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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	43.5%	45.3%	43.2%	42.0%	41.4%	62.8%	38.6%	46.1%	41.3%	36.5%	44.6%	56.5%
The economy	31.7%	35.7%	31.5%	26.4%	27.3%	56.0%	39.4%	32.2%	31.3%	25.3%	33.2%	43.0%
Immigration	29.9%	35.7%	28.6%	25.5%	26.5%	53.8%	29.4%	29.7%	30.1%	26.6%	31.0%	35.3%
The environment	40.9%	46.2%	39.6%	37.3%	37.7%	62.1%	42.0%	41.1%	40.7%	37.3%	41.7%	47.2%
Terrorism	38.2%	42.1%	38.8%	29.5%	34.7%	63.1%	37.4%	40.3%	36.3%	31.8%	39.7%	49.4%
Gay rights	30.6%	32.2%	30.7%	27.8%	29.2%	39.1%	31.9%	29.5%	31.6%	25.1%	37.1%	34.8%
Education	41.9%	47.9%	39.4%	41.8%	37.8%	65.1%	47.9%	38.4%	45.0%	37.1%	43.9%	49.4%
Health care	39.1%	47.3%	37.7%	31.4%	34.0%	69.2%	45.5%	37.6%	40.5%	31.2%	42.5%	51.4%
Social security	31.0%	31.4%	31.2%	29.4%	26.8%	51.1%	41.2%	29.6%	32.2%	25.8%	30.8%	41.7%
The budget deficit	28.7%	32.2%	28.2%	25.1%	24.9%	48.9%	35.9%	28.4%	29.0%	23.4%	31.1%	36.8%
The war in Afghanistan	35.8%	39.7%	34.2%	35.7%	33.6%	50.9%	35.9%	36.4%	35.3%	32.2%	37.0%	41.7%
Taxes	33.5%	39.2%	31.5%	32.0%	29.4%	56.7%	40.3%	33.0%	34.0%	25.7%	38.0%	44.5%
Totals	(1,000)	(225)	(637)	(138)	(729)	(104)	(167)	(475)	(525)	(432)	(324)	(244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The war in Iraq	43.5%	65.1%	25.9%	43.9%	71.2%	55.3%	24.5%	48.1%	47.1%	40.9%	40.2%	41.6%	45.5%	49.7%
The economy	31.7%	59.5%	4.3%	27.6%	69.6%	39.8%	5.4%	32.9%	34.5%	28.8%	32.5%	32.4%	30.4%	38.1%
Immigration	29.9%	52.1%	5.3%	25.9%	58.7%	39.4%	4.8%	29.8%	35.7%	27.3%	27.5%	29.6%	33.1%	29.1%
The environment	40.9%	65.0%	15.3%	37.9%	68.2%	53.3%	14.0%	39.9%	44.3%	39.6%	39.7%	40.6%	41.9%	47.1%
Terrorism	38.2%	66.3%	8.6%	33.3%	73.5%	47.6%	10.3%	40.6%	39.2%	35.8%	39.2%	38.3%	39.1%	40.8%
Gay rights	30.6%	47.3%	8.7%	32.0%	52.6%	42.5%	10.7%	32.0%	35.4%	26.6%	30.6%	27.4%	32.3%	39.9%
Education	41.9%	67.6%	17.9%	39.4%	71.4%	58.2%	13.6%	42.3%	46.1%	42.3%	35.9%	40.3%	43.1%	45.3%
Health care	39.1%	69.9%	9.3%	36.7%	79.5%	52.3%	9.4%	38.7%	42.8%	37.2%	38.2%	37.6%	42.7%	40.8%
Social security	31.0%	56.1%	6.8%	27.1%	57.8%	45.2%	6.7%	30.7%	36.8%	28.4%	28.7%	29.8%	31.2%	37.5%
The budget deficit	28.7%	54.4%	5.2%	24.4%	60.0%	38.6%	5.2%	29.9%	31.6%	26.3%	28.3%	28.2%	28.1%	37.5%
The war in Afghanistan	35.8%	53.0%	22.7%	32.4%	54.4%	43.5%	22.6%	40.7%	38.1%	33.9%	32.7%	33.8%	36.9%	44.5%
Taxes	33.5%	61.4%	6.1%	30.8%	66.9%	46.0%	6.7%	31.5%	36.3%	31.8%	34.8%	32.1%	34.1%	38.8%
Totals	(1,000)	(371)	(242)	(271)	(220)	(325)	(331)	(168)	(235)	(367)	(230)	(415)	(362)	(125)

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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	79.6%	76.0%	80.2%	83.3%	82.2%	68.6%	72.1%	76.3%	82.6%	80.0%	77.9%	80.8%
The economy	96.2%	91.3%	97.3%	100.0%	96.9%	98.7%	88.1%	96.1%	96.4%	95.4%	96.1%	98.2%
Immigration	82.6%	74.2%	84.4%	89.1%	83.3%	80.4%	79.8%	81.5%	83.6%	84.3%	81.7%	80.2%
The environment	83.4%	83.4%	83.6%	82.4%	83.4%	87.3%	79.0%	79.9%	86.4%	83.1%	84.2%	83.0%
Terrorism	85.6%	75.9%	87.6%	93.4%	86.1%	85.1%	82.2%	82.7%	88.2%	88.0%	84.1%	82.4%
Gay rights	50.3%	59.4%	47.2%	47.7%	51.7%	40.5%	50.3%	45.6%	54.5%	46.0%	52.7%	56.4%
Education	89.1%	86.3%	89.8%	90.9%	90.1%	87.7%	82.8%	87.8%	90.3%	88.5%	88.6%	90.8%
Health care	93.5%	87.6%	95.5%	95.6%	94.5%	91.4%	87.9%	92.4%	94.6%	92.0%	93.3%	96.9%
Social security	90.3%	77.6%	93.8%	97.8%	91.6%	86.2%	85.2%	88.7%	91.8%	91.9%	88.3%	89.2%
The budget deficit	88.2%	81.2%	89.7%	93.7%	89.7%	85.7%	79.1%	87.3%	89.0%	88.8%	86.8%	88.5%
The war in Afghanistan	81.9%	77.0%	83.1%	85.2%	84.7%	69.6%	73.5%	79.6%	84.0%	81.7%	80.5%	83.7%
Taxes	90.6%	84.8%	91.8%	95.5%	92.1%	89.7%	79.4%	88.9%	92.2%	90.5%	90.0%	91.4%
Totals	(1,000)	(225)	(637)	(138)	(729)	(104)	(167)	(475)	(525)	(432)	(324)	(244)

	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	79.6%	75.5%	88.3%	81.3%	70.9%	78.3%	87.1%	81.9%	73.0%	82.5%	80.9%	79.3%	80.5%	77.5%
The economy	96.2%	98.5%	97.3%	96.3%	95.1%	98.6%	96.8%	97.7%	97.4%	96.1%	94.0%	93.7%	98.9%	98.8%
Immigration	82.6%	75.3%	94.7%	82.9%	72.6%	78.4%	94.3%	84.9%	80.9%	81.2%	85.1%	81.6%	82.7%	82.8%
The environment	83.4%	91.9%	72.7%	83.9%	92.6%	87.0%	71.3%	84.5%	80.8%	85.9%	81.2%	85.2%	82.5%	82.8%
Terrorism	85.6%	83.9%	96.3%	82.4%	71.8%	83.5%	95.4%	84.0%	83.5%	89.7%	82.4%	83.3%	88.3%	85.4%
Gay rights	50.3%	58.0%	36.9%	53.2%	73.2%	47.7%	38.6%	51.9%	53.9%	45.5%	53.1%	51.7%	46.9%	51.1%
Education	89.1%	91.1%	86.8%	90.8%	92.2%	88.9%	87.2%	84.9%	86.9%	92.1%	89.9%	89.5%	89.3%	86.8%
Health care	93.5%	96.4%	91.7%	93.9%	96.6%	94.4%	92.1%	94.8%	93.9%	94.0%	91.3%	93.7%	94.1%	92.1%
Social security	90.3%	89.2%	93.6%	90.3%	85.5%	88.8%	93.5%	90.8%	91.5%	91.0%	87.6%	91.6%	91.8%	85.0%
The budget deficit	88.2%	82.2%	96.8%	91.5%	76.2%	89.8%	95.7%	89.4%	84.3%	89.3%	89.9%	86.3%	89.5%	90.1%
The war in Afghanistan	81.9%	80.0%	89.7%	84.3%	74.6%	82.3%	88.4%	82.0%	75.2%	85.3%	83.9%	80.0%	83.1%	84.8%
Taxes	90.6%	87.1%	96.2%	94.5%	79.2%	93.8%	95.8%	91.9%	87.3%	92.9%	89.7%	88.2%	93.9%	91.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(371)	(242)	(271)	(220)	(325)	(331)	(168)	(235)	(367)	(230)	(415)	(362)	(125)

