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1. Obama approval on issues

Below are some issues facing the country. For each one, indicate whether you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling that issue.

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The war in Iraq	36%	38%	37%	30%	33%	56%	35%	38%	35%	30%	41%	41%
The economy	30%	27%	31%	31%	25%	58%	35%	30%	30%	28%	33%	30%
Immigration	30%	33%	30%	22%	26%	55%	26%	29%	30%	23%	33%	36%
The environment	38%	38%	39%	36%	36%	57%	38%	40%	37%	31%	43%	47%
Terrorism	42%	43%	44%	31%	39%	58%	42%	43%	41%	32%	48%	50%
Gay rights	37%	41%	37%	30%	37%	38%	32%	35%	39%	25%	43%	51%
Education	40%	42%	39%	41%	36%	66%	44%	38%	42%	35%	44%	44%
Health care	37%	36%	38%	34%	32%	62%	39%	35%	38%	29%	40%	45%
Social security	35%	30%	36%	36%	31%	58%	37%	33%	37%	31%	36%	40%
The budget deficit	26%	27%	26%	25%	21%	52%	34%	24%	28%	22%	31%	27%
The war in Afghanistan	33%	36%	33%	29%	30%	56%	29%	35%	32%	29%	40%	34%
Taxes	31%	30%	31%	30%	26%	59%	32%	28%	33%	27%	35%	31%
Medicare	35%	32%	37%	37%	32%	61%	31%	34%	37%	30%	39%	40%
Totals	(997)	(224)	(632)	(141)	(766)	(121)	(110)	(453)	(544)	(414)	(331)	(252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The war in Iraq	36%	56%	19%	36%	55%	41%	26%	39%	34%	39%	33%	34%	39%	40%
The economy	30%	54%	6%	28%	57%	36%	12%	32%	30%	30%	26%	29%	32%	30%
Immigration	30%	53%	8%	27%	60%	32%	12%	37%	28%	27%	31%	30%	31%	31%
The environment	38%	64%	16%	35%	64%	48%	18%	44%	38%	38%	35%	35%	42%	44%
Terrorism	42%	66%	14%	45%	70%	52%	21%	49%	40%	39%	41%	39%	44%	48%
Gay rights	37%	60%	16%	35%	69%	43%	16%	44%	32%	33%	42%	30%	40%	52%
Education	40%	65%	18%	38%	66%	45%	22%	47%	37%	38%	40%	39%	40%	44%
Health care	37%	69%	8%	33%	79%	43%	11%	40%	35%	35%	38%	35%	38%	45%
Social security	35%	61%	11%	31%	65%	40%	15%	40%	29%	35%	35%	34%	34%	40%
The budget deficit	26%	46%	7%	25%	43%	35%	10%	28%	26%	27%	23%	26%	27%	26%
The war in Afghanistan	33%	50%	22%	32%	44%	38%	26%	32%	32%	35%	34%	30%	38%	36%
Taxes	31%	54%	7%	29%	53%	39%	12%	30%	28%	32%	31%	30%	34%	30%
Medicare	35%	62%	10%	33%	67%	43%	15%	38%	33%	36%	36%	34%	37%	40%
Totals	(997)	(342)	(242)	(294)	(189)	(361)	(309)	(190)	(210)	(356)	(241)	(383)	(284)	(241)

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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	77%	71%	78%	80%	79%	69%	65%	75%	78%	74%	79%	78%
The economy	95%	90%	97%	99%	96%	93%	90%	95%	95%	94%	95%	98%
Immigration	76%	70%	77%	82%	77%	67%	77%	76%	76%	74%	82%	71%
The environment	80%	81%	78%	83%	80%	79%	80%	77%	82%	83%	79%	75%
Terrorism	81%	71%	82%	95%	82%	73%	76%	76%	85%	81%	83%	77%
Gay rights	47%	56%	43%	47%	47%	42%	54%	40%	54%	40%	54%	51%
Education	88%	85%	88%	92%	87%	88%	88%	84%	91%	86%	88%	90%
Health care	92%	84%	94%	99%	92%	93%	89%	90%	94%	90%	93%	95%
Social security	89%	80%	93%	95%	90%	93%	84%	86%	93%	89%	89%	91%
The budget deficit	89%	84%	89%	97%	89%	88%	83%	87%	90%	88%	90%	88%
The war in Afghanistan	79%	73%	79%	85%	81%	74%	66%	77%	80%	76%	81%	80%
Taxes	92%	85%	93%	97%	93%	91%	87%	89%	94%	90%	93%	95%
Medicare	86%	71%	90%	100%	87%	89%	82%	86%	87%	86%	87%	85%
Totals	(995)	(223)	(632)	(140)	(763)	(121)	(111)	(454)	(541)	(413)	(331)	(251)

	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	77%	74%	85%	77%	76%	74%	82%	79%	76%	77%	74%	75%	80%	78%
The economy	95%	98%	95%	97%	96%	97%	96%	96%	95%	94%	97%	97%	95%	97%
Immigration	76%	68%	85%	80%	62%	78%	83%	71%	74%	76%	81%	75%	72%	80%
The environment	80%	89%	65%	80%	94%	85%	62%	84%	79%	80%	77%	85%	74%	77%
Terrorism	81%	76%	92%	83%	65%	84%	87%	79%	79%	83%	80%	81%	83%	81%
Gay rights	47%	57%	37%	46%	72%	44%	31%	53%	42%	44%	53%	48%	43%	47%
Education	88%	89%	87%	89%	90%	88%	86%	87%	86%	90%	87%	88%	88%	88%
Health care	92%	94%	94%	93%	95%	95%	89%	90%	94%	92%	92%	94%	92%	91%
Social security	89%	89%	92%	90%	89%	91%	89%	87%	87%	93%	89%	93%	84%	90%
The budget deficit	89%	85%	96%	92%	83%	88%	96%	88%	87%	91%	87%	91%	90%	87%
The war in Afghanistan	79%	74%	89%	80%	78%	75%	85%	79%	75%	82%	76%	77%	83%	79%
Taxes	92%	89%	96%	94%	87%	93%	95%	92%	91%	95%	87%	92%	94%	92%
Medicare	86%	83%	90%	90%	81%	88%	89%	82%	87%	89%	86%	90%	83%	86%
Totals	(995)	(341)	(242)	(293)	(188)	(359)	(310)	(190)	(210)	(356)	(239)	(384)	(284)	(239)

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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%	2%	0%	2%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%
The economy	42%	36%	45%	41%	43%	31%	46%	46%	38%	36%	43%	51%
Immigration	5%	3%	6%	3%	6%	1%	7%	7%	4%	6%	4%	4%
The environment	3%	6%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%	4%	2%	4%
Terrorism	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%
Gay rights	2%	6%	1%	0%	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	5%	1%
Education	7%	13%	7%	1%	6%	14%	10%	5%	9%	7%	7%	8%
Health care	8%	8%	9%	5%	8%	11%	12%	6%	10%	7%	11%	7%
Social security	14%	6%	13%	31%	14%	21%	6%	13%	16%	21%	11%	5%
The budget deficit	7%	10%	7%	2%	8%	6%	6%	10%	5%	6%	8%	8%
The war in Afghanistan	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Taxes	4%	4%	5%	1%	4%	5%	5%	3%	5%	3%	4%	7%
Medicare	2%	0%	2%	5%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted)	(968)	(209)	(621)	(138)	(746)	(116)	(106)	(441)	(527)	(400)	(323)	(245)

	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%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	0%	0%
The economy	42%	37%	47%	48%	44%	41%	47%	45%	42%	40%	42%	33%	47%	54%
Immigration	5%	3%	7%	4%	1%	6%	7%	5%	4%	5%	7%	4%	6%	4%
The environment	3%	5%	0%	2%	8%	1%	2%	7%	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%	3%
Terrorism	2%	1%	6%	1%	1%	1%	4%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%	4%	2%
Gay rights	2%	4%	1%	1%	7%	1%	0%	6%	1%	2%	1%	4%	0%	1%
Education	7%	9%	5%	8%	14%	5%	4%	5%	6%	9%	9%	10%	6%	4%
Health care	8%	11%	5%	8%	8%	12%	5%	10%	8%	8%	8%	11%	7%	5%
Social security	14%	20%	9%	10%	12%	17%	9%	8%	16%	17%	13%	20%	12%	4%
The budget deficit	7%	4%	12%	8%	2%	5%	13%	8%	9%	6%	6%	5%	8%	12%
The war in Afghanistan	1%	0%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%	0%	3%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%
Taxes	4%	2%	5%	4%	1%	6%	6%	3%	4%	4%	6%	3%	4%	8%
Medicare	2%	3%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	1%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (968)	100% (329)	100% (240)	100% (289)	100% (182)	100% (348)	100% (308)	100% (181)	100% (205)	100% (350)	100% (232)	100% (369)	100% (279)	100% (235)

