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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	39.9%	41.4%	39.8%	38.9%	36.9%	53.8%	51.4%	42.2%	37.8%	33.4%	41.1%	50.0%
The economy	34.6%	36.7%	33.4%	36.7%	30.4%	57.3%	43.9%	34.6%	34.6%	27.8%	32.2%	49.1%
Immigration	31.7%	36.8%	30.7%	31.1%	26.3%	61.9%	42.6%	29.4%	33.9%	27.4%	30.1%	41.0%
The environment	42.1%	42.6%	40.1%	46.2%	38.2%	65.2%	47.8%	41.1%	43.0%	35.5%	40.8%	55.0%
Terrorism	43.1%	43.5%	42.5%	44.8%	38.7%	64.5%	56.8%	44.7%	41.5%	36.6%	42.9%	54.5%
Gay rights	39.1%	44.0%	37.6%	39.0%	37.9%	48.6%	36.7%	36.0%	42.0%	29.9%	39.0%	55.2%
Education	42.9%	44.2%	41.6%	44.7%	38.4%	70.7%	47.0%	42.5%	43.3%	38.8%	40.9%	52.3%
Health care	38.2%	40.8%	37.3%	40.5%	32.1%	68.6%	56.0%	36.3%	39.9%	32.1%	36.0%	51.0%
Social security	33.1%	35.3%	33.3%	32.4%	28.8%	54.9%	45.9%	30.1%	35.9%	26.8%	32.0%	45.3%
The budget deficit	31.0%	35.0%	30.7%	29.4%	25.7%	58.9%	44.5%	28.5%	33.4%	26.1%	27.5%	43.4%
The war in Afghanistan	37.1%	37.8%	37.9%	35.2%	32.9%	58.5%	49.4%	37.4%	36.8%	29.4%	41.6%	45.5%
Taxes	32.2%	30.5%	33.7%	29.9%	28.6%	50.2%	42.1%	30.1%	34.1%	26.4%	34.0%	40.3%
Totals	(1000)	(202)	(641)	(151)	(816)	(102)	(82)	(438)	(562)	(403)	(327)	(270)

	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	39.9%	55.9%	32.3%	36.3%	55.4%	43.9%	36.1%	45.3%	34.8%	41.2%	39.2%	36.5%	39.1%	48.4%
The economy	34.6%	63.0%	5.7%	30.7%	65.0%	45.3%	12.3%	39.4%	31.5%	32.6%	37.4%	32.7%	33.6%	41.9%
Immigration	31.7%	57.9%	5.0%	26.8%	61.3%	37.1%	14.3%	31.3%	29.3%	33.9%	30.9%	31.6%	31.4%	31.7%
The environment	42.1%	65.6%	16.8%	40.4%	67.2%	53.7%	21.5%	51.7%	42.6%	37.5%	41.9%	41.4%	42.4%	42.0%
Terrorism	43.1%	71.6%	15.9%	40.0%	69.4%	52.5%	25.4%	44.2%	44.0%	42.2%	42.7%	41.8%	42.2%	46.5%
Gay rights	39.1%	60.6%	14.8%	39.0%	72.9%	51.6%	14.0%	45.0%	38.3%	37.2%	38.7%	33.0%	42.3%	47.8%
Education	42.9%	69.9%	15.6%	40.5%	70.7%	52.5%	22.7%	50.8%	44.8%	40.9%	38.3%	41.4%	42.3%	43.8%
Health care	38.2%	70.4%	6.6%	33.2%	71.3%	47.2%	15.7%	42.0%	35.8%	36.4%	40.6%	37.1%	37.7%	41.2%
Social security	33.1%	60.1%	6.2%	28.6%	64.6%	43.6%	12.5%	36.6%	28.7%	33.7%	34.0%	31.5%	33.4%	33.5%
The budget deficit	31.0%	58.7%	2.5%	26.1%	59.8%	39.0%	13.9%	34.8%	28.2%	31.6%	30.1%	31.2%	29.9%	31.9%
The war in Afghanistan	37.1%	52.4%	27.4%	34.2%	46.7%	42.7%	35.5%	39.0%	33.4%	37.3%	39.0%	36.4%	35.0%	42.3%
Taxes	32.2%	58.5%	9.7%	25.6%	57.3%	40.2%	17.6%	33.3%	28.2%	31.0%	37.4%	31.3%	32.9%	34.0%
Totals	(1000)	(343)	(239)	(317)	(180)	(385)	(288)	(168)	(232)	(365)	(235)	(373)	(373)	(145)

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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	79.3%	76.0%	79.3%	85.2%	79.0%	77.8%	84.4%	72.9%	85.2%	77.9%	83.4%	77.0%
The economy	95.9%	92.4%	96.4%	98.3%	95.6%	95.5%	98.9%	96.2%	95.5%	94.1%	96.6%	98.2%
Immigration	78.9%	71.7%	80.2%	84.8%	79.1%	70.9%	89.5%	78.3%	79.4%	78.9%	81.7%	75.8%
The environment	80.1%	81.8%	78.9%	81.5%	78.4%	85.6%	90.3%	74.7%	85.2%	79.3%	78.5%	83.3%
Terrorism	81.7%	69.9%	84.1%	89.6%	80.5%	87.9%	85.1%	74.6%	88.4%	82.2%	85.7%	76.4%
Gay rights	46.8%	54.5%	44.6%	45.2%	46.5%	53.1%	39.4%	42.0%	51.2%	42.3%	47.1%	54.0%
Education	87.0%	88.9%	86.8%	84.7%	85.4%	93.9%	92.9%	83.2%	90.5%	83.3%	89.0%	91.3%
Health care	91.6%	87.8%	93.0%	93.3%	91.5%	91.4%	92.6%	88.7%	94.2%	89.8%	90.7%	95.6%
Social security	91.3%	79.9%	94.3%	96.6%	90.7%	94.5%	93.0%	88.8%	93.7%	91.7%	90.7%	91.2%
The budget deficit	88.6%	84.8%	88.3%	94.8%	89.5%	86.3%	83.0%	89.7%	87.6%	88.7%	89.9%	87.1%
The war in Afghanistan	80.1%	75.4%	80.3%	87.1%	79.5%	80.5%	85.5%	76.0%	83.9%	78.9%	84.8%	76.9%
Taxes	92.4%	85.3%	94.7%	95.4%	92.0%	94.9%	92.8%	92.0%	92.7%	91.8%	91.8%	94.0%
Totals	(1000)	(202)	(641)	(151)	(816)	(102)	(82)	(438)	(562)	(403)	(327)	(270)

	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	79.3%	76.6%	87.0%	78.9%	70.5%	82.4%	87.6%	77.2%	79.8%	78.6%	81.4%	75.0%	82.5%	79.0%
The economy	95.9%	95.6%	97.3%	98.5%	96.3%	96.6%	99.1%	92.2%	95.4%	96.4%	98.3%	92.9%	97.9%	98.8%
Immigration	78.9%	70.6%	89.5%	80.4%	66.2%	79.1%	90.2%	71.1%	75.8%	81.5%	83.6%	77.5%	78.9%	81.9%
The environment	80.1%	88.8%	69.2%	79.9%	93.5%	84.3%	68.1%	84.6%	76.8%	80.5%	79.7%	81.1%	79.5%	79.4%
Terrorism	81.7%	81.5%	92.1%	76.2%	61.8%	85.9%	95.4%	81.2%	77.5%	83.1%	84.2%	79.6%	83.3%	84.5%
Gay rights	46.8%	56.3%	37.9%	44.7%	70.9%	50.4%	32.8%	40.8%	41.2%	50.6%	50.7%	43.8%	47.4%	44.4%
Education	87.0%	91.5%	88.7%	84.8%	92.4%	88.4%	85.8%	86.6%	86.6%	87.0%	87.7%	83.9%	89.2%	91.3%
Health care	91.6%	92.7%	89.0%	93.9%	96.5%	94.2%	88.8%	90.5%	92.9%	91.2%	91.5%	90.4%	92.8%	89.9%
Social security	91.3%	90.6%	92.0%	92.5%	86.7%	91.5%	95.9%	93.4%	89.3%	91.2%	91.9%	90.5%	92.8%	90.8%
The budget deficit	88.6%	85.1%	95.2%	89.4%	80.1%	92.3%	94.2%	86.5%	86.5%	88.3%	93.0%	84.0%	92.2%	92.4%
The war in Afghanistan	80.1%	78.1%	87.5%	80.1%	73.6%	82.9%	88.9%	79.4%	78.9%	79.5%	82.7%	74.5%	83.2%	85.6%
Taxes	92.4%	88.9%	95.1%	95.6%	87.2%	93.1%	97.1%	89.5%	92.0%	93.0%	94.0%	91.3%	94.1%	91.4%
Totals	(1000)	(343)	(239)	(317)	(180)	(385)	(288)	(168)	(232)	(365)	(235)	(373)	(373)	(145)

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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	0.3%	0.8%	0.0%	0.6%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%	0.4%	0.3%	0.0%
The economy	38.6%	39.9%	42.4%	22.0%	38.7%	39.4%	36.1%	40.9%	36.5%	38.5%	36.8%	40.5%
Immigration	4.8%	1.6%	5.8%	5.6%	5.2%	0.5%	7.0%	5.1%	4.5%	5.6%	6.3%	1.9%
The environment	3.0%	5.9%	2.6%	0.9%	2.7%	0.0%	11.2%	3.0%	3.0%	2.8%	2.1%	4.4%
Terrorism	4.1%	3.9%	3.6%	6.4%	4.0%	5.4%	2.3%	2.8%	5.3%	4.9%	4.9%	1.7%
Gay rights	2.9%	6.4%	1.8%	0.0%	2.9%	2.9%	2.5%	3.4%	2.4%	3.3%	2.6%	2.4%
Education	6.8%	15.3%	5.3%	2.2%	6.9%	7.1%	4.7%	5.7%	7.8%	3.6%	7.7%	11.2%
Health care	12.9%	11.1%	13.3%	14.9%	13.0%	15.4%	7.7%	9.3%	16.2%	12.0%	13.8%	13.5%
Social security	12.4%	1.4%	11.9%	29.2%	12.3%	12.7%	13.9%	12.2%	12.6%	19.5%	9.9%	3.4%
The budget deficit	9.3%	9.0%	8.9%	10.5%	9.2%	7.9%	13.2%	12.6%	6.4%	5.8%	11.2%	13.3%
The war in Afghanistan	1.7%	1.0%	1.0%	5.3%	1.0%	7.5%	0.0%	2.5%	1.0%	2.0%	0.8%	2.2%
Taxes	3.3%	3.8%	3.4%	2.5%	3.8%	1.2%	1.3%	2.6%	3.9%	1.8%	3.6%	5.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (984)	100.0% (197)	100.0% (633)	100.0% (149)	100.0% (804)	100.0% (99)	100.0% (81)	100.0% (430)	100.0% (554)	100.0% (392)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (270)

