	24.4%	21.5%	19.8%	25.2%	20.9%	24.8%	25.5%
Moderate	21.9%	31.3%	3.6%	27.5%	38.2%	33.9%	3.2%	24.7%	19.5%	18.6%	27.4%	21.0%	22.3%	29.4%
Somewhat conservative	4.3%	6.9%	2.4%	4.2%	1.7%	6.1%	5.2%	2.4%	4.8%	5.3%	3.9%	5.1%	2.9%	3.6%
Very conservative	1.7%	2.7%	2.5%	0.4%	2.1%	1.8%	2.3%	0.5%	0.4%	3.5%	1.1%	2.0%	1.0%	0.4%
Not sure	19.4%	17.6%	11.4%	13.7%	4.3%	12.4%	3.8%	21.9%	22.2%	19.2%	14.5%	30.0%	13.7%	1.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (135)

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29. 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	53.2%	60.4%	52.5%	44.8%	49.2%	92.4%	44.5%	54.5%	52.1%	48.2%	55.1%	58.7%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	46.8%	39.6%	47.5%	55.2%	50.8%	7.6%	55.5%	45.5%	47.9%	51.8%	44.9%	41.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (659)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (85)	100.0% (477)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (377)	100.0% (297)	100.0% (320)

	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	53.2%	80.2%	23.1%	53.3%	79.7%	62.7%	27.5%	62.2%	47.8%	52.0%	53.3%	54.7%	51.8%	56.6%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	46.8%	19.8%	76.9%	46.7%	20.3%	37.3%	72.5%	37.8%	52.2%	48.0%	46.7%	45.3%	48.2%	43.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (257)	100.0% (273)	100.0% (192)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (133)

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30. 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	38.0%	38.8%	39.4%	31.4%	33.5%	79.9%	30.2%	36.9%	39.0%	29.9%	37.7%	49.2%
Like somewhat	28.3%	33.5%	28.0%	21.7%	28.5%	13.4%	45.5%	29.7%	27.1%	31.0%	31.0%	23.0%
Dislike	22.5%	15.9%	23.2%	29.7%	26.0%	2.3%	12.5%	21.9%	23.0%	24.5%	21.2%	20.5%
Not sure	11.2%	11.8%	9.4%	17.2%	11.9%	4.4%	11.8%	11.5%	10.8%	14.5%	10.1%	7.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (663)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (790)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (379)	100.0% (298)	100.0% (321)

	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	38.0%	67.1%	9.7%	33.5%	69.0%	48.1%	12.3%	38.6%	39.3%	34.9%	41.3%	32.6%	41.9%	47.6%
Like somewhat	28.3%	23.3%	28.9%	34.2%	24.7%	29.6%	27.0%	32.4%	24.2%	29.0%	28.3%	35.6%	25.9%	18.8%
Dislike	22.5%	5.2%	46.2%	21.4%	2.1%	14.0%	46.9%	15.2%	27.8%	24.6%	19.5%	17.7%	22.8%	28.1%
Not sure	11.2%	4.4%	15.2%	10.9%	4.2%	8.3%	13.8%	13.7%	8.8%	11.5%	10.9%	14.1%	9.4%	5.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (193)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (185)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (134)