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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	12%	9%	14%	12%	8%	35%	18%	10%	14%	11%	14%	12%
Somewhat Approve	27%	32%	27%	22%	26%	37%	28%	29%	26%	22%	31%	33%
Somewhat Disapprove	15%	20%	13%	15%	17%	6%	13%	13%	17%	17%	15%	12%
Strongly Disapprove	37%	23%	40%	47%	42%	8%	27%	41%	32%	37%	34%	38%
Not Sure	8%	16%	7%	3%	7%	14%	14%	6%	10%	13%	5%	4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (223)	100% (633)	100% (142)	100% (765)	100% (122)	100% (111)	100% (455)	100% (543)	100% (415)	100% (331)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly Approve	12%	30%	1%	5%	20%	16%	4%	13%	10%	16%	9%	14%	13%	9%
Somewhat Approve	27%	42%	7%	31%	53%	33%	9%	32%	27%	23%	31%	26%	27%	33%
Somewhat Disapprove	15%	17%	13%	15%	15%	18%	14%	19%	15%	15%	12%	17%	16%	15%
Strongly Disapprove	37%	7%	76%	40%	6%	28%	70%	30%	38%	38%	39%	32%	38%	42%
Not Sure	8%	4%	2%	8%	5%	5%	3%	7%	10%	8%	8%	11%	6%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (343)	100% (243)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (359)	100% (311)	100% (189)	100% (210)	100% (358)	100% (241)	100% (385)	100% (284)	100% (240)

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5. Attention to election campaign

How closely have you been following news about the 2012 presidential election campaign?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very closely	32%	19%	34%	45%	34%	25%	19%	37%	27%	23%	35%	43%
Somewhat closely	36%	35%	35%	37%	36%	33%	32%	36%	35%	33%	35%	40%
Not too closely	22%	24%	23%	14%	21%	25%	23%	17%	27%	27%	20%	14%
Not at all	11%	21%	8%	3%	9%	17%	25%	10%	12%	17%	10%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (999)	100% (224)	100% (633)	100% (142)	100% (766)	100% (122)	100% (111)	100% (454)	100% (545)	100% (416)	100% (332)	100% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very closely	32%	29%	40%	36%	38%	30%	41%	28%	31%	32%	34%	22%	30%	51%
Somewhat closely	36%	42%	36%	36%	39%	39%	38%	42%	34%	33%	36%	35%	38%	37%
Not too closely	22%	21%	19%	18%	17%	21%	18%	19%	23%	25%	18%	28%	23%	10%
Not at all	11%	8%	6%	10%	6%	9%	4%	12%	12%	9%	12%	15%	9%	1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (999)	100% (344)	100% (243)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (361)	100% (310)	100% (191)	100% (210)	100% (357)	100% (241)	100% (385)	100% (284)	100% (241)

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6. 2012 primary participation

Next year, are you more likely to vote in a Democratic presidential primary or caucus, or a Republican primary or caucus, or aren't you likely to vote in a primary or caucus at all?

Asked of registered voters

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Democratic primary or caucus	40%	42%	40%	39%	36%	66%	51%	35%	45%	35%	42%	44%
Republican primary or caucus	39%	35%	38%	48%	44%	6%	31%	45%	34%	43%	38%	37%
Don't plan to vote in a primary or caucus at all	21%	23%	22%	14%	20%	28%	17%	21%	21%	22%	20%	20%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (783)	100% (134)	100% (524)	100% (125)	100% (606)	100% (93)	100% (84)	100% (395)	100% (388)	100% (272)	100% (278)	100% (233)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Democratic primary or caucus	40%	85%	2%	27%	77%	49%	11%	50%	37%	37%	42%	45%	38%	42%
Republican primary or caucus	39%	2%	93%	38%	6%	26%	76%	30%	41%	39%	44%	37%	41%	39%
Don't plan to vote in a primary or caucus at all	21%	12%	6%	35%	18%	26%	13%	19%	22%	24%	14%	18%	20%	19%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (783)	100% (287)	100% (217)	100% (234)	100% (150)	100% (307)	100% (273)	100% (137)	100% (167)	100% (284)	100% (195)	100% (262)	100% (236)	100% (222)

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7. Preferred Republican nominee for President

If you had to choose one, which of these individuals would you want to be the Republican nominee for president in 2012?

Asked of registered voters who are likely to vote in a Republican primary or caucus

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Sarah Palin	4%	3%	5%	5%	5%	0%	5%	5%	4%	8%	3%	2%
Mitt Romney	15%	19%	14%	14%	15%	17%	8%	11%	19%	10%	20%	17%
Newt Gingrich	4%	2%	4%	6%	5%	0%	3%	7%	1%	5%	5%	3%
Michele Bachmann	9%	4%	11%	5%	9%	0%	0%	6%	11%	7%	9%	10%
Jon Huntsman	2%	7%	1%	0%	2%	0%	5%	2%	1%	0%	5%	1%
Ron Paul	11%	20%	11%	3%	12%	0%	0%	15%	6%	15%	8%	8%
Rudy Giuliani	6%	3%	3%	15%	6%	0%	3%	3%	8%	5%	1%	10%
Herman Cain	8%	20%	6%	0%	7%	26%	5%	11%	3%	7%	9%	7%
Rick Santorum	2%	3%	2%	0%	2%	9%	0%	3%	1%	1%	1%	5%
Rick Perry	23%	7%	25%	30%	22%	17%	28%	25%	20%	19%	26%	23%
Other	6%	1%	6%	10%	6%	0%	5%	4%	8%	8%	5%	5%
No preference	11%	11%	10%	14%	9%	31%	40%	6%	17%	16%	8%	8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (297)	100% (40)	100% (198)	100% (59)	100% (267)	100% (8)	100% (22)	100% (171)	100% (126)	100% (113)	100% (96)	100% (88)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Sarah Palin	4%	7%	5%	4%	0%	4%	5%	0%	5%	5%	6%	5%	5%	2%
Mitt Romney	15%	0%	17%	12%	0%	17%	15%	14%	12%	13%	22%	11%	19%	15%
Newt Gingrich	4%	0%	6%	1%	0%	2%	6%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	6%	4%
Michele Bachmann	9%	0%	10%	5%	14%	1%	11%	6%	17%	4%	7%	6%	12%	8%
Jon Huntsman	2%	30%	0%	4%	36%	3%	0%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%
Ron Paul	11%	18%	6%	22%	13%	11%	10%	24%	13%	9%	4%	12%	12%	9%
Rudy Giuliani	6%	0%	6%	6%	10%	11%	4%	11%	4%	6%	4%	4%	3%	10%
Herman Cain	8%	12%	7%	7%	0%	9%	7%	0%	10%	10%	4%	7%	8%	7%
Rick Santorum	2%	18%	2%	0%	0%	0%	3%	1%	2%	4%	0%	2%	0%	4%
Rick Perry	23%	7%	24%	18%	14%	13%	27%	18%	12%	27%	31%	17%	24%	28%
Other	6%	0%	4%	12%	0%	12%	5%	0%	11%	7%	3%	9%	6%	3%
No preference	11%	7%	12%	9%	14%	17%	8%	17%	10%	9%	12%	21%	4%	7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (297)	100% (8)	100% (196)	100% (83)	100% (10)	100% (75)	100% (202)	100% (38)	100% (65)	100% (110)	100% (84)	100% (89)	100% (90)	100% (90)

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8. Second choice Republican nominee for President

And which of these individuals would be your SECOND choice to be the Republican nominee for president in 2012?