	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	0.3%	0.6%	0.3%	0.0%	0.5%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	0.2%	0.0%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%
The economy	38.6%	38.1%	36.8%	44.0%	37.6%	43.9%	38.0%	42.5%	36.0%	38.2%	38.8%	34.7%	43.9%	36.4%
Immigration	4.8%	1.5%	9.2%	4.6%	3.3%	3.1%	7.8%	2.1%	2.5%	5.2%	8.4%	3.3%	6.2%	6.3%
The environment	3.0%	4.2%	1.4%	3.1%	8.5%	2.4%	1.4%	6.4%	2.6%	2.5%	1.6%	3.7%	2.3%	2.6%
Terrorism	4.1%	3.1%	6.1%	2.4%	0.0%	4.8%	6.9%	4.9%	3.0%	5.1%	2.8%	4.8%	4.6%	1.9%
Gay rights	2.9%	3.7%	2.8%	1.5%	6.0%	1.9%	1.3%	1.4%	2.3%	4.4%	2.0%	2.8%	2.6%	4.9%
Education	6.8%	9.5%	4.5%	6.6%	13.3%	7.2%	3.6%	6.8%	6.7%	5.6%	8.8%	5.1%	8.2%	6.8%
Health care	12.9%	16.1%	7.4%	12.7%	19.4%	13.5%	8.6%	15.2%	14.1%	11.3%	12.5%	14.0%	9.7%	14.5%
Social security	12.4%	14.1%	9.1%	10.0%	8.5%	10.7%	10.9%	11.3%	14.0%	13.6%	9.8%	20.5%	8.6%	3.7%
The budget deficit	9.3%	3.2%	17.5%	10.8%	0.9%	7.5%	17.2%	6.3%	10.4%	8.4%	12.0%	5.4%	10.0%	17.1%
The war in Afghanistan	1.7%	3.4%	0.0%	1.6%	0.0%	2.3%	0.3%	0.5%	3.8%	1.7%	0.4%	3.1%	0.4%	1.0%
Taxes	3.3%	2.6%	5.0%	2.8%	2.1%	2.4%	4.1%	2.5%	3.6%	3.7%	2.8%	2.1%	3.4%	4.8%

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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% (338)	100.0% (236)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (381)	100.0% (285)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (145)

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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	17.8%	13.9%	18.4%	21.8%	13.9%	41.6%	22.1%	14.0%	21.4%	13.1%	20.4%	23.2%
Somewhat Approve	26.4%	37.3%	24.4%	22.9%	24.1%	38.0%	33.0%	28.0%	25.0%	24.3%	24.0%	32.8%
Disapprove	14.2%	15.4%	15.1%	6.0%	15.6%	3.9%	15.3%	13.3%	15.1%	14.3%	17.0%	11.0%
Strongly Disapprove	34.4%	22.4%	35.0%	46.9%	40.0%	4.0%	22.5%	39.2%	29.9%	36.8%	35.4%	29.3%
Not Sure	7.1%	11.0%	7.1%	2.4%	6.3%	12.4%	7.0%	5.6%	8.6%	11.5%	3.3%	3.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1000)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (816)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (562)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly Approve	17.8%	39.7%	1.4%	9.1%	33.0%	22.9%	7.6%	17.1%	14.2%	19.7%	19.0%	16.9%	15.4%	23.1%
Somewhat Approve	26.4%	37.0%	7.4%	27.7%	46.3%	30.7%	10.4%	33.2%	29.1%	22.3%	25.4%	27.0%	28.3%	21.1%
Disapprove	14.2%	8.8%	19.6%	16.4%	9.7%	14.3%	13.4%	17.3%	12.9%	16.2%	9.9%	12.0%	16.5%	15.5%
Strongly Disapprove	34.4%	7.3%	67.9%	42.3%	8.0%	26.4%	64.8%	26.3%	36.1%	35.3%	37.4%	32.6%	36.1%	39.6%
Not Sure	7.1%	7.2%	3.7%	4.5%	3.1%	5.7%	3.8%	6.1%	7.6%	6.5%	8.3%	11.5%	3.7%	0.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1000)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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5. Awareness of Westboro Baptist Church ruling

How much have you heard or read about the Supreme Court ruling in the case involving members of the Westboro Baptist Church protesting at a military funeral?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A lot	35.1%	21.6%	37.9%	41.4%	37.6%	24.2%	24.6%	41.0%	29.6%	23.4%	40.5%	49.4%
A little	39.7%	38.9%	40.0%	38.4%	38.2%	46.3%	45.4%	37.8%	41.5%	40.5%	40.5%	37.5%
Nothing at all	25.2%	39.6%	22.1%	20.2%	24.2%	29.5%	30.0%	21.2%	28.9%	36.1%	19.0%	13.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (816)	100.0% (101)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (561)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A lot	35.1%	32.0%	40.5%	41.6%	39.3%	41.0%	41.4%	38.7%	30.9%	33.6%	39.1%	24.5%	40.3%	51.8%
A little	39.7%	43.4%	40.7%	36.7%	45.9%	37.6%	39.7%	37.4%	46.6%	37.8%	37.5%	38.2%	41.0%	36.1%
Nothing at all	25.2%	24.6%	18.8%	21.7%	14.9%	21.4%	18.8%	23.9%	22.5%	28.6%	23.4%	37.3%	18.7%	12.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (384)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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6. Support for Westboro's right to protest

Members of the Westboro Baptist Church believe that God is punishing America with war and terrorism because of its tolerance of homosexuality. They make these accusations during public protests at events such as military funerals. Do you support or oppose the right of these individuals to stage such protests?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly support	9.3%	11.3%	10.1%	4.7%	8.7%	12.9%	10.0%	13.5%	5.4%	8.8%	8.8%	10.6%
Somewhat support	11.7%	13.8%	12.0%	9.4%	12.9%	7.3%	5.8%	15.8%	8.0%	5.8%	12.3%	21.4%
Neither support, nor oppose	15.6%	19.8%	14.5%	9.6%	14.3%	20.2%	22.0%	14.3%	16.8%	17.0%	15.4%	13.4%
Somewhat oppose	8.7%	8.8%	9.3%	7.3%	9.8%	1.9%	7.6%	7.4%	9.9%	6.6%	8.3%	12.9%
Strongly oppose	47.4%	35.1%	48.5%	60.7%	48.9%	37.4%	47.4%	44.6%	50.0%	49.9%	50.1%	40.1%
Not sure	7.2%	11.3%	5.6%	8.4%	5.3%	20.3%	7.2%	4.3%	10.0%	11.9%	5.1%	1.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1000)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (816)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (562)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly support	9.3%	10.2%	5.3%	11.6%	9.8%	8.7%	9.9%	7.7%	5.8%	11.3%	10.9%	10.3%	9.1%	7.4%
Somewhat support	11.7%	11.6%	11.5%	13.2%	16.7%	14.6%	9.4%	16.8%	8.5%	9.4%	15.0%	5.6%	15.2%	20.5%
Neither support, nor oppose	15.6%	16.6%	11.9%	16.4%	18.8%	13.5%	11.8%	13.2%	15.3%	17.5%	14.7%	18.8%	13.2%	11.6%
Somewhat oppose	8.7%	6.7%	11.1%	8.7%	10.7%	9.0%	8.4%	7.4%	10.7%	8.4%	8.2%	7.2%	8.5%	14.1%
Strongly oppose	47.4%	47.2%	55.3%	45.6%	39.1%	50.0%	57.5%	50.6%	51.2%	45.1%	44.7%	46.9%	50.2%	45.4%
Not sure	7.2%	7.7%	4.9%	4.5%	5.0%	4.1%	2.9%	4.3%	8.4%	8.3%	6.5%	11.2%	3.8%	1.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1000)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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7. Free speech protections

The First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution protects the freedom of expression. There are some exceptions to this general protection, such as if speech incites immediate violence. Do you think Americans have too much or too little freedom to speak freely?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Too much	17.5%	12.9%	17.4%	24.6%	17.5%	13.9%	23.4%	14.0%	20.7%	18.0%	17.4%	16.6%
About right	52.0%	49.1%	52.3%	54.1%	53.9%	40.1%	49.8%	55.6%	48.6%	41.6%	55.3%	66.2%
Too little	17.9%	21.7%	18.3%	10.1%	17.7%	20.3%	16.2%	20.6%	15.3%	23.1%	17.1%	9.8%
Not sure	12.7%	16.3%	12.0%	11.1%	10.9%	25.7%	10.6%	9.8%	15.4%	17.3%	10.2%	7.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (637)	100.0% (149)	100.0% (810)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (436)	100.0% (558)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (269)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Too much	17.5%	17.0%	17.8%	18.3%	9.2%	22.0%	17.7%	18.7%	20.5%	14.4%	18.3%	16.3%	18.0%	21.3%
About right	52.0%	53.9%	55.7%	52.2%	63.1%	56.4%	52.5%	41.3%	50.4%	54.7%	57.3%	42.7%	57.2%	64.5%
Too little	17.9%	14.3%	16.4%	22.8%	22.2%	12.2%	20.7%	26.7%	14.8%	17.4%	15.2%	22.5%	17.5%	10.1%
Not sure	12.7%	14.7%	10.1%	6.7%	5.6%	9.3%	9.1%	13.3%	14.4%	13.5%	9.1%	18.4%	7.2%	4.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (237)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (285)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (144)

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8. Support for hate speech law

