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1. 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	36.4%	34.5%	38.1%	34.0%	34.3%	55.0%	30.1%	38.5%	34.7%	29.9%	42.8%	41.7%
The economy	36.8%	39.4%	38.0%	29.0%	32.3%	64.6%	40.3%	35.6%	37.9%	28.6%	43.8%	44.5%
Immigration	29.7%	32.2%	31.0%	21.3%	25.9%	51.3%	35.2%	27.3%	31.8%	22.7%	36.9%	34.7%
The environment	38.0%	40.3%	38.1%	34.3%	34.3%	62.1%	40.0%	35.3%	40.5%	29.7%	43.2%	48.2%
Terrorism	39.2%	39.2%	40.5%	35.0%	35.9%	61.4%	39.5%	38.4%	39.9%	34.5%	43.2%	43.5%
Gay rights	32.1%	31.2%	34.6%	25.8%	30.3%	43.6%	34.0%	31.1%	33.1%	22.5%	37.9%	44.0%
Education	41.4%	41.9%	42.2%	37.6%	36.1%	69.0%	52.6%	37.3%	45.0%	35.2%	46.1%	47.7%
Health care	40.4%	44.4%	41.1%	32.3%	35.5%	72.3%	42.7%	37.8%	42.8%	32.5%	46.3%	48.9%
Social security	29.3%	22.9%	31.8%	31.2%	25.9%	49.6%	33.1%	27.2%	31.2%	23.0%	33.8%	36.4%
The budget deficit	31.0%	30.5%	32.9%	25.5%	27.2%	54.8%	33.4%	28.4%	33.3%	24.6%	37.9%	35.2%
The war in Afghanistan	32.3%	28.3%	34.4%	31.5%	29.6%	52.4%	28.8%	32.6%	32.0%	26.1%	41.5%	33.4%
Taxes	33.7%	38.7%	33.4%	27.0%	29.0%	58.5%	42.9%	34.3%	33.1%	24.6%	44.0%	39.1%
Totals	(1,000)	(221)	(636)	(143)	(797)	(120)	(83)	(482)	(518)	(418)	(328)	(254)

	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	36.4%	51.7%	21.8%	40.9%	56.4%	47.7%	26.1%	36.7%	35.7%	37.5%	35.2%	33.9%	41.0%	47.1%
The economy	36.8%	63.1%	9.0%	36.3%	71.5%	53.5%	8.0%	37.5%	36.0%	35.6%	39.2%	36.0%	39.7%	41.2%
Immigration	29.7%	50.8%	9.4%	26.1%	55.9%	38.8%	8.6%	29.2%	29.6%	29.3%	30.7%	29.4%	30.7%	38.4%
The environment	38.0%	66.7%	10.0%	37.6%	67.5%	55.4%	15.2%	42.0%	38.2%	33.7%	42.3%	35.8%	40.2%	51.9%
Terrorism	39.2%	65.2%	13.8%	37.4%	71.3%	55.5%	14.5%	43.9%	39.8%	37.6%	37.7%	38.3%	41.1%	46.7%
Gay rights	32.1%	51.3%	11.7%	36.1%	58.6%	47.5%	12.7%	33.6%	31.1%	28.3%	39.0%	28.0%	37.7%	43.7%
Education	41.4%	70.2%	11.5%	40.6%	68.9%	61.4%	16.6%	46.5%	40.1%	38.2%	44.2%	40.3%	40.8%	49.2%
Health care	40.4%	73.0%	7.5%	37.8%	76.2%	56.5%	12.0%	43.4%	38.2%	40.5%	40.7%	39.5%	42.5%	48.0%
Social security	29.3%	54.0%	5.1%	26.6%	48.4%	47.7%	8.4%	28.2%	26.4%	28.7%	34.9%	27.9%	34.8%	31.4%
The budget deficit	31.0%	57.6%	3.7%	27.9%	60.8%	42.5%	8.0%	33.3%	31.1%	28.7%	32.8%	29.7%	32.6%	35.1%
The war in Afghanistan	32.3%	43.8%	23.0%	35.1%	43.4%	42.0%	27.5%	29.2%	33.1%	33.8%	31.3%	30.7%	34.7%	39.7%
Taxes	33.7%	60.4%	8.5%	31.5%	64.5%	49.8%	8.7%	34.0%	32.4%	33.5%	35.2%	33.0%	34.9%	40.1%
Totals	(1,000)	(372)	(231)	(304)	(226)	(317)	(348)	(178)	(241)	(358)	(223)	(383)	(371)	(122)

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2. Important issue

How important are the following issues to you?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The war in Iraq	80.4%	69.4%	82.7%	89.8%	81.5%	76.6%	75.4%	76.0%	84.4%	78.6%	77.6%	87.2%
The economy	96.7%	94.9%	96.8%	99.1%	97.3%	94.8%	94.1%	96.2%	97.2%	95.8%	95.6%	99.8%
Immigration	80.4%	67.9%	83.4%	89.5%	83.4%	64.2%	73.9%	79.8%	80.9%	79.6%	77.9%	84.8%
The environment	81.6%	74.8%	83.1%	86.9%	82.0%	80.2%	79.1%	79.2%	83.7%	81.2%	79.5%	84.7%
Terrorism	83.4%	70.6%	87.3%	90.5%	83.9%	81.7%	81.2%	79.9%	86.6%	84.6%	79.4%	85.9%
Gay rights	45.2%	53.0%	41.8%	44.2%	45.7%	41.1%	46.4%	35.9%	53.5%	38.6%	52.2%	49.6%
Education	88.6%	87.1%	89.1%	89.0%	88.7%	91.2%	82.8%	87.1%	89.8%	86.2%	89.9%	91.6%
Health care	93.1%	89.7%	93.4%	97.0%	93.7%	91.3%	89.8%	89.8%	96.0%	91.1%	94.0%	95.9%
Social security	89.2%	75.9%	92.6%	98.5%	90.8%	86.1%	78.6%	86.3%	91.9%	90.7%	87.1%	88.9%
The budget deficit	87.5%	79.5%	89.9%	92.1%	89.6%	75.3%	85.2%	87.7%	87.4%	86.6%	86.1%	91.1%
The war in Afghanistan	81.3%	70.4%	83.6%	90.6%	82.2%	77.2%	79.1%	77.0%	85.3%	79.6%	79.2%	87.4%
Taxes	88.0%	79.4%	89.8%	95.3%	89.5%	81.7%	82.5%	85.8%	89.9%	85.2%	89.4%	91.7%
Totals	(1,000)	(221)	(636)	(143)	(797)	(120)	(83)	(482)	(518)	(418)	(328)	(254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The war in Iraq	80.4%	80.8%	88.5%	81.6%	81.4%	77.8%	86.8%	79.3%	79.9%	82.9%	77.5%	80.5%	82.1%	78.6%
The economy	96.7%	98.2%	97.9%	99.2%	98.7%	97.2%	98.9%	96.4%	96.7%	97.8%	95.1%	96.2%	98.7%	99.5%
Immigration	80.4%	73.4%	92.2%	83.5%	65.9%	78.8%	94.8%	81.1%	76.6%	81.6%	82.1%	79.2%	83.6%	80.5%
The environment	81.6%	90.8%	70.8%	81.3%	92.1%	84.8%	70.0%	83.9%	83.0%	83.1%	75.2%	83.7%	80.0%	87.1%
Terrorism	83.4%	83.8%	93.1%	80.7%	77.1%	78.6%	94.2%	83.0%	83.3%	85.7%	80.0%	84.0%	86.2%	81.3%
Gay rights	45.2%	54.3%	34.1%	48.6%	66.8%	46.4%	33.2%	46.5%	39.2%	45.5%	50.5%	46.2%	42.0%	45.6%
Education	88.6%	91.8%	89.7%	89.1%	92.7%	86.9%	90.8%	85.1%	90.8%	89.3%	87.4%	87.8%	88.2%	93.5%
Health care	93.1%	96.5%	92.7%	94.7%	97.6%	94.5%	91.7%	94.0%	95.9%	94.3%	87.0%	92.7%	95.3%	93.3%
Social security	89.2%	90.8%	92.6%	88.3%	83.8%	89.7%	93.6%	90.7%	88.4%	91.9%	84.4%	91.8%	91.5%	85.6%
The budget deficit	87.5%	84.5%	94.9%	89.7%	83.7%	85.5%	95.9%	87.0%	85.5%	89.2%	87.4%	87.1%	89.0%	93.6%
The war in Afghanistan	81.3%	82.7%	88.3%	82.4%	83.6%	78.4%	87.6%	81.1%	81.6%	82.7%	78.8%	80.8%	83.9%	78.4%
Taxes	88.0%	86.6%	95.3%	89.8%	78.9%	88.5%	96.5%	93.1%	86.5%	87.2%	86.9%	86.6%	91.9%	93.0%
Totals	(1,000)	(372)	(231)	(304)	(226)	(317)	(348)	(178)	(241)	(358)	(223)	(383)	(371)	(122)

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3. 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	0.7%	1.4%	0.5%	0.5%	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.3%	0.2%	1.2%	1.1%
The economy	36.0%	35.1%	38.7%	28.8%	33.7%	41.6%	51.8%	36.5%	35.6%	31.7%	35.4%	44.7%
Immigration	6.3%	2.2%	7.0%	10.3%	7.3%	0.0%	5.8%	7.1%	5.6%	5.5%	7.5%	6.5%
The environment	4.5%	7.2%	3.9%	2.3%	5.3%	1.2%	1.1%	4.9%	4.1%	3.7%	5.1%	5.2%
Terrorism	2.7%	3.0%	2.8%	2.0%	2.7%	2.3%	3.4%	3.5%	2.1%	4.6%	1.5%	0.7%
Gay rights	3.1%	8.2%	1.6%	0.5%	3.2%	1.0%	6.2%	4.1%	2.3%	2.4%	4.2%	3.4%
Education	6.3%	13.1%	4.6%	1.5%	5.5%	11.4%	6.1%	5.4%	7.0%	4.8%	7.9%	7.1%
Health care	16.0%	17.5%	16.1%	13.5%	15.1%	21.3%	17.3%	11.9%	19.7%	19.6%	13.5%	12.4%
Social security	9.9%	0.7%	9.6%	24.7%	10.1%	13.3%	3.3%	9.4%	10.4%	15.2%	8.5%	1.8%
The budget deficit	7.9%	8.2%	7.5%	8.6%	8.9%	3.9%	2.9%	10.5%	5.6%	6.8%	9.0%	8.5%
The war in Afghanistan	2.2%	1.4%	2.5%	2.6%	2.0%	3.5%	2.1%	2.2%	2.3%	1.6%	2.6%	3.0%
Taxes	4.3%	2.1%	5.3%	4.6%	5.3%	0.4%	0.0%	4.6%	4.1%	4.0%	3.7%	5.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (984)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (628)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (788)	100.0% (117)	100.0% (79)	100.0% (474)	100.0% (510)	100.0% (408)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (254)

	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	0.7%	0.7%	0.4%	0.3%	0.0%	0.9%	0.3%	0.0%	0.7%	0.7%	1.3%	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%
The economy	36.0%	39.9%	32.5%	37.5%	34.0%	41.6%	34.5%	29.9%	34.1%	39.1%	37.7%	37.7%	38.0%	39.2%
Immigration	6.3%	1.6%	11.5%	7.7%	1.0%	5.3%	11.8%	6.6%	6.1%	4.6%	9.4%	4.9%	7.6%	3.2%
The environment	4.5%	4.6%	0.4%	6.7%	9.5%	5.0%	0.3%	4.8%	5.0%	3.1%	6.0%	4.9%	4.0%	6.0%
Terrorism	2.7%	1.6%	6.2%	2.4%	0.9%	1.3%	4.8%	5.1%	1.2%	2.9%	2.3%	3.0%	3.2%	0.9%
Gay rights	3.1%	3.2%	0.4%	4.3%	6.7%	2.1%	0.3%	3.2%	3.0%	2.7%	4.1%	2.9%	2.3%	2.0%
Education	6.3%	7.8%	4.1%	5.1%	9.1%	6.3%	4.9%	6.1%	6.8%	5.9%	6.3%	5.3%	4.8%	8.1%
Health care	16.0%	19.8%	13.7%	10.9%	18.9%	15.0%	11.5%	11.3%	19.6%	18.6%	11.0%	17.6%	14.9%	6.8%
Social security	9.9%	13.3%	6.4%	8.3%	11.4%	11.2%	6.2%	13.5%	10.0%	10.9%	5.1%	13.6%	7.6%	6.3%
The budget deficit	7.9%	2.3%	15.7%	10.9%	3.1%	5.9%	16.3%	5.8%	7.4%	7.4%	11.0%	6.0%	8.5%	12.6%
The war in Afghanistan	2.2%	4.0%	1.6%	1.1%	3.1%	3.9%	1.0%	3.3%	1.6%	2.1%	2.4%	1.7%	2.3%	6.6%
Taxes	4.3%	1.1%	7.1%	4.8%	2.2%	1.5%	8.3%	10.4%	4.5%	2.0%	3.2%	1.3%	6.7%	8.3%