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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	1.0%	1.5%	0.9%	0.6%	0.7%	1.7%	2.2%	0.6%	1.3%	1.5%	0.2%	0.9%
The economy	42.4%	38.4%	45.8%	35.5%	42.4%	46.3%	37.0%	43.1%	41.7%	41.1%	43.2%	43.9%
Immigration	6.8%	7.7%	6.0%	8.6%	6.3%	2.4%	16.9%	7.4%	6.3%	7.6%	7.4%	4.7%
The environment	3.8%	6.9%	3.2%	1.6%	4.3%	1.3%	2.7%	4.5%	3.2%	3.6%	3.1%	5.2%
Terrorism	3.3%	4.0%	2.1%	6.3%	3.4%	3.1%	2.7%	3.7%	2.8%	3.3%	3.2%	3.3%
Gay rights	2.7%	5.9%	2.0%	0.6%	2.8%	1.6%	3.1%	4.6%	1.0%	1.8%	4.2%	3.0%
Education	5.1%	9.5%	4.2%	1.9%	5.1%	4.8%	5.3%	3.1%	6.9%	2.5%	8.7%	6.5%
Health care	13.8%	14.4%	13.8%	12.7%	14.3%	10.8%	13.3%	10.6%	16.7%	13.1%	14.5%	14.4%
Social security	9.9%	1.5%	11.0%	18.4%	9.6%	13.1%	8.7%	8.5%	11.2%	14.9%	6.1%	4.2%
The budget deficit	5.8%	4.4%	5.1%	10.5%	5.7%	9.2%	2.5%	8.0%	3.8%	6.0%	5.2%	5.9%
The war in Afghanistan	1.4%	2.0%	1.0%	2.4%	1.6%	0.4%	1.5%	1.7%	1.2%	1.3%	1.1%	2.0%
Taxes	4.0%	3.8%	4.9%	0.9%	3.8%	5.1%	4.0%	4.2%	3.7%	3.4%	3.1%	6.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (984)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (628)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (720)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (160)	100.0% (472)	100.0% (512)	100.0% (424)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (243)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The war in Iraq	1.0%	1.7%	0.9%	0.7%	1.8%	0.5%	1.1%	1.7%	1.1%	1.2%	0.0%	1.2%	0.9%	0.9%
The economy	42.4%	39.1%	43.6%	47.8%	37.0%	47.0%	41.8%	44.8%	39.1%	43.6%	42.3%	38.3%	44.7%	50.2%
Immigration	6.8%	3.7%	8.3%	8.5%	3.2%	4.6%	10.0%	4.1%	5.6%	7.0%	10.1%	6.3%	8.5%	6.3%
The environment	3.8%	2.5%	3.9%	5.5%	7.4%	5.0%	1.8%	3.7%	5.5%	2.6%	4.2%	3.7%	4.6%	4.4%
Terrorism	3.3%	1.7%	5.7%	2.4%	0.9%	1.9%	5.5%	1.5%	1.4%	5.2%	3.6%	3.6%	3.6%	1.7%
Gay rights	2.7%	5.2%	0.6%	1.9%	7.6%	3.4%	0.3%	3.5%	2.8%	2.1%	2.9%	1.9%	2.1%	2.7%
Education	5.1%	6.9%	1.8%	6.0%	10.3%	5.4%	2.2%	2.5%	6.7%	4.6%	6.2%	5.3%	4.6%	8.4%
Health care	13.8%	17.4%	8.0%	12.1%	18.3%	13.2%	10.6%	16.8%	15.6%	12.9%	10.9%	16.9%	11.2%	8.5%
Social security	9.9%	13.7%	7.0%	5.8%	7.1%	10.2%	7.1%	7.4%	12.6%	10.6%	7.5%	17.4%	4.6%	1.0%
The budget deficit	5.8%	2.4%	11.8%	5.4%	1.9%	4.7%	11.4%	6.2%	6.7%	5.8%	4.2%	2.1%	8.1%	10.7%
The war in Afghanistan	1.4%	2.1%	1.7%	0.7%	3.5%	0.4%	1.0%	1.3%	1.3%	0.5%	3.2%	0.8%	1.3%	1.8%
Taxes	4.0%	3.7%	6.6%	3.1%	1.0%	3.7%	7.2%	6.6%	1.5%	4.0%	4.8%	2.5%	5.6%	3.4%

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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% (369)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (268)	100.0% (217)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (358)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (124)

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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	16.2%	12.5%	18.2%	14.6%	12.1%	43.3%	18.1%	15.8%	16.6%	12.4%	18.4%	21.6%
Somewhat approve	25.7%	36.0%	22.4%	21.6%	24.3%	29.7%	32.2%	25.0%	26.2%	24.1%	24.4%	30.2%
Somewhat disapprove	14.6%	18.6%	14.2%	9.8%	15.9%	10.2%	9.3%	13.7%	15.4%	15.8%	14.9%	11.8%
Strongly disapprove	36.3%	21.7%	38.0%	53.2%	42.3%	3.1%	26.6%	40.8%	32.3%	37.7%	36.6%	33.1%
Not sure	7.2%	11.2%	7.2%	0.8%	5.4%	13.6%	13.9%	4.7%	9.5%	10.0%	5.8%	3.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (637)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (728)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (475)	100.0% (524)	100.0% (432)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	16.2%	35.4%	2.0%	10.5%	33.0%	24.9%	2.3%	19.4%	14.9%	16.6%	14.7%	16.4%	16.2%	20.5%
Somewhat approve	25.7%	39.3%	4.2%	29.8%	45.9%	33.3%	5.6%	28.5%	23.8%	26.1%	24.9%	26.9%	27.1%	21.1%
Somewhat disapprove	14.6%	12.7%	17.7%	14.9%	10.8%	15.4%	15.0%	15.4%	19.0%	12.0%	13.2%	13.6%	12.6%	17.4%
Strongly disapprove	36.3%	7.3%	75.0%	40.0%	7.3%	21.6%	75.9%	31.2%	32.9%	38.6%	40.3%	33.1%	40.5%	40.1%
Not sure	7.2%	5.2%	1.2%	4.9%	3.1%	4.8%	1.1%	5.5%	9.5%	6.6%	6.9%	10.1%	3.6%	1.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (415)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (125)

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5. Conditions on U.S. humanitarian assistance

Which of these statements comes closest 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 United States should help all countries who need humanitarian assistance, whatever their government's political views	42.3%	49.5%	37.8%	47.8%	39.8%	52.2%	50.5%	39.2%	45.0%	35.4%	43.1%	55.3%
The United States needs to limit its humanitarian assistance to countries where its help may provide political benefits to the U.S. in return	57.7%	50.5%	62.2%	52.2%	60.2%	47.8%	49.5%	60.8%	55.0%	64.6%	56.9%	44.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (983)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (628)	100.0% (133)	100.0% (716)	100.0% (103)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (465)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (423)	100.0% (320)	100.0% (240)

	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 should help all countries who need humanitarian assistance, whatever their government's political views	42.3%	55.8%	33.2%	41.0%	65.5%	41.4%	35.1%	35.4%	47.8%	42.3%	41.2%	36.0%	44.8%	53.6%

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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+
The United States needs to limit its humanitarian assistance to countries where its help may provide political benefits to the U.S. in return	57.7%	44.2%	66.8%	59.0%	34.5%	58.6%	64.9%	64.6%	52.2%	57.7%	58.8%	64.0%	55.2%	46.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (983)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (237)	100.0% (269)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (321)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (165)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (404)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (125)

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6. Recent disasters that were very serious

In the last few years, there have been a number of natural and man-made disasters throughout the world. Please rate the seriousness of each of the following events:

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The 2004 Christmas tsunami in South Asia	56.0%	56.8%	55.8%	55.6%	54.8%	67.8%	52.2%	52.6%	59.0%	49.3%	57.8%	67.6%
Hurricane Katrina on the Gulf Coast	77.3%	74.1%	77.2%	82.9%	76.7%	86.0%	72.7%	72.1%	82.0%	75.1%	78.3%	80.9%
The 2010 floods in Pakistan	47.2%	46.0%	45.6%	55.0%	44.9%	64.6%	45.5%	42.5%	51.3%	43.3%	50.8%	51.0%
The 2010 oil spill in the Gulf Coast	75.4%	71.5%	76.0%	79.5%	76.5%	78.4%	63.7%	71.6%	78.8%	74.3%	75.6%	77.6%
The 2010 Haiti earthquake	60.0%	64.9%	56.4%	65.6%	57.7%	75.7%	60.5%	53.3%	65.9%	55.2%	64.9%	64.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(225)	(637)	(138)	(729)	(104)	(167)	(475)	(525)	(432)	(324)	(244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The 2004 Christmas tsunami in South Asia	56.0%	62.2%	57.6%	53.4%	70.5%	54.9%	58.0%	54.6%	48.4%	61.9%	55.9%	52.5%	56.5%	63.2%
Hurricane Katrina on the Gulf Coast	77.3%	86.3%	73.7%	76.8%	87.6%	81.6%	74.4%	82.5%	79.9%	77.2%	70.7%	76.7%	79.6%	72.9%
The 2010 floods in Pakistan	47.2%	53.3%	46.6%	45.5%	62.5%	49.6%	42.8%	43.3%	42.1%	53.2%	45.9%	47.0%	45.7%	47.8%
The 2010 oil spill in the Gulf Coast	75.4%	83.5%	66.5%	77.3%	89.5%	79.4%	63.4%	79.7%	74.4%	76.2%	72.0%	78.6%	76.0%	64.6%
The 2010 Haiti earthquake	60.0%	69.4%	57.6%	58.4%	76.0%	61.6%	56.5%	61.3%	53.7%	63.8%	59.8%	59.4%	58.7%	62.3%
Totals	(1,000)	(371)	(242)	(271)	(220)	(325)	(331)	(168)	(235)	(367)	(230)	(415)	(362)	(125)

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7. Most destructive disaster

Which of those events do you think did the most damage?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The 2004 Christmas tsunami in South Asia	16.9%	21.4%	17.5%	7.9%	17.0%	15.0%	18.3%	22.7%	11.8%	11.1%	17.6%	27.6%
Hurricane Katrina on the Gulf Coast	34.0%	23.0%	38.2%	35.7%	33.6%	39.8%	30.9%	33.6%	34.4%	39.7%	31.2%	25.8%
The 2010 floods in Pakistan	7.3%	6.2%	5.7%	14.8%	8.3%	2.2%	4.6%	7.9%	6.7%	6.2%	6.3%	10.3%
The 2010 oil spill in the Gulf Coast	24.0%	26.6%	23.3%	22.2%	26.3%	12.9%	18.2%	20.5%	27.0%	27.1%	23.4%	18.3%
The 2010 Haiti earthquake	17.8%	22.7%	15.4%	19.5%	14.8%	30.2%	27.9%	15.3%	20.1%	15.8%	21.4%	18.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (632)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (722)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (471)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (427)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The 2004 Christmas tsunami in South Asia	16.9%	13.8%	21.5%	19.6%	20.9%	16.9%	22.5%	10.6%	16.8%	17.9%	20.5%	14.9%	14.9%	32.5%
Hurricane Katrina on the Gulf Coast	34.0%	34.3%	38.0%	27.5%	23.0%	34.2%	34.0%	30.8%	35.4%	36.1%	31.3%	31.9%	36.8%	29.1%
The 2010 floods in Pakistan	7.3%	6.9%	5.9%	8.0%	10.2%	8.1%	6.1%	7.5%	10.3%	5.0%	7.2%	7.1%	6.4%	9.9%
The 2010 oil spill in the Gulf Coast	24.0%	22.5%	19.4%	26.1%	22.2%	23.5%	21.4%	32.1%	23.7%	22.1%	21.0%	27.2%	23.3%	11.8%
The 2010 Haiti earthquake	17.8%	22.4%	15.2%	18.8%	23.8%	17.3%	16.1%	19.2%	13.8%	18.9%	20.0%	18.9%	18.6%	16.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (367)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (270)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (409)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (125)

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8. U.S. has at least some responsibility to assist those affected by these disasters

How much responsibility do you think the United States government has for assisting those affected by each of these events?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The 2004 Christmas tsunami in South Asia	48.9%	49.6%	45.7%	59.8%	48.9%	51.0%	46.3%	46.0%	51.4%	42.2%	55.3%	55.5%
Hurricane Katrina on the Gulf Coast	88.1%	82.2%	89.5%	92.6%	89.6%	84.6%	80.2%	88.7%	87.6%	83.7%	90.6%	94.4%
The 2010 floods in Pakistan	45.7%	47.0%	42.2%	56.9%	45.2%	49.0%	45.9%	43.8%	47.4%	40.1%	51.6%	50.8%
The 2010 oil spill in the Gulf Coast	85.1%	81.7%	84.7%	91.9%	86.0%	82.6%	80.5%	86.8%	83.6%	80.5%	86.8%	92.3%
The 2010 Haiti earthquake	57.4%	58.8%	52.9%	72.0%	55.8%	63.4%	62.6%	55.8%	58.7%	51.4%	61.5%	64.9%
Totals	(1,000)	(225)	(637)	(138)	(729)	(104)	(167)	(475)	(525)	(432)	(324)	(244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The 2004 Christmas tsunami in South Asia	48.9%	57.5%	46.8%	45.6%	57.3%	52.6%	50.0%	44.2%	49.8%	48.1%	52.8%	46.5%	50.0%	55.6%
Hurricane Katrina on the Gulf Coast	88.1%	93.2%	87.8%	87.3%	93.5%	93.4%	88.1%	89.2%	88.8%	87.3%	87.7%	84.7%	94.1%	91.0%
The 2010 floods in Pakistan	45.7%	56.4%	41.3%	43.7%	56.8%	52.2%	41.3%	40.2%	47.2%	45.6%	48.5%	44.5%	46.3%	50.2%
The 2010 oil spill in the Gulf Coast	85.1%	89.5%	84.3%	85.1%	88.0%	87.9%	85.4%	82.9%	88.2%	83.8%	85.2%	81.8%	88.7%	84.2%
The 2010 Haiti earthquake	57.4%	70.2%	52.5%	53.9%	69.8%	63.3%	54.2%	54.3%	59.6%	56.7%	58.1%	54.5%	58.8%	61.7%
Totals	(1,000)	(371)	(242)	(271)	(220)	(325)	(331)	(168)	(235)	(367)	(230)	(415)	(362)	(125)

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9. Awareness of Pakistan floods

How much have you heard or read about the floods currently affecting large parts of Pakistan?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A lot	22.6%	10.5%	23.7%	37.6%	23.7%	19.5%	17.5%	25.2%	20.2%	19.9%	19.2%	31.5%
A little	58.7%	55.8%	59.8%	59.4%	59.3%	56.9%	56.4%	59.3%	58.2%	58.8%	59.8%	57.5%
Nothing at all	18.7%	33.8%	16.5%	3.0%	17.0%	23.6%	26.1%	15.4%	21.6%	21.3%	21.0%	11.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (137)	100.0% (726)	100.0% (103)	100.0% (165)	100.0% (473)	100.0% (521)	100.0% (429)	100.0% (321)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A lot	22.6%	23.2%	23.8%	25.7%	24.4%	28.2%	25.5%	22.9%	22.1%	22.9%	22.3%	18.7%	20.1%	39.3%
A little	58.7%	59.8%	62.1%	60.7%	58.5%	56.5%	63.5%	61.9%	58.2%	58.1%	58.1%	57.7%	65.2%	52.2%
Nothing at all	18.7%	17.0%	14.2%	13.6%	17.1%	15.3%	11.0%	15.2%	19.7%	18.9%	19.6%	23.6%	14.7%	8.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (270)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (413)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (125)

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10. Relationship of severe weather and climate change

Do you think the severity of recent weather events, like the floods in Pakistan, are the result of climate change or do these kind of events just happen from time to time?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Result of climate change	31.0%	37.6%	28.9%	28.4%	29.4%	39.2%	34.6%	27.3%	34.4%	28.5%	30.9%	36.2%
Just happen from time to time	49.5%	35.9%	52.5%	60.0%	52.9%	38.7%	35.0%	56.8%	43.1%	49.4%	52.0%	47.2%
Not sure	19.5%	26.5%	18.6%	11.6%	17.7%	22.2%	30.4%	16.0%	22.6%	22.1%	17.2%	16.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (726)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (474)	100.0% (522)	100.0% (430)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Result of climate change	31.0%	48.5%	11.8%	29.8%	54.2%	38.9%	11.2%	35.3%	33.8%	27.9%	29.8%	32.7%	30.4%	34.5%
Just happen from time to time	49.5%	30.1%	79.4%	55.0%	25.0%	43.2%	81.2%	42.3%	46.6%	53.5%	51.9%	44.5%	54.7%	56.8%
Not sure	19.5%	21.4%	8.7%	15.2%	20.8%	17.9%	7.6%	22.5%	19.6%	18.6%	18.4%	22.7%	15.0%	8.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (415)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (125)

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11. President Jimmy Carter's place in history