Asked of registered voters who are likely to vote in a Republican primary or caucus

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Sarah Palin	7%	5%	8%	4%	7%	0%	4%	6%	8%	8%	5%	8%
Mitt Romney	11%	6%	11%	18%	11%	13%	29%	13%	9%	17%	7%	10%
Newt Gingrich	4%	3%	3%	6%	4%	0%	0%	2%	6%	2%	2%	7%
Michele Bachmann	15%	19%	16%	9%	15%	25%	17%	19%	10%	14%	14%	18%
Jon Huntsman	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	0%	0%	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%
Ron Paul	9%	10%	10%	3%	8%	25%	16%	11%	6%	4%	16%	7%
Rudy Giuliani	5%	2%	7%	2%	5%	13%	9%	3%	8%	1%	7%	7%
Herman Cain	7%	0%	7%	14%	7%	13%	9%	5%	10%	5%	8%	8%
Rick Santorum	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%	0%	0%	5%	2%	3%	5%	3%
Rick Perry	21%	25%	18%	29%	22%	13%	0%	19%	24%	23%	17%	24%
Other	4%	8%	4%	0%	4%	0%	0%	4%	4%	4%	7%	1%
No preference	11%	15%	10%	10%	11%	0%	15%	10%	13%	17%	10%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (264)	100% (35)	100% (179)	100% (50)	100% (241)	100% (6)	100% (17)	100% (158)	100% (106)	100% (96)	100% (88)	100% (80)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Sarah Palin	7%	0%	6%	8%	0%	3%	8%	8%	8%	7%	5%	7%	5%	10%
Mitt Romney	11%	33%	11%	11%	47%	7%	11%	10%	8%	12%	14%	9%	10%	13%
Newt Gingrich	4%	0%	5%	2%	0%	5%	3%	4%	2%	4%	5%	4%	5%	3%
Michele Bachmann	15%	0%	16%	12%	0%	11%	18%	13%	9%	21%	14%	15%	16%	18%
Jon Huntsman	2%	0%	2%	4%	0%	5%	1%	0%	4%	2%	1%	1%	1%	4%
Ron Paul	9%	40%	8%	8%	22%	9%	7%	1%	15%	7%	8%	5%	13%	7%
Rudy Giuliani	5%	0%	6%	5%	0%	9%	4%	4%	2%	6%	8%	5%	3%	6%
Herman Cain	7%	0%	7%	6%	0%	4%	8%	6%	6%	6%	10%	7%	4%	10%
Rick Santorum	4%	0%	3%	7%	16%	0%	5%	15%	3%	1%	3%	2%	8%	1%
Rick Perry	21%	27%	23%	17%	0%	22%	23%	19%	22%	21%	22%	17%	25%	19%
Other	4%	0%	3%	8%	15%	2%	4%	4%	8%	2%	3%	8%	1%	4%
No preference	11%	0%	11%	12%	0%	22%	8%	16%	14%	11%	6%	20%	9%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (264)	100% (7)	100% (173)	100% (74)	100% (8)	100% (63)	100% (185)	100% (33)	100% (57)	100% (100)	100% (74)	100% (71)	100% (86)	100% (82)

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9. Preferred Democratic nominee for President

In the 2012 presidential election, would you prefer that Barack Obama or someone else run as the Democratic nominee for president?

Asked of registered voters who are likely to vote in a Democratic primary or caucus

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Barack Obama	68%	68%	70%	63%	62%	89%	78%	67%	70%	70%	66%	68%
Someone else	13%	17%	11%	14%	17%	3%	5%	19%	9%	9%	15%	15%
Not sure	19%	15%	19%	23%	22%	8%	17%	15%	21%	21%	19%	16%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (318)	100% (59)	100% (210)	100% (49)	100% (213)	100% (59)	100% (46)	100% (140)	100% (178)	100% (97)	100% (122)	100% (99)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	68%	74%	77%	51%	73%	67%	57%	61%	70%	69%	72%	68%	72%	66%
Someone else	13%	10%	23%	21%	16%	12%	16%	14%	14%	12%	12%	14%	13%	12%
Not sure	19%	16%	0%	28%	11%	22%	27%	25%	16%	19%	16%	18%	15%	22%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (318)	100% (240)	100% (5)	100% (65)	100% (109)	100% (151)	100% (35)	100% (71)	100% (62)	100% (105)	100% (80)	100% (118)	100% (97)	100% (86)

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10. Presidential vote preference: Obama vs. Perry

If the 2012 presidential election were being held today, and the candidates were Barack Obama, the Democrat, and Rick Perry, the Republican, would you vote for Barack Obama or Rick Perry?

Asked of registered voters

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Barack Obama	47%	52%	47%	40%	40%	83%	58%	43%	50%	37%	48%	56%
Lean Barack Obama	3%	5%	2%	1%	2%	6%	5%	2%	4%	3%	3%	2%
Lean Rick Perry	1%	2%	0%	4%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	0%
Rick Perry	36%	23%	36%	48%	41%	4%	26%	40%	32%	41%	35%	31%
Other	7%	8%	8%	5%	9%	1%	3%	10%	5%	7%	8%	8%
Not sure	14%	17%	14%	8%	15%	5%	10%	14%	14%	16%	12%	12%
Totals	108%	108%	108%	105%	109%	101%	103%	110%	106%	107%	108%	109%
(Unweighted)	(783)	(134)	(523)	(126)	(606)	(92)	(85)	(396)	(387)	(273)	(277)	(233)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	47%	87%	6%	41%	89%	56%	12%	46%	42%	46%	53%	48%	44%	50%
Lean Barack Obama	3%	2%	0%	4%	2%	2%	2%	4%	1%	4%	1%	3%	3%	1%
Lean Rick Perry	1%	0%	2%	2%	0%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Rick Perry	36%	3%	79%	35%	1%	25%	71%	33%	36%	36%	38%	31%	37%	37%
Other	7%	3%	9%	10%	4%	6%	10%	9%	10%	7%	4%	9%	7%	7%
Not sure	14%	8%	13%	18%	8%	15%	13%	16%	19%	13%	7%	18%	13%	11%
Totals	108%	103%	109%	110%	105%	106%	110%	109%	110%	107%	104%	109%	107%	107%
(Unweighted)	(783)	(287)	(216)	(236)	(151)	(307)	(273)	(136)	(168)	(285)	(194)	(260)	(238)	(221)

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11. Presidential vote preference: Obama vs. Romney

If the 2012 presidential election were being held today, and the candidates were Barack Obama, the Democrat, and Mitt Romney, the Republican, would you vote for Barack Obama or Mitt Romney?

Asked of registered voters

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Barack Obama	46%	51%	46%	40%	39%	90%	58%	41%	51%	40%	46%	54%
Lean Barack Obama	1%	3%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%
Lean Mitt Romney	3%	6%	3%	2%	4%	0%	0%	4%	3%	5%	3%	3%
Mitt Romney	35%	23%	37%	45%	40%	4%	28%	39%	32%	36%	37%	32%
Other	8%	8%	8%	9%	9%	1%	4%	11%	6%	9%	7%	8%
Not sure	14%	17%	14%	13%	15%	6%	14%	15%	14%	19%	12%	11%
Totals	108%	108%	108%	109%	109%	102%	104%	111%	106%	109%	107%	108%
(Unweighted)	(783)	(134)	(522)	(127)	(605)	(94)	(84)	(397)	(386)	(271)	(279)	(233)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	46%	86%	6%	39%	89%	55%	11%	46%	41%	47%	51%	49%	42%	47%
Lean Barack Obama	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%
Lean Mitt Romney	3%	1%	2%	8%	0%	5%	4%	1%	5%	4%	2%	2%	5%	3%
Mitt Romney	35%	3%	78%	37%	4%	24%	71%	33%	33%	35%	39%	30%	39%	38%
Other	8%	3%	10%	10%	3%	7%	10%	10%	12%	7%	4%	9%	7%	7%
Not sure	14%	9%	14%	15%	6%	16%	14%	16%	21%	13%	7%	17%	13%	11%
Totals	108%	103%	110%	110%	103%	107%	110%	110%	112%	107%	104%	109%	107%	107%
(Unweighted)	(783)	(286)	(215)	(236)	(152)	(307)	(271)	(136)	(167)	(285)	(195)	(261)	(237)	(222)

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12. Presidential vote preference: Obama vs. Bachmann

If the 2012 presidential election were being held today, and the candidates were Barack Obama, the Democrat, and Michele Bachmann, the Republican, would you vote for Barack Obama or Michele Bachmann?