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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% (984)	100.0% (367)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (313)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (174)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (354)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (375)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (122)

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4. 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	18.5%	20.5%	17.9%	17.5%	14.7%	44.0%	18.6%	15.3%	21.4%	13.4%	25.9%	19.8%
Somewhat approve	25.7%	29.7%	26.2%	18.2%	24.1%	30.2%	34.9%	25.9%	25.6%	22.4%	28.9%	28.4%
Somewhat disapprove	13.1%	14.7%	13.2%	10.2%	13.7%	9.5%	12.5%	14.1%	12.2%	17.8%	8.5%	9.4%
Strongly disapprove	34.9%	23.2%	35.6%	50.1%	40.9%	5.9%	18.8%	40.6%	29.8%	33.3%	33.0%	40.1%
Not sure	7.8%	11.9%	7.1%	3.9%	6.7%	10.4%	15.3%	4.2%	11.1%	13.1%	3.7%	2.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (794)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	18.5%	37.9%	1.5%	14.6%	37.1%	27.9%	4.2%	17.0%	16.4%	19.8%	20.0%	19.2%	16.4%	20.7%
Somewhat approve	25.7%	38.6%	7.7%	26.2%	43.0%	32.6%	8.3%	32.8%	28.3%	21.6%	24.2%	25.1%	29.7%	23.7%
Somewhat disapprove	13.1%	10.9%	15.9%	12.0%	10.9%	15.3%	11.2%	11.9%	11.8%	13.4%	14.9%	14.2%	12.2%	16.3%
Strongly disapprove	34.9%	7.2%	74.4%	41.5%	3.8%	18.5%	74.2%	32.3%	35.2%	35.8%	35.1%	29.7%	38.2%	38.6%
Not sure	7.8%	5.4%	0.5%	5.6%	5.3%	5.6%	2.2%	5.9%	8.3%	9.4%	5.8%	11.7%	3.5%	0.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (122)

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5. America's performance in war in Afghanistan

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	9.1%	9.3%	9.5%	7.6%	9.4%	9.1%	6.8%	12.2%	6.4%	7.9%	12.9%	7.1%
No	48.9%	37.7%	52.1%	55.7%	51.2%	31.3%	52.0%	50.2%	47.7%	48.3%	43.1%	56.9%
Not sure	42.0%	53.0%	38.4%	36.7%	39.4%	59.6%	41.2%	37.6%	45.9%	43.9%	44.0%	36.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (795)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	9.1%	9.7%	13.8%	6.7%	9.2%	8.4%	14.3%	8.7%	9.7%	9.2%	8.6%	9.4%	11.2%	8.0%
No	48.9%	47.0%	43.0%	60.4%	53.3%	52.8%	44.6%	51.8%	46.8%	44.7%	56.3%	43.3%	49.0%	65.9%
Not sure	42.0%	43.3%	43.2%	33.0%	37.5%	38.8%	41.1%	39.5%	43.5%	46.1%	35.0%	47.3%	39.8%	26.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (122)

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6. 2012 expectations for troop levels in Afghanistan

At the end of 2012, do you think the United States will have more or fewer troops in Afghanistan than it has now?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
More troops in Afghanistan than it has now	20.5%	16.5%	21.4%	24.0%	22.1%	11.9%	17.5%	22.4%	18.9%	22.7%	21.5%	15.2%
About the same number of troops in Afghanistan as it has now	42.7%	47.0%	40.0%	45.0%	43.5%	32.7%	49.9%	42.0%	43.4%	44.6%	40.9%	41.1%
Fewer troops in Afghanistan than it has now	36.8%	36.5%	38.6%	31.0%	34.4%	55.3%	32.6%	35.7%	37.7%	32.7%	37.6%	43.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (793)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
More troops in Afghanistan than it has now	20.5%	16.5%	26.8%	19.1%	15.1%	17.5%	22.4%	21.9%	20.1%	21.2%	18.7%	22.7%	20.6%	15.0%
About the same number of troops in Afghanistan as it has now	42.7%	37.9%	40.2%	46.9%	38.6%	44.4%	41.7%	42.4%	43.1%	40.6%	46.2%	41.6%	43.3%	44.8%
Fewer troops in Afghanistan than it has now	36.8%	45.5%	33.0%	34.0%	46.3%	38.1%	36.0%	35.7%	36.7%	38.2%	35.1%	35.7%	36.0%	40.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (121)

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7. Troops in Afghanistan

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Increase	22.9%	11.4%	26.3%	29.0%	26.6%	7.0%	9.7%	28.1%	18.2%	21.3%	22.6%	26.1%
Keep the same	21.7%	28.4%	18.7%	21.6%	19.9%	22.7%	38.3%	21.6%	21.9%	21.1%	24.3%	20.0%
Decrease	55.4%	60.2%	55.0%	49.4%	53.5%	70.3%	52.0%	50.3%	59.9%	57.6%	53.0%	53.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (993)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (140)	100.0% (791)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (478)	100.0% (515)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Increase	22.9%	7.0%	49.4%	24.7%	7.0%	11.4%	51.6%	21.9%	26.7%	20.1%	24.1%	19.4%	28.4%	26.8%
Keep the same	21.7%	21.7%	24.5%	19.5%	20.0%	20.3%	21.4%	23.7%	18.8%	22.5%	22.2%	20.7%	21.0%	15.9%
Decrease	55.4%	71.3%	26.2%	55.8%	73.0%	68.3%	27.0%	54.3%	54.5%	57.3%	53.7%	59.9%	50.6%	57.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (993)	100.0% (367)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (175)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (367)	100.0% (121)

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8. Expected outcome in Afghanistan

What do you think will eventually happen in Afghanistan?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The United States will win the war in Afghanistan.	26.7%	30.6%	26.5%	21.4%	24.8%	38.0%	28.2%	27.6%	25.8%	30.0%	27.9%	18.5%
The United States will withdraw from Afghanistan without winning.	73.3%	69.4%	73.5%	78.6%	75.2%	62.0%	71.8%	72.4%	74.2%	70.0%	72.1%	81.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (985)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (627)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (785)	100.0% (118)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (472)	100.0% (513)	100.0% (412)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (250)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The United States will win the war in Afghanistan.	26.7%	27.8%	33.6%	18.8%	18.0%	27.7%	30.5%	28.0%	27.1%	26.9%	24.4%	30.2%	25.7%	23.2%
The United States will withdraw from Afghanistan without winning.	73.3%	72.2%	66.4%	81.2%	82.0%	72.3%	69.5%	72.0%	72.9%	73.1%	75.6%	69.8%	74.3%	76.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (985)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (312)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (356)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (377)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (121)

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9. Decision to send troops to Afghanistan

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	41.2%	43.9%	37.8%	48.0%	38.7%	55.1%	45.2%	35.1%	46.6%	43.3%	37.9%	40.9%
No	38.2%	31.0%	42.6%	35.2%	41.6%	21.3%	29.6%	48.8%	28.8%	31.6%	46.2%	41.8%
Not sure	20.6%	25.1%	19.6%	16.7%	19.7%	23.7%	25.2%	16.1%	24.6%	25.1%	15.9%	17.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (632)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (790)	100.0% (118)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (476)	100.0% (514)	100.0% (413)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	41.2%	54.6%	20.9%	38.1%	50.2%	52.3%	22.5%	46.4%	36.3%	40.2%	44.6%	42.4%	38.8%	44.3%
No	38.2%	25.4%	61.9%	45.8%	34.4%	30.3%	59.2%	35.8%	43.3%	34.2%	41.4%	32.2%	45.4%	39.4%
Not sure	20.6%	19.9%	17.2%	16.1%	15.4%	17.4%	18.3%	17.8%	20.4%	25.6%	14.1%	25.3%	15.8%	16.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (300)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (175)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (378)	100.0% (367)	100.0% (122)

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10. Clarity of Obama's Afghanistan strategy

Do you think Barack Obama has a clear plan for U.S. strategy in Afghanistan?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	17.4%	16.1%	18.4%	16.0%	15.0%	30.9%	21.4%	16.6%	18.1%	12.9%	22.8%	19.7%
No	53.3%	49.8%	53.5%	58.0%	58.8%	25.9%	39.7%	60.5%	46.8%	55.1%	50.1%	53.7%
Not sure	29.3%	34.1%	28.0%	26.0%	26.2%	43.2%	38.9%	22.8%	35.1%	32.0%	27.1%	26.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (794)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (416)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	17.4%	29.0%	3.5%	16.8%	30.8%	27.5%	4.8%	13.8%	16.5%	18.4%	19.5%	19.7%	15.0%	15.3%
No	53.3%	29.9%	82.4%	62.7%	32.0%	41.5%	78.1%	57.3%	57.3%	48.2%	54.5%	51.0%	56.0%	55.5%
Not sure	29.3%	41.0%	14.2%	20.5%	37.2%	31.0%	17.1%	28.9%	26.2%	33.4%	26.0%	29.3%	29.0%	29.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (303)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (122)

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11. Obama's responsibility for situation in Afghanistan

How much responsibility do you think President Barack Obama has for the current situation in Afghanistan today?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Most	23.7%	10.7%	26.2%	35.0%	27.7%	7.5%	7.9%	27.2%	20.5%	23.3%	21.5%	27.0%
Some	36.2%	38.1%	36.6%	32.1%	38.6%	24.8%	30.0%	38.1%	34.5%	32.1%	37.4%	43.0%
Only a little	21.7%	30.7%	17.6%	21.6%	20.3%	20.6%	37.4%	21.4%	22.1%	19.2%	28.4%	18.7%
None	9.3%	10.9%	10.1%	4.0%	5.9%	33.7%	6.0%	8.2%	10.2%	10.2%	7.9%	9.1%
Not sure	9.1%	9.5%	9.4%	7.4%	7.4%	13.5%	18.7%	5.0%	12.7%	15.2%	4.8%	2.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (794)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (416)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Most	23.7%	8.6%	45.6%	27.2%	8.4%	14.8%	45.6%	25.6%	24.7%	22.2%	23.7%	24.2%	24.8%	20.5%
Some	36.2%	31.4%	39.8%	41.2%	41.3%	35.9%	34.1%	38.3%	39.4%	33.0%	36.7%	34.6%	40.3%	35.9%
Only a little	21.7%	30.6%	7.2%	22.5%	33.4%	28.0%	10.2%	19.7%	19.6%	23.8%	22.2%	19.4%	22.3%	27.3%
None	9.3%	17.8%	2.9%	5.1%	12.0%	13.9%	4.3%	5.5%	8.8%	10.4%	10.7%	9.9%	7.9%	10.4%
Not sure	9.1%	11.6%	4.6%	4.1%	4.9%	7.4%	5.8%	10.9%	7.5%	10.6%	6.8%	11.9%	4.7%	5.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (303)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (122)

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12. Bush's responsibility for situation in Afghanistan

How much responsibility do you think former President George W. Bush has for the current situation in Afghanistan today?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Most	51.0%	59.2%	49.2%	44.6%	47.3%	75.4%	51.6%	49.4%	52.5%	43.9%	57.3%	57.5%
Some	26.5%	21.4%	28.8%	27.0%	29.2%	9.2%	25.8%	30.2%	23.3%	26.8%	25.7%	27.1%
Only a little	9.4%	8.8%	9.3%	10.6%	10.9%	2.6%	4.1%	9.5%	9.3%	10.0%	9.2%	8.5%
None	6.0%	4.2%	5.1%	11.3%	6.4%	5.6%	1.8%	7.0%	5.0%	8.5%	3.1%	4.3%
Not sure	7.1%	6.4%	7.6%	6.5%	6.1%	7.1%	16.7%	4.0%	9.9%	10.8%	4.7%	2.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (794)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Most	51.0%	72.2%	21.9%	50.8%	83.2%	64.2%	20.4%	49.3%	49.8%	53.6%	49.2%	49.2%	51.2%	54.2%
Some	26.5%	14.9%	41.0%	28.7%	11.4%	22.3%	43.2%	24.6%	30.9%	23.9%	27.6%	27.5%	28.4%	28.6%
Only a little	9.4%	2.5%	17.9%	12.4%	1.2%	6.8%	18.4%	10.8%	9.2%	9.2%	8.8%	8.5%	9.1%	10.1%
None	6.0%	4.9%	13.2%	4.4%	1.1%	4.0%	12.2%	9.3%	4.7%	5.2%	6.1%	5.6%	7.8%	2.2%
Not sure	7.1%	5.6%	6.0%	3.7%	3.1%	2.7%	5.9%	6.0%	5.4%	8.0%	8.4%	9.1%	3.5%	5.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (122)