Would you support or oppose a law that would make it a crime for people to make public comments that advocate genocide or hatred against an identifiable group based on such things as their race, gender, religion, ethnic origin, or sexual orientation?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly support	20.8%	19.3%	19.6%	26.1%	18.2%	36.4%	24.3%	18.3%	23.1%	19.8%	22.0%	21.1%
Somewhat support	17.4%	16.4%	17.1%	19.3%	18.5%	7.7%	21.0%	15.8%	18.8%	16.6%	20.2%	15.6%
Neither support, nor oppose	18.0%	21.2%	17.6%	17.0%	17.9%	21.1%	14.0%	17.5%	18.5%	21.7%	14.0%	16.0%
Somewhat oppose	12.7%	13.3%	13.0%	11.0%	12.9%	9.7%	14.8%	12.6%	12.8%	10.9%	14.3%	14.1%
Strongly oppose	21.9%	17.6%	24.2%	17.6%	24.6%	8.3%	14.7%	29.0%	15.3%	17.5%	22.0%	29.5%
Not sure	9.3%	12.2%	8.4%	9.1%	8.0%	16.9%	11.2%	6.8%	11.6%	13.6%	7.5%	3.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (815)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (561)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly support	20.8%	30.1%	15.8%	17.2%	19.1%	28.8%	15.7%	19.4%	21.8%	22.6%	17.7%	20.4%	20.0%	21.3%
Somewhat support	17.4%	18.7%	14.6%	18.6%	23.7%	18.9%	15.5%	17.1%	17.5%	17.8%	16.7%	15.4%	19.4%	18.8%
Neither support, nor oppose	18.0%	15.0%	24.0%	14.0%	16.7%	13.1%	21.3%	14.9%	19.7%	19.0%	16.8%	22.4%	14.2%	13.8%
Somewhat oppose	12.7%	11.5%	13.7%	13.8%	17.2%	10.0%	14.6%	10.7%	13.1%	14.2%	11.2%	9.4%	15.9%	19.1%
Strongly oppose	21.9%	15.4%	25.7%	27.9%	17.4%	20.5%	30.0%	30.3%	14.7%	18.3%	28.9%	18.8%	25.4%	24.1%
Not sure	9.3%	9.3%	6.2%	8.6%	6.0%	8.7%	2.9%	7.6%	13.2%	8.0%	8.5%	13.6%	5.0%	3.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (287)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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9. These countries are friends or allies of the U.S.

Which of the following countries do you consider to be a friend 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
Iran	2.6%	4.8%	1.4%	1.9%	2.1%	4.7%	5.0%	2.7%	2.5%	3.1%	2.8%	1.5%
Israel	66.7%	53.3%	70.1%	72.9%	69.5%	51.7%	59.7%	75.4%	58.6%	52.7%	72.8%	84.2%
Egypt	46.6%	38.8%	49.2%	50.0%	47.7%	40.6%	44.8%	53.2%	40.4%	34.7%	49.8%	63.7%
Saudi Arabia	45.2%	30.8%	49.0%	49.5%	46.7%	41.1%	34.4%	56.8%	34.3%	37.6%	44.0%	59.6%
Jordan	37.6%	29.4%	41.2%	37.4%	37.9%	39.1%	31.3%	41.9%	33.5%	27.5%	37.6%	55.1%
Yemen	13.2%	15.6%	13.1%	11.5%	12.6%	15.9%	15.4%	15.4%	11.0%	7.8%	13.8%	21.7%
Tunisia	17.9%	20.2%	17.7%	17.5%	16.7%	25.6%	19.2%	20.6%	15.5%	12.9%	17.5%	27.2%
Iraq	24.0%	18.0%	22.9%	31.5%	25.8%	16.5%	16.4%	29.7%	18.7%	17.3%	27.7%	31.6%
Bahrain	25.2%	23.1%	27.6%	21.0%	25.7%	22.2%	25.6%	32.3%	18.6%	16.2%	24.3%	42.0%
Libya	6.4%	13.8%	5.5%	1.0%	4.4%	15.0%	13.9%	5.7%	7.1%	5.9%	7.2%	6.2%
Totals	(1000)	(202)	(641)	(151)	(816)	(102)	(82)	(438)	(562)	(403)	(327)	(270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Iran	2.6%	4.3%	3.4%	1.0%	4.7%	1.7%	2.1%	1.2%	1.4%	3.9%	2.9%	3.5%	1.7%	3.2%
Israel	66.7%	63.6%	78.1%	72.1%	70.8%	68.9%	82.1%	69.5%	58.1%	68.2%	71.0%	54.2%	75.8%	80.5%
Egypt	46.6%	47.7%	52.2%	49.5%	62.4%	47.3%	53.0%	45.2%	37.1%	47.7%	55.7%	34.5%	54.1%	59.5%
Saudi Arabia	45.2%	43.9%	49.0%	46.7%	51.3%	48.1%	49.7%	45.4%	39.3%	46.0%	49.7%	34.3%	51.2%	62.4%
Jordan	37.6%	42.3%	36.2%	37.9%	52.3%	41.1%	37.2%	32.6%	32.8%	40.7%	41.0%	29.0%	40.1%	51.4%
Yemen	13.2%	15.6%	11.7%	13.6%	21.0%	14.1%	12.6%	13.6%	12.7%	13.4%	13.0%	11.3%	13.6%	19.7%
Tunisia	17.9%	22.4%	13.7%	18.6%	31.0%	19.9%	16.8%	18.8%	10.7%	17.5%	25.4%	14.1%	18.0%	29.3%
Iraq	24.0%	21.6%	33.6%	23.7%	28.5%	22.1%	31.5%	29.2%	24.5%	21.8%	23.2%	15.7%	27.5%	40.5%
Bahrain	25.2%	23.3%	22.7%	31.1%	34.8%	29.6%	24.7%	24.5%	16.5%	28.4%	29.7%	16.9%	28.9%	37.3%
Libya	6.4%	8.8%	3.4%	6.3%	10.2%	6.2%	6.4%	5.1%	5.2%	8.1%	5.8%	8.6%	4.4%	7.0%
Totals	(1000)	(343)	(239)	(317)	(180)	(385)	(288)	(168)	(232)	(365)	(235)	(373)	(373)	(145)

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10. These countries are unfriendly or enemies of the U.S.

Which of the following countries do you consider to be a friend 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
Iran	78.7%	62.8%	83.1%	85.1%	80.4%	66.9%	78.7%	84.6%	73.1%	69.1%	81.1%	92.6%
Israel	10.5%	13.0%	10.5%	8.2%	8.8%	16.4%	19.3%	9.6%	11.3%	13.8%	6.8%	8.8%
Egypt	21.6%	15.8%	23.3%	21.7%	21.2%	23.1%	22.9%	21.9%	21.3%	23.8%	22.5%	16.7%
Saudi Arabia	27.7%	27.5%	27.6%	27.9%	26.9%	29.3%	34.6%	24.0%	31.2%	26.0%	32.9%	25.0%
Jordan	24.6%	13.4%	26.9%	28.9%	25.0%	22.2%	24.3%	29.7%	19.8%	23.6%	27.7%	23.0%
Yemen	41.9%	22.9%	48.8%	43.0%	43.8%	36.3%	30.0%	50.1%	34.3%	37.7%	44.5%	46.3%
Tunisia	26.6%	14.0%	31.7%	25.4%	26.9%	23.8%	27.7%	29.6%	23.8%	24.1%	29.2%	28.0%
Iraq	50.4%	45.0%	54.0%	47.9%	49.6%	52.4%	55.5%	47.8%	52.8%	47.0%	53.5%	52.9%
Bahrain	23.4%	14.3%	26.9%	23.8%	23.2%	26.3%	21.2%	24.7%	22.2%	22.8%	26.1%	21.4%
Libya	62.9%	35.2%	70.0%	73.2%	66.9%	41.9%	53.4%	71.2%	55.2%	55.2%	66.2%	72.8%
Totals	(1000)	(202)	(641)	(151)	(816)	(102)	(82)	(438)	(562)	(403)	(327)	(270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Iran	78.7%	77.3%	82.0%	84.2%	82.6%	83.0%	88.0%	86.1%	73.5%	76.1%	82.5%	69.4%	85.5%	91.2%
Israel	10.5%	13.0%	7.7%	7.7%	12.9%	11.5%	7.0%	13.9%	11.6%	9.2%	8.9%	13.6%	9.0%	9.2%
Egypt	21.6%	20.4%	26.5%	19.4%	13.8%	22.6%	25.8%	25.5%	23.2%	21.1%	17.9%	22.4%	22.2%	21.9%
Saudi Arabia	27.7%	30.3%	30.6%	26.8%	29.5%	28.5%	33.3%	29.9%	27.4%	27.8%	26.4%	28.8%	28.7%	28.0%
Jordan	24.6%	21.5%	34.8%	22.2%	15.5%	24.1%	34.2%	26.1%	25.0%	24.2%	23.7%	22.2%	27.0%	29.9%
Yemen	41.9%	37.0%	55.8%	39.5%	37.1%	39.1%	61.1%	37.4%	34.4%	44.5%	48.9%	32.7%	50.2%	53.5%
Tunisia	26.6%	23.8%	34.1%	26.4%	18.9%	24.0%	39.8%	23.5%	24.6%	28.2%	28.3%	22.0%	31.6%	31.0%
Iraq	50.4%	54.7%	46.7%	49.9%	52.1%	56.7%	49.6%	52.3%	46.5%	49.4%	54.6%	51.6%	51.4%	46.7%
Bahrain	23.4%	26.2%	28.9%	19.8%	20.6%	21.8%	29.7%	23.0%	24.5%	23.5%	22.4%	23.1%	26.4%	22.0%
Libya	62.9%	60.7%	73.7%	64.4%	67.4%	65.3%	73.9%	67.0%	58.9%	59.7%	69.4%	51.0%	73.5%	76.5%
Totals	(1000)	(343)	(239)	(317)	(180)	(385)	(288)	(168)	(232)	(365)	(235)	(373)	(373)	(145)

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11. Awareness of protests in Libya