Asked of registered voters

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Barack Obama	49%	56%	49%	42%	43%	91%	61%	46%	53%	41%	51%	57%
Lean Barack Obama	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	0%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Lean Michele Bachmann	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	0%	6%	2%	4%	2%	3%	3%
Michele Bachmann	33%	22%	34%	42%	38%	3%	18%	38%	28%	38%	31%	29%
Other	9%	12%	8%	10%	11%	1%	5%	12%	7%	9%	9%	9%
Not sure	14%	18%	13%	13%	15%	4%	15%	14%	14%	18%	12%	11%
Totals	109%	113%	108%	110%	111%	101%	105%	112%	107%	109%	109%	109%
(Unweighted)	(777)	(131)	(522)	(124)	(601)	(93)	(83)	(393)	(384)	(270)	(274)	(233)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	49%	88%	6%	46%	93%	60%	13%	51%	45%	49%	56%	50%	47%	52%
Lean Barack Obama	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Lean Michele Bachmann	3%	1%	3%	3%	0%	4%	2%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%	2%
Michele Bachmann	33%	3%	77%	29%	2%	18%	70%	28%	36%	33%	32%	28%	37%	32%
Other	9%	2%	10%	15%	3%	9%	12%	11%	9%	9%	7%	10%	7%	9%
Not sure	14%	7%	13%	20%	5%	16%	15%	16%	16%	15%	9%	18%	11%	12%
Totals	109%	102%	111%	115%	103%	109%	113%	111%	110%	109%	107%	111%	107%	109%
(Unweighted)	(777)	(284)	(214)	(234)	(150)	(304)	(270)	(135)	(168)	(284)	(190)	(257)	(238)	(220)

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13. Presidential vote preference: Obama vs. Palin

If the 2012 presidential election were being held today, and the candidates were Barack Obama, the Democrat, and Sarah Palin, the Republican, would you vote for Barack Obama or Sarah Palin?

Asked of registered voters

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Barack Obama	50%	58%	50%	42%	44%	90%	61%	46%	55%	44%	50%	58%
Lean Barack Obama	1%	4%	1%	0%	1%	0%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%
Lean Sarah Palin	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	0%	0%	2%	2%	3%	2%	0%
Sarah Palin	32%	18%	33%	43%	36%	3%	28%	35%	28%	36%	31%	27%
Other	9%	14%	8%	10%	11%	2%	3%	12%	7%	8%	9%	11%
Not sure	15%	20%	14%	13%	16%	7%	8%	16%	14%	15%	15%	15%
Totals	109%	114%	108%	110%	111%	102%	103%	112%	107%	108%	109%	111%
(Unweighted)	(780)	(134)	(521)	(125)	(604)	(93)	(83)	(395)	(385)	(271)	(276)	(233)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	50%	90%	8%	45%	93%	59%	16%	50%	46%	50%	56%	50%	50%	52%
Lean Barack Obama	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	3%	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	1%
Lean Sarah Palin	2%	0%	2%	4%	0%	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	1%
Sarah Palin	32%	3%	75%	26%	1%	20%	66%	31%	33%	31%	31%	27%	35%	31%
Other	9%	2%	10%	16%	4%	8%	12%	11%	10%	9%	8%	11%	9%	9%
Not sure	15%	6%	14%	23%	6%	17%	15%	15%	18%	15%	11%	17%	14%	14%
Totals	109%	102%	110%	116%	104%	108%	112%	111%	110%	109%	108%	111%	109%	109%
(Unweighted)	(780)	(285)	(216)	(234)	(150)	(304)	(273)	(134)	(168)	(286)	(192)	(257)	(238)	(222)

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14. Knowledge of Tea Party movement

How much have you heard or read about the political movement known as the Tea Party?

	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	37%	27%	39%	49%	40%	29%	24%	46%	29%	27%	40%	52%
A fair amount	35%	37%	34%	38%	36%	37%	30%	35%	36%	32%	38%	37%
Not much	19%	20%	20%	12%	18%	20%	26%	12%	25%	27%	15%	9%
Nothing at all	9%	16%	8%	0%	7%	14%	21%	8%	10%	14%	8%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted)	(996)	(223)	(631)	(142)	(766)	(121)	(109)	(455)	(541)	(414)	(330)	(252)

	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	37%	36%	47%	42%	46%	37%	47%	34%	41%	32%	45%	24%	40%	61%
A fair amount	35%	38%	33%	39%	39%	40%	35%	34%	35%	38%	32%	38%	36%	30%
Not much	19%	19%	16%	14%	12%	17%	16%	21%	19%	20%	13%	25%	20%	7%
Nothing at all	9%	6%	3%	6%	3%	6%	2%	10%	5%	10%	10%	13%	3%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted)	(996)	(343)	(243)	(292)	(188)	(361)	(311)	(190)	(208)	(358)	(240)	(384)	(283)	(240)

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15. Own involvement in Tea Party movement

Do you think of yourself as a part of the Tea Party movement?

Asked if respondent is aware of Tea Party movement

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	18%	9%	20%	26%	21%	3%	17%	21%	16%	19%	18%	18%
No	82%	91%	80%	74%	79%	97%	83%	79%	84%	81%	82%	82%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (911)	100% (188)	100% (581)	100% (142)	100% (714)	100% (106)	100% (91)	100% (436)	100% (475)	100% (356)	100% (307)	100% (248)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	18%	4%	41%	16%	1%	9%	42%	17%	20%	16%	20%	14%	23%	19%
No	82%	96%	59%	84%	99%	91%	58%	83%	80%	84%	80%	86%	77%	81%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (911)	100% (317)	100% (234)	100% (282)	100% (182)	100% (342)	100% (300)	100% (170)	100% (195)	100% (325)	100% (221)	100% (334)	100% (267)	100% (232)

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16. Support for Tea Party movement

Generally speaking, do you support or oppose the goals of the Tea Party movement?

Asked if respondent is aware of Tea Party movement

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly support	18%	10%	19%	27%	21%	1%	10%	25%	12%	18%	17%	20%
Somewhat support	16%	16%	16%	16%	18%	7%	12%	17%	14%	17%	18%	12%
Neither support, nor oppose	17%	13%	18%	19%	16%	21%	24%	13%	21%	23%	13%	12%
Somewhat oppose	9%	12%	7%	9%	8%	11%	7%	9%	9%	7%	9%	10%
Strongly oppose	32%	36%	32%	26%	29%	51%	33%	33%	31%	24%	32%	43%
Not sure	8%	13%	8%	3%	8%	9%	13%	4%	13%	11%	9%	4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (915)	100% (189)	100% (584)	100% (142)	100% (717)	100% (106)	100% (92)	100% (437)	100% (478)	100% (358)	100% (309)	100% (248)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly support	18%	2%	41%	20%	0%	11%	42%	17%	18%	16%	23%	13%	22%	20%
Somewhat support	16%	5%	28%	19%	2%	12%	28%	16%	19%	14%	15%	14%	14%	19%
Neither support, nor oppose	17%	12%	17%	17%	9%	20%	15%	15%	16%	21%	14%	21%	16%	10%
Somewhat oppose	9%	12%	4%	11%	10%	14%	4%	11%	5%	11%	8%	7%	11%	9%
Strongly oppose	32%	62%	3%	27%	74%	36%	5%	32%	33%	30%	33%	31%	29%	41%
Not sure	8%	7%	7%	7%	4%	7%	7%	9%	9%	9%	7%	14%	8%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (915)	100% (318)	100% (235)	100% (281)	100% (182)	100% (343)	100% (301)	100% (171)	100% (198)	100% (326)	100% (220)	100% (335)	100% (268)	100% (233)

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17. Current state of economy

Right now, do you think the U.S. economy is...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Growing	4%	5%	5%	2%	4%	8%	7%	5%	4%	2%	7%	5%
Slowing Down	23%	28%	20%	27%	23%	27%	25%	28%	19%	25%	20%	24%
In a Recession	45%	42%	45%	50%	47%	32%	41%	44%	46%	40%	48%	50%
In a Depression	19%	13%	22%	18%	20%	16%	15%	19%	19%	20%	19%	16%
Not sure	9%	12%	9%	3%	7%	18%	11%	5%	12%	12%	7%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (224)	100% (632)	100% (142)	100% (766)	100% (121)	100% (111)	100% (455)	100% (543)	100% (415)	100% (331)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Growing	4%	9%	1%	3%	4%	7%	2%	3%	4%	6%	5%	4%	4%	6%
Slowing Down	23%	33%	16%	21%	29%	30%	15%	29%	25%	21%	20%	19%	28%	25%
In a Recession	45%	41%	52%	47%	46%	42%	52%	47%	44%	40%	53%	45%	44%	48%
In a Depression	19%	11%	29%	20%	15%	15%	26%	14%	20%	22%	16%	22%	18%	17%
Not sure	9%	7%	3%	8%	6%	6%	4%	8%	8%	12%	6%	9%	6%	4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (343)	100% (243)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (360)	100% (311)	100% (191)	100% (209)	100% (358)	100% (240)	100% (384)	100% (284)	100% (241)

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18. Support for additional government spending

Do you support or oppose additional government spending to create jobs and stimulate the economy?