How would you rate Jimmy Carter's performance as president 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
Outstanding president	5.7%	2.7%	7.7%	2.8%	5.4%	6.3%	7.2%	4.3%	6.9%	6.8%	6.5%	2.6%
Above average president	13.7%	9.4%	15.5%	13.8%	12.4%	22.0%	14.9%	11.8%	15.4%	11.3%	15.2%	17.0%
Average president	26.0%	18.3%	27.2%	33.9%	25.6%	32.2%	22.0%	23.5%	28.3%	29.2%	19.9%	26.1%
Below average president	11.7%	6.5%	12.9%	15.8%	12.5%	7.6%	10.7%	14.3%	9.5%	11.0%	12.0%	12.9%
Poor president	21.3%	10.7%	22.7%	33.0%	24.3%	3.8%	17.2%	27.4%	15.9%	18.4%	22.3%	26.1%
Not sure	21.5%	52.4%	13.9%	0.8%	19.8%	28.1%	28.0%	18.7%	24.0%	23.2%	24.2%	15.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (637)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (729)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (475)	100.0% (524)	100.0% (432)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Outstanding president	5.7%	9.7%	0.4%	2.0%	8.7%	5.3%	1.8%	4.2%	4.4%	7.0%	6.0%	7.7%	5.1%	1.4%
Above average president	13.7%	20.9%	7.8%	14.3%	21.2%	19.2%	6.3%	12.1%	17.5%	10.4%	16.2%	14.1%	15.1%	12.9%
Average president	26.0%	34.3%	17.4%	26.3%	34.1%	32.0%	13.9%	26.9%	28.9%	24.6%	24.4%	28.0%	26.1%	26.6%
Below average president	11.7%	10.1%	17.8%	12.7%	7.4%	13.8%	16.8%	12.4%	11.8%	11.3%	12.1%	10.3%	10.1%	23.3%
Poor president	21.3%	3.2%	48.4%	26.3%	3.5%	13.0%	52.4%	23.6%	18.4%	22.8%	20.4%	14.2%	25.7%	31.0%
Not sure	21.5%	21.7%	8.1%	18.4%	25.0%	16.7%	8.8%	21.0%	19.1%	23.8%	20.9%	25.7%	17.9%	4.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (415)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (125)

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12. Seriousness of threat posed by North Korea

How serious a threat do you think North Korea poses to the U.S.?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
An immediate and serious threat to the U.S.	18.1%	11.5%	19.5%	23.2%	17.8%	18.9%	19.4%	17.0%	19.1%	23.2%	12.9%	13.4%
A somewhat serious threat to the U.S.	45.8%	39.6%	46.6%	52.7%	47.1%	39.0%	42.6%	43.2%	48.0%	42.0%	50.6%	48.4%
A minor threat to the U.S.	19.7%	23.7%	18.1%	19.3%	20.6%	15.4%	17.3%	26.2%	13.9%	13.9%	22.8%	28.1%
Not a threat to the U.S.	4.4%	6.3%	4.2%	2.3%	4.3%	5.7%	3.8%	5.8%	3.3%	3.7%	4.4%	6.0%
Not sure	12.0%	19.0%	11.5%	2.5%	10.1%	21.0%	16.9%	7.8%	15.7%	17.2%	9.3%	4.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (137)	100.0% (726)	100.0% (103)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (473)	100.0% (523)	100.0% (431)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (242)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
An immediate and serious threat to the U.S.	18.1%	14.2%	33.1%	14.2%	8.6%	17.2%	25.6%	16.4%	13.6%	22.8%	16.8%	17.4%	17.9%	18.3%
A somewhat serious threat to the U.S.	45.8%	43.1%	48.5%	49.0%	42.3%	45.1%	52.0%	45.5%	51.6%	43.4%	43.2%	42.0%	49.6%	44.3%
A minor threat to the U.S.	19.7%	23.4%	12.1%	26.5%	32.9%	24.9%	14.1%	21.0%	17.4%	17.9%	24.4%	17.7%	22.9%	28.7%
Not a threat to the U.S.	4.4%	7.7%	1.1%	3.8%	8.2%	6.8%	1.5%	6.1%	4.4%	3.2%	5.3%	3.9%	3.1%	6.9%
Not sure	12.0%	11.7%	5.1%	6.5%	7.9%	6.0%	6.8%	11.1%	13.1%	12.7%	10.2%	18.9%	6.4%	1.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (270)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (414)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (124)

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13. Awareness of President Carter's trip to North Korea

How much have you heard or read about former President Jimmy Carter's trip to North Korea and the release of a U.S. citizen who had been sentenced to 8 years of hard labor there?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A lot	19.0%	10.3%	17.4%	39.2%	19.9%	17.4%	13.9%	23.0%	15.4%	18.2%	15.0%	25.0%
A little	51.3%	41.9%	54.4%	54.6%	52.7%	41.0%	51.1%	54.8%	48.1%	46.0%	57.6%	55.0%
Nothing at all	29.7%	47.8%	28.2%	6.3%	27.4%	41.6%	35.0%	22.2%	36.5%	35.8%	27.4%	20.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (992)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (135)	100.0% (724)	100.0% (103)	100.0% (165)	100.0% (471)	100.0% (521)	100.0% (429)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (241)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A lot	19.0%	20.1%	22.1%	21.0%	22.0%	21.7%	22.3%	22.3%	16.4%	19.4%	18.9%	16.5%	16.9%	27.1%
A little	51.3%	52.0%	55.6%	55.1%	50.1%	55.7%	58.6%	49.2%	50.8%	51.0%	53.9%	48.2%	55.8%	54.5%
Nothing at all	29.7%	27.9%	22.3%	23.9%	27.9%	22.5%	19.1%	28.6%	32.8%	29.6%	27.3%	35.3%	27.3%	18.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (992)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (268)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (228)	100.0% (412)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (124)

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14. Impact of President Carter's trip on U.S-North Korean relations

How do you think this trip to North Korea by former President Jimmy Carter will affect relations between the U.S. and North Korea in the future? (Asked if respondent is aware of former President Carter's trip to North Korea)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Will improve relations	18.5%	19.9%	18.4%	17.6%	17.7%	25.4%	19.1%	13.6%	23.8%	19.7%	18.7%	16.5%
Will have no real effect	76.3%	75.3%	76.9%	75.7%	77.1%	68.5%	77.1%	81.3%	70.9%	73.7%	77.5%	79.5%
Will make them worse	5.2%	4.8%	4.7%	6.7%	5.2%	6.1%	3.8%	5.1%	5.2%	6.7%	3.8%	4.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (727)	100.0% (132)	100.0% (468)	100.0% (127)	100.0% (545)	100.0% (67)	100.0% (115)	100.0% (390)	100.0% (337)	100.0% (290)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (195)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Will improve relations	18.5%	27.2%	10.2%	14.8%	23.4%	24.7%	8.9%	18.1%	23.4%	18.3%	13.8%	21.0%	19.4%	15.5%
Will have no real effect	76.3%	70.6%	80.2%	80.8%	74.5%	72.3%	81.7%	77.2%	73.3%	75.4%	80.4%	74.2%	75.4%	78.1%
Will make them worse	5.2%	2.2%	9.6%	4.4%	2.1%	3.0%	9.5%	4.7%	3.3%	6.3%	5.8%	4.8%	5.1%	6.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (727)	100.0% (270)	100.0% (189)	100.0% (209)	100.0% (159)	100.0% (254)	100.0% (264)	100.0% (128)	100.0% (170)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (173)	100.0% (277)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (102)

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15. Approval missions to North Korea to secure the release of U.S. prisoners

Do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. sending high-level representatives like former President Carter to North Korea on missions to negotiate the release of U.S. prisoners there?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	28.4%	24.2%	29.4%	31.6%	27.7%	34.6%	27.2%	28.9%	28.0%	24.8%	29.1%	35.0%
Somewhat approve	23.6%	27.3%	22.7%	21.2%	24.0%	22.7%	21.3%	22.1%	24.9%	20.1%	24.5%	29.6%
Neither approve nor disapprove	24.2%	18.5%	25.6%	28.0%	24.2%	20.8%	27.6%	24.1%	24.3%	26.8%	24.7%	18.4%
Somewhat disapprove	6.3%	3.1%	7.5%	6.8%	7.0%	4.2%	2.8%	7.8%	4.9%	6.9%	7.2%	4.0%
Strongly disapprove	6.9%	4.4%	7.2%	9.6%	7.4%	4.1%	5.6%	9.6%	4.4%	7.6%	3.6%	8.9%
Not sure	10.7%	22.6%	7.7%	2.8%	9.6%	13.7%	15.5%	7.5%	13.5%	13.8%	10.9%	4.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (728)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (475)	100.0% (523)	100.0% (431)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	28.4%	44.2%	15.0%	25.3%	48.7%	35.3%	15.8%	29.0%	29.4%	27.6%	28.3%	25.6%	33.4%	27.7%
Somewhat approve	23.6%	26.5%	20.4%	28.4%	27.5%	25.8%	24.1%	23.1%	27.4%	23.5%	19.7%	24.3%	25.7%	22.7%
Neither approve nor disapprove	24.2%	15.8%	32.9%	23.9%	12.4%	24.1%	28.3%	25.3%	23.4%	24.1%	24.3%	25.7%	20.8%	28.1%
Somewhat disapprove	6.3%	4.7%	11.6%	6.5%	1.2%	5.9%	11.5%	7.3%	6.6%	5.7%	6.0%	5.0%	8.1%	6.8%
Strongly disapprove	6.9%	2.1%	14.1%	7.2%	3.3%	4.6%	14.8%	5.9%	5.6%	7.1%	8.7%	4.3%	6.8%	12.7%
Not sure	10.7%	6.7%	6.0%	8.6%	6.9%	4.2%	5.4%	9.4%	7.6%	12.0%	13.0%	15.0%	5.2%	2.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (242)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (367)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (413)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (125)

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16. Countries that are allies of or friendly toward the U.S.