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13. Awareness of classified documents on WikiLeaks

How much have you heard or read about classified U.S. military documents on the Afghanistan war that were released by the Web site called WikiLeaks?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A great deal	23.2%	17.6%	21.0%	38.8%	24.6%	18.3%	15.9%	31.0%	16.1%	17.1%	24.7%	33.2%
A little	44.8%	43.0%	47.4%	38.9%	44.9%	45.0%	43.4%	46.7%	43.1%	42.0%	44.9%	50.1%
Nothing at all	32.0%	39.4%	31.6%	22.2%	30.5%	36.7%	40.7%	22.3%	40.8%	41.0%	30.4%	16.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (795)	100.0% (117)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (514)	100.0% (415)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A great deal	23.2%	16.9%	29.1%	32.6%	23.5%	24.1%	31.4%	23.2%	20.7%	21.4%	29.2%	17.9%	27.3%	31.3%
A little	44.8%	49.3%	41.8%	50.1%	53.5%	46.4%	44.1%	41.2%	50.9%	42.6%	44.3%	43.8%	45.5%	50.5%
Nothing at all	32.0%	33.8%	29.1%	17.3%	23.0%	29.5%	24.5%	35.6%	28.4%	36.0%	26.5%	38.2%	27.2%	18.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (381)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (122)

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14. Familiarity with WikiLeaks documents

Have you read any leaked documents posted by WikiLeaks, or have you only learned about the WikiLeaks story from news reports? (Asked if respondent is aware of WikiLeaks's release of classified documents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Read leaked documents	7.5%	13.1%	7.1%	1.9%	7.8%	7.2%	3.6%	9.3%	5.4%	6.1%	8.5%	8.4%
Have not read leaked documents, but learned about story from news reports	82.8%	71.6%	83.4%	94.3%	84.6%	73.5%	75.9%	83.3%	82.2%	80.6%	83.0%	85.7%
Neither	9.7%	15.2%	9.6%	3.8%	7.5%	19.3%	20.5%	7.5%	12.4%	13.3%	8.6%	5.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (716)	100.0% (137)	100.0% (466)	100.0% (113)	100.0% (586)	100.0% (79)	100.0% (51)	100.0% (396)	100.0% (320)	100.0% (265)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (217)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Read leaked documents	7.5%	6.9%	3.2%	12.0%	5.3%	9.3%	7.8%	7.2%	8.8%	6.0%	8.4%	7.8%	4.2%	9.2%
Have not read leaked documents, but learned about story from news reports	82.8%	81.2%	92.1%	79.8%	82.5%	85.1%	85.6%	83.0%	82.5%	83.3%	82.0%	77.3%	88.3%	86.7%
Neither	9.7%	11.9%	4.8%	8.2%	12.2%	5.6%	6.5%	9.7%	8.6%	10.7%	9.6%	14.9%	7.4%	4.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (716)	100.0% (248)	100.0% (174)	100.0% (254)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (123)	100.0% (175)	100.0% (246)	100.0% (172)	100.0% (249)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (105)

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15. Approval of WikiLeaks's actions

Do you approve or disapprove of the decision by the Web site WikiLeaks to release classified documents relating to the war in Afghanistan? (Asked if respondent is aware of WikiLeaks's release of classified documents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	10.0%	17.1%	9.0%	4.2%	10.5%	5.4%	10.8%	12.5%	7.0%	9.5%	12.5%	8.2%
Somewhat approve	9.6%	15.1%	9.1%	4.4%	10.1%	4.7%	11.8%	10.5%	8.5%	8.4%	9.3%	11.5%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	19.9%	31.3%	17.3%	13.8%	16.8%	28.6%	42.7%	17.6%	22.6%	19.0%	20.2%	20.8%
Somewhat disapprove	13.0%	17.7%	11.3%	12.1%	12.6%	12.7%	18.3%	12.8%	13.1%	14.2%	10.2%	14.1%
Strongly disapprove	47.6%	18.8%	53.2%	65.6%	50.1%	48.6%	16.4%	46.6%	48.8%	48.9%	47.8%	45.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (717)	100.0% (137)	100.0% (467)	100.0% (113)	100.0% (587)	100.0% (79)	100.0% (51)	100.0% (397)	100.0% (320)	100.0% (265)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (218)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	10.0%	10.2%	1.5%	15.2%	14.1%	12.3%	3.5%	10.0%	11.6%	7.8%	11.4%	8.7%	7.6%	7.0%
Somewhat approve	9.6%	15.4%	3.5%	8.1%	19.5%	8.0%	4.3%	13.7%	7.6%	7.2%	12.7%	11.5%	6.6%	16.9%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	19.9%	26.5%	8.2%	17.1%	24.8%	20.3%	9.5%	20.5%	19.3%	22.0%	16.7%	22.4%	22.0%	11.5%
Somewhat disapprove	13.0%	15.7%	9.9%	12.8%	13.7%	14.3%	10.2%	13.9%	13.8%	11.7%	13.4%	11.7%	11.4%	18.1%
Strongly disapprove	47.6%	32.2%	76.9%	46.7%	27.8%	45.0%	72.5%	42.0%	47.7%	51.3%	45.7%	45.8%	52.4%	46.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (717)	100.0% (248)	100.0% (174)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (272)	100.0% (123)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (246)	100.0% (172)	100.0% (250)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (105)

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16. Effect of WikiLeaks's actions on U.S. war effort in Afghanistan

Will the release of leaked documents through WikiLeaks help or hurt the U.S. war effort in Afghanistan? (Asked if respondent is aware of WikiLeaks's release of classified documents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Hurt	56.4%	38.9%	58.3%	71.9%	59.2%	44.9%	41.6%	57.2%	55.4%	57.7%	57.8%	53.2%
No effect	19.4%	33.4%	16.6%	10.7%	16.8%	22.6%	44.7%	22.6%	15.6%	17.0%	18.9%	23.1%
Help	4.4%	7.9%	3.9%	1.5%	4.7%	4.3%	1.0%	5.1%	3.4%	2.9%	4.9%	5.8%
Not sure	19.9%	19.9%	21.2%	16.0%	19.4%	28.2%	12.6%	15.0%	25.6%	22.4%	18.4%	17.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (137)	100.0% (466)	100.0% (112)	100.0% (585)	100.0% (79)	100.0% (51)	100.0% (396)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (265)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (217)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Hurt	56.4%	41.9%	77.0%	57.3%	34.6%	54.5%	77.0%	56.4%	58.5%	57.2%	52.8%	49.5%	63.2%	58.4%
No effect	19.4%	25.8%	8.2%	21.7%	30.7%	20.4%	10.7%	17.8%	19.2%	17.5%	23.5%	25.2%	16.2%	16.1%
Help	4.4%	5.3%	1.6%	6.1%	6.7%	6.7%	1.1%	4.0%	5.7%	3.5%	4.4%	4.4%	4.0%	4.8%
Not sure	19.9%	27.0%	13.3%	14.9%	28.0%	18.5%	11.2%	21.8%	16.6%	21.7%	19.3%	20.8%	16.7%	20.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (247)	100.0% (173)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (175)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (123)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (245)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (250)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (104)

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17. Effect of WikiLeaks's actions on Afghan civilians

Will the release of leaked documents through WikiLeaks help or hurt Afghanistan and its civilian population? (Asked if respondent is aware of WikiLeaks's release of classified documents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Hurt	50.1%	34.6%	49.9%	69.3%	52.9%	38.6%	35.0%	52.4%	47.3%	51.1%	47.7%	51.1%
No effect	17.9%	27.7%	16.7%	9.6%	16.3%	17.6%	37.2%	22.7%	12.1%	17.7%	16.2%	19.8%
Help	6.4%	10.5%	5.9%	3.3%	6.3%	5.2%	10.5%	7.2%	5.5%	5.0%	8.5%	6.5%
Not sure	25.6%	27.2%	27.6%	17.8%	24.6%	38.7%	17.3%	17.6%	35.0%	26.2%	27.7%	22.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (137)	100.0% (466)	100.0% (112)	100.0% (585)	100.0% (79)	100.0% (51)	100.0% (396)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (265)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (217)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Hurt	50.1%	37.0%	73.3%	49.4%	28.5%	49.0%	71.1%	48.8%	48.6%	51.3%	50.9%	41.0%	57.8%	55.0%
No effect	17.9%	22.4%	6.4%	21.7%	22.7%	20.8%	10.8%	17.9%	18.2%	16.3%	20.0%	23.0%	15.1%	14.5%
Help	6.4%	8.1%	2.7%	8.2%	10.1%	7.5%	3.3%	8.7%	7.9%	2.7%	8.8%	7.4%	4.4%	8.6%
Not sure	25.6%	32.5%	17.6%	20.7%	38.7%	22.7%	14.8%	24.5%	25.3%	29.7%	20.4%	28.6%	22.8%	22.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (715)	100.0% (248)	100.0% (172)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (270)	100.0% (123)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (245)	100.0% (171)	100.0% (250)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (105)

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18. Perception of Afghan government

Do you consider the government of Afghanistan, headed by Hamid Karzai, to be an ally or an enemy of the United States?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Ally of U.S.	4.5%	3.4%	4.0%	7.8%	5.1%	1.9%	2.5%	4.9%	4.1%	2.9%	5.3%	6.4%
Friendly	15.3%	17.1%	14.2%	16.2%	15.7%	16.9%	8.8%	22.5%	8.8%	10.7%	16.2%	23.1%
Unfriendly	29.5%	21.9%	30.7%	37.1%	30.3%	21.2%	33.0%	33.2%	26.1%	29.4%	28.9%	30.4%
Enemy of the U.S.	11.5%	8.0%	12.6%	13.3%	10.6%	20.2%	7.9%	6.6%	15.9%	14.9%	9.4%	7.4%
Not sure	39.3%	49.6%	38.6%	25.7%	38.3%	39.8%	47.8%	32.8%	45.1%	42.0%	40.3%	32.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (795)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Ally of U.S.	4.5%	4.2%	8.3%	4.1%	6.2%	3.7%	6.7%	3.0%	2.0%	5.2%	7.2%	3.6%	5.2%	3.3%
Friendly	15.3%	14.7%	22.0%	18.1%	16.3%	14.8%	21.3%	20.0%	15.6%	13.0%	15.2%	13.9%	18.2%	20.4%
Unfriendly	29.5%	29.5%	26.4%	38.5%	30.1%	34.8%	33.3%	34.2%	30.8%	27.4%	27.8%	28.4%	31.9%	37.6%
Enemy of the U.S.	11.5%	13.8%	11.1%	9.6%	12.8%	10.8%	11.1%	9.8%	12.6%	11.2%	12.3%	10.2%	11.3%	12.9%
Not sure	39.3%	37.8%	32.2%	29.7%	34.6%	35.9%	27.6%	33.0%	39.0%	43.3%	37.5%	43.9%	33.3%	25.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (121)

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19. Perception of Pakistan

Do you consider Pakistan to be an ally or an enemy of the United States?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Ally of U.S.	3.1%	2.3%	2.7%	5.6%	3.1%	4.6%	1.0%	2.9%	3.3%	2.5%	2.7%	4.7%
Friendly	12.0%	13.5%	10.9%	13.5%	12.1%	13.8%	8.8%	17.6%	7.1%	8.6%	12.2%	18.6%
Unfriendly	32.2%	27.1%	32.0%	40.2%	33.3%	20.1%	38.8%	37.6%	27.3%	28.3%	34.7%	36.6%
Enemy of the U.S.	18.4%	14.4%	20.6%	17.5%	18.7%	19.5%	13.9%	14.5%	21.9%	21.6%	18.7%	12.0%
Not sure	34.3%	42.7%	33.8%	23.1%	32.8%	42.2%	37.4%	27.4%	40.4%	39.0%	31.7%	28.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (795)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Ally of U.S.	3.1%	4.3%	3.9%	2.2%	6.1%	2.3%	3.5%	3.9%	1.6%	4.0%	2.6%	3.6%	2.6%	1.6%
Friendly	12.0%	13.1%	10.8%	14.6%	13.2%	10.6%	15.6%	13.9%	11.6%	10.1%	14.4%	11.6%	14.0%	14.9%
Unfriendly	32.2%	33.2%	32.6%	37.8%	37.2%	37.2%	34.6%	35.7%	32.2%	29.7%	33.5%	29.5%	37.4%	35.8%
Enemy of the U.S.	18.4%	15.2%	23.1%	20.2%	17.3%	14.3%	23.6%	18.1%	19.6%	17.3%	19.5%	16.4%	16.9%	25.0%
Not sure	34.3%	34.1%	29.5%	25.2%	26.1%	35.6%	22.7%	28.3%	35.0%	38.9%	30.0%	38.9%	29.1%	22.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (381)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (122)

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20. Pakistanis' perception of the U.S.