How much have you heard or read about the protests in Libya against Colonel Muammar Gaddafi?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A lot	52.4%	37.2%	55.0%	62.8%	54.5%	43.5%	43.9%	64.5%	41.1%	40.0%	57.1%	68.8%
A little	32.2%	33.0%	33.0%	29.5%	32.0%	31.0%	36.7%	25.0%	39.0%	35.1%	32.5%	26.9%
Nothing at all	15.4%	29.8%	12.0%	7.8%	13.5%	25.5%	19.3%	10.5%	19.9%	24.9%	10.4%	4.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1000)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (816)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (562)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A lot	52.4%	50.2%	60.9%	56.7%	56.8%	54.8%	62.7%	60.5%	44.6%	49.9%	58.5%	39.2%	60.0%	69.1%
A little	32.2%	35.5%	26.1%	33.1%	33.5%	33.8%	31.1%	21.8%	39.7%	33.7%	30.1%	35.7%	31.3%	23.8%
Nothing at all	15.4%	14.3%	13.0%	10.1%	9.7%	11.4%	6.2%	17.7%	15.8%	16.5%	11.4%	25.0%	8.7%	7.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1000)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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12. Approval of Obama's response to protests in Libya

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama has responded to the protests in Libya? Asked if respondent is aware of protests in Libya

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	16.1%	13.4%	15.4%	22.0%	12.7%	39.9%	20.0%	14.1%	18.1%	12.1%	16.3%	21.2%
Somewhat approve	31.9%	32.3%	32.8%	26.7%	31.0%	34.2%	38.7%	32.8%	30.9%	33.2%	25.1%	37.2%
Somewhat disapprove	19.6%	19.7%	18.8%	23.5%	21.4%	10.2%	11.6%	19.2%	20.0%	20.4%	22.3%	15.6%
Strongly disapprove	15.8%	9.3%	16.6%	20.1%	17.4%	5.7%	12.2%	20.7%	10.6%	15.8%	17.5%	13.9%
No opinion	16.7%	25.3%	16.4%	7.7%	17.5%	10.0%	17.6%	13.2%	20.3%	18.4%	18.7%	12.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (859)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (569)	100.0% (145)	100.0% (712)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (70)	100.0% (410)	100.0% (449)	100.0% (313)	100.0% (290)	100.0% (256)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	16.1%	32.3%	2.3%	12.5%	29.2%	21.5%	4.9%	21.6%	12.5%	15.2%	17.1%	14.8%	14.6%	17.9%
Somewhat approve	31.9%	40.3%	14.6%	34.0%	45.4%	37.9%	19.1%	32.6%	31.3%	33.6%	29.4%	31.8%	32.7%	32.8%
Somewhat disapprove	19.6%	9.0%	31.2%	21.8%	7.0%	18.0%	26.4%	18.6%	21.3%	19.1%	19.4%	19.8%	19.0%	23.3%
Strongly disapprove	15.8%	3.8%	36.7%	13.8%	3.3%	9.1%	34.6%	13.7%	15.5%	16.1%	17.0%	13.3%	17.3%	17.8%
No opinion	16.7%	14.6%	15.1%	17.9%	15.1%	13.5%	14.9%	13.5%	19.4%	16.0%	17.2%	20.3%	16.4%	8.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (859)	100.0% (298)	100.0% (216)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (139)	100.0% (196)	100.0% (313)	100.0% (211)	100.0% (289)	100.0% (338)	100.0% (139)

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13. International community should take the following actions to respond to events in Libya

How should the international community respond to events in Libya? Please check all options that you support. Asked if respondent is aware of protests in Libya

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Apply sanctions	53.9%	49.8%	55.8%	54.0%	56.0%	43.3%	44.5%	57.3%	50.3%	42.9%	57.5%	65.2%
Send humanitarian aid	43.8%	53.4%	43.3%	34.5%	43.7%	42.8%	46.5%	45.6%	41.9%	32.8%	46.0%	56.4%
Evacuate refugees	50.1%	58.3%	48.2%	48.0%	51.1%	50.4%	37.2%	50.9%	49.3%	41.2%	49.9%	62.6%
Intervene militarily	14.9%	15.8%	14.7%	15.6%	15.7%	9.7%	12.1%	17.6%	11.9%	17.3%	16.6%	9.7%
Impose a "no-fly zone" over Libya	41.9%	32.9%	43.0%	49.0%	43.9%	32.0%	32.0%	48.3%	35.2%	41.0%	40.3%	44.8%
None of these	15.0%	14.5%	14.9%	14.6%	13.9%	20.0%	20.5%	12.2%	17.9%	20.0%	15.6%	7.4%
Totals	(860)	(142)	(570)	(145)	(713)	(77)	(70)	(411)	(449)	(314)	(290)	(256)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Apply sanctions	53.9%	51.1%	58.6%	56.3%	60.1%	55.0%	55.8%	60.1%	45.7%	51.3%	61.5%	47.3%	56.2%	63.3%
Send humanitarian aid	43.8%	46.8%	38.4%	46.1%	61.3%	46.1%	36.3%	49.2%	33.8%	47.7%	43.7%	35.1%	48.6%	56.9%
Evacuate refugees	50.1%	51.9%	48.0%	51.6%	64.7%	52.5%	43.6%	56.2%	48.5%	49.1%	49.0%	42.7%	52.1%	60.0%
Intervene militarily	14.9%	10.9%	20.5%	13.3%	10.2%	11.4%	22.1%	19.8%	11.7%	14.6%	15.0%	14.0%	16.7%	14.2%
Impose a "no-fly zone" over Libya	41.9%	37.7%	54.0%	40.2%	37.2%	41.6%	50.7%	46.8%	42.1%	38.2%	43.9%	35.4%	44.1%	52.6%
None of these	15.0%	15.2%	12.5%	14.6%	10.5%	11.8%	13.4%	6.5%	19.3%	17.3%	13.1%	19.2%	13.1%	9.5%
Totals	(860)	(298)	(216)	(289)	(165)	(347)	(271)	(139)	(196)	(313)	(212)	(289)	(339)	(139)

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14. Importance of moon landing

About forty years ago, the United States spent a great deal of time, effort, and money to land men on the moon. Looking back now, do you think that effort was worth it, or not?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Definitely worth it	40.1%	31.7%	42.9%	40.9%	42.2%	26.6%	39.7%	45.7%	34.9%	29.4%	46.6%	51.5%
Probably worth it	29.1%	33.6%	28.2%	23.5%	29.9%	21.9%	32.6%	27.2%	30.9%	31.1%	26.1%	29.0%
Probably not worth it	18.7%	17.7%	18.0%	24.3%	18.2%	22.1%	18.3%	16.1%	21.1%	21.8%	18.3%	13.5%
Definitely not worth it	12.1%	17.1%	10.9%	11.3%	9.7%	29.5%	9.4%	11.1%	13.0%	17.6%	8.9%	5.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (992)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (150)	100.0% (811)	100.0% (100)	100.0% (81)	100.0% (435)	100.0% (557)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (268)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Definitely worth it	40.1%	36.5%	50.4%	39.3%	46.9%	39.7%	47.1%	37.6%	32.8%	43.4%	44.3%	31.0%	46.0%	57.5%
Probably worth it	29.1%	28.1%	27.8%	29.6%	27.9%	29.7%	24.8%	36.2%	33.9%	23.9%	27.6%	26.9%	31.1%	28.0%
Probably not worth it	18.7%	19.3%	14.2%	20.0%	19.0%	19.7%	16.5%	16.4%	20.5%	21.2%	14.3%	23.8%	15.7%	9.2%
Definitely not worth it	12.1%	16.1%	7.7%	11.0%	6.1%	10.9%	11.6%	9.7%	12.8%	11.6%	13.9%	18.4%	7.2%	5.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (992)	100.0% (339)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (384)	100.0% (287)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (145)

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15. Rating of NASA's performance

How would you rate the job being done by NASA (National Aeronautics and Space Administration), the United States space agency?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Excellent	17.3%	15.9%	17.3%	17.2%	17.2%	12.7%	26.3%	17.2%	17.4%	16.8%	18.7%	16.7%
Good	40.7%	38.8%	39.6%	45.9%	41.1%	36.7%	42.9%	36.0%	45.2%	37.1%	43.5%	43.8%
Fair	34.0%	36.1%	33.8%	34.7%	34.2%	36.6%	26.9%	36.3%	31.9%	37.7%	29.7%	32.4%
Poor	7.9%	9.2%	9.2%	2.2%	7.4%	14.1%	3.9%	10.5%	5.5%	8.4%	8.0%	7.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (991)	100.0% (201)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (150)	100.0% (810)	100.0% (101)	100.0% (80)	100.0% (434)	100.0% (557)	100.0% (399)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (269)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Excellent	17.3%	18.5%	20.6%	15.5%	15.1%	17.9%	20.7%	17.7%	13.3%	17.6%	20.8%	15.7%	18.1%	19.8%
Good	40.7%	44.3%	42.8%	35.0%	48.3%	41.8%	39.6%	43.1%	44.1%	40.4%	36.1%	36.1%	45.9%	41.1%
Fair	34.0%	29.9%	26.6%	42.4%	31.2%	30.9%	31.6%	28.8%	35.8%	33.3%	37.2%	38.3%	29.4%	33.2%
Poor	7.9%	7.2%	10.1%	7.2%	5.4%	9.4%	8.1%	10.5%	6.9%	8.7%	5.9%	9.9%	6.6%	5.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (991)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (314)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (381)	100.0% (287)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (144)

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16. Favor these space exploration objectives