Which of the following countries do you consider 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
Pakistan	23.0%	19.4%	22.1%	32.3%	22.0%	28.6%	25.0%	29.4%	17.4%	19.0%	26.9%	27.1%
South Korea	65.2%	60.4%	63.7%	78.3%	68.4%	51.0%	55.9%	80.6%	51.5%	56.6%	66.5%	80.9%
United Kingdom	81.6%	76.7%	81.3%	90.3%	84.1%	73.5%	70.5%	90.2%	73.9%	72.3%	85.1%	96.4%
India	62.0%	57.2%	62.0%	69.7%	63.2%	53.6%	62.2%	72.4%	52.8%	49.9%	65.7%	82.3%
Russia	32.7%	37.7%	30.5%	33.0%	32.9%	29.6%	34.3%	37.2%	28.7%	24.3%	39.9%	41.9%
North Korea	3.6%	4.2%	3.4%	3.2%	3.0%	6.9%	4.4%	2.1%	4.8%	4.3%	3.6%	2.1%
Iran	3.5%	6.2%	2.8%	1.9%	2.8%	7.0%	5.5%	2.8%	4.2%	2.8%	6.3%	1.9%
Indonesia	34.9%	40.4%	34.8%	26.7%	35.2%	34.9%	32.6%	38.5%	31.8%	28.4%	39.2%	43.5%
Haiti	64.3%	65.2%	63.5%	66.0%	63.1%	71.1%	66.2%	70.2%	59.1%	55.7%	66.5%	79.4%
Totals	(1,000)	(225)	(637)	(138)	(729)	(104)	(167)	(475)	(525)	(432)	(324)	(244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Pakistan	23.0%	25.9%	26.8%	22.7%	28.1%	25.9%	23.5%	22.9%	22.4%	25.7%	19.5%	22.4%	21.6%	30.4%
South Korea	65.2%	61.7%	70.7%	79.5%	76.5%	68.9%	74.6%	68.1%	62.5%	61.8%	71.6%	56.0%	69.2%	85.9%
United Kingdom	81.6%	79.1%	89.5%	90.7%	91.5%	85.4%	89.1%	86.8%	77.8%	78.1%	87.7%	71.4%	89.2%	99.1%
India	62.0%	63.9%	62.4%	73.8%	75.0%	72.1%	65.5%	69.3%	57.6%	60.4%	64.1%	52.8%	66.3%	87.0%
Russia	32.7%	43.7%	22.9%	34.7%	53.1%	42.4%	20.9%	33.7%	38.8%	29.0%	31.0%	31.0%	35.1%	36.2%
North Korea	3.6%	6.7%	1.2%	1.3%	3.8%	5.3%	1.5%	2.3%	2.2%	5.4%	3.1%	6.0%	1.0%	3.2%
Iran	3.5%	4.6%	2.0%	3.8%	2.6%	4.8%	2.6%	3.2%	1.9%	3.2%	6.1%	4.5%	3.9%	1.0%
Indonesia	34.9%	38.7%	32.3%	39.2%	49.3%	35.6%	34.9%	35.6%	35.7%	32.1%	38.3%	31.4%	36.0%	46.1%
Haiti	64.3%	74.3%	61.9%	66.9%	79.9%	74.9%	62.0%	69.6%	65.3%	63.4%	60.8%	58.5%	68.7%	74.6%
Totals	(1,000)	(371)	(242)	(271)	(220)	(325)	(331)	(168)	(235)	(367)	(230)	(415)	(362)	(125)

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17. Countries that are enemies of or unfriendly toward the U.S.

Which of the following countries do you consider 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
Pakistan	52.8%	49.1%	55.0%	50.1%	55.0%	44.2%	45.0%	55.9%	50.0%	52.1%	48.5%	58.6%
South Korea	16.0%	14.0%	17.4%	13.9%	15.7%	21.5%	12.7%	9.3%	22.0%	20.3%	14.6%	9.1%
United Kingdom	3.6%	3.9%	3.5%	3.5%	3.2%	5.9%	4.3%	2.5%	4.6%	5.5%	2.8%	0.6%
India	11.4%	7.3%	12.6%	13.5%	11.6%	16.0%	5.0%	11.7%	11.2%	16.7%	6.5%	6.1%
Russia	45.3%	33.3%	48.2%	53.8%	47.0%	44.1%	33.9%	50.0%	41.2%	45.8%	42.5%	47.4%
North Korea	82.7%	75.1%	83.4%	92.1%	85.5%	73.4%	70.4%	91.5%	74.8%	76.6%	84.9%	92.5%
Iran	82.4%	69.5%	85.0%	93.3%	84.7%	76.7%	71.1%	89.4%	76.2%	78.9%	79.4%	92.7%
Indonesia	24.0%	10.4%	25.3%	40.6%	25.8%	14.5%	20.3%	30.4%	18.3%	24.2%	19.9%	27.8%
Haiti	11.8%	6.9%	13.0%	15.1%	13.5%	5.5%	5.5%	12.9%	10.8%	14.6%	9.0%	9.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(225)	(637)	(138)	(729)	(104)	(167)	(475)	(525)	(432)	(324)	(244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Pakistan	52.8%	48.1%	57.8%	58.3%	49.2%	54.5%	63.3%	53.9%	52.0%	51.7%	54.6%	46.7%	58.8%	58.1%
South Korea	16.0%	16.9%	16.6%	11.9%	12.7%	17.7%	12.8%	14.0%	18.3%	16.9%	13.4%	17.3%	17.0%	9.8%
United Kingdom	3.6%	4.5%	4.1%	2.8%	3.2%	3.4%	5.0%	1.9%	4.6%	5.5%	0.6%	4.5%	3.3%	0.0%
India	11.4%	8.8%	17.7%	9.4%	5.2%	8.6%	17.0%	6.8%	13.2%	13.9%	8.8%	11.6%	13.1%	5.7%
Russia	45.3%	35.2%	62.1%	51.7%	31.8%	44.5%	67.1%	40.8%	41.3%	50.4%	45.2%	37.4%	51.0%	54.5%
North Korea	82.7%	75.7%	93.3%	92.5%	87.5%	86.4%	91.5%	83.0%	83.5%	81.1%	84.0%	71.8%	91.7%	94.0%
Iran	82.4%	80.1%	88.8%	90.1%	88.9%	85.8%	92.7%	81.1%	85.4%	82.1%	80.6%	74.9%	88.1%	96.5%
Indonesia	24.0%	18.0%	34.5%	27.4%	15.5%	25.0%	36.2%	22.4%	21.9%	26.7%	23.0%	20.0%	29.3%	22.7%
Haiti	11.8%	5.5%	20.5%	13.3%	5.0%	8.0%	21.1%	7.5%	12.2%	13.0%	12.7%	10.2%	14.2%	12.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(371)	(242)	(271)	(220)	(325)	(331)	(168)	(235)	(367)	(230)	(415)	(362)	(125)

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18. Awareness of egg recall

How much have you heard or read about the recent recall of eggs linked to salmonella poisoning in several states?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A lot	53.6%	33.5%	56.4%	75.2%	53.9%	56.6%	48.5%	55.3%	52.2%	53.0%	46.7%	62.3%
A little	39.5%	50.8%	38.7%	24.8%	40.3%	34.4%	38.8%	37.1%	41.7%	41.0%	42.8%	33.1%
Nothing at all	6.8%	15.8%	4.9%	0.0%	5.8%	9.0%	12.7%	7.6%	6.2%	6.0%	10.5%	4.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (727)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (475)	100.0% (522)	100.0% (431)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A lot	53.6%	58.7%	54.7%	53.5%	52.1%	58.8%	59.5%	53.4%	52.5%	55.3%	52.5%	52.9%	52.5%	59.1%
A little	39.5%	34.0%	40.5%	41.7%	41.1%	35.8%	37.5%	40.5%	43.6%	37.1%	38.1%	39.5%	42.0%	38.7%
Nothing at all	6.8%	7.3%	4.8%	4.7%	6.8%	5.4%	3.1%	6.1%	4.0%	7.6%	9.4%	7.6%	5.5%	2.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (269)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (414)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (125)