Do you think that people in Pakistan consider the United States to be an ally or an enemy of their country?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Ally	3.5%	0.7%	3.7%	7.0%	3.9%	1.9%	1.6%	3.8%	3.2%	3.1%	4.1%	3.3%
Friendly	10.3%	15.0%	9.0%	7.7%	9.3%	15.8%	12.4%	13.8%	7.2%	6.7%	13.0%	14.2%
Unfriendly	26.7%	28.7%	23.5%	34.1%	28.3%	19.7%	21.7%	28.8%	24.9%	24.4%	26.5%	31.5%
Enemy	27.5%	24.0%	31.2%	20.8%	28.7%	19.6%	27.9%	27.7%	27.4%	26.7%	28.8%	27.5%
Not sure	32.0%	31.6%	32.6%	30.4%	29.9%	42.9%	36.4%	26.0%	37.4%	39.0%	27.5%	23.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (633)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (791)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (515)	100.0% (416)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Ally	3.5%	2.6%	5.8%	3.4%	3.2%	2.8%	5.5%	4.8%	2.8%	3.5%	3.1%	3.1%	5.0%	2.1%
Friendly	10.3%	10.3%	8.9%	13.1%	10.7%	12.6%	11.4%	8.4%	10.0%	11.3%	10.6%	10.3%	8.7%	17.3%
Unfriendly	26.7%	25.0%	28.6%	33.7%	34.6%	26.3%	26.9%	29.8%	23.6%	26.5%	28.3%	25.9%	29.3%	30.9%
Enemy	27.5%	29.6%	29.9%	27.4%	29.3%	28.8%	31.3%	30.7%	31.5%	23.1%	28.1%	22.8%	29.1%	31.2%
Not sure	32.0%	32.5%	26.9%	22.3%	22.3%	29.6%	24.9%	26.4%	32.0%	35.6%	30.0%	37.9%	27.9%	18.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (122)

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21. Level of trust in Pakistan to stop terrorism

How much can the United States count on Pakistan to help stop terrorism?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A lot	2.2%	1.9%	2.9%	0.7%	1.3%	4.4%	8.7%	2.7%	1.8%	2.9%	0.9%	2.5%
Somewhat	27.8%	29.7%	23.5%	39.0%	28.1%	29.1%	22.5%	34.4%	21.9%	21.5%	33.0%	34.0%
Not at all	43.0%	36.4%	46.7%	40.8%	44.8%	36.2%	34.8%	44.5%	41.6%	41.6%	42.2%	46.4%
Not sure	27.0%	32.0%	27.0%	19.5%	25.8%	30.3%	34.1%	18.4%	34.7%	34.0%	23.9%	17.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (794)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (418)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A lot	2.2%	3.1%	1.2%	1.1%	2.0%	2.0%	2.2%	4.8%	0.4%	2.4%	2.1%	2.1%	1.1%	3.5%
Somewhat	27.8%	29.7%	30.3%	31.4%	33.3%	28.9%	32.1%	33.6%	28.7%	24.0%	28.7%	26.4%	31.5%	24.4%
Not at all	43.0%	38.8%	50.2%	48.6%	43.5%	42.9%	50.1%	40.8%	45.8%	41.3%	44.4%	39.1%	43.6%	57.8%
Not sure	27.0%	28.5%	18.3%	18.9%	21.1%	26.2%	15.6%	20.9%	25.1%	32.2%	24.9%	32.4%	23.7%	14.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (122)

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22. Awareness of Arizona's new immigration law

How much have you heard or read about Arizona's new immigration legislation, recently signed into law by the Governor of Arizona?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A lot	53.1%	48.2%	50.6%	68.7%	55.2%	41.7%	49.5%	62.8%	44.4%	41.4%	55.6%	72.7%
A little	35.0%	33.8%	38.7%	25.1%	34.2%	33.6%	45.3%	27.8%	41.6%	39.6%	36.1%	24.9%
Nothing at all	11.9%	18.0%	10.7%	6.2%	10.6%	24.8%	5.3%	9.4%	14.1%	18.9%	8.4%	2.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (793)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (515)	100.0% (415)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A lot	53.1%	46.0%	60.2%	67.3%	54.7%	53.0%	69.0%	53.4%	49.9%	47.5%	66.6%	43.2%	58.7%	68.6%
A little	35.0%	38.6%	32.1%	27.8%	33.4%	38.1%	24.6%	33.4%	34.3%	38.6%	30.9%	39.7%	32.5%	27.2%
Nothing at all	11.9%	15.4%	7.7%	4.9%	12.0%	9.0%	6.5%	13.2%	15.8%	13.9%	2.4%	17.1%	8.7%	4.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (380)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (122)

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23. Support for Arizona's new immigration law

Arizona's new immigration law requires immigrants to have proof of their immigration status and requires police officers to attempt to determine the immigration status of persons suspected to be illegal immigrants. Do you approve or disapprove this new law?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	46.2%	25.8%	51.8%	59.0%	53.1%	15.1%	23.5%	46.7%	45.8%	51.5%	40.4%	42.8%
Somewhat approve	11.6%	11.4%	11.7%	11.3%	12.0%	11.7%	6.5%	10.6%	12.4%	12.0%	10.9%	11.5%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	11.9%	15.1%	11.3%	9.4%	10.5%	20.7%	12.9%	10.8%	13.0%	16.9%	8.9%	5.8%
Somewhat disapprove	8.7%	11.8%	7.5%	7.7%	7.1%	14.9%	15.2%	9.2%	8.2%	4.9%	12.5%	11.5%
Strongly disapprove	21.6%	35.9%	17.7%	12.6%	17.2%	37.6%	41.9%	22.7%	20.6%	14.7%	27.3%	28.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (794)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (418)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	46.2%	26.7%	73.9%	50.2%	21.2%	36.6%	75.1%	50.6%	44.1%	46.0%	45.7%	46.2%	51.9%	40.2%
Somewhat approve	11.6%	13.4%	13.2%	8.1%	7.2%	14.8%	10.3%	10.4%	14.1%	8.9%	14.1%	12.0%	12.8%	13.5%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	11.9%	15.1%	6.5%	5.9%	7.4%	14.1%	5.8%	12.7%	12.8%	14.5%	5.9%	14.6%	10.6%	8.3%
Somewhat disapprove	8.7%	11.4%	0.4%	13.0%	15.9%	12.1%	0.9%	6.9%	6.7%	12.2%	6.2%	8.0%	7.9%	8.8%
Strongly disapprove	21.6%	33.4%	6.0%	22.8%	48.4%	22.3%	7.9%	19.4%	22.4%	18.4%	28.1%	19.3%	16.8%	29.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (356)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (122)

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24. Awareness of injunction against Arizona immigration law

How much have you heard or read about the decision by a federal judge to block parts of Arizona's new immigration law before it took effect? (Not asked of respondents

who have not heard about Arizona's new immigration law)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A great deal	40.9%	29.9%	40.4%	57.0%	41.6%	38.6%	37.1%	47.9%	34.2%	35.4%	40.2%	50.6%
A little	47.7%	52.6%	49.4%	36.1%	48.1%	46.4%	46.0%	44.7%	50.6%	49.2%	50.0%	42.7%
Nothing at all	11.4%	17.5%	10.3%	6.9%	10.4%	14.9%	16.9%	7.4%	15.2%	15.4%	9.8%	6.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (911)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (588)	100.0% (137)	100.0% (735)	100.0% (97)	100.0% (79)	100.0% (454)	100.0% (457)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (250)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A great deal	40.9%	38.6%	49.0%	44.9%	40.4%	37.8%	54.6%	45.5%	32.6%	38.8%	49.3%	33.0%	49.2%	42.8%
A little	47.7%	47.1%	45.4%	47.4%	50.3%	50.7%	36.5%	41.9%	59.2%	48.8%	38.4%	52.2%	42.1%	49.2%
Nothing at all	11.4%	14.3%	5.6%	7.6%	9.3%	11.5%	8.8%	12.6%	8.2%	12.4%	12.3%	14.8%	8.8%	8.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (911)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (294)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (160)	100.0% (213)	100.0% (321)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (334)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (119)

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25. Effect of injunction on opinion of Arizona law

As you may have heard, a federal judge's ruling blocked parts of the Arizona immigration law that called for police officers to check a person's immigration status while enforcing other laws and required immigrants to prove their legal status or risk state charges. The judge blocked these provisions, saying that they raised the possibility of wrongful arrest and placed too great a burden on legal residents. Does the judge's decision increase or decrease your support for Arizona's new immigration law?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Increase	30.5%	20.4%	29.5%	48.9%	33.7%	17.8%	17.2%	30.5%	30.5%	31.4%	30.0%	29.3%
No effect	57.4%	66.3%	58.2%	41.3%	55.7%	66.3%	60.4%	57.1%	57.6%	56.8%	56.5%	59.5%
Decrease	12.1%	13.3%	12.3%	9.8%	10.6%	15.9%	22.4%	12.5%	11.9%	11.8%	13.5%	11.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (794)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Increase	30.5%	22.9%	41.8%	34.1%	21.9%	26.6%	46.6%	33.5%	31.4%	25.8%	35.3%	29.8%	31.5%	26.8%
No effect	57.4%	65.1%	44.3%	53.1%	67.3%	56.0%	42.9%	54.8%	58.7%	59.7%	53.8%	59.5%	57.2%	59.6%
Decrease	12.1%	12.0%	13.9%	12.8%	10.8%	17.4%	10.5%	11.7%	9.9%	14.5%	10.9%	10.8%	11.3%	13.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (122)

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26. Authority to set immigration policies

Should states be permitted to set their own policies when it comes to immigration, or is this something that should only be handled by the federal government?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
States should be permitted	48.4%	32.2%	53.1%	57.3%	54.0%	27.0%	23.1%	49.4%	47.5%	50.4%	48.4%	44.4%
Should only be handled by federal government	34.6%	45.8%	30.2%	32.1%	30.0%	51.5%	55.1%	38.7%	30.9%	26.2%	38.3%	46.7%
Not sure	17.1%	22.0%	16.7%	10.6%	15.9%	21.5%	21.8%	11.9%	21.6%	23.5%	13.3%	8.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (794)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (418)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
States should be permitted	48.4%	29.0%	73.6%	55.5%	20.9%	42.5%	75.3%	54.0%	46.8%	45.7%	50.4%	45.9%	53.2%	49.2%
Should only be handled by federal government	34.6%	51.9%	15.3%	34.1%	68.0%	39.9%	16.6%	30.8%	34.2%	33.4%	40.3%	31.2%	36.1%	40.6%
Not sure	17.1%	19.1%	11.1%	10.4%	11.2%	17.6%	8.1%	15.2%	19.0%	21.0%	9.4%	22.9%	10.8%	10.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (122)

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27. Party identification on immigration

Which party is closer to you on the issue of immigration?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The Democratic Party	30.4%	34.9%	27.9%	31.4%	26.7%	49.1%	39.1%	28.7%	31.9%	23.7%	36.6%	36.0%
The Republican Party	32.8%	23.4%	34.2%	43.0%	37.8%	10.6%	17.1%	37.9%	28.3%	31.1%	30.7%	38.7%
Don't know	36.8%	41.7%	37.9%	25.6%	35.5%	40.4%	43.7%	33.3%	39.8%	45.2%	32.8%	25.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (993)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (631)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (791)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (513)	100.0% (414)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The Democratic Party	30.4%	60.8%	3.2%	25.2%	64.8%	42.1%	7.5%	35.1%	26.0%	31.1%	30.6%	31.8%	29.9%	34.8%
The Republican Party	32.8%	9.1%	80.9%	39.2%	8.7%	21.9%	74.1%	32.1%	31.8%	32.8%	34.6%	25.4%	41.7%	41.1%
Don't know	36.8%	30.1%	15.9%	35.6%	26.5%	35.9%	18.4%	32.8%	42.1%	36.1%	34.8%	42.8%	28.5%	24.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (993)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (303)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (175)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (381)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (121)