Given the costs and risks involved in space exploration, would you favor or oppose 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
Sending astronauts to explore Mars?	46.6%	50.0%	49.9%	26.0%	48.4%	32.9%	48.9%	51.6%	41.9%	39.9%	51.7%	52.5%
Sending astronauts back to explore the moon?	42.8%	43.4%	43.7%	33.9%	44.3%	30.8%	46.3%	47.0%	38.9%	39.9%	43.0%	47.7%
Continuing the space shuttle program?	54.8%	51.6%	55.1%	56.7%	58.1%	37.2%	46.8%	57.6%	52.2%	51.5%	57.3%	57.9%
Awarding federal grants to encourage private companies to build, launch and operate spacecraft for NASA?	46.2%	41.9%	47.5%	44.3%	47.9%	37.5%	42.7%	54.1%	38.9%	40.8%	47.3%	54.5%
Ending NASA's human space flight program?	17.5%	16.8%	17.0%	22.0%	16.4%	26.5%	15.8%	17.6%	17.5%	22.3%	15.6%	11.4%
Totals	(1000)	(202)	(641)	(151)	(816)	(102)	(82)	(438)	(562)	(403)	(327)	(270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Sending astronauts to explore Mars?	46.6%	44.4%	55.3%	45.6%	54.6%	48.8%	46.6%	55.9%	41.2%	44.2%	48.9%	42.0%	49.7%	55.3%
Sending astronauts back to explore the moon?	42.8%	39.0%	54.9%	38.5%	45.1%	41.3%	51.4%	52.8%	37.4%	40.6%	44.5%	40.5%	42.8%	51.2%
Continuing the space shuttle program?	54.8%	50.4%	66.1%	55.9%	56.2%	58.0%	60.9%	59.2%	52.9%	51.0%	59.7%	50.0%	58.2%	60.2%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Awarding federal grants to encourage private companies to build, launch and operate spacecraft for NASA?	46.2%	40.8%	59.6%	44.7%	48.7%	45.8%	56.5%	47.3%	42.5%	44.4%	52.3%	37.4%	51.4%	60.2%
Ending NASA's human space flight program?	17.5%	18.8%	12.9%	18.8%	8.9%	19.8%	19.9%	14.1%	13.9%	20.0%	19.8%	23.7%	15.5%	8.5%
Totals	(1000)	(343)	(239)	(317)	(180)	(385)	(288)	(168)	(232)	(365)	(235)	(373)	(373)	(145)

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17. Oppose these space exploration objectives

Given the costs and risks involved in space exploration, would you favor or oppose 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
Sending astronauts to explore Mars?	25.3%	24.6%	23.6%	35.4%	24.5%	33.2%	21.1%	24.9%	25.7%	26.7%	24.2%	24.2%
Sending astronauts back to explore the moon?	28.2%	28.6%	27.8%	31.7%	27.1%	37.4%	24.8%	28.2%	28.1%	29.2%	27.1%	27.5%
Continuing the space shuttle program?	16.8%	17.8%	15.5%	19.4%	15.4%	29.2%	12.3%	16.8%	16.9%	18.9%	16.1%	14.1%
Awarding federal grants to encourage private companies to build, launch and operate spacecraft for NASA?	24.9%	29.1%	24.4%	24.1%	24.9%	25.1%	24.6%	22.2%	27.5%	25.1%	28.4%	20.8%
Ending NASA's human space flight program?	53.7%	48.6%	56.9%	46.8%	57.2%	32.8%	48.8%	59.0%	48.8%	43.0%	62.7%	62.3%
Totals	(1000)	(202)	(641)	(151)	(816)	(102)	(82)	(438)	(562)	(403)	(327)	(270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Sending astronauts to explore Mars?	25.3%	27.5%	14.8%	32.4%	23.5%	25.4%	25.5%	20.3%	25.5%	26.0%	27.8%	27.2%	26.9%	21.0%
Sending astronauts back to explore the moon?	28.2%	28.9%	20.7%	35.6%	25.4%	27.6%	27.3%	22.7%	27.4%	29.7%	30.5%	30.3%	28.3%	24.2%
Continuing the space shuttle program?	16.8%	18.4%	12.5%	18.3%	13.3%	17.2%	15.3%	17.5%	14.4%	18.9%	15.5%	19.9%	15.4%	15.8%

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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+
Awarding federal grants to encourage private companies to build, launch and operate spacecraft for NASA?	24.9%	28.0%	19.6%	28.2%	28.0%	22.3%	24.1%	29.5%	23.7%	24.3%	23.8%	27.0%	25.3%	19.2%
Ending NASA's human space flight program?	53.7%	47.3%	62.6%	60.7%	62.9%	51.8%	58.2%	63.2%	50.6%	51.7%	53.0%	47.4%	57.3%	64.0%
Totals	(1000)	(343)	(239)	(317)	(180)	(385)	(288)	(168)	(232)	(365)	(235)	(373)	(373)	(145)

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18. Level of spending on space program

Are we spending too much or too little on space exploration programs?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Too much	30.9%	29.6%	31.2%	34.3%	30.3%	37.8%	25.5%	30.4%	31.4%	34.2%	30.7%	25.2%
About the right amount	26.5%	28.4%	24.8%	31.9%	25.9%	28.8%	29.0%	26.9%	26.1%	27.0%	25.1%	27.1%
Too little	21.3%	22.4%	22.3%	14.9%	23.6%	6.3%	20.1%	26.1%	16.7%	12.2%	24.9%	33.0%
Not sure	21.4%	19.5%	21.7%	19.0%	20.2%	27.1%	25.4%	16.6%	25.8%	26.5%	19.3%	14.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (638)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (813)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (437)	100.0% (560)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (269)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Too much	30.9%	30.9%	21.0%	37.4%	25.1%	31.7%	31.7%	28.6%	31.3%	29.6%	34.3%	34.6%	30.7%	24.8%
About the right amount	26.5%	28.8%	26.5%	23.6%	25.5%	29.0%	28.3%	22.9%	23.7%	29.1%	27.9%	24.1%	27.7%	32.1%
Too little	21.3%	17.4%	29.5%	22.1%	31.8%	19.3%	23.5%	24.6%	18.4%	21.0%	22.0%	16.0%	23.4%	28.5%
Not sure	21.4%	23.0%	23.0%	16.8%	17.6%	20.0%	16.4%	23.9%	26.6%	20.3%	15.8%	25.3%	18.2%	14.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (143)

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19. Commercial transport to International Space Station

How likely is it that commercial space vehicles to transport astronauts to and from the International Space Station will be available by 2016?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very likely	7.8%	4.0%	9.8%	5.6%	7.3%	12.4%	5.0%	11.1%	4.6%	7.1%	8.4%	8.3%
Somewhat likely	28.6%	23.5%	29.5%	34.4%	27.3%	32.9%	35.9%	26.7%	30.3%	24.8%	32.0%	31.4%
Not too likely	29.1%	27.2%	28.2%	30.5%	31.9%	13.6%	23.7%	28.8%	29.4%	27.2%	29.9%	31.6%
Not at all likely	12.4%	13.1%	12.6%	11.8%	12.5%	12.5%	11.1%	15.5%	9.5%	11.9%	10.5%	15.4%
Not sure	22.1%	32.3%	19.9%	17.8%	21.0%	28.7%	24.3%	17.9%	26.1%	29.1%	19.2%	13.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (815)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (561)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very likely	7.8%	11.1%	9.0%	5.5%	8.9%	8.2%	9.3%	8.9%	5.9%	7.6%	9.0%	6.7%	10.3%	6.2%
Somewhat likely	28.6%	31.6%	28.6%	26.3%	32.4%	30.0%	30.7%	29.8%	28.9%	26.8%	30.3%	29.6%	27.8%	30.3%
Not too likely	29.1%	25.4%	33.2%	29.3%	31.3%	29.3%	31.9%	30.8%	25.1%	31.1%	28.6%	24.1%	33.1%	38.1%
Not at all likely	12.4%	10.6%	12.1%	16.4%	12.3%	12.8%	13.8%	10.4%	13.2%	12.3%	13.3%	12.7%	10.8%	12.6%
Not sure	22.1%	21.3%	17.0%	22.5%	15.1%	19.7%	14.3%	20.0%	26.9%	22.2%	18.8%	26.9%	17.9%	12.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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20. Personal space travel

If you had a chance in your lifetime to travel to outer space and money were no object, would you do so or not?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Definitely would	25.1%	35.1%	25.8%	8.1%	24.7%	26.5%	26.8%	32.0%	18.6%	19.1%	29.5%	30.6%
Probably would	24.2%	30.1%	24.1%	16.8%	24.5%	20.1%	27.6%	25.4%	23.0%	22.6%	21.0%	30.3%
Probably would not	24.2%	25.7%	23.6%	24.2%	23.8%	25.0%	27.7%	21.0%	27.3%	25.3%	28.5%	17.7%
Definitely would not	26.5%	9.1%	26.5%	50.8%	27.0%	28.4%	18.0%	21.6%	31.1%	33.0%	21.0%	21.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (639)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (814)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (560)	100.0% (401)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Definitely would	25.1%	21.4%	29.4%	26.2%	30.9%	25.8%	28.9%	27.4%	18.3%	25.7%	29.4%	22.6%	25.8%	28.9%
Probably would	24.2%	27.6%	21.7%	24.3%	32.0%	25.0%	19.7%	24.3%	26.5%	23.7%	22.4%	21.3%	22.6%	29.8%
Probably would not	24.2%	21.0%	24.4%	29.0%	21.7%	24.2%	22.9%	22.7%	26.6%	22.9%	25.3%	25.4%	26.9%	19.3%
Definitely would not	26.5%	30.0%	24.5%	20.5%	15.3%	25.0%	28.5%	25.6%	28.6%	27.7%	22.9%	30.7%	24.6%	22.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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21. Job approval of governor

Do you approve or disapprove of the way the governor of your state is doing his or her 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	9.6%	7.3%	9.2%	14.7%	9.6%	10.1%	8.5%	10.9%	8.2%	7.4%	10.6%	12.0%
Somewhat approve	22.4%	18.5%	21.1%	28.7%	23.3%	13.8%	26.5%	23.6%	21.3%	19.5%	24.9%	24.6%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	31.2%	40.6%	31.1%	21.7%	30.1%	44.4%	21.9%	27.7%	34.5%	35.8%	29.5%	25.1%
Somewhat disapprove	13.3%	12.3%	14.9%	9.0%	13.4%	10.1%	18.1%	13.1%	13.5%	13.6%	13.7%	12.3%
Strongly disapprove	23.6%	21.3%	23.7%	25.9%	23.7%	21.6%	25.1%	24.8%	22.5%	23.6%	21.2%	26.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (638)	100.0% (148)	100.0% (811)	100.0% (101)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (435)	100.0% (559)	100.0% (401)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (269)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	9.6%	7.3%	17.7%	7.6%	7.9%	8.9%	16.4%	8.2%	9.7%	8.8%	11.6%	6.6%	8.2%	15.6%
Somewhat approve	22.4%	20.8%	28.9%	23.4%	24.2%	21.6%	27.9%	22.0%	20.5%	20.4%	27.8%	20.6%	24.8%	26.6%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	31.2%	34.1%	19.2%	32.3%	28.2%	31.6%	21.2%	36.4%	29.8%	31.6%	28.2%	36.0%	27.5%	20.3%
Somewhat disapprove	13.3%	12.1%	11.3%	14.8%	13.4%	11.9%	13.5%	10.7%	12.5%	15.9%	11.9%	13.0%	15.0%	12.7%
Strongly disapprove	23.6%	25.7%	22.9%	21.9%	26.2%	26.0%	21.0%	22.7%	27.5%	23.4%	20.5%	23.8%	24.5%	24.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (314)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (286)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (368)	100.0% (145)