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19. Concern about egg contamination

How concerned are you personally about becoming sick from eggs contaminated with salmonella? (Asked if respondent is aware of egg recall)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very concerned	13.8%	12.8%	13.7%	15.7%	10.3%	30.9%	23.9%	8.7%	18.3%	16.0%	15.2%	8.1%
Somewhat concerned	22.2%	18.9%	24.4%	18.6%	21.9%	22.9%	23.8%	16.6%	27.1%	23.5%	24.5%	17.3%
Not very concerned	33.6%	38.4%	30.3%	38.7%	34.9%	25.7%	31.5%	37.0%	30.5%	30.7%	33.2%	39.5%
Not at all concerned	29.0%	28.4%	30.6%	24.1%	31.5%	20.0%	18.1%	36.5%	22.4%	27.9%	25.2%	35.1%
Not sure	1.4%	1.4%	1.0%	3.0%	1.4%	0.4%	2.8%	1.1%	1.6%	1.9%	1.9%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (936)	100.0% (192)	100.0% (607)	100.0% (137)	100.0% (688)	100.0% (96)	100.0% (152)	100.0% (446)	100.0% (490)	100.0% (408)	100.0% (296)	100.0% (232)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very concerned	13.8%	19.7%	7.9%	12.4%	13.4%	15.2%	8.6%	16.5%	12.7%	14.2%	12.4%	18.3%	11.8%	5.3%
Somewhat concerned	22.2%	22.8%	18.4%	24.2%	20.1%	24.3%	17.1%	18.3%	23.3%	23.8%	21.3%	22.7%	22.3%	18.8%
Not very concerned	33.6%	33.3%	38.2%	33.9%	34.6%	35.3%	37.0%	34.3%	34.1%	31.7%	35.3%	30.3%	38.0%	37.1%
Not at all concerned	29.0%	23.4%	35.1%	28.8%	31.8%	24.5%	36.0%	29.3%	28.8%	28.6%	29.8%	26.2%	27.5%	38.8%
Not sure	1.4%	0.8%	0.4%	0.7%	0.0%	0.7%	1.2%	1.6%	1.0%	1.7%	1.2%	2.3%	0.4%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (936)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (257)	100.0% (204)	100.0% (310)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (158)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (339)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (122)

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20. Safety of organic eggs

In your opinion, are organic eggs more or less likely to be contaminated with salmonella than eggs from factory farms?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
More	6.4%	6.7%	7.3%	2.7%	5.7%	6.5%	12.0%	7.8%	5.3%	5.9%	7.4%	6.5%
About the same	42.5%	38.5%	42.5%	49.0%	45.5%	31.3%	31.8%	40.8%	44.0%	37.5%	46.9%	47.9%
Less	24.3%	25.8%	23.6%	24.6%	23.4%	28.1%	27.8%	24.9%	23.8%	23.6%	21.1%	29.2%
Not sure	26.7%	28.9%	26.6%	23.7%	25.5%	34.1%	28.3%	26.5%	26.9%	33.0%	24.6%	16.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (727)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (474)	100.0% (524)	100.0% (431)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
More	6.4%	5.5%	7.0%	9.4%	5.0%	10.5%	6.1%	7.3%	5.4%	7.0%	6.1%	4.1%	8.8%	11.0%
About the same	42.5%	38.9%	49.4%	43.5%	39.9%	44.0%	51.5%	45.8%	42.2%	42.1%	41.0%	41.4%	41.7%	47.6%
Less	24.3%	28.1%	18.6%	28.3%	36.1%	24.1%	19.2%	22.7%	25.1%	21.6%	29.2%	22.5%	27.4%	24.3%
Not sure	26.7%	27.5%	25.0%	18.8%	19.1%	21.4%	23.2%	24.2%	27.3%	29.3%	23.7%	32.0%	22.1%	17.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (270)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (415)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (125)

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21. Trust in government agencies to ensure food safety

How much do you trust government agencies responsible for ensuring food safety to do their jobs?

	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	11.9%	15.3%	11.7%	7.4%	10.7%	17.5%	15.5%	12.3%	11.6%	11.4%	14.6%	10.0%
Some	32.3%	37.3%	31.1%	28.7%	32.6%	28.1%	34.9%	29.7%	34.6%	29.2%	32.0%	38.9%
Only a little	30.4%	30.2%	29.3%	35.1%	31.3%	27.3%	27.2%	30.6%	30.3%	29.3%	32.2%	30.9%
Not at all	21.4%	11.1%	24.2%	27.2%	22.7%	20.0%	13.2%	23.5%	19.6%	24.2%	18.1%	19.4%
Not sure	3.9%	6.0%	3.7%	1.6%	2.8%	7.1%	9.1%	3.9%	4.0%	6.0%	3.0%	0.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (637)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (728)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (475)	100.0% (524)	100.0% (432)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (244)

	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	11.9%	18.4%	7.3%	9.6%	19.4%	14.5%	7.0%	13.1%	10.6%	11.8%	12.7%	12.6%	12.0%	12.3%
Some	32.3%	36.3%	32.7%	27.1%	38.6%	35.4%	27.7%	32.2%	33.8%	33.8%	28.2%	29.1%	35.4%	35.5%
Only a little	30.4%	28.2%	37.3%	30.5%	25.0%	26.1%	41.5%	33.0%	32.0%	28.7%	29.5%	31.1%	31.6%	25.9%
Not at all	21.4%	15.1%	20.1%	31.9%	16.5%	23.0%	22.9%	20.6%	20.4%	20.8%	24.4%	21.4%	19.8%	25.9%
Not sure	3.9%	2.0%	2.5%	0.9%	0.5%	1.0%	0.9%	1.2%	3.2%	5.0%	5.2%	5.9%	1.1%	0.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (415)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (125)

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22. Obama's ideological leanings

Would you say Barack Obama is...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very liberal	33.9%	20.2%	35.4%	49.7%	38.1%	12.2%	24.6%	37.1%	31.0%	31.9%	34.1%	37.5%
Liberal	18.5%	26.2%	16.4%	14.4%	18.3%	20.3%	17.8%	20.1%	17.1%	15.6%	20.8%	21.9%
Moderate	23.0%	21.5%	24.8%	18.3%	20.6%	36.2%	26.9%	22.8%	23.1%	17.1%	24.2%	33.4%
Conservative	4.5%	6.4%	4.1%	3.2%	3.9%	6.1%	7.7%	3.8%	5.2%	4.8%	5.1%	3.5%
Very conservative	1.2%	1.2%	1.3%	0.6%	0.8%	3.9%	0.9%	1.0%	1.3%	1.4%	1.7%	0.0%
Not sure	19.0%	24.5%	18.0%	13.8%	18.3%	21.3%	22.0%	15.1%	22.5%	29.1%	14.1%	3.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (728)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (475)	100.0% (523)	100.0% (431)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	33.9%	6.8%	78.6%	37.7%	5.9%	22.4%	80.6%	32.0%	32.0%	35.8%	34.1%	24.8%	39.4%	50.4%
Liberal	18.5%	27.9%	9.2%	21.1%	40.8%	23.3%	8.4%	18.0%	19.8%	16.5%	20.8%	16.8%	19.8%	18.6%
Moderate	23.0%	40.8%	3.1%	23.5%	40.7%	38.6%	4.6%	26.1%	24.7%	20.3%	22.9%	22.1%	25.2%	26.5%
Conservative	4.5%	8.0%	1.6%	4.6%	5.1%	5.8%	3.1%	5.8%	5.0%	4.6%	2.9%	6.2%	3.3%	3.5%
Very conservative	1.2%	2.6%	0.2%	0.4%	2.9%	1.1%	0.8%	0.0%	1.2%	1.7%	1.2%	1.1%	1.2%	1.0%
Not sure	19.0%	13.9%	7.4%	12.8%	4.5%	8.8%	2.4%	18.1%	17.2%	21.1%	18.1%	29.0%	11.1%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (414)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (125)

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23. 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	46.2%	49.5%	45.2%	44.9%	39.9%	77.1%	60.8%	43.6%	48.5%	44.0%	43.1%	53.9%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	53.8%	50.5%	54.8%	55.1%	60.1%	22.9%	39.2%	56.4%	51.5%	56.0%	56.9%	46.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (992)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (631)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (723)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (165)	100.0% (473)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (428)	100.0% (321)	100.0% (243)