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28. Impact of immigration on 2010 vote

When deciding whom to support in the 2010 elections, how important will the candidate's position on immigration 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	6.2%	3.0%	6.9%	8.8%	6.4%	2.2%	11.0%	7.3%	5.2%	8.4%	5.2%	3.2%
Very important	33.7%	20.8%	35.9%	46.0%	35.9%	18.6%	33.2%	32.5%	34.7%	33.9%	32.6%	34.5%
Somewhat important	33.0%	39.7%	32.3%	25.2%	32.2%	42.7%	26.6%	31.5%	34.4%	26.1%	39.5%	38.7%
Not very important	13.6%	19.5%	11.5%	11.8%	13.0%	20.6%	9.2%	16.0%	11.5%	10.3%	17.2%	16.0%
Don't plan to vote	13.4%	16.9%	13.4%	8.2%	12.4%	15.8%	20.0%	12.7%	14.1%	21.2%	5.6%	7.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (797)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (254)

	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	6.2%	3.4%	9.3%	4.5%	1.2%	4.7%	8.8%	6.8%	4.2%	5.9%	8.7%	7.0%	5.5%	4.5%
Very important	33.7%	26.5%	52.2%	36.7%	23.0%	27.5%	55.2%	37.4%	24.1%	35.8%	38.0%	35.8%	35.1%	29.0%
Somewhat important	33.0%	42.9%	27.7%	30.5%	46.8%	40.8%	23.3%	31.2%	37.3%	31.9%	31.5%	25.9%	38.9%	40.0%
Not very important	13.6%	17.9%	6.5%	18.6%	22.1%	19.9%	6.9%	11.8%	16.0%	13.6%	12.5%	10.7%	14.0%	20.7%
Don't plan to vote	13.4%	9.3%	4.4%	9.6%	6.8%	7.1%	5.7%	12.8%	18.4%	12.8%	9.2%	20.6%	6.5%	5.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (122)

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29. Agree with statements about immigration policy

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Arizona's new immigration law interferes with federal law	26.3%	37.3%	23.3%	19.3%	21.7%	45.1%	44.6%	25.7%	26.8%	17.7%	30.3%	38.4%
People should be required to carry documents that prove they are in the country legally	57.1%	35.7%	62.8%	71.3%	61.6%	39.9%	38.0%	55.1%	59.0%	66.0%	48.8%	49.8%
Police should routinely check a person's immigration status when they interact with them	49.9%	26.9%	55.9%	65.6%	55.4%	27.4%	28.6%	47.0%	52.5%	59.4%	42.1%	40.6%
Every person should be required to carry a national ID card proving their citizenship	48.3%	35.4%	53.4%	51.3%	50.0%	43.0%	38.8%	44.8%	51.5%	55.6%	42.7%	40.8%
Totals	(1,000)	(221)	(636)	(143)	(797)	(120)	(83)	(482)	(518)	(418)	(328)	(254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Arizona's new immigration law interferes with federal law	26.3%	43.2%	4.3%	27.8%	57.0%	34.0%	4.9%	23.1%	26.4%	25.3%	30.6%	25.1%	24.3%	31.3%

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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+
People should be required to carry documents that prove they are in the country legally	57.1%	46.4%	72.8%	58.2%	36.5%	51.0%	75.7%	62.1%	56.4%	58.7%	51.2%	60.4%	61.7%	49.8%
Police should routinely check a person's immigration status when they interact with them	49.9%	40.3%	66.4%	49.6%	29.0%	45.7%	69.2%	60.4%	46.9%	50.4%	44.1%	53.3%	57.1%	38.3%
Every person should be required to carry a national ID card proving their citizenship	48.3%	46.1%	54.1%	46.2%	35.3%	48.3%	55.4%	51.3%	50.1%	49.4%	41.9%	50.4%	52.9%	41.7%
Totals	(1,000)	(372)	(231)	(304)	(226)	(317)	(348)	(178)	(241)	(358)	(223)	(383)	(371)	(122)

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30. Disagree with statements about immigration policy

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Arizona's new immigration law interferes with federal law	44.1%	27.1%	47.7%	58.3%	49.3%	20.0%	27.8%	50.4%	38.4%	46.9%	39.4%	44.3%
People should be required to carry documents that prove they are in the country legally	28.0%	43.1%	23.4%	19.7%	24.7%	36.2%	48.9%	31.8%	24.5%	17.0%	36.0%	39.9%
Police should routinely check a person's immigration status when they interact with them	34.1%	54.8%	27.1%	25.0%	29.3%	51.0%	56.1%	39.0%	29.7%	21.0%	45.4%	46.1%
Every person should be required to carry a national ID card proving their citizenship	32.7%	45.2%	27.1%	31.6%	31.6%	35.2%	39.4%	37.4%	28.4%	21.5%	40.7%	44.9%
Totals	(1,000)	(221)	(636)	(143)	(797)	(120)	(83)	(482)	(518)	(418)	(328)	(254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Arizona's new immigration law interferes with federal law	44.1%	26.0%	68.3%	52.7%	21.6%	35.7%	74.4%	50.8%	43.5%	43.1%	41.2%	41.8%	50.3%	44.9%

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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+
People should be required to carry documents that prove they are in the country legally	28.0%	38.8%	13.3%	32.2%	54.5%	34.3%	12.4%	22.6%	29.8%	25.4%	34.8%	21.5%	28.3%	37.7%
Police should routinely check a person's immigration status when they interact with them	34.1%	46.9%	17.2%	36.7%	61.3%	41.1%	16.5%	25.9%	37.2%	31.1%	42.3%	28.4%	32.5%	45.5%
Every person should be required to carry a national ID card proving their citizenship	32.7%	38.9%	28.7%	36.8%	52.3%	34.6%	28.9%	31.1%	31.1%	29.3%	41.7%	26.6%	34.8%	39.3%
Totals	(1,000)	(372)	(231)	(304)	(226)	(317)	(348)	(178)	(241)	(358)	(223)	(383)	(371)	(122)

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31. Satisfaction with public schools nationally

Thinking about the country as a whole, are you generally satisfied with the quality of public schools in this country?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very satisfied	3.4%	5.2%	3.5%	0.5%	3.2%	1.9%	7.9%	2.8%	4.0%	3.9%	3.3%	2.7%
Somewhat satisfied	30.5%	28.3%	31.7%	29.8%	29.6%	31.3%	37.9%	30.2%	30.7%	34.3%	25.3%	29.1%
Somewhat dissatisfied	37.8%	36.4%	38.6%	37.5%	38.1%	43.1%	26.7%	36.5%	39.0%	37.6%	39.6%	36.1%
Very dissatisfied	28.3%	30.1%	26.2%	32.2%	29.0%	23.7%	27.5%	30.5%	26.3%	24.3%	31.7%	32.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (632)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (795)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (81)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very satisfied	3.4%	4.5%	2.6%	3.2%	3.8%	3.8%	2.9%	5.5%	1.4%	4.3%	2.5%	4.8%	2.8%	2.4%
Somewhat satisfied	30.5%	35.2%	25.8%	24.7%	30.9%	30.3%	22.5%	27.4%	36.3%	33.1%	21.6%	30.6%	34.2%	21.8%
Somewhat dissatisfied	37.8%	38.3%	34.3%	39.4%	39.4%	40.2%	34.9%	45.8%	35.6%	34.9%	39.2%	36.4%	36.5%	42.0%
Very dissatisfied	28.3%	22.0%	37.3%	32.8%	25.9%	25.7%	39.7%	21.3%	26.6%	27.8%	36.7%	28.2%	26.5%	33.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (356)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (122)

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32. Race to the Top program

Do you favor or oppose a \$4 billion initiative - also known as Race to the Top - in which federal funds are awarded on a competitive basis to states based on their commitment to education reform and innovation?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly favor	16.9%	20.0%	16.0%	15.0%	14.0%	29.5%	27.2%	17.5%	16.4%	13.2%	22.9%	17.2%
Somewhat favor	29.7%	28.0%	31.4%	26.6%	31.0%	21.2%	28.6%	30.3%	29.2%	26.3%	31.4%	34.4%
Somewhat oppose	13.9%	16.7%	12.5%	13.9%	13.7%	14.1%	14.9%	15.1%	12.8%	12.8%	11.1%	19.2%
Strongly oppose	15.7%	14.6%	15.4%	18.7%	17.1%	12.0%	7.9%	18.4%	13.4%	15.0%	18.1%	14.4%
Not sure	23.8%	20.6%	24.7%	25.8%	24.1%	23.3%	21.4%	18.7%	28.3%	32.7%	16.5%	14.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (140)	100.0% (794)	100.0% (118)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (515)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly favor	16.9%	26.0%	5.1%	18.1%	28.6%	21.4%	9.0%	15.1%	14.3%	19.0%	17.8%	16.9%	15.8%	18.1%
Somewhat favor	29.7%	33.3%	29.4%	33.7%	36.2%	35.9%	27.7%	28.7%	30.9%	25.2%	36.9%	27.2%	32.7%	36.0%
Somewhat oppose	13.9%	11.7%	15.2%	14.0%	14.4%	11.3%	16.1%	17.2%	15.5%	11.2%	14.1%	13.5%	14.1%	14.4%
Strongly oppose	15.7%	6.5%	32.2%	15.5%	7.6%	7.4%	29.3%	20.2%	16.7%	13.9%	14.3%	14.3%	17.3%	16.3%
Not sure	23.8%	22.5%	18.1%	18.6%	13.2%	24.0%	17.9%	18.7%	22.6%	30.7%	16.9%	28.0%	20.1%	15.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (303)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (122)

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33. Support for national education standards

Which statement comes closer to your opinion?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The federal government should set national education standards for schools.	39.8%	40.3%	42.9%	28.8%	37.4%	56.2%	39.3%	39.1%	40.3%	35.5%	44.8%	42.1%
Each state should set its own education standards.	40.2%	33.9%	38.8%	54.5%	42.8%	25.2%	36.7%	45.6%	35.4%	40.3%	39.0%	41.6%
Not sure	20.0%	25.9%	18.3%	16.7%	19.8%	18.6%	24.0%	15.3%	24.2%	24.2%	16.3%	16.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (795)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The federal government should set national education standards for schools.	39.8%	55.4%	22.1%	37.9%	63.6%	46.8%	20.9%	41.9%	39.0%	37.6%	42.7%	38.2%	43.5%	45.4%
Each state should set its own education standards.	40.2%	27.7%	66.0%	42.9%	19.9%	34.8%	66.0%	43.3%	39.1%	39.4%	40.5%	38.3%	43.5%	38.7%
Not sure	20.0%	16.9%	11.9%	19.2%	16.5%	18.4%	13.1%	14.8%	21.8%	23.0%	16.8%	23.5%	13.0%	15.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (122)

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34. Teacher pay tied to student performance

Would you favor or oppose making teachers' salaries be based on their students' performance, such as gains on standardized tests?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Favor strongly	16.8%	9.6%	18.5%	22.4%	17.7%	9.4%	18.7%	18.8%	15.0%	15.7%	14.6%	21.7%
Favor somewhat	27.1%	20.6%	29.8%	28.1%	26.9%	26.7%	29.5%	33.3%	21.5%	24.7%	29.6%	28.7%
Oppose somewhat	22.0%	27.5%	19.4%	22.0%	23.3%	17.4%	15.3%	19.9%	23.8%	19.7%	26.7%	20.8%
Oppose strongly	21.7%	30.5%	19.2%	16.8%	20.7%	30.7%	18.6%	18.4%	24.7%	20.1%	22.1%	24.4%
No opinion	12.4%	11.8%	13.2%	10.8%	11.3%	15.7%	17.8%	9.5%	15.0%	19.8%	6.9%	4.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (796)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor strongly	16.8%	10.6%	24.6%	19.0%	12.9%	14.0%	26.9%	22.1%	17.7%	12.8%	18.5%	13.7%	21.3%	16.2%
Favor somewhat	27.1%	25.1%	29.7%	31.9%	23.3%	30.4%	30.7%	32.8%	25.5%	23.7%	30.3%	27.0%	29.1%	28.8%
Oppose somewhat	22.0%	26.6%	18.7%	23.4%	26.6%	27.6%	15.6%	17.3%	23.1%	24.3%	20.3%	22.3%	22.1%	22.4%
Oppose strongly	21.7%	26.6%	18.4%	20.9%	28.3%	19.7%	19.1%	18.5%	20.5%	23.2%	23.3%	20.1%	19.6%	27.7%
No opinion	12.4%	11.1%	8.6%	4.8%	8.9%	8.3%	7.7%	9.3%	13.2%	16.0%	7.6%	16.9%	7.9%	4.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (122)