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22. Job approval of state legislature

Do you approve or disapprove of the way the legislature of your state is doing 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	3.3%	4.4%	2.9%	3.3%	2.5%	9.8%	1.2%	3.5%	3.1%	3.3%	4.6%	1.7%
Somewhat approve	20.2%	18.6%	18.9%	26.5%	21.1%	14.8%	18.8%	22.5%	18.0%	15.9%	23.7%	23.9%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	31.0%	40.6%	29.2%	24.6%	28.7%	45.3%	33.8%	26.7%	35.1%	38.7%	26.9%	22.2%
Somewhat disapprove	24.2%	18.7%	26.1%	24.5%	25.9%	12.4%	25.1%	23.8%	24.5%	22.4%	24.1%	27.5%
Strongly disapprove	21.3%	17.7%	22.9%	21.0%	21.9%	17.7%	21.1%	23.5%	19.2%	19.7%	20.8%	24.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (636)	100.0% (150)	100.0% (812)	100.0% (100)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (436)	100.0% (558)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (269)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	3.3%	3.0%	5.9%	2.1%	2.0%	2.3%	6.8%	2.9%	2.9%	3.3%	4.0%	3.2%	2.2%	5.0%
Somewhat approve	20.2%	15.6%	30.4%	21.9%	17.7%	16.1%	32.7%	13.0%	23.6%	21.2%	20.4%	15.0%	23.2%	29.3%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	31.0%	34.1%	20.3%	29.1%	28.8%	31.5%	19.0%	35.8%	33.1%	30.3%	26.6%	41.2%	25.0%	15.1%
Somewhat disapprove	24.2%	24.7%	23.7%	25.4%	23.5%	24.9%	23.3%	21.6%	18.7%	27.0%	27.1%	20.7%	27.8%	22.3%
Strongly disapprove	21.3%	22.6%	19.8%	21.5%	27.9%	25.2%	18.3%	26.7%	21.7%	18.2%	21.9%	20.0%	21.7%	28.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (384)	100.0% (286)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (369)	100.0% (144)

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23. Trust in federal government to do what is right

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Just about always	1.7%	3.6%	1.5%	0.0%	0.6%	5.4%	7.5%	2.0%	1.4%	1.6%	2.9%	0.4%
Most of the time	10.9%	8.9%	11.1%	11.2%	10.4%	12.5%	14.3%	8.4%	13.2%	8.3%	13.6%	12.4%
Some of the time	40.5%	47.8%	37.3%	43.8%	39.3%	43.8%	47.6%	39.8%	41.0%	35.0%	40.7%	49.7%
Almost never	38.8%	25.0%	43.8%	37.8%	43.6%	14.2%	26.5%	43.2%	34.7%	41.2%	39.0%	34.5%
Not sure	8.1%	14.6%	6.3%	7.3%	6.1%	24.0%	4.1%	6.5%	9.6%	13.9%	3.8%	3.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (150)	100.0% (814)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (560)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Just about always	1.7%	3.2%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%	0.9%	3.3%	0.8%	0.0%	2.9%	2.1%	3.3%	0.3%	0.7%
Most of the time	10.9%	19.3%	7.5%	5.6%	18.7%	13.8%	7.5%	8.2%	11.0%	11.2%	12.4%	7.6%	13.2%	12.7%
Some of the time	40.5%	48.1%	32.2%	40.5%	57.6%	47.1%	26.6%	48.0%	39.6%	37.9%	39.8%	36.9%	43.1%	45.3%
Almost never	38.8%	19.5%	56.9%	47.4%	18.4%	32.5%	60.0%	38.6%	40.1%	40.0%	35.8%	38.9%	39.2%	39.6%
Not sure	8.1%	10.0%	3.4%	6.1%	5.3%	5.8%	2.6%	4.5%	9.3%	8.0%	10.0%	13.3%	4.2%	1.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (384)	100.0% (287)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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24. Trust in state government to do what is right

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Just about always	1.9%	3.8%	1.7%	0.5%	1.4%	6.3%	1.2%	2.2%	1.7%	2.4%	2.1%	1.0%
Most of the time	12.4%	10.9%	11.7%	18.0%	12.7%	7.3%	16.8%	12.1%	12.6%	9.3%	18.0%	11.6%
Some of the time	47.8%	49.2%	46.3%	48.1%	48.8%	38.9%	52.0%	47.3%	48.2%	42.3%	46.6%	58.7%
Almost never	30.0%	23.0%	33.8%	26.5%	31.1%	26.0%	24.8%	32.2%	27.9%	33.3%	29.3%	25.0%
Not sure	7.9%	13.1%	6.5%	6.8%	6.1%	21.5%	5.2%	6.2%	9.5%	12.8%	4.0%	3.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (637)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (812)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (437)	100.0% (559)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (268)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Just about always	1.9%	2.8%	1.4%	0.6%	0.9%	0.9%	3.6%	1.8%	0.8%	3.1%	1.4%	3.0%	1.0%	1.3%
Most of the time	12.4%	13.3%	16.6%	9.3%	14.2%	10.7%	17.1%	7.8%	11.8%	13.3%	14.8%	10.3%	13.8%	12.2%
Some of the time	47.8%	47.0%	46.0%	52.9%	54.2%	51.6%	45.9%	52.6%	50.2%	44.6%	46.9%	42.8%	52.5%	52.8%
Almost never	30.0%	27.1%	31.8%	32.0%	25.2%	30.8%	31.0%	31.3%	28.2%	31.3%	28.8%	31.5%	28.2%	32.0%
Not sure	7.9%	9.7%	4.2%	5.3%	5.5%	6.0%	2.4%	6.5%	9.0%	7.6%	8.2%	12.4%	4.5%	1.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (382)	100.0% (287)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (144)

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25. Trust in federal government to represent interests

How much of the time do you think you can trust the federal government in Washington D.C. to represent your interests?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Just about always	1.3%	4.1%	0.5%	1.1%	0.9%	3.2%	3.2%	1.8%	0.9%	1.5%	2.0%	0.2%
Most of the time	7.7%	8.1%	7.9%	6.9%	5.6%	15.5%	17.2%	5.6%	9.6%	6.4%	9.0%	8.2%
Some of the time	38.3%	40.8%	36.1%	41.2%	37.7%	37.1%	46.4%	33.9%	42.3%	30.9%	40.2%	49.0%
Almost never	44.3%	31.1%	49.1%	43.6%	49.4%	18.6%	29.1%	51.4%	37.6%	46.8%	44.9%	39.3%
Not sure	8.5%	15.8%	6.5%	7.2%	6.3%	25.6%	4.1%	7.3%	9.6%	14.5%	3.8%	3.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (150)	100.0% (815)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (561)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Just about always	1.3%	1.1%	0.7%	0.9%	0.4%	1.8%	0.7%	0.8%	0.4%	2.1%	1.4%	2.2%	0.7%	0.0%
Most of the time	7.7%	13.2%	4.3%	4.3%	9.1%	9.6%	7.3%	7.8%	7.3%	8.6%	6.4%	9.0%	6.4%	8.2%
Some of the time	38.3%	50.3%	30.8%	34.6%	61.2%	40.1%	27.4%	37.3%	38.3%	35.6%	43.3%	29.9%	44.0%	46.9%
Almost never	44.3%	24.3%	60.7%	54.0%	24.0%	42.6%	60.6%	48.8%	45.2%	43.2%	41.7%	44.6%	45.7%	43.2%
Not sure	8.5%	11.2%	3.5%	6.1%	5.4%	5.8%	4.0%	5.4%	8.8%	10.5%	7.3%	14.4%	3.3%	1.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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26. Trust in state government to represent interests

How much of the time do you think you can trust your state government to represent your interests?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Just about always	1.7%	4.1%	0.9%	1.6%	1.5%	3.1%	2.0%	2.6%	0.8%	1.5%	2.7%	0.9%
Most of the time	10.5%	8.1%	11.0%	12.6%	9.9%	12.2%	13.9%	10.2%	10.8%	8.4%	13.0%	11.3%
Some of the time	42.8%	47.4%	40.5%	43.6%	43.8%	30.3%	53.3%	43.1%	42.6%	35.4%	45.6%	52.7%
Almost never	35.2%	24.1%	39.7%	33.0%	37.2%	27.6%	25.7%	35.4%	35.1%	39.1%	34.3%	29.6%
Not sure	9.7%	16.3%	7.8%	9.2%	7.6%	26.8%	5.2%	8.6%	10.7%	15.5%	4.4%	5.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (815)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (437)	100.0% (562)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Just about always	1.7%	1.0%	3.0%	0.4%	0.0%	0.8%	3.6%	0.5%	1.5%	2.2%	1.9%	2.0%	1.1%	1.9%
Most of the time	10.5%	10.8%	14.0%	9.8%	9.0%	8.9%	16.7%	9.7%	7.9%	13.2%	9.4%	10.9%	10.9%	10.1%
Some of the time	42.8%	42.6%	41.8%	47.8%	53.7%	45.9%	37.2%	44.8%	47.2%	38.2%	44.6%	34.8%	51.6%	43.4%
Almost never	35.2%	33.6%	36.6%	35.3%	31.4%	36.7%	37.6%	37.4%	33.9%	35.4%	34.7%	36.8%	32.1%	42.8%
Not sure	9.7%	12.1%	4.7%	6.6%	5.9%	7.6%	5.0%	7.6%	9.5%	11.0%	9.4%	15.6%	4.3%	1.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (384)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (145)

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27. Responsiveness of public officials to ordinary people