	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	46.2%	70.7%	19.6%	44.0%	67.7%	54.4%	23.8%	52.7%	44.0%	45.5%	45.0%	46.6%	45.5%	44.0%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	53.8%	29.3%	80.4%	56.0%	32.3%	45.6%	76.2%	47.3%	56.0%	54.5%	55.0%	53.4%	54.5%	56.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (992)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (227)	100.0% (413)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (124)

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24. 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	33.9%	36.2%	34.7%	27.4%	27.1%	75.5%	40.6%	31.0%	36.5%	28.6%	34.9%	43.8%
Like somewhat	28.1%	35.1%	26.4%	23.7%	29.4%	19.6%	27.6%	30.5%	26.1%	29.1%	27.5%	26.8%
Dislike	28.7%	18.5%	29.2%	42.8%	33.9%	2.7%	16.8%	29.9%	27.6%	30.7%	26.2%	27.2%
Not sure	9.2%	10.1%	9.7%	6.1%	9.6%	2.2%	14.9%	8.6%	9.8%	11.6%	11.5%	2.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (633)	100.0% (137)	100.0% (724)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (474)	100.0% (520)	100.0% (430)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (242)

	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	33.9%	63.9%	4.2%	30.0%	69.1%	47.0%	4.8%	33.3%	32.0%	35.0%	34.9%	34.2%	35.1%	31.9%
Like somewhat	28.1%	26.8%	25.7%	33.5%	22.0%	32.5%	27.0%	36.4%	30.6%	23.4%	26.8%	25.4%	27.5%	38.2%
Dislike	28.7%	5.1%	63.8%	27.4%	7.2%	14.7%	59.7%	25.1%	28.2%	31.7%	26.9%	28.1%	30.7%	25.7%
Not sure	9.2%	4.3%	6.3%	9.2%	1.7%	5.8%	8.5%	5.2%	9.2%	9.9%	11.4%	12.3%	6.8%	4.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (269)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (412)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (124)

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25. 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	32.1%	31.1%	33.4%	28.9%	26.4%	64.8%	40.1%	30.8%	33.2%	27.4%	30.4%	43.4%
Intelligent	59.2%	58.9%	60.8%	53.7%	55.5%	84.9%	59.5%	60.9%	57.7%	50.0%	63.2%	73.4%
Religious	16.7%	15.3%	18.4%	12.9%	14.2%	30.6%	21.7%	17.7%	15.9%	17.8%	15.4%	16.0%
Inspiring	36.3%	43.8%	36.4%	23.9%	30.2%	73.2%	43.3%	33.0%	39.2%	29.1%	41.1%	45.8%
Patriotic	29.6%	28.5%	30.9%	26.5%	26.1%	47.7%	36.9%	28.7%	30.4%	26.5%	31.1%	34.3%
Strong	30.9%	33.8%	32.4%	20.4%	25.6%	62.8%	36.4%	26.8%	34.5%	27.1%	34.4%	34.7%
Bold	32.9%	39.8%	29.7%	34.0%	30.9%	45.5%	34.2%	30.9%	34.7%	32.0%	37.5%	29.8%
Experienced	13.2%	13.7%	14.4%	8.0%	9.7%	29.6%	22.3%	10.1%	15.9%	12.0%	17.8%	10.7%
Sincere	35.0%	30.7%	37.0%	34.1%	29.8%	66.3%	40.8%	33.3%	36.4%	30.1%	34.7%	45.1%
Partisan	26.2%	18.9%	26.1%	38.4%	27.6%	21.4%	20.6%	35.7%	17.8%	22.7%	27.0%	32.3%
Effective	22.1%	25.3%	22.4%	16.2%	15.8%	58.4%	31.6%	22.3%	22.0%	18.1%	26.9%	25.2%
Unifying	15.5%	21.0%	14.4%	10.6%	12.2%	33.6%	20.8%	12.7%	17.9%	12.2%	18.3%	18.9%
In Touch	25.9%	31.0%	26.1%	17.2%	19.5%	63.8%	33.7%	25.5%	26.3%	21.8%	31.5%	28.2%
Realistic	27.7%	27.1%	29.2%	22.7%	23.3%	50.1%	37.1%	28.7%	26.8%	22.9%	28.4%	36.5%
Decisive	24.1%	26.6%	24.9%	17.5%	21.7%	36.9%	29.2%	22.4%	25.7%	20.6%	29.0%	26.0%
Totals	(1,000)	(225)	(637)	(138)	(729)	(104)	(167)	(475)	(525)	(432)	(324)	(244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Honest	32.1%	57.8%	3.8%	30.4%	58.4%	45.3%	5.7%	34.6%	33.1%	32.4%	28.5%	32.5%	30.9%	33.8%
Intelligent	59.2%	81.9%	35.3%	65.6%	85.1%	75.9%	37.9%	61.7%	62.0%	58.6%	55.0%	57.5%	57.7%	70.5%
Religious	16.7%	26.7%	4.4%	14.0%	21.3%	21.8%	7.7%	16.2%	20.0%	15.6%	15.3%	19.7%	15.2%	10.8%
Inspiring	36.3%	59.8%	9.1%	36.2%	68.2%	48.7%	11.3%	32.8%	39.1%	34.5%	38.8%	33.6%	40.7%	35.4%
Patriotic	29.6%	53.8%	3.4%	28.0%	56.7%	41.0%	6.6%	35.3%	30.9%	27.1%	28.1%	31.3%	27.5%	33.6%
Strong	30.9%	52.5%	8.6%	26.3%	52.9%	39.5%	9.4%	34.1%	31.8%	29.5%	29.5%	31.3%	30.8%	28.6%
Bold	32.9%	40.7%	26.8%	33.7%	43.1%	38.5%	24.8%	31.5%	29.1%	39.6%	27.2%	32.6%	33.7%	27.1%
Experienced	13.2%	26.7%	1.5%	8.6%	22.5%	17.4%	4.0%	13.0%	12.4%	14.6%	11.9%	15.7%	10.5%	11.1%
Sincere	35.0%	60.6%	10.3%	30.8%	62.6%	48.0%	9.9%	40.0%	34.7%	33.3%	34.2%	33.3%	37.2%	39.1%
Partisan	26.2%	14.4%	47.6%	31.4%	14.6%	23.7%	49.6%	30.9%	27.1%	24.8%	23.8%	21.0%	25.2%	45.7%
Effective	22.1%	40.8%	5.6%	19.2%	38.3%	31.3%	6.2%	19.4%	18.6%	27.5%	19.5%	22.5%	22.7%	20.6%
Unifying	15.5%	26.9%	3.6%	13.2%	30.0%	21.4%	4.0%	14.6%	15.7%	15.3%	16.0%	15.0%	15.3%	21.5%
In Touch	25.9%	49.5%	5.3%	19.1%	48.8%	34.5%	7.0%	28.8%	27.0%	25.8%	22.6%	26.2%	26.8%	22.6%

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	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Realistic	27.7%	48.3%	5.8%	24.4%	48.6%	40.3%	6.1%	29.0%	25.5%	29.1%	26.8%	27.2%	28.5%	28.0%
Decisive	24.1%	37.7%	10.0%	22.6%	38.3%	31.0%	12.2%	24.6%	24.0%	23.3%	25.4%	23.8%	24.8%	22.3%
Totals	(1,000)	(371)	(242)	(271)	(220)	(325)	(331)	(168)	(235)	(367)	(230)	(415)	(362)	(125)

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26. Direction of country

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Generally headed in the right direction	28.3%	30.3%	28.3%	25.4%	24.4%	46.8%	38.7%	30.0%	26.9%	23.4%	30.5%	36.0%
Off on the wrong track	56.8%	43.5%	59.6%	67.6%	63.6%	23.8%	41.1%	59.4%	54.5%	59.5%	55.7%	52.6%
Not sure	14.8%	26.2%	12.1%	7.0%	12.1%	29.4%	20.2%	10.6%	18.6%	17.1%	13.9%	11.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (631)	100.0% (137)	100.0% (721)	100.0% (103)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (471)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (426)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (242)

	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	28.3%	49.4%	5.5%	27.6%	55.7%	38.9%	5.7%	31.0%	30.8%	26.4%	26.7%	27.3%	30.9%	35.2%
Off on the wrong track	56.8%	31.4%	89.3%	61.7%	29.9%	47.1%	90.1%	56.2%	55.5%	58.0%	57.0%	54.9%	58.4%	59.6%
Not sure	14.8%	19.2%	5.2%	10.7%	14.5%	14.0%	4.3%	12.8%	13.7%	15.6%	16.3%	17.8%	10.7%	5.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (269)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (228)	100.0% (411)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (123)