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35. Impact of teachers unions on public school quality

Do you think that teachers unions help or hurt the quality of public schools in this country?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Help	11.1%	14.2%	10.6%	8.2%	10.7%	15.6%	8.9%	9.1%	13.0%	10.0%	13.6%	10.4%
Neither help, nor hurt	26.1%	27.8%	26.6%	22.2%	24.1%	31.7%	38.6%	26.1%	26.2%	24.7%	26.6%	28.4%
Hurt	39.1%	22.7%	42.7%	52.4%	44.4%	16.0%	20.0%	47.4%	31.6%	34.1%	40.1%	47.6%
Not sure	23.6%	35.3%	20.2%	17.1%	20.8%	36.7%	32.5%	17.4%	29.2%	31.2%	19.6%	13.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (797)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (482)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (418)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Help	11.1%	18.4%	7.1%	8.3%	17.6%	15.7%	4.3%	9.6%	10.5%	11.2%	12.9%	11.8%	11.0%	12.5%
Neither help, nor hurt	26.1%	33.7%	16.6%	23.0%	30.4%	33.8%	13.2%	28.7%	26.3%	23.9%	27.9%	27.9%	28.1%	21.1%
Hurt	39.1%	19.7%	64.7%	53.2%	19.8%	34.2%	69.9%	42.6%	42.6%	34.4%	40.5%	32.1%	42.3%	51.8%
Not sure	23.6%	28.2%	11.6%	15.5%	32.2%	16.4%	12.5%	19.1%	20.6%	30.5%	18.7%	28.2%	18.6%	14.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (122)

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36. Awareness of oil rig explosion

How much have you heard or read about the recent explosion on an offshore oil rig off the coast of Louisiana that killed 11 workers and resulted in an oil spill of thousands of barrels a day?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A lot	72.0%	62.1%	73.2%	83.4%	76.6%	59.3%	45.2%	76.3%	68.2%	60.7%	79.8%	85.0%
A little	20.0%	25.1%	19.8%	12.7%	17.0%	27.9%	38.2%	18.6%	21.1%	26.4%	17.4%	10.5%
Nothing at all	8.0%	12.8%	7.0%	3.9%	6.4%	12.8%	16.6%	5.0%	10.7%	13.0%	2.8%	4.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (797)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (482)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (418)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A lot	72.0%	71.0%	76.9%	84.4%	81.5%	77.9%	79.6%	77.6%	70.2%	68.6%	75.8%	62.1%	79.6%	87.0%
A little	20.0%	21.5%	19.6%	11.8%	12.1%	17.9%	15.9%	11.9%	21.2%	23.9%	18.0%	27.6%	16.4%	9.6%
Nothing at all	8.0%	7.6%	3.5%	3.8%	6.4%	4.2%	4.4%	10.5%	8.6%	7.6%	6.1%	10.3%	4.0%	3.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (122)

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37. Obama's response to oil spill

Do you approve or disapprove of how President Obama has responded to the oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico? (Asked if respondent is aware of oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	15.4%	15.0%	15.4%	16.0%	12.1%	38.9%	16.4%	14.8%	16.1%	12.0%	19.1%	17.1%
Somewhat approve	18.1%	18.7%	19.7%	12.3%	17.1%	21.8%	24.4%	14.9%	21.2%	14.0%	22.5%	20.2%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	19.2%	29.0%	15.2%	18.1%	18.3%	22.9%	23.4%	17.6%	20.7%	24.2%	17.9%	11.8%
Somewhat disapprove	20.7%	20.5%	21.2%	19.6%	22.2%	7.6%	24.4%	23.6%	17.9%	23.7%	14.5%	22.8%
Strongly disapprove	26.5%	16.7%	28.5%	33.9%	30.3%	8.8%	11.4%	29.1%	24.1%	26.0%	26.0%	28.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (940)	100.0% (197)	100.0% (604)	100.0% (139)	100.0% (760)	100.0% (108)	100.0% (72)	100.0% (467)	100.0% (473)	100.0% (376)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (246)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	15.4%	30.2%	1.8%	11.7%	25.8%	24.7%	3.8%	13.8%	16.5%	14.2%	17.5%	14.4%	14.5%	19.8%
Somewhat approve	18.1%	27.9%	7.4%	17.3%	32.3%	24.2%	6.1%	18.0%	20.4%	16.1%	19.1%	17.3%	20.1%	19.4%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	19.2%	21.1%	14.3%	14.9%	18.0%	17.3%	12.5%	16.6%	17.0%	21.4%	19.8%	22.2%	19.3%	8.1%
Somewhat disapprove	20.7%	12.9%	24.0%	23.8%	16.7%	18.9%	23.7%	21.6%	20.8%	20.5%	20.4%	23.2%	18.2%	26.0%
Strongly disapprove	26.5%	7.9%	52.5%	32.4%	7.2%	14.9%	53.9%	30.0%	25.4%	27.7%	23.2%	23.0%	28.0%	26.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (940)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (293)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (161)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (339)	100.0% (213)	100.0% (352)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (120)

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38. Trust in BP to stop oil spill

How much trust do you have in BP to do the right thing in stopping the oil spill? (Asked if respondent is aware of oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A great deal	7.4%	4.9%	8.6%	7.2%	7.4%	9.1%	5.4%	7.8%	7.1%	7.3%	9.7%	4.8%
Quite a bit	17.6%	12.6%	15.5%	31.4%	17.7%	15.1%	21.2%	21.6%	13.9%	17.3%	16.7%	19.5%
Only some	27.9%	31.6%	27.2%	24.8%	29.3%	19.1%	25.5%	29.3%	26.5%	26.6%	32.4%	24.7%
Very little	24.3%	27.8%	23.9%	20.6%	23.2%	33.5%	22.3%	23.8%	24.7%	23.0%	22.0%	29.4%
None at all	18.8%	18.3%	22.0%	9.7%	19.4%	15.2%	18.5%	16.1%	21.4%	19.8%	15.7%	20.8%
Not sure	4.0%	4.8%	2.8%	6.3%	3.1%	8.0%	7.0%	1.4%	6.4%	6.0%	3.5%	0.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (938)	100.0% (197)	100.0% (603)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (758)	100.0% (108)	100.0% (72)	100.0% (466)	100.0% (472)	100.0% (374)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (246)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A great deal	7.4%	5.5%	10.9%	6.8%	5.5%	5.0%	11.7%	4.2%	9.1%	6.9%	8.8%	8.1%	5.5%	7.3%
Quite a bit	17.6%	13.4%	31.9%	15.8%	11.0%	11.8%	31.0%	16.0%	17.6%	18.1%	18.2%	16.9%	19.1%	16.2%
Only some	27.9%	26.0%	30.4%	27.5%	22.8%	29.2%	27.3%	32.9%	31.4%	21.2%	31.5%	28.3%	27.3%	28.8%
Very little	24.3%	28.8%	16.9%	26.5%	33.8%	25.4%	17.2%	22.6%	17.3%	32.3%	19.8%	23.4%	27.0%	22.4%
None at all	18.8%	20.7%	8.0%	21.4%	24.5%	25.7%	9.5%	21.2%	21.4%	14.8%	20.9%	17.1%	18.8%	25.3%
Not sure	4.0%	5.7%	1.9%	2.1%	2.4%	2.9%	3.2%	3.1%	3.2%	6.7%	0.7%	6.2%	2.3%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (938)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (161)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (337)	100.0% (213)	100.0% (351)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (120)

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39. Trust in BP to clean up oil spill

How much trust do you have in BP to do the right thing in cleaning up the oil spill? (Asked if respondent is aware of oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A great deal	7.1%	5.0%	6.9%	10.2%	6.2%	13.6%	6.4%	7.1%	7.1%	7.4%	8.5%	4.7%
Quite a bit	17.6%	14.7%	16.6%	24.9%	16.6%	19.1%	27.2%	19.4%	16.0%	18.6%	17.9%	15.8%
Only some	27.3%	28.2%	26.3%	29.1%	29.0%	18.4%	21.4%	30.6%	24.2%	24.5%	30.3%	28.7%
Very little	25.5%	28.6%	25.6%	20.7%	26.0%	26.3%	18.6%	22.2%	28.7%	25.2%	23.1%	28.8%
None at all	19.2%	19.4%	22.4%	9.2%	19.7%	16.7%	18.1%	19.1%	19.3%	19.2%	17.9%	20.9%
Not sure	3.3%	4.0%	2.2%	5.8%	2.5%	5.9%	8.3%	1.7%	4.8%	5.2%	2.3%	1.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (940)	100.0% (197)	100.0% (604)	100.0% (139)	100.0% (760)	100.0% (108)	100.0% (72)	100.0% (467)	100.0% (473)	100.0% (376)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (246)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A great deal	7.1%	6.7%	9.7%	5.4%	6.9%	4.4%	10.4%	7.1%	9.5%	5.2%	7.5%	8.8%	6.0%	3.0%
Quite a bit	17.6%	13.9%	28.9%	16.2%	9.6%	11.4%	29.3%	9.3%	15.2%	22.1%	19.1%	19.2%	16.8%	13.9%
Only some	27.3%	22.5%	32.2%	29.0%	22.6%	29.0%	29.1%	26.6%	30.0%	26.1%	26.7%	26.5%	29.5%	25.6%
Very little	25.5%	31.2%	17.7%	25.9%	33.2%	28.1%	18.7%	37.4%	22.5%	24.2%	21.9%	23.6%	27.7%	31.4%
None at all	19.2%	22.1%	9.6%	21.4%	26.8%	24.9%	9.6%	16.5%	20.9%	16.8%	23.6%	17.2%	17.9%	26.0%
Not sure	3.3%	3.7%	1.9%	2.3%	0.9%	2.1%	2.9%	3.1%	1.9%	5.5%	1.1%	4.7%	2.2%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (940)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (293)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (161)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (339)	100.0% (213)	100.0% (352)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (120)

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40. Trust in government to stop oil spill

How much trust do you have in the federal government to make sure the oil spill is stopped? (Asked if respondent is aware of oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A great deal	10.5%	8.4%	10.9%	12.4%	8.1%	28.6%	10.2%	10.1%	11.0%	8.7%	13.2%	10.6%
Quite a bit	20.3%	23.7%	19.3%	18.9%	18.9%	24.2%	29.4%	21.0%	19.6%	19.3%	21.5%	20.6%
Only some	28.5%	30.6%	28.8%	24.8%	28.8%	24.1%	31.8%	27.1%	29.9%	27.8%	30.3%	27.5%
Very little	21.7%	21.9%	20.0%	26.9%	23.3%	15.4%	13.6%	22.5%	21.0%	22.8%	18.7%	23.4%
None at all	14.6%	12.4%	16.6%	11.6%	16.6%	5.9%	6.0%	17.4%	12.0%	15.4%	12.1%	16.3%
Not sure	4.3%	2.9%	4.5%	5.5%	4.2%	1.7%	9.0%	1.9%	6.5%	6.0%	4.0%	1.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (939)	100.0% (197)	100.0% (603)	100.0% (139)	100.0% (759)	100.0% (108)	100.0% (72)	100.0% (466)	100.0% (473)	100.0% (376)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (245)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A great deal	10.5%	19.1%	3.3%	7.9%	20.0%	11.9%	3.4%	7.2%	7.2%	12.6%	13.3%	10.4%	9.2%	10.2%
Quite a bit	20.3%	29.3%	13.8%	16.2%	29.7%	29.2%	9.2%	18.8%	21.7%	20.1%	20.2%	18.2%	23.2%	22.7%
Only some	28.5%	30.8%	24.2%	30.3%	26.5%	28.7%	28.2%	35.0%	29.7%	25.3%	27.6%	31.9%	27.4%	24.1%
Very little	21.7%	12.4%	32.2%	23.4%	13.8%	17.5%	32.0%	21.3%	21.2%	21.9%	22.6%	19.2%	25.6%	25.4%
None at all	14.6%	4.4%	24.6%	19.0%	6.1%	10.7%	24.7%	14.3%	17.0%	12.9%	15.1%	14.1%	12.3%	16.8%
Not sure	4.3%	4.1%	1.9%	3.4%	3.9%	1.9%	2.5%	3.4%	3.2%	7.1%	1.2%	6.3%	2.3%	0.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (939)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (293)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (161)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (339)	100.0% (212)	100.0% (351)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (120)