Generally speaking, do you think that public officials care what people like you think?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Care a great deal	2.6%	4.9%	2.1%	1.7%	1.8%	7.6%	3.3%	3.3%	2.0%	2.4%	2.3%	3.3%
Care somewhat	22.5%	26.2%	21.1%	22.9%	21.3%	24.9%	31.6%	19.5%	25.2%	16.3%	24.9%	30.4%
Don't care very much	34.6%	31.0%	35.1%	39.4%	36.1%	23.1%	36.8%	36.7%	32.6%	31.2%	37.9%	36.8%
Don't care at all	34.9%	27.2%	37.3%	32.9%	36.3%	36.2%	17.6%	37.2%	32.8%	42.7%	30.7%	26.1%
Not sure	5.4%	10.7%	4.4%	3.1%	4.5%	8.2%	10.8%	3.2%	7.5%	7.4%	4.2%	3.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1000)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (816)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (562)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Care a great deal	2.6%	4.1%	2.8%	1.3%	2.5%	3.2%	3.2%	3.3%	1.7%	2.5%	3.1%	1.9%	3.2%	2.1%
Care somewhat	22.5%	27.1%	23.5%	19.4%	34.4%	23.3%	20.4%	21.0%	24.8%	19.2%	26.4%	19.2%	22.0%	23.4%
Don't care very much	34.6%	32.1%	41.2%	33.2%	33.1%	38.2%	34.6%	36.2%	38.3%	31.7%	34.3%	29.7%	38.5%	46.8%
Don't care at all	34.9%	32.4%	29.3%	42.4%	27.6%	30.9%	39.8%	35.4%	30.8%	40.2%	30.3%	40.9%	33.8%	25.3%
Not sure	5.4%	4.3%	3.1%	3.6%	2.4%	4.4%	1.8%	4.1%	4.3%	6.4%	6.0%	8.3%	2.5%	2.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1000)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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28. Obama's ideological leanings

Would you say Barack Obama is...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very liberal	30.2%	16.0%	32.4%	37.2%	35.0%	4.0%	20.4%	36.2%	24.6%	24.7%	36.7%	32.5%
Liberal	19.5%	22.5%	18.9%	19.8%	19.0%	26.2%	14.6%	21.0%	18.2%	18.4%	21.6%	19.2%
Moderate	27.6%	33.5%	27.1%	24.3%	26.5%	31.4%	34.3%	25.1%	29.9%	19.6%	26.7%	42.7%
Conservative	4.0%	3.9%	4.6%	1.9%	3.1%	7.9%	7.5%	2.2%	5.7%	5.1%	3.8%	2.3%
Very conservative	2.5%	4.0%	2.4%	0.9%	1.0%	9.0%	7.5%	1.1%	3.7%	3.7%	2.2%	0.7%
Not sure	16.2%	20.0%	14.6%	15.8%	15.4%	21.6%	15.6%	14.4%	17.9%	28.6%	9.0%	2.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1000)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (816)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (562)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	30.2%	3.5%	68.0%	35.3%	4.2%	22.0%	67.2%	21.9%	29.6%	30.5%	36.5%	21.5%	35.9%	40.6%
Liberal	19.5%	26.1%	13.1%	21.2%	37.5%	22.1%	13.1%	23.3%	18.1%	19.0%	19.1%	19.6%	18.7%	21.8%
Moderate	27.6%	43.8%	5.8%	28.9%	46.5%	42.8%	6.0%	30.4%	28.8%	25.7%	27.4%	23.7%	31.7%	24.4%
Conservative	4.0%	7.9%	1.5%	1.9%	3.5%	4.0%	5.5%	4.1%	4.2%	5.6%	1.2%	5.6%	3.3%	3.3%
Very conservative	2.5%	4.7%	0.8%	1.0%	3.8%	1.0%	4.2%	4.7%	0.8%	2.9%	1.8%	3.9%	1.1%	2.2%
Not sure	16.2%	14.0%	10.9%	11.6%	4.4%	8.1%	4.0%	15.6%	18.5%	16.3%	14.1%	25.7%	9.3%	7.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1000)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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29. Obama's sincerity

Do you think Barack Obama...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Says what he believes	49.1%	54.2%	47.8%	47.1%	43.2%	82.2%	59.7%	49.6%	48.6%	48.0%	43.9%	56.6%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	50.9%	45.8%	52.2%	52.9%	56.8%	17.8%	40.3%	50.4%	51.4%	52.0%	56.1%	43.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (201)	100.0% (638)	100.0% (149)	100.0% (811)	100.0% (101)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (433)	100.0% (561)	100.0% (398)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (269)

	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	49.1%	78.5%	19.5%	40.5%	76.6%	58.6%	26.5%	53.1%	47.2%	45.8%	53.4%	48.2%	47.1%	51.3%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	50.9%	21.5%	80.5%	59.5%	23.4%	41.4%	73.5%	46.9%	52.8%	54.2%	46.6%	51.8%	52.9%	48.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (165)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (370)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (145)

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30. Obama's likeability

Regardless of whether you agree with him, do you like Barack Obama as a person?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Like a lot	36.1%	35.8%	35.1%	37.1%	30.1%	73.3%	40.6%	31.3%	40.5%	29.8%	35.7%	47.3%
Like somewhat	30.2%	37.7%	31.2%	19.7%	32.2%	15.3%	33.2%	34.0%	26.7%	30.8%	30.2%	29.3%
Dislike	22.9%	16.5%	22.8%	30.4%	26.3%	4.0%	16.7%	24.1%	21.8%	25.3%	25.5%	15.8%
Not sure	10.8%	10.0%	10.8%	12.9%	11.4%	7.5%	9.5%	10.7%	10.9%	14.1%	8.6%	7.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (202)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (815)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (437)	100.0% (562)	100.0% (403)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (270)

	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	36.1%	66.2%	7.2%	29.4%	68.7%	44.7%	13.8%	40.6%	35.4%	35.4%	34.4%	31.9%	33.9%	43.9%
Like somewhat	30.2%	27.0%	28.7%	34.5%	24.3%	31.3%	28.4%	30.9%	31.9%	29.6%	29.2%	31.2%	32.6%	24.9%
Dislike	22.9%	3.6%	47.4%	28.1%	4.6%	16.5%	45.6%	17.4%	20.7%	23.9%	27.8%	21.4%	26.5%	23.3%
Not sure	10.8%	3.1%	16.7%	8.0%	2.4%	7.5%	12.1%	11.1%	12.1%	11.2%	8.7%	15.5%	7.0%	7.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (287)	100.0% (168)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (145)

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31. 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	33.0%	33.0%	32.8%	34.9%	28.0%	59.5%	45.5%	30.2%	35.7%	25.8%	35.7%	42.6%
Intelligent	62.1%	66.8%	59.3%	66.6%	58.6%	79.8%	72.6%	62.3%	61.9%	53.6%	64.9%	73.8%
Religious	15.9%	17.6%	15.4%	16.3%	12.3%	37.4%	20.6%	13.8%	17.8%	19.3%	15.1%	10.8%
Inspiring	35.7%	46.2%	33.2%	32.0%	31.3%	61.5%	43.4%	34.9%	36.5%	25.6%	39.4%	49.3%
Patriotic	29.5%	33.4%	27.7%	30.1%	26.0%	47.3%	39.7%	26.9%	32.0%	21.9%	30.8%	41.3%
Strong	29.0%	33.0%	27.7%	28.2%	25.0%	55.8%	29.1%	27.0%	30.8%	26.2%	29.1%	33.6%
Bold	27.5%	35.7%	25.2%	28.5%	26.0%	41.0%	21.4%	26.6%	28.4%	27.6%	28.5%	26.3%
Experienced	13.1%	15.5%	11.2%	16.0%	9.7%	35.9%	13.0%	11.8%	14.3%	13.4%	13.4%	12.1%
Sincere	35.2%	35.3%	35.0%	36.4%	30.1%	58.9%	52.8%	30.6%	39.5%	28.0%	36.5%	46.3%
Partisan	23.2%	13.8%	23.4%	32.8%	24.6%	14.5%	21.3%	27.2%	19.3%	17.5%	30.4%	24.9%
Effective	22.1%	20.0%	23.5%	21.0%	17.4%	47.7%	32.8%	19.7%	24.4%	19.7%	22.9%	25.4%
Unifying	15.7%	21.1%	13.5%	18.0%	11.9%	37.3%	22.0%	13.4%	17.8%	11.2%	17.7%	21.2%
In touch	24.7%	26.0%	25.1%	20.3%	19.4%	53.1%	36.9%	22.4%	26.8%	21.5%	27.6%	27.0%
Realistic	26.3%	27.8%	25.9%	27.9%	22.4%	48.0%	34.3%	22.5%	29.8%	19.1%	30.5%	34.2%
Decisive	19.3%	21.0%	17.7%	20.1%	17.8%	28.1%	21.3%	17.5%	21.1%	17.1%	22.1%	20.1%
Totals	(1000)	(202)	(641)	(151)	(816)	(102)	(82)	(438)	(562)	(403)	(327)	(270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Honest	33.0%	59.0%	7.3%	28.4%	57.4%	45.3%	13.0%	38.2%	32.7%	30.1%	34.2%	30.6%	32.6%	34.4%
Intelligent	62.1%	80.6%	40.3%	63.8%	86.3%	71.8%	43.7%	63.2%	66.5%	58.0%	63.5%	54.1%	63.8%	72.7%
Religious	15.9%	28.7%	4.3%	10.4%	20.6%	19.2%	8.3%	9.9%	18.8%	17.9%	14.0%	20.4%	12.7%	10.9%
Inspiring	35.7%	56.6%	9.7%	34.3%	65.1%	45.0%	14.7%	36.0%	33.8%	34.2%	40.0%	29.3%	35.9%	43.0%
Patriotic	29.5%	48.6%	7.3%	28.1%	53.0%	39.6%	8.4%	34.1%	27.0%	27.4%	32.2%	23.6%	28.7%	36.9%
Strong	29.0%	47.7%	11.0%	24.5%	41.8%	38.4%	11.4%	28.5%	28.7%	28.6%	30.2%	28.4%	28.3%	27.7%
Bold	27.5%	37.1%	18.2%	23.2%	31.5%	31.1%	22.2%	27.4%	28.0%	28.8%	25.0%	28.9%	26.4%	21.4%
Experienced	13.1%	24.6%	3.3%	8.9%	17.6%	17.0%	3.8%	11.3%	15.4%	12.9%	12.4%	14.2%	8.9%	15.6%
Sincere	35.2%	59.6%	8.4%	32.5%	58.2%	47.0%	15.4%	39.6%	35.8%	31.3%	37.5%	32.9%	32.8%	36.8%
Partisan	23.2%	10.0%	42.9%	25.2%	5.6%	19.2%	44.8%	19.6%	22.9%	23.0%	26.3%	16.5%	24.3%	37.0%
Effective	22.1%	39.0%	3.8%	18.8%	34.0%	26.5%	11.4%	21.8%	17.3%	24.1%	24.1%	22.6%	19.7%	23.3%
Unifying	15.7%	31.3%	1.7%	11.3%	28.4%	21.6%	5.2%	16.3%	11.1%	17.1%	17.6%	14.0%	14.4%	19.5%
In touch	24.7%	43.8%	4.4%	21.3%	40.5%	32.4%	9.7%	30.9%	22.7%	23.4%	24.1%	24.2%	24.2%	25.0%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Realistic	26.3%	48.2%	4.6%	22.4%	49.4%	34.0%	11.1%	29.9%	24.4%	25.1%	27.4%	23.0%	25.5%	33.3%
Decisive	19.3%	31.6%	5.8%	17.9%	25.5%	27.5%	8.7%	18.5%	18.2%	19.1%	21.5%	20.0%	18.7%	15.4%
Totals	(1000)	(343)	(239)	(317)	(180)	(385)	(288)	(168)	(232)	(365)	(235)	(373)	(373)	(145)