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27. 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	2.1%	1.9%	2.8%	0.0%	2.0%	3.5%	1.7%	2.2%	2.1%	2.4%	2.4%	1.4%
Somewhat approve	10.3%	13.8%	9.5%	7.8%	7.9%	18.2%	20.4%	9.1%	11.4%	7.9%	11.2%	14.0%
Neither approve nor disapprove	13.8%	19.1%	13.3%	7.1%	10.9%	29.1%	18.8%	11.2%	16.0%	15.2%	14.7%	9.8%
Somewhat disapprove	23.2%	20.5%	25.0%	20.9%	23.9%	21.7%	19.6%	21.5%	24.8%	22.9%	22.6%	24.6%
Strongly disapprove	42.0%	25.1%	43.2%	64.2%	47.1%	20.4%	25.8%	49.2%	35.5%	39.9%	40.5%	47.6%
Not sure	8.6%	19.6%	6.3%	0.0%	8.2%	7.2%	13.6%	6.8%	10.3%	11.6%	8.7%	2.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (223)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (726)	100.0% (103)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (474)	100.0% (522)	100.0% (430)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	2.1%	4.7%	1.1%	0.9%	2.9%	4.1%	1.1%	1.5%	1.2%	3.3%	1.7%	2.9%	1.8%	1.0%
Somewhat approve	10.3%	22.6%	1.9%	5.2%	23.2%	13.3%	3.3%	14.0%	10.0%	9.4%	9.2%	10.3%	11.5%	13.6%
Neither approve nor disapprove	13.8%	21.2%	5.3%	9.7%	18.9%	13.9%	5.3%	15.7%	15.2%	12.6%	12.6%	17.0%	12.2%	5.1%
Somewhat disapprove	23.2%	25.2%	18.9%	25.7%	32.4%	26.1%	14.6%	21.3%	22.6%	27.3%	18.5%	24.0%	22.7%	15.5%
Strongly disapprove	42.0%	20.8%	69.0%	51.7%	19.5%	39.0%	72.1%	39.6%	41.2%	40.2%	47.6%	34.9%	45.6%	62.8%
Not sure	8.6%	5.5%	3.8%	6.9%	3.1%	3.6%	3.6%	7.8%	9.8%	7.2%	10.3%	10.9%	6.2%	2.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (270)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (413)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (125)

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28. 2010 Congressional vote

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Republican	32.9%	21.1%	34.1%	47.1%	37.9%	5.7%	23.9%	39.1%	27.5%	31.6%	32.7%	35.9%
Lean Republican	4.2%	5.1%	2.5%	9.2%	4.2%	5.0%	3.5%	2.8%	5.4%	4.4%	5.7%	2.2%
Lean Democrat	6.8%	11.5%	5.8%	3.2%	6.7%	7.9%	6.4%	5.2%	8.2%	6.7%	9.1%	4.5%
Democrat	36.0%	38.7%	35.6%	33.5%	30.0%	73.5%	41.9%	34.3%	37.6%	29.3%	36.6%	48.7%
Not Sure	20.1%	23.6%	22.0%	7.0%	21.2%	7.9%	24.3%	18.7%	21.2%	28.1%	15.8%	8.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (136)	100.0% (722)	100.0% (103)	100.0% (165)	100.0% (469)	100.0% (521)	100.0% (426)	100.0% (320)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Republican	32.9%	2.7%	86.0%	34.0%	2.8%	23.7%	79.4%	32.3%	31.4%	33.4%	34.5%	23.7%	38.1%	50.4%
Lean Republican	4.2%	0.8%	7.8%	6.3%	0.4%	6.0%	5.8%	0.3%	3.8%	5.3%	5.9%	5.7%	3.5%	2.7%
Lean Democrat	6.8%	10.5%	0.5%	7.7%	7.3%	6.8%	2.8%	7.6%	6.5%	6.9%	6.2%	8.5%	5.8%	3.7%
Democrat	36.0%	78.9%	4.1%	26.7%	78.9%	48.5%	7.8%	39.1%	37.3%	35.9%	32.2%	33.8%	37.4%	37.6%
Not Sure	20.1%	7.1%	1.7%	25.4%	10.7%	15.1%	4.3%	20.7%	20.9%	18.5%	21.1%	28.3%	15.1%	5.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (367)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (269)	100.0% (218)	100.0% (321)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (359)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (409)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (125)

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29. 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	14.8%	20.3%	13.6%	10.4%	12.6%	31.8%	12.3%	15.7%	13.9%	11.6%	16.2%	19.5%
About the same	35.5%	46.0%	33.1%	27.6%	34.8%	39.6%	36.6%	33.9%	36.9%	33.7%	36.8%	37.7%
Getting worse	43.7%	19.4%	49.9%	59.3%	47.8%	22.8%	35.3%	45.5%	42.1%	46.4%	41.0%	41.0%
Not sure	6.1%	14.3%	3.4%	2.8%	4.9%	5.8%	15.7%	4.9%	7.1%	8.3%	5.9%	1.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (725)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (474)	100.0% (522)	100.0% (431)	100.0% (321)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Getting better	14.8%	25.6%	4.5%	13.3%	28.4%	19.6%	2.9%	14.7%	17.9%	13.4%	13.3%	13.4%	15.2%	22.3%
About the same	35.5%	47.3%	26.3%	30.1%	48.1%	38.3%	26.3%	41.4%	37.8%	33.2%	32.0%	35.7%	38.1%	27.0%
Getting worse	43.7%	22.2%	66.5%	51.6%	18.0%	38.9%	69.0%	40.2%	39.9%	45.2%	48.3%	43.1%	43.0%	50.3%
Not sure	6.1%	4.9%	2.7%	5.0%	5.5%	3.3%	1.7%	3.7%	4.4%	8.2%	6.3%	7.8%	3.7%	0.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (269)	100.0% (219)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (413)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (125)

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30. Stock market expectations over next year

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Higher	18.5%	23.9%	16.1%	18.8%	16.5%	33.6%	17.0%	21.5%	15.8%	14.1%	19.8%	25.9%
About the same	33.2%	34.3%	33.2%	31.5%	34.4%	27.1%	31.0%	34.5%	32.1%	31.0%	35.0%	35.7%
Lower	28.5%	9.8%	34.9%	34.2%	30.4%	18.0%	25.2%	30.0%	27.2%	30.9%	26.3%	25.9%
Not sure	19.8%	32.0%	15.8%	15.5%	18.7%	21.2%	26.8%	14.0%	24.9%	23.9%	18.9%	12.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (726)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (474)	100.0% (523)	100.0% (430)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Higher	18.5%	28.3%	9.2%	18.4%	32.6%	23.4%	8.7%	19.7%	20.0%	17.8%	17.0%	15.5%	19.6%	30.4%
About the same	33.2%	35.2%	32.0%	33.1%	35.2%	37.5%	33.3%	34.5%	35.6%	32.1%	31.4%	30.3%	39.4%	29.2%
Lower	28.5%	18.2%	44.9%	32.5%	14.4%	22.9%	46.1%	26.3%	27.3%	30.6%	28.0%	28.0%	26.1%	37.1%
Not sure	19.8%	18.3%	13.9%	16.0%	17.9%	16.3%	11.9%	19.6%	17.0%	19.5%	23.7%	26.2%	14.9%	3.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (270)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (414)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (125)

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31. Change in personal finances over past year

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Better off financially than you were a year ago	10.9%	17.7%	9.4%	5.4%	11.7%	7.2%	8.9%	11.5%	10.3%	6.0%	12.8%	18.5%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	39.0%	38.9%	37.3%	45.6%	38.3%	49.4%	32.4%	43.2%	35.2%	37.5%	36.8%	44.2%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	45.5%	30.2%	51.0%	49.0%	46.4%	38.1%	46.2%	39.8%	50.6%	49.2%	46.6%	36.8%
Not sure	4.7%	13.2%	2.3%	0.0%	3.6%	5.3%	12.5%	5.5%	3.9%	7.3%	3.8%	0.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (224)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (138)	100.0% (726)	100.0% (104)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (475)	100.0% (522)	100.0% (431)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (244)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Better off financially than you were a year ago	10.9%	15.0%	5.3%	11.7%	20.1%	12.4%	6.3%	12.6%	9.7%	10.6%	11.4%	9.1%	12.2%	19.0%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	39.0%	46.1%	38.1%	38.7%	49.0%	40.2%	36.6%	36.8%	43.9%	40.2%	33.0%	37.0%	41.0%	38.5%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	45.5%	36.8%	54.9%	47.7%	26.8%	45.9%	56.8%	48.8%	43.0%	44.2%	47.9%	48.2%	44.7%	42.5%
Not sure	4.7%	2.1%	1.7%	2.0%	4.1%	1.4%	0.2%	1.7%	3.4%	5.1%	7.7%	5.7%	2.1%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (220)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (414)	100.0% (361)	100.0% (125)

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Fieldwork	YouGov
Interviewing Dates	August 28-31, 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 3.0, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.5.
Number of respondents	1,000
Margin of error	± 3.5% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	23 questions not reported.