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41. Trust in government to clean up oil spill

How much trust do you have in the federal government to make sure the oil spill is cleaned up? (Asked if respondent is aware of oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A great deal	10.9%	9.1%	12.4%	8.6%	8.4%	26.6%	14.2%	9.8%	11.9%	9.3%	15.1%	8.5%
Quite a bit	19.5%	21.6%	17.8%	21.7%	18.3%	22.3%	28.0%	19.7%	19.3%	17.6%	22.0%	19.7%
Only some	31.3%	34.9%	29.1%	33.6%	31.7%	28.8%	30.8%	30.8%	31.9%	29.9%	29.3%	36.3%
Very little	20.8%	20.2%	20.0%	24.3%	22.4%	16.3%	10.8%	21.7%	20.1%	24.0%	18.2%	18.4%
None at all	14.3%	12.4%	16.9%	9.1%	16.2%	5.1%	7.9%	16.9%	11.9%	14.5%	12.5%	16.3%
Not sure	3.1%	1.8%	3.9%	2.7%	3.0%	1.0%	8.3%	1.1%	5.0%	4.7%	2.8%	0.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (938)	100.0% (197)	100.0% (602)	100.0% (139)	100.0% (760)	100.0% (107)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (466)	100.0% (472)	100.0% (374)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (246)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A great deal	10.9%	19.8%	4.6%	6.7%	20.9%	11.9%	3.8%	8.9%	8.1%	13.2%	11.4%	12.9%	10.5%	8.0%
Quite a bit	19.5%	27.4%	13.6%	16.7%	24.9%	28.8%	10.7%	14.3%	25.7%	16.8%	21.0%	16.7%	21.0%	19.3%
Only some	31.3%	33.3%	30.3%	31.5%	34.4%	28.3%	32.1%	40.3%	27.6%	28.4%	34.0%	34.1%	28.2%	39.8%
Very little	20.8%	12.4%	25.1%	24.8%	11.6%	18.7%	26.7%	19.9%	20.9%	23.7%	16.6%	18.9%	26.0%	14.9%
None at all	14.3%	4.3%	24.6%	17.8%	6.5%	10.6%	24.5%	13.5%	15.8%	12.6%	16.4%	11.5%	12.8%	17.2%
Not sure	3.1%	2.8%	1.9%	2.5%	1.7%	1.7%	2.1%	3.1%	1.9%	5.4%	0.7%	6.0%	1.5%	0.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (938)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (160)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (339)	100.0% (213)	100.0% (352)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (120)

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42. Likely outcomes from oil spill

In the next few years, how likely is it that: (Asked if respondent is aware of oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
BP will go bankrupt	25.3%	26.5%	27.2%	17.6%	25.6%	20.5%	29.6%	21.3%	28.9%	21.5%	29.5%	27.8%
Off shore oil drilling will resume at previous levels or more	58.8%	54.4%	58.2%	67.1%	61.1%	53.1%	43.7%	63.8%	54.3%	52.7%	63.2%	65.4%
The spill will be cleaned up successfully	42.5%	40.9%	39.5%	54.8%	42.8%	47.6%	32.4%	47.5%	38.1%	38.3%	49.9%	42.1%
Totals	(1,000)	(221)	(636)	(143)	(797)	(120)	(83)	(482)	(518)	(418)	(328)	(254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
BP will go bankrupt	25.3%	22.3%	35.7%	23.4%	22.1%	22.3%	35.0%	26.1%	23.0%	24.2%	29.4%	24.6%	30.4%	20.0%
Off shore oil drilling will resume at previous levels or more	58.8%	60.7%	58.2%	64.2%	69.5%	66.9%	54.3%	58.6%	59.1%	59.2%	57.7%	54.0%	64.1%	70.0%
The spill will be cleaned up successfully	42.5%	39.9%	52.0%	43.9%	36.7%	41.5%	56.1%	39.2%	43.2%	45.1%	39.9%	40.3%	50.2%	32.6%
Totals	(1,000)	(372)	(231)	(304)	(226)	(317)	(348)	(178)	(241)	(358)	(223)	(383)	(371)	(122)

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43. Unlikely outcomes from oil spill

In the next few years, how likely is it that: (Asked if respondent is aware of oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
BP will go bankrupt	43.8%	40.1%	42.5%	53.9%	45.6%	44.9%	24.4%	52.9%	35.7%	36.7%	48.8%	51.9%
Off shore oil drilling will resume at previous levels or more	16.0%	16.1%	16.8%	13.3%	17.1%	11.3%	12.8%	16.3%	15.8%	13.2%	17.6%	19.7%
The spill will be cleaned up successfully	33.7%	33.5%	37.8%	20.6%	34.9%	26.2%	32.9%	32.9%	34.4%	29.4%	34.5%	40.9%
Totals	(1,000)	(221)	(636)	(143)	(797)	(120)	(83)	(482)	(518)	(418)	(328)	(254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
BP will go bankrupt	43.8%	46.4%	38.8%	52.8%	54.5%	50.7%	39.7%	42.6%	46.9%	42.2%	44.2%	37.5%	48.7%	56.8%
Off shore oil drilling will resume at previous levels or more	16.0%	11.3%	23.8%	19.2%	15.6%	12.6%	25.0%	14.8%	17.2%	13.0%	20.9%	13.4%	17.3%	19.4%
The spill will be cleaned up successfully	33.7%	37.1%	29.6%	36.9%	45.1%	36.0%	27.5%	36.8%	33.2%	30.8%	36.8%	29.8%	34.8%	49.1%
Totals	(1,000)	(372)	(231)	(304)	(226)	(317)	(348)	(178)	(241)	(358)	(223)	(383)	(371)	(122)

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44. 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	29.4%	19.9%	30.3%	41.1%	34.4%	8.0%	11.8%	33.2%	26.0%	25.6%	32.1%	33.7%
Liberal	20.4%	31.7%	18.2%	10.4%	17.6%	34.7%	27.6%	21.8%	19.2%	16.8%	23.8%	23.4%
Moderate	24.7%	26.1%	23.8%	25.6%	24.6%	24.4%	26.7%	23.2%	26.0%	19.2%	28.3%	31.3%
Conservative	3.0%	3.1%	2.5%	4.5%	2.6%	5.7%	3.5%	2.5%	3.5%	3.4%	3.4%	1.9%
Very conservative	1.8%	1.3%	2.4%	0.5%	1.1%	5.2%	3.1%	1.3%	2.2%	2.9%	0.5%	1.1%
Not sure	20.6%	18.0%	22.7%	18.0%	19.8%	21.9%	27.4%	18.0%	23.0%	32.1%	11.9%	8.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (797)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (482)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (418)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	29.4%	6.5%	70.7%	37.8%	4.3%	15.6%	74.8%	27.9%	31.9%	27.4%	31.2%	23.4%	32.6%	41.3%
Liberal	20.4%	33.5%	11.7%	17.6%	37.7%	25.4%	8.9%	22.4%	16.5%	19.6%	24.9%	16.9%	24.7%	19.7%
Moderate	24.7%	36.9%	8.0%	31.3%	43.8%	41.9%	5.0%	22.8%	21.8%	26.6%	26.4%	23.3%	27.1%	28.2%
Conservative	3.0%	3.8%	0.8%	4.1%	2.7%	3.2%	3.2%	5.5%	4.5%	1.6%	1.8%	3.7%	2.5%	1.6%
Very conservative	1.8%	2.9%	0.6%	0.4%	2.4%	1.5%	1.5%	2.0%	0.6%	2.2%	2.3%	2.4%	1.2%	0.0%
Not sure	20.6%	16.5%	8.2%	8.8%	9.0%	12.5%	6.6%	19.4%	24.7%	22.6%	13.4%	30.2%	11.9%	9.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (122)

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45. 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	47.3%	51.9%	48.2%	37.6%	41.0%	82.1%	59.8%	41.2%	52.8%	43.8%	50.4%	50.6%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	52.7%	48.1%	51.8%	62.4%	59.0%	17.9%	40.2%	58.8%	47.2%	56.2%	49.6%	49.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (632)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (794)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (414)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (254)

	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	47.3%	74.2%	14.8%	39.7%	79.7%	57.9%	19.9%	46.8%	47.2%	49.2%	44.7%	49.1%	45.0%	48.0%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	52.7%	25.8%	85.2%	60.3%	20.3%	42.1%	80.1%	53.2%	52.8%	50.8%	55.3%	50.9%	55.0%	52.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (303)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (121)

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46. 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%	46.0%	36.4%	30.7%	31.5%	79.2%	40.9%	32.6%	42.8%	31.8%	45.9%	40.5%
Like somewhat	26.5%	26.1%	27.5%	24.1%	28.0%	12.2%	33.6%	31.5%	22.1%	28.8%	21.8%	27.7%
Dislike	24.2%	16.5%	25.6%	31.4%	29.2%	1.4%	9.1%	25.0%	23.5%	24.2%	24.8%	23.6%
Not sure	11.3%	11.4%	10.5%	13.8%	11.4%	7.3%	16.4%	10.9%	11.6%	15.2%	7.6%	8.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (796)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (254)

	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%	69.1%	4.1%	34.7%	71.6%	51.4%	9.2%	39.6%	35.0%	38.4%	39.3%	38.2%	36.4%	42.8%
Like somewhat	26.5%	20.4%	29.4%	27.4%	20.5%	28.4%	24.8%	24.8%	27.7%	26.3%	26.9%	27.8%	28.6%	24.9%
Dislike	24.2%	4.3%	55.9%	26.8%	2.8%	12.1%	51.8%	25.1%	24.5%	25.4%	21.1%	22.3%	26.6%	22.2%
Not sure	11.3%	6.2%	10.6%	11.1%	5.0%	8.0%	14.2%	10.6%	12.7%	9.9%	12.7%	11.8%	8.4%	10.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (122)