	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%	13%	22%	25%	19%	26%	18%	22%	18%	13%	23%	28%
Somewhat support	20%	22%	19%	16%	19%	20%	29%	16%	23%	18%	21%	21%
Neither support, nor oppose	15%	23%	11%	16%	14%	18%	18%	13%	17%	21%	14%	6%
Somewhat oppose	12%	15%	12%	4%	12%	14%	7%	12%	11%	12%	10%	12%
Strongly oppose	25%	15%	27%	36%	30%	3%	12%	31%	19%	22%	26%	29%
Not sure	9%	12%	9%	4%	7%	19%	16%	6%	12%	13%	6%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (224)	100% (632)	100% (142)	100% (766)	100% (122)	100% (110)	100% (455)	100% (543)	100% (415)	100% (331)	100% (252)

	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%	38%	4%	19%	49%	21%	5%	19%	19%	18%	26%	19%	17%	28%
Somewhat support	20%	26%	12%	19%	27%	25%	9%	23%	18%	20%	17%	20%	24%	18%
Neither support, nor oppose	15%	15%	14%	12%	10%	18%	12%	16%	15%	14%	15%	17%	13%	7%
Somewhat oppose	12%	10%	16%	11%	7%	13%	14%	13%	13%	13%	7%	14%	10%	13%
Strongly oppose	25%	5%	51%	31%	4%	15%	56%	21%	26%	23%	30%	19%	30%	32%
Not sure	9%	7%	3%	8%	3%	8%	3%	9%	8%	12%	5%	12%	6%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (342)	100% (243)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (361)	100% (310)	100% (191)	100% (210)	100% (358)	100% (239)	100% (385)	100% (283)	100% (241)

19. President's influence on stock market

Do you think President Obama is responsible for the recent fluctuations in stock prices?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	28%	17%	30%	40%	33%	4%	17%	30%	27%	29%	30%	26%
No	49%	52%	48%	49%	45%	75%	54%	52%	47%	41%	52%	61%
Not sure	22%	30%	21%	11%	22%	21%	30%	18%	26%	30%	18%	13%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (224)	100% (633)	100% (141)	100% (766)	100% (122)	100% (110)	100% (454)	100% (544)	100% (415)	100% (331)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	28%	8%	62%	28%	4%	22%	57%	22%	26%	33%	29%	25%	31%	33%
No	49%	79%	21%	49%	84%	60%	25%	57%	49%	46%	49%	47%	53%	56%
Not sure	22%	13%	18%	24%	12%	18%	19%	21%	25%	21%	22%	28%	16%	11%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (344)	100% (243)	100% (293)	100% (189)	100% (361)	100% (309)	100% (191)	100% (209)	100% (358)	100% (240)	100% (385)	100% (284)	100% (240)

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20. Stocks or mutual fund ownership

Do you own any stocks or mutual funds?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	36%	13%	44%	49%	41%	18%	18%	40%	33%	19%	36%	66%
No	59%	81%	52%	48%	56%	69%	71%	57%	61%	74%	61%	32%
Not sure	5%	6%	4%	3%	3%	12%	11%	3%	6%	7%	3%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (992)	100% (223)	100% (630)	100% (139)	100% (762)	100% (119)	100% (111)	100% (450)	100% (542)	100% (410)	100% (331)	100% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	36%	32%	48%	43%	32%	40%	46%	40%	33%	34%	41%	14%	43%	75%
No	59%	65%	50%	53%	66%	56%	52%	58%	63%	62%	52%	81%	53%	24%
Not sure	5%	3%	2%	4%	1%	4%	2%	3%	4%	4%	7%	5%	4%	1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (992)	100% (339)	100% (242)	100% (293)	100% (188)	100% (357)	100% (311)	100% (190)	100% (209)	100% (354)	100% (239)	100% (384)	100% (281)	100% (240)

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21. Level of interest in stock market

Would you consider yourself to be a person who...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Actively checks stock prices	21%	13%	23%	28%	22%	21%	16%	24%	18%	15%	21%	32%
Hears about the stock market in the news	79%	87%	77%	72%	78%	79%	84%	76%	82%	85%	79%	68%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (955)	100% (210)	100% (607)	100% (138)	100% (740)	100% (115)	100% (100)	100% (445)	100% (510)	100% (385)	100% (322)	100% (248)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Actively checks stock prices	21%	20%	22%	26%	22%	22%	21%	22%	26%	19%	19%	13%	20%	42%
Hears about the stock market in the news	79%	80%	78%	74%	78%	78%	79%	78%	74%	81%	81%	87%	80%	58%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (955)	100% (325)	100% (239)	100% (287)	100% (182)	100% (350)	100% (302)	100% (176)	100% (205)	100% (339)	100% (235)	100% (367)	100% (269)	100% (237)

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22. Seriousness of local immigration problem

How serious a problem is immigration in your LOCAL community?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very serious	17%	14%	17%	20%	17%	15%	12%	17%	16%	16%	21%	13%
Somewhat serious	23%	17%	25%	29%	25%	13%	25%	24%	23%	22%	20%	30%
A minor problem	22%	20%	23%	22%	22%	23%	20%	24%	20%	21%	23%	23%
Not a problem	26%	30%	24%	22%	27%	18%	21%	27%	25%	21%	29%	28%
Not sure	12%	19%	10%	7%	9%	31%	21%	9%	16%	19%	8%	6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (223)	100% (632)	100% (142)	100% (765)	100% (121)	100% (111)	100% (454)	100% (543)	100% (414)	100% (331)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very serious	17%	12%	22%	15%	11%	16%	22%	8%	12%	18%	28%	17%	15%	17%
Somewhat serious	23%	17%	35%	24%	12%	24%	33%	24%	19%	27%	23%	20%	26%	28%
A minor problem	22%	27%	23%	21%	27%	24%	22%	24%	20%	21%	24%	19%	27%	23%
Not a problem	26%	32%	12%	32%	43%	28%	16%	34%	35%	21%	15%	28%	24%	28%
Not sure	12%	11%	8%	8%	7%	8%	7%	10%	14%	14%	10%	15%	7%	4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (342)	100% (243)	100% (293)	100% (189)	100% (359)	100% (311)	100% (190)	100% (210)	100% (356)	100% (241)	100% (385)	100% (283)	100% (240)

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23. Seriousness of national immigration problem

How serious a problem is immigration in the U.S. as a whole?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very serious	41%	26%	42%	60%	43%	35%	22%	42%	40%	43%	43%	33%
Somewhat serious	27%	27%	28%	25%	26%	30%	33%	26%	29%	27%	25%	31%
A minor problem	19%	26%	18%	11%	19%	16%	29%	23%	16%	16%	19%	25%
Not a problem	6%	8%	6%	2%	6%	5%	8%	6%	6%	4%	7%	8%
Not sure	7%	13%	6%	2%	6%	14%	9%	5%	9%	10%	6%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (223)	100% (633)	100% (142)	100% (766)	100% (121)	100% (111)	100% (454)	100% (544)	100% (415)	100% (331)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very serious	41%	30%	68%	35%	18%	37%	64%	34%	43%	43%	40%	41%	44%	37%
Somewhat serious	27%	29%	22%	31%	28%	32%	24%	30%	26%	26%	29%	28%	28%	28%
A minor problem	19%	28%	6%	22%	34%	22%	8%	22%	17%	17%	22%	16%	20%	25%
Not a problem	6%	8%	2%	6%	14%	4%	2%	8%	6%	4%	6%	7%	3%	8%
Not sure	7%	5%	3%	6%	5%	4%	3%	7%	8%	9%	4%	8%	4%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (342)	100% (243)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (360)	100% (311)	100% (190)	100% (210)	100% (357)	100% (241)	100% (385)	100% (284)	100% (240)

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24. Deportation of illegal immigrants