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32. 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	1.5%	2.0%	1.5%	1.3%	0.7%	6.4%	2.8%	1.8%	1.3%	1.2%	2.9%	0.6%
Somewhat approve	13.9%	9.4%	12.9%	18.9%	14.5%	11.0%	12.0%	14.7%	13.1%	12.6%	17.1%	12.6%
Neither approve nor disapprove	17.8%	22.4%	17.7%	14.1%	15.2%	30.6%	25.6%	14.8%	20.7%	22.7%	15.2%	12.2%
Somewhat disapprove	29.9%	32.1%	29.9%	27.3%	31.2%	22.3%	27.6%	29.9%	29.9%	26.5%	31.4%	34.2%
Strongly disapprove	31.0%	22.6%	33.1%	36.1%	33.4%	17.9%	24.9%	34.5%	27.6%	28.6%	28.2%	38.2%
Not sure	5.9%	11.5%	4.8%	2.5%	4.9%	11.8%	7.0%	4.3%	7.4%	8.4%	5.2%	2.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (200)	100.0% (639)	100.0% (150)	100.0% (811)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (437)	100.0% (558)	100.0% (401)	100.0% (324)	100.0% (270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	1.5%	2.3%	1.4%	0.8%	0.3%	1.0%	3.6%	1.2%	0.3%	2.0%	2.3%	1.6%	1.3%	2.0%
Somewhat approve	13.9%	12.6%	16.8%	15.5%	9.9%	13.1%	20.5%	17.0%	14.4%	14.9%	9.3%	10.6%	15.8%	20.0%
Neither approve nor disapprove	17.8%	21.7%	15.4%	15.2%	18.5%	17.8%	13.8%	12.2%	23.6%	16.3%	18.5%	22.1%	15.9%	8.6%
Somewhat disapprove	29.9%	29.3%	34.9%	27.0%	34.5%	31.7%	29.8%	26.7%	30.2%	29.8%	32.2%	26.7%	32.7%	34.0%
Strongly disapprove	31.0%	29.7%	26.9%	37.9%	34.8%	33.5%	30.1%	39.7%	27.3%	30.2%	29.4%	29.5%	31.0%	35.0%
Not sure	5.9%	4.3%	4.7%	3.6%	1.9%	2.9%	2.2%	3.2%	4.2%	6.7%	8.2%	9.5%	3.3%	0.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (236)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (285)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (229)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (371)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (145)

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33. 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	25.5%	29.1%	24.7%	24.0%	21.2%	43.9%	43.9%	27.7%	23.5%	20.8%	25.0%	34.3%
Off on the wrong track	59.2%	49.7%	62.4%	58.2%	65.4%	26.7%	43.6%	61.0%	57.4%	62.1%	62.1%	50.9%
Not sure	15.3%	21.2%	12.9%	17.8%	13.4%	29.4%	12.5%	11.2%	19.1%	17.1%	12.8%	14.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (201)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (815)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (561)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (270)

	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	25.5%	45.8%	5.8%	19.8%	45.0%	33.5%	8.8%	24.4%	21.6%	25.1%	31.2%	19.0%	27.9%	34.6%
Off on the wrong track	59.2%	37.1%	84.7%	67.4%	41.3%	48.8%	84.2%	57.4%	63.4%	59.1%	56.3%	61.7%	60.4%	56.6%
Not sure	15.3%	17.2%	9.5%	12.8%	13.6%	17.7%	7.0%	18.3%	15.0%	15.8%	12.5%	19.4%	11.7%	8.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (317)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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34. Trend of economy

Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Getting better	23.9%	24.3%	21.6%	32.0%	21.9%	37.5%	24.4%	26.9%	21.2%	17.2%	23.4%	36.1%
About the same	38.0%	42.8%	37.8%	33.3%	38.9%	31.9%	38.4%	37.4%	38.6%	37.5%	42.8%	33.7%
Getting worse	31.7%	20.2%	35.1%	32.9%	33.8%	18.7%	29.7%	30.3%	33.0%	37.2%	27.8%	26.4%
Not sure	6.3%	12.6%	5.5%	1.8%	5.4%	11.8%	7.6%	5.4%	7.2%	8.0%	6.0%	3.9%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
(Unweighted)	(999)	(201)	(641)	(151)	(815)	(102)	(82)	(438)	(561)	(402)	(327)	(270)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Getting better	23.9%	36.9%	8.7%	25.0%	41.5%	30.3%	11.7%	25.3%	17.0%	26.4%	25.9%	16.8%	23.3%	39.3%
About the same	38.0%	40.3%	39.3%	37.8%	35.6%	39.8%	38.1%	45.1%	44.9%	33.0%	33.8%	38.7%	41.2%	34.0%
Getting worse	31.7%	17.3%	48.0%	33.5%	19.5%	25.9%	45.7%	24.2%	32.5%	34.1%	32.4%	36.1%	31.8%	24.2%
Not sure	6.3%	5.5%	4.0%	3.7%	3.4%	4.0%	4.6%	5.3%	5.6%	6.4%	7.8%	8.4%	3.7%	2.4%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
(Unweighted)	(999)	(343)	(239)	(317)	(180)	(385)	(288)	(167)	(232)	(365)	(235)	(373)	(373)	(145)

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35. 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%	23.7%	22.1%	29.8%	22.5%	33.2%	23.1%	28.0%	19.9%	17.0%	25.8%	33.4%
About the same	31.8%	32.3%	32.1%	28.9%	32.3%	23.8%	38.8%	31.4%	32.1%	30.4%	32.3%	33.4%
Lower	21.8%	11.2%	25.3%	24.0%	24.3%	8.7%	15.6%	23.8%	20.0%	21.3%	23.4%	20.9%
Not sure	22.6%	32.8%	20.6%	17.4%	20.9%	34.4%	22.6%	16.8%	28.1%	31.2%	18.5%	12.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (201)	100.0% (639)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (813)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (437)	100.0% (560)	100.0% (401)	100.0% (327)	100.0% (269)

	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%	34.0%	17.8%	21.6%	38.4%	30.9%	13.5%	30.3%	19.3%	21.7%	27.1%	18.0%	24.6%	42.9%
About the same	31.8%	30.3%	32.2%	34.9%	35.5%	34.4%	31.8%	28.6%	36.1%	30.8%	31.3%	29.9%	34.1%	30.3%
Lower	21.8%	11.2%	35.6%	24.0%	9.3%	17.4%	38.2%	15.8%	19.3%	23.1%	26.8%	20.5%	26.6%	20.3%
Not sure	22.6%	24.5%	14.4%	19.6%	16.7%	17.3%	16.5%	25.2%	25.3%	24.5%	14.8%	31.6%	14.7%	6.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (383)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (167)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (234)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (144)

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36. 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	14.3%	22.0%	13.4%	7.7%	13.2%	21.8%	14.5%	15.2%	13.5%	8.1%	17.3%	21.9%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	43.4%	48.8%	39.6%	48.6%	42.4%	43.5%	54.1%	46.1%	40.8%	45.3%	42.6%	40.8%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	37.6%	19.3%	43.0%	42.5%	40.4%	25.8%	25.7%	34.5%	40.5%	39.7%	36.8%	35.0%
Not sure	4.7%	9.9%	4.0%	1.2%	4.0%	8.9%	5.7%	4.2%	5.2%	7.0%	3.3%	2.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (200)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (151)	100.0% (814)	100.0% (102)	100.0% (82)	100.0% (438)	100.0% (560)	100.0% (402)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (270)

	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	14.3%	18.5%	10.4%	15.3%	23.6%	16.9%	9.2%	14.3%	10.1%	16.9%	14.5%	10.0%	16.3%	22.1%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	43.4%	47.2%	41.1%	44.6%	48.4%	45.6%	39.4%	44.2%	45.7%	40.7%	44.8%	40.9%	42.9%	47.6%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	37.6%	30.2%	46.4%	38.6%	26.3%	33.9%	49.2%	35.2%	40.2%	38.7%	35.0%	42.8%	38.0%	29.8%
Not sure	4.7%	4.1%	2.1%	1.5%	1.7%	3.5%	2.2%	6.2%	4.0%	3.7%	5.7%	6.3%	2.8%	0.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (316)	100.0% (180)	100.0% (384)	100.0% (288)	100.0% (166)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (235)	100.0% (372)	100.0% (373)	100.0% (145)

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Sponsorship	<i>The Economist</i>
Fieldwork	YouGov
Interviewing Dates	March 5-8, 2011
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 5.2, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.64.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 3.7% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	29 questions not reported.