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47. 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	32.7%	36.4%	30.9%	33.2%	29.2%	61.5%	25.4%	27.8%	37.1%	23.2%	43.3%	38.7%
Intelligent	62.4%	63.3%	62.9%	59.5%	60.1%	83.5%	54.5%	61.6%	63.2%	53.5%	73.0%	67.3%
Religious	17.3%	16.5%	18.7%	14.2%	14.0%	34.6%	24.5%	18.5%	16.3%	18.7%	18.3%	13.5%
Inspiring	37.2%	51.5%	34.0%	26.1%	32.5%	67.4%	39.7%	36.2%	38.1%	26.6%	48.4%	44.6%
Patriotic	29.7%	32.2%	28.3%	30.5%	27.3%	44.8%	30.6%	29.1%	30.2%	23.4%	34.9%	35.8%
Strong	33.9%	38.2%	34.0%	27.0%	29.5%	63.9%	33.2%	29.3%	38.0%	30.0%	39.8%	34.4%
Bold	32.7%	37.0%	32.2%	27.8%	31.2%	42.5%	33.4%	32.3%	33.1%	30.2%	34.8%	35.2%
Experienced	13.1%	14.8%	13.6%	8.8%	10.6%	32.3%	9.5%	9.6%	16.2%	14.0%	13.5%	10.8%
Sincere	36.9%	40.0%	36.1%	34.6%	33.3%	64.6%	31.3%	31.4%	41.9%	28.9%	45.0%	42.9%
Partisan	26.1%	21.6%	26.8%	30.6%	27.0%	22.2%	22.8%	33.9%	19.1%	23.8%	25.7%	31.1%
Effective	21.9%	27.3%	20.7%	17.4%	18.1%	49.1%	18.8%	20.3%	23.3%	17.1%	29.0%	22.8%
Unifying	16.8%	25.3%	15.2%	9.0%	13.9%	39.2%	12.2%	13.9%	19.4%	14.7%	20.0%	17.1%
In Touch	27.1%	32.0%	25.6%	24.5%	23.4%	53.4%	24.9%	22.8%	30.9%	23.9%	33.2%	26.1%
Realistic	30.2%	33.9%	31.8%	19.4%	27.6%	55.1%	18.6%	26.6%	33.4%	23.5%	39.8%	31.8%
Decisive	23.2%	25.5%	22.3%	22.9%	21.1%	38.6%	21.4%	18.8%	27.2%	20.9%	27.8%	22.4%
Totals	(1,000)	(221)	(636)	(143)	(797)	(120)	(83)	(482)	(518)	(418)	(328)	(254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Honest	32.7%	58.8%	5.2%	28.0%	63.5%	45.8%	7.4%	33.0%	35.6%	32.6%	29.4%	30.6%	32.7%	38.5%
Intelligent	62.4%	82.2%	42.9%	61.4%	87.8%	77.9%	44.9%	59.9%	66.2%	59.6%	65.1%	58.2%	66.4%	71.8%
Religious	17.3%	27.4%	2.5%	12.8%	24.8%	18.2%	5.2%	15.3%	16.9%	19.5%	15.6%	17.3%	16.1%	16.0%
Inspiring	37.2%	59.4%	11.8%	36.2%	69.2%	51.2%	14.1%	37.9%	38.1%	34.4%	40.6%	32.4%	39.5%	44.5%
Patriotic	29.7%	49.2%	8.2%	27.7%	58.1%	38.9%	7.6%	28.0%	30.3%	29.3%	31.1%	28.5%	30.2%	37.0%
Strong	33.9%	56.3%	11.2%	27.4%	58.7%	43.4%	12.5%	38.5%	29.7%	33.1%	36.3%	34.4%	32.5%	35.5%
Bold	32.7%	40.2%	26.0%	30.7%	42.8%	37.5%	25.5%	32.5%	35.2%	34.1%	27.3%	32.2%	31.6%	30.1%
Experienced	13.1%	26.7%	1.2%	6.4%	19.7%	18.1%	4.4%	14.7%	11.9%	14.6%	10.5%	14.8%	10.9%	7.9%
Sincere	36.9%	64.8%	7.0%	33.0%	72.0%	49.4%	10.8%	36.7%	34.6%	38.2%	37.6%	31.4%	40.4%	47.2%
Partisan	26.1%	15.4%	40.1%	36.7%	12.9%	19.4%	52.8%	24.2%	27.4%	26.6%	25.3%	21.3%	26.6%	35.1%
Effective	21.9%	41.2%	5.5%	16.2%	42.1%	28.6%	7.9%	24.3%	21.2%	19.9%	24.1%	22.2%	20.4%	24.8%
Unifying	16.8%	29.8%	3.5%	12.8%	30.7%	22.9%	6.2%	17.0%	15.8%	17.5%	16.6%	15.3%	16.2%	14.3%
In Touch	27.1%	50.1%	3.9%	21.7%	50.4%	39.6%	4.8%	31.3%	26.1%	27.9%	23.4%	27.6%	26.0%	25.7%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Realistic	30.2%	51.8%	6.4%	25.6%	53.2%	42.2%	9.9%	33.4%	32.6%	29.0%	26.8%	30.1%	29.3%	36.7%
Decisive	23.2%	39.9%	4.4%	21.2%	42.9%	28.8%	8.7%	25.7%	22.9%	22.8%	22.5%	25.2%	19.6%	20.8%
Totals	(1,000)	(372)	(231)	(304)	(226)	(317)	(348)	(178)	(241)	(358)	(223)	(383)	(371)	(122)

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48. 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	29.4%	33.6%	28.3%	26.7%	25.3%	55.8%	31.7%	31.4%	27.7%	22.5%	37.2%	34.0%
Off on the wrong track	56.0%	45.0%	58.8%	63.4%	63.2%	17.5%	41.0%	60.5%	51.9%	57.9%	51.7%	57.0%
Not sure	14.6%	21.4%	12.9%	9.8%	11.5%	26.7%	27.3%	8.1%	20.4%	19.6%	11.1%	9.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (792)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (513)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (254)

	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	29.4%	51.9%	7.3%	26.5%	52.8%	44.2%	7.8%	28.2%	28.3%	28.4%	33.5%	28.6%	32.4%	34.2%
Off on the wrong track	56.0%	30.2%	87.6%	65.3%	30.8%	44.9%	86.9%	57.1%	58.6%	54.9%	53.9%	53.9%	58.8%	58.9%
Not sure	14.6%	17.9%	5.1%	8.2%	16.4%	10.9%	5.2%	14.7%	13.1%	16.7%	12.5%	17.5%	8.7%	7.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (379)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (122)

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49. Approval of U.S. Congress

Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that the United States 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	1.8%	2.3%	2.1%	0.0%	1.2%	5.0%	3.2%	1.4%	2.2%	2.4%	1.4%	1.1%
Somewhat approve	9.6%	13.2%	10.0%	2.7%	8.7%	15.3%	10.0%	10.4%	8.9%	6.0%	11.8%	14.0%
Neither approve nor disapprove	15.1%	17.0%	16.6%	7.4%	11.8%	30.4%	25.2%	11.7%	18.1%	18.6%	13.6%	10.1%
Somewhat disapprove	19.7%	19.8%	20.4%	17.0%	20.0%	21.0%	14.6%	20.5%	18.9%	18.3%	22.2%	19.4%
Strongly disapprove	42.9%	26.6%	43.0%	67.4%	48.1%	17.4%	29.1%	48.5%	38.0%	38.4%	42.0%	53.0%
Not sure	10.9%	21.1%	7.8%	5.5%	10.2%	10.9%	17.9%	7.5%	13.9%	16.3%	9.0%	2.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (797)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (418)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (253)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	1.8%	4.0%	0.2%	1.1%	1.8%	2.8%	0.7%	2.7%	0.6%	0.6%	4.6%	2.1%	2.4%	0.5%
Somewhat approve	9.6%	17.0%	3.0%	7.2%	22.2%	9.5%	2.9%	13.5%	7.3%	9.2%	9.9%	10.2%	11.0%	9.9%
Neither approve nor disapprove	15.1%	21.8%	6.5%	8.0%	14.1%	17.3%	6.4%	10.5%	17.5%	18.7%	9.4%	20.5%	14.0%	9.8%
Somewhat disapprove	19.7%	26.3%	16.3%	17.7%	27.6%	23.2%	14.3%	17.7%	18.8%	22.5%	17.4%	19.3%	20.0%	15.5%
Strongly disapprove	42.9%	22.9%	65.6%	58.8%	25.8%	39.0%	70.3%	47.7%	43.3%	38.2%	47.1%	34.1%	47.0%	61.9%
Not sure	10.9%	7.9%	8.3%	7.1%	8.3%	8.1%	5.4%	7.9%	12.5%	10.7%	11.6%	13.9%	5.6%	2.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (121)

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50. 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	29.4%	17.9%	31.1%	41.4%	34.6%	3.9%	15.5%	34.0%	25.2%	27.8%	28.3%	33.6%
Lean Republican	6.9%	8.6%	6.3%	6.3%	8.2%	1.9%	1.1%	7.8%	6.0%	6.1%	6.6%	8.7%
Lean Democrat	7.0%	9.3%	6.9%	3.6%	6.4%	9.1%	8.9%	6.7%	7.2%	8.1%	8.0%	3.6%
Democrat	39.2%	46.1%	37.3%	34.7%	34.4%	70.2%	40.8%	36.9%	41.3%	32.7%	44.4%	45.5%
Not Sure	17.6%	18.1%	18.5%	13.9%	16.4%	15.0%	33.7%	14.6%	20.3%	25.4%	12.7%	8.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (987)	100.0% (216)	100.0% (631)	100.0% (140)	100.0% (788)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (80)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (508)	100.0% (410)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Republican	29.4%	1.7%	82.6%	34.2%	0.6%	14.9%	71.8%	27.6%	30.9%	28.9%	29.9%	24.3%	34.0%	37.4%
Lean Republican	6.9%	1.5%	9.9%	8.8%	2.8%	7.0%	9.2%	6.4%	7.4%	5.8%	8.7%	5.2%	7.7%	12.7%
Lean Democrat	7.0%	10.0%	0.6%	8.0%	7.5%	8.6%	2.3%	5.2%	10.8%	7.6%	2.8%	9.4%	3.7%	4.5%
Democrat	39.2%	80.5%	3.4%	28.9%	80.0%	55.5%	9.1%	45.2%	34.0%	38.0%	42.4%	36.7%	41.2%	40.4%
Not Sure	17.6%	6.3%	3.5%	20.0%	9.1%	14.0%	7.7%	15.6%	16.9%	19.7%	16.3%	24.3%	13.5%	5.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (987)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (303)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (236)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (380)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (121)

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51. 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	19.0%	22.4%	17.9%	17.4%	17.8%	30.5%	14.7%	21.6%	16.7%	13.2%	24.6%	23.8%
About the same	38.4%	45.0%	37.1%	32.8%	37.5%	40.6%	44.2%	36.6%	40.0%	36.9%	37.4%	42.5%
Getting worse	36.0%	21.0%	39.9%	45.9%	40.1%	16.1%	24.3%	36.7%	35.3%	38.7%	33.7%	33.3%
Not sure	6.6%	11.6%	5.1%	3.9%	4.6%	12.7%	16.9%	5.1%	8.0%	11.2%	4.3%	0.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (797)	100.0% (118)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (482)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (418)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (254)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Getting better	19.0%	32.3%	7.0%	18.3%	36.5%	28.7%	6.5%	17.2%	15.2%	19.5%	24.0%	14.7%	22.8%	25.3%
About the same	38.4%	43.5%	37.3%	39.2%	42.3%	43.4%	33.8%	41.7%	44.8%	34.8%	34.8%	39.7%	37.3%	40.3%
Getting worse	36.0%	20.6%	52.9%	39.1%	18.7%	25.6%	56.2%	36.7%	34.3%	37.2%	35.3%	34.4%	37.8%	33.5%
Not sure	6.6%	3.6%	2.8%	3.5%	2.6%	2.3%	3.6%	4.4%	5.7%	8.6%	5.9%	11.2%	2.0%	0.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (122)

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52. 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	23.8%	28.4%	21.8%	23.3%	23.8%	29.6%	15.2%	29.3%	18.8%	17.5%	29.5%	29.2%
About the same	33.2%	28.7%	34.3%	36.2%	33.8%	24.6%	38.8%	35.3%	31.3%	30.6%	30.9%	40.7%
Lower	22.1%	15.5%	25.5%	21.3%	23.9%	12.3%	18.4%	24.0%	20.5%	23.0%	24.2%	18.2%
Not sure	20.9%	27.4%	18.5%	19.3%	18.5%	33.6%	27.6%	11.4%	29.5%	28.8%	15.4%	11.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (795)	100.0% (117)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (481)	100.0% (514)	100.0% (417)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Higher	23.8%	32.6%	15.5%	27.8%	39.8%	30.4%	15.2%	25.0%	24.1%	24.4%	21.2%	18.2%	28.5%	30.8%
About the same	33.2%	32.7%	37.6%	32.0%	27.5%	34.7%	36.6%	32.0%	34.3%	27.9%	42.0%	33.3%	34.4%	40.9%
Lower	22.1%	13.1%	33.8%	24.3%	11.7%	18.5%	34.8%	22.4%	19.0%	26.2%	18.3%	21.8%	21.3%	21.3%
Not sure	20.9%	21.6%	13.1%	15.8%	21.0%	16.4%	13.4%	20.5%	22.5%	21.5%	18.4%	26.7%	15.7%	7.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (304)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (357)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (122)

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53. 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	13.4%	21.3%	12.5%	3.9%	11.3%	27.6%	12.8%	14.7%	12.1%	9.6%	14.6%	19.3%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	45.6%	49.6%	42.4%	49.8%	47.0%	37.0%	44.0%	51.0%	40.8%	43.1%	45.6%	50.4%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	36.3%	21.9%	41.0%	43.2%	38.5%	25.3%	31.0%	31.3%	40.9%	40.9%	35.2%	28.9%
Not sure	4.7%	7.2%	4.0%	3.0%	3.2%	10.1%	12.2%	3.0%	6.2%	6.5%	4.6%	1.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (991)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (631)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (792)	100.0% (117)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (512)	100.0% (412)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (253)

	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	13.4%	19.3%	10.3%	11.9%	19.7%	13.9%	12.0%	12.3%	9.4%	14.3%	17.1%	11.1%	16.1%	19.1%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	45.6%	48.0%	46.3%	49.2%	49.0%	49.3%	45.8%	45.8%	45.7%	45.5%	45.7%	41.8%	46.3%	47.8%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	36.3%	29.6%	41.4%	36.1%	28.0%	34.4%	40.6%	41.7%	40.3%	33.6%	32.3%	39.7%	36.0%	32.3%
Not sure	4.7%	3.0%	2.1%	2.8%	3.3%	2.4%	1.6%	0.3%	4.6%	6.6%	4.9%	7.4%	1.6%	0.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (991)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (302)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (175)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (355)	100.0% (221)	100.0% (378)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (122)

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Interviewing Dates	July 31-August 3, 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 0.5 to 2.6, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.6.
Number of respondents	1,000
Margin of error	± 3.6% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	30 questions not reported.