Do you support or oppose deporting illegal immigrants who have no criminal record and are not a considered a threat to public safety?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly support	31%	18%	34%	41%	35%	15%	9%	32%	30%	31%	33%	27%
Somewhat support	17%	14%	17%	21%	18%	15%	10%	18%	16%	18%	17%	15%
Neither support, nor oppose	17%	17%	18%	13%	16%	17%	24%	15%	19%	17%	16%	17%
Somewhat oppose	14%	22%	12%	9%	13%	16%	18%	16%	12%	12%	13%	18%
Strongly oppose	15%	19%	12%	16%	13%	16%	30%	15%	14%	11%	16%	20%
Not sure	7%	11%	7%	1%	4%	21%	10%	4%	9%	10%	5%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (224)	100% (632)	100% (142)	100% (767)	100% (120)	100% (111)	100% (454)	100% (544)	100% (414)	100% (332)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly support	31%	18%	52%	33%	13%	27%	51%	29%	38%	27%	30%	27%	37%	31%
Somewhat support	17%	15%	25%	15%	14%	15%	23%	11%	18%	18%	18%	17%	20%	18%
Neither support, nor oppose	17%	17%	9%	19%	11%	20%	12%	21%	14%	16%	18%	22%	11%	12%
Somewhat oppose	14%	21%	5%	15%	26%	17%	7%	17%	12%	13%	15%	12%	12%	19%
Strongly oppose	15%	23%	7%	13%	32%	16%	4%	16%	11%	17%	13%	14%	15%	17%
Not sure	7%	6%	1%	5%	2%	5%	3%	6%	6%	9%	6%	8%	5%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (342)	100% (243)	100% (294)	100% (188)	100% (361)	100% (311)	100% (191)	100% (210)	100% (356)	100% (241)	100% (384)	100% (284)	100% (241)

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25. Support deporting illegal immigrants under these circumstances

Do you support or oppose deporting illegal immigrants under the following circumstances? (A) The individual was brought to the U.S. as a minor by parents who entered the country illegally; (B) The individual graduated from a U.S. high school; (C) The individual served in the U.S. military; (D) The individual is in a committed relationship with a same-sex partner who is a U.S. citizen

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A	37%	23%	41%	47%	38%	35%	29%	38%	36%	36%	40%	35%
B	39%	28%	43%	43%	41%	33%	31%	41%	38%	38%	43%	36%
C	24%	15%	26%	35%	24%	28%	26%	22%	27%	29%	22%	19%
D	39%	28%	43%	45%	41%	32%	29%	42%	36%	39%	42%	35%
Totals	(1,000)	(224)	(634)	(142)	(767)	(122)	(111)	(455)	(545)	(416)	(332)	(252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A	37%	29%	58%	37%	21%	36%	56%	34%	41%	36%	36%	31%	43%	42%
B	39%	32%	54%	43%	23%	35%	60%	38%	43%	39%	37%	34%	49%	44%
C	24%	24%	24%	27%	14%	25%	30%	28%	26%	23%	21%	23%	30%	21%
D	39%	27%	63%	41%	20%	35%	64%	35%	42%	39%	38%	35%	45%	41%
Totals	(1,000)	(344)	(243)	(294)	(189)	(361)	(311)	(191)	(210)	(358)	(241)	(386)	(284)	(241)

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26. Oppose deporting illegal immigrants under these circumstances

Do you support or oppose deporting illegal immigrants under the following circumstances? (A) The individual was brought to the U.S. as a minor by parents who entered the country illegally; (B) The individual graduated from a U.S. high school; (C) The individual served in the U.S. military; (D) The individual is in a committed relationship with a same-sex partner who is a U.S. citizen

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A	38%	41%	36%	38%	39%	30%	39%	39%	37%	32%	36%	51%
B	33%	41%	31%	28%	34%	29%	38%	33%	34%	25%	36%	45%
C	52%	58%	52%	41%	54%	42%	48%	56%	49%	41%	55%	69%
D	31%	33%	29%	32%	32%	24%	27%	30%	32%	24%	29%	45%
Totals	(1,000)	(224)	(634)	(142)	(767)	(122)	(111)	(455)	(545)	(416)	(332)	(252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A	38%	53%	25%	35%	64%	41%	23%	38%	36%	40%	38%	38%	37%	43%
B	33%	45%	22%	31%	60%	37%	17%	32%	29%	35%	37%	33%	30%	40%
C	52%	60%	50%	52%	73%	56%	46%	50%	51%	52%	55%	46%	52%	68%
D	31%	46%	14%	31%	60%	34%	16%	35%	26%	32%	33%	28%	29%	37%
Totals	(1,000)	(344)	(243)	(294)	(189)	(361)	(311)	(191)	(210)	(358)	(241)	(386)	(284)	(241)

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27. Satisfaction with health insurance

How satisfied are you with your health insurance coverage?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very satisfied	29%	23%	23%	56%	31%	21%	15%	29%	29%	26%	30%	31%
Somewhat satisfied	35%	29%	39%	28%	35%	27%	45%	34%	35%	34%	32%	40%
Somewhat dissatisfied	11%	12%	12%	3%	11%	11%	11%	11%	10%	10%	10%	13%
Very dissatisfied	13%	15%	14%	7%	13%	14%	9%	13%	13%	11%	18%	11%
Not sure	13%	22%	11%	5%	10%	28%	19%	13%	13%	20%	11%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (993)	100% (222)	100% (630)	100% (141)	100% (763)	100% (120)	100% (110)	100% (452)	100% (541)	100% (412)	100% (330)	100% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very satisfied	29%	28%	37%	27%	22%	33%	33%	30%	30%	29%	26%	23%	30%	35%
Somewhat satisfied	35%	39%	34%	33%	39%	35%	35%	35%	37%	32%	35%	30%	41%	44%
Somewhat dissatisfied	11%	9%	11%	14%	11%	10%	10%	13%	11%	8%	14%	12%	10%	10%
Very dissatisfied	13%	13%	11%	16%	20%	13%	10%	10%	11%	16%	13%	17%	12%	8%
Not sure	13%	11%	7%	10%	8%	9%	11%	13%	11%	16%	12%	17%	6%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (993)	100% (343)	100% (240)	100% (292)	100% (187)	100% (359)	100% (308)	100% (191)	100% (209)	100% (354)	100% (239)	100% (381)	100% (283)	100% (241)

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28. Direct impact of health care reform

Have you personally been affected by any changes to the health care system resulting from the health care reform law that was passed last year by Congress?

Asked if respondent has been personally affected by the health care reform law

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	23%	17%	29%	12%	26%	8%	20%	24%	22%	18%	27%	27%
No	52%	56%	48%	57%	49%	65%	60%	51%	52%	53%	49%	53%
Not sure	25%	27%	22%	31%	25%	28%	20%	25%	26%	29%	24%	20%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (994)	100% (224)	100% (628)	100% (142)	100% (763)	100% (120)	100% (111)	100% (453)	100% (541)	100% (412)	100% (331)	100% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	23%	18%	34%	26%	18%	18%	36%	18%	25%	24%	24%	17%	27%	35%
No	52%	67%	39%	49%	68%	61%	36%	59%	51%	49%	51%	58%	51%	47%
Not sure	25%	15%	27%	25%	14%	21%	27%	23%	24%	28%	24%	25%	22%	19%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (994)	100% (343)	100% (240)	100% (293)	100% (188)	100% (359)	100% (308)	100% (190)	100% (209)	100% (354)	100% (241)	100% (382)	100% (283)	100% (240)

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29. Nature of impact from health care reform

Have the changes that you experienced as a result of the health care legislation been positive or negative?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Positive	21%	34%	20%	5%	21%	27%	26%	24%	19%	16%	23%	25%
Neither positive, nor negative	10%	18%	8%	9%	8%	33%	21%	13%	7%	9%	12%	9%
Negative	68%	48%	72%	86%	71%	40%	53%	64%	74%	75%	65%	66%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (237)	100% (34)	100% (185)	100% (18)	100% (201)	100% (14)	100% (22)	100% (126)	100% (111)	100% (83)	100% (89)	100% (65)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Positive	21%	53%	4%	15%	68%	33%	3%	24%	24%	20%	18%	16%	17%	30%
Neither positive, nor negative	10%	12%	16%	5%	11%	9%	8%	10%	13%	11%	5%	7%	16%	6%
Negative	68%	35%	79%	80%	21%	59%	88%	66%	62%	68%	78%	78%	67%	64%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (237)	100% (62)	100% (80)	100% (78)	100% (39)	100% (70)	100% (108)	100% (38)	100% (44)	100% (93)	100% (62)	100% (73)	100% (71)	100% (77)

30. Opinion on repealing health care plan

Do you favor or oppose repealing President Obama's health care reform law passed last year by Congress?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly favor	26%	16%	27%	35%	28%	13%	16%	32%	19%	23%	27%	28%
Favor	15%	21%	13%	14%	15%	18%	12%	15%	16%	18%	15%	11%
Neither favor nor oppose	25%	29%	23%	21%	21%	36%	47%	17%	32%	33%	23%	12%
Oppose	12%	12%	12%	11%	12%	12%	12%	13%	11%	10%	11%	17%
Strongly oppose	23%	22%	24%	19%	24%	21%	14%	23%	22%	17%	24%	32%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (221)	100% (634)	100% (141)	100% (766)	100% (121)	100% (109)	100% (454)	100% (542)	100% (414)	100% (330)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly favor	26%	11%	46%	31%	9%	20%	49%	22%	27%	26%	26%	22%	24%	33%
Favor	15%	15%	13%	18%	17%	15%	16%	15%	15%	15%	15%	18%	17%	8%
Neither favor nor oppose	25%	28%	14%	18%	18%	27%	13%	27%	19%	26%	27%	32%	20%	12%
Oppose	12%	16%	10%	10%	16%	14%	8%	19%	10%	11%	10%	12%	14%	12%
Strongly oppose	23%	30%	17%	23%	40%	25%	14%	19%	28%	21%	22%	16%	25%	36%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (343)	100% (241)	100% (293)	100% (189)	100% (359)	100% (309)	100% (190)	100% (210)	100% (356)	100% (240)	100% (384)	100% (284)	100% (240)

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31. Quality impact of health care reform plan on personal care

Under the health care reform bill passed last year by Congress and signed by President Obama, do you think you personally will receive better or worse care than you receive now?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Better care	13%	16%	13%	6%	11%	23%	11%	15%	10%	9%	18%	12%
About the same	37%	40%	36%	37%	35%	43%	50%	37%	37%	38%	30%	44%
Worse care	35%	19%	38%	48%	41%	4%	18%	35%	34%	32%	36%	37%
Not sure	16%	24%	13%	8%	13%	30%	20%	12%	19%	20%	16%	7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (222)	100% (632)	100% (142)	100% (766)	100% (122)	100% (108)	100% (455)	100% (541)	100% (413)	100% (331)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Better care	13%	24%	2%	12%	30%	14%	2%	13%	12%	12%	15%	13%	14%	12%
About the same	37%	52%	22%	36%	56%	44%	19%	45%	34%	33%	42%	40%	35%	41%
Worse care	35%	9%	71%	39%	6%	28%	69%	25%	41%	36%	32%	26%	40%	43%
Not sure	16%	15%	6%	13%	8%	14%	10%	17%	13%	19%	12%	21%	11%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (343)	100% (242)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (360)	100% (310)	100% (189)	100% (210)	100% (357)	100% (240)	100% (385)	100% (283)	100% (240)

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32. Tax impact of health care reform plan

Do you think you personally will pay more, either in taxes or insurance costs, under the health care reform bill passed last year by Congress and signed by President Obama?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Pay more	51%	37%	53%	66%	57%	21%	33%	53%	49%	50%	50%	53%
About the same	26%	26%	26%	24%	23%	35%	38%	26%	25%	23%	25%	30%
Pay less	7%	10%	6%	3%	6%	13%	5%	10%	4%	4%	9%	9%
Not sure	17%	27%	15%	7%	14%	31%	25%	11%	22%	22%	17%	8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (223)	100% (633)	100% (140)	100% (764)	100% (122)	100% (110)	100% (452)	100% (544)	100% (415)	100% (330)	100% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Pay more	51%	29%	80%	58%	22%	45%	83%	45%	56%	52%	48%	41%	60%	59%
About the same	26%	38%	11%	25%	39%	31%	11%	37%	24%	20%	26%	29%	22%	30%
Pay less	7%	13%	0%	6%	19%	8%	0%	5%	7%	7%	9%	8%	7%	5%
Not sure	17%	20%	8%	10%	20%	16%	6%	14%	14%	21%	17%	22%	11%	6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (342)	100% (241)	100% (294)	100% (188)	100% (361)	100% (308)	100% (190)	100% (210)	100% (355)	100% (241)	100% (385)	100% (283)	100% (241)

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33. Understanding of health care reform bill

How well do you feel that you understand the health care reform bill that was signed into law last year?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very well	10%	8%	12%	8%	10%	13%	6%	13%	8%	9%	12%	11%
Fairly well	41%	36%	43%	41%	42%	39%	33%	41%	40%	34%	42%	52%
Not very well	36%	37%	35%	36%	36%	28%	46%	36%	36%	41%	34%	30%
Not at all	13%	19%	9%	15%	12%	20%	15%	9%	16%	16%	12%	7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (999)	100% (223)	100% (634)	100% (142)	100% (767)	100% (122)	100% (110)	100% (455)	100% (544)	100% (415)	100% (332)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very well	10%	12%	10%	10%	11%	9%	13%	8%	10%	12%	11%	8%	9%	19%
Fairly well	41%	40%	45%	46%	48%	39%	46%	43%	39%	41%	40%	36%	42%	51%
Not very well	36%	38%	34%	32%	36%	39%	31%	36%	41%	30%	39%	40%	37%	26%
Not at all	13%	9%	11%	11%	5%	12%	10%	13%	10%	17%	10%	16%	12%	4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (999)	100% (344)	100% (242)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (361)	100% (310)	100% (191)	100% (210)	100% (357)	100% (241)	100% (386)	100% (284)	100% (241)

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34. Favor these parts of the health care law

Next, we'd like to ask you about some specific parts of the current health care law. Please tell us whether you favor or oppose the following provisions. (A) Require all U.S. citizens and legal residents to have health insurance, or pay a tax penalty?; (B) Require employers to offer their employees health insurance, or pay a tax penalty?; (C) Require health plans to provide coverage for children up to age 26?; (D) Prevent insurers from charging more to cover people who are in poor health?; (E) Prevent insurers from imposing lifetime limits on benefits?; (F) Require all insurance policies to provide a minimum package of benefits?; (G) Provide a subsidy to help people with incomes of between \$29,000 and \$88,000 per year (for a family of 4) afford insurance?; (H) Guarantee access to insurance coverage for people with pre-existing conditions?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A	24%	24%	23%	29%	24%	23%	31%	24%	24%	17%	26%	34%
B	43%	40%	46%	40%	42%	49%	47%	39%	48%	38%	48%	48%
C	47%	59%	44%	37%	45%	57%	57%	44%	50%	41%	50%	55%
D	58%	53%	59%	59%	57%	64%	57%	56%	60%	58%	61%	54%
E	59%	54%	61%	60%	59%	60%	51%	58%	59%	53%	64%	63%
F	59%	58%	57%	69%	58%	67%	62%	61%	58%	57%	60%	62%
G	46%	50%	46%	38%	43%	58%	50%	45%	46%	40%	48%	52%
H	70%	56%	74%	83%	72%	70%	61%	66%	74%	67%	72%	75%
Totals	(996)	(222)	(632)	(142)	(764)	(122)	(110)	(453)	(543)	(414)	(331)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A	24%	41%	10%	21%	42%	31%	11%	25%	21%	22%	31%	17%	25%	40%
B	43%	65%	24%	39%	71%	50%	21%	44%	38%	46%	45%	42%	47%	50%
C	47%	67%	31%	43%	77%	51%	29%	47%	43%	48%	50%	47%	46%	52%
D	58%	74%	40%	58%	81%	66%	40%	56%	55%	59%	60%	60%	60%	54%
E	59%	72%	43%	64%	84%	68%	43%	56%	57%	61%	59%	55%	63%	65%
F	59%	77%	43%	59%	81%	70%	42%	59%	56%	61%	61%	62%	58%	60%
G	46%	69%	26%	40%	73%	55%	24%	52%	39%	47%	46%	46%	49%	46%
H	70%	83%	60%	71%	88%	80%	58%	67%	67%	74%	72%	66%	74%	75%
Totals	(996)	(342)	(242)	(294)	(188)	(359)	(311)	(189)	(210)	(358)	(239)	(386)	(283)	(239)

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35. Oppose these parts of the health care law

Next, we'd like to ask you about some specific parts of the current health care law. Please tell us whether you favor or oppose the following provisions. (A) Require all U.S. citizens and legal residents to have health insurance, or pay a tax penalty?; (B) Require employers to offer their employees health insurance, or pay a tax penalty?; (C) Require health plans to provide coverage for children up to age 26?; (D) Prevent insurers from charging more to cover people who are in poor health?; (E) Prevent insurers from imposing lifetime limits on benefits?; (F) Require all insurance policies to provide a minimum package of benefits?; (G) Provide a subsidy to help people with incomes of between \$29,000 and \$88,000 per year (for a family of 4) afford insurance?; (H) Guarantee access to insurance coverage for people with pre-existing conditions?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A	52%	45%	54%	54%	56%	38%	32%	55%	49%	53%	49%	52%
B	30%	26%	32%	33%	34%	16%	11%	34%	27%	26%	30%	38%
C	26%	13%	28%	42%	29%	18%	11%	29%	24%	27%	23%	29%
D	20%	16%	19%	28%	21%	13%	9%	22%	17%	17%	18%	26%
E	17%	13%	18%	21%	18%	14%	9%	19%	15%	17%	14%	20%
F	12%	10%	14%	11%	13%	11%	8%	13%	12%	10%	12%	16%
G	25%	15%	28%	34%	28%	14%	11%	27%	24%	25%	24%	28%
H	7%	10%	7%	4%	8%	4%	3%	8%	6%	6%	7%	10%
Totals	(996)	(222)	(632)	(142)	(764)	(122)	(110)	(453)	(543)	(414)	(331)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A	52%	33%	75%	58%	31%	47%	77%	48%	56%	54%	47%	52%	54%	49%
B	30%	11%	53%	36%	12%	23%	57%	30%	34%	27%	31%	24%	31%	39%
C	26%	13%	46%	29%	8%	20%	51%	25%	29%	25%	26%	21%	30%	34%
D	20%	11%	34%	21%	4%	16%	38%	18%	28%	18%	14%	17%	17%	28%
E	17%	9%	28%	18%	4%	14%	32%	15%	22%	14%	17%	16%	14%	21%
F	12%	5%	26%	14%	4%	6%	28%	6%	15%	14%	12%	10%	12%	21%
G	25%	10%	40%	33%	9%	19%	47%	16%	30%	26%	27%	22%	25%	33%
H	7%	2%	16%	8%	2%	3%	16%	4%	12%	6%	6%	8%	4%	12%
Totals	(996)	(342)	(242)	(294)	(188)	(359)	(311)	(189)	(210)	(358)	(239)	(386)	(283)	(239)

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36. Most trusted party on health care

Which party do you trust more to make the right decisions about health care?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Democrats	35%	38%	34%	35%	32%	57%	41%	34%	36%	27%	39%	46%
Republicans	19%	12%	20%	29%	22%	2%	15%	21%	17%	16%	21%	23%
About the same	10%	14%	9%	5%	10%	10%	11%	10%	10%	13%	10%	4%
Neither	27%	25%	30%	25%	30%	17%	18%	30%	25%	31%	25%	24%
Not sure	8%	11%	8%	5%	7%	14%	16%	6%	11%	13%	6%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (1,000)	100% (224)	100% (634)	100% (142)	100% (767)	100% (122)	100% (111)	100% (455)	100% (545)	100% (416)	100% (332)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Democrats	35%	79%	3%	24%	81%	42%	8%	45%	32%	34%	34%	34%	37%	41%
Republicans	19%	1%	61%	14%	0%	9%	50%	15%	18%	23%	19%	13%	22%	28%
About the same	10%	5%	10%	11%	4%	11%	9%	10%	13%	9%	8%	12%	10%	4%
Neither	27%	12%	20%	44%	11%	32%	30%	27%	30%	25%	29%	28%	26%	24%
Not sure	8%	3%	6%	7%	4%	7%	3%	4%	8%	10%	11%	12%	5%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (1,000)	100% (344)	100% (243)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (361)	100% (311)	100% (191)	100% (210)	100% (358)	100% (241)	100% (386)	100% (284)	100% (241)

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37. Generic presidential vote intention

If an election for president was going to be held now, would you vote for...

Asked of registered voters

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The Democratic Party candidate	41%	50%	40%	37%	36%	74%	54%	37%	45%	34%	42%	49%
The Republican Party candidate	36%	26%	35%	50%	41%	5%	30%	42%	31%	41%	32%	35%
Other	5%	6%	6%	1%	6%	1%	2%	8%	3%	6%	6%	3%
Not sure	16%	16%	17%	11%	16%	17%	14%	11%	20%	16%	18%	13%
I would not vote	2%	2%	2%	0%	1%	3%	0%	2%	1%	2%	2%	0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (786)	100% (135)	100% (525)	100% (126)	100% (607)	100% (94)	100% (85)	100% (396)	100% (390)	100% (273)	100% (280)	100% (233)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The Democratic Party candidate	41%	85%	2%	30%	87%	48%	8%	47%	36%	39%	47%	44%	39%	43%
The Republican Party candidate	36%	1%	87%	34%	2%	21%	77%	31%	39%	37%	36%	30%	40%	38%
Other	5%	2%	3%	10%	4%	7%	5%	5%	9%	5%	2%	7%	5%	6%
Not sure	16%	10%	8%	25%	6%	22%	9%	17%	16%	16%	15%	17%	14%	14%
I would not vote	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	4%	0%	3%	1%	0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (786)	100% (287)	100% (217)	100% (236)	100% (151)	100% (309)	100% (273)	100% (137)	100% (167)	100% (286)	100% (196)	100% (261)	100% (238)	100% (223)

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38. 2012 Congressional vote

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

Asked of registered voters

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The Democratic Party candidate	41%	46%	40%	37%	35%	74%	54%	38%	44%	33%	41%	49%
The Republican Party candidate	36%	29%	35%	47%	41%	2%	30%	42%	31%	40%	33%	35%
Other	3%	5%	4%	1%	4%	1%	1%	4%	3%	3%	5%	3%
Not sure	17%	17%	19%	12%	18%	20%	11%	13%	21%	21%	18%	12%
I would not vote	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	4%	5%	3%	2%	4%	2%	1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (787)	100% (135)	100% (525)	100% (127)	100% (608)	100% (94)	100% (85)	100% (397)	100% (390)	100% (274)	100% (280)	100% (233)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The Democratic Party candidate	41%	84%	3%	29%	86%	47%	8%	44%	38%	39%	45%	43%	37%	44%
The Republican Party candidate	36%	3%	85%	36%	2%	21%	78%	34%	36%	37%	36%	30%	40%	40%
Other	3%	2%	1%	6%	4%	5%	2%	4%	5%	3%	2%	3%	3%	5%
Not sure	17%	9%	10%	28%	8%	23%	12%	18%	19%	17%	16%	20%	18%	10%
I would not vote	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	4%	0%	0%	4%	4%	1%	4%	1%	1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (787)	100% (288)	100% (217)	100% (236)	100% (152)	100% (309)	100% (273)	100% (137)	100% (168)	100% (286)	100% (196)	100% (262)	100% (238)	100% (223)

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39. Obama's ideological leanings

Would you say Barack Obama is...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very liberal	29%	16%	31%	43%	33%	12%	14%	33%	25%	26%	27%	34%
Liberal	18%	24%	15%	19%	17%	22%	19%	17%	19%	18%	18%	18%
Moderate	31%	33%	32%	22%	30%	32%	37%	28%	33%	24%	34%	37%
Conservative	6%	10%	5%	2%	6%	8%	6%	8%	4%	5%	6%	7%
Very conservative	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	4%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%
Not sure	16%	17%	16%	14%	14%	23%	21%	13%	19%	25%	14%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (223)	100% (633)	100% (142)	100% (765)	100% (122)	100% (111)	100% (454)	100% (544)	100% (414)	100% (332)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	29%	9%	62%	31%	6%	17%	65%	23%	28%	31%	30%	20%	34%	35%
Liberal	18%	24%	13%	20%	28%	19%	14%	19%	18%	17%	18%	20%	17%	17%
Moderate	31%	50%	9%	31%	50%	43%	10%	38%	28%	28%	32%	28%	35%	34%
Conservative	6%	7%	2%	6%	11%	6%	5%	5%	6%	6%	7%	6%	5%	6%
Very conservative	1%	1%	3%	0%	0%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%
Not sure	16%	10%	11%	11%	5%	14%	4%	13%	17%	18%	13%	23%	10%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (344)	100% (242)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (359)	100% (311)	100% (190)	100% (210)	100% (357)	100% (241)	100% (385)	100% (283)	100% (241)

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40. 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	44%	49%	43%	40%	39%	72%	52%	43%	45%	42%	46%	45%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	56%	51%	57%	60%	61%	28%	48%	57%	55%	58%	54%	55%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (993)	100% (223)	100% (628)	100% (142)	100% (761)	100% (121)	100% (111)	100% (454)	100% (539)	100% (413)	100% (331)	100% (249)

	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	44%	68%	16%	44%	71%	48%	23%	49%	42%	44%	43%	46%	43%	44%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	56%	32%	84%	56%	29%	52%	77%	51%	58%	56%	57%	54%	57%	56%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (993)	100% (342)	100% (243)	100% (292)	100% (189)	100% (359)	100% (310)	100% (187)	100% (210)	100% (356)	100% (240)	100% (384)	100% (282)	100% (238)

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41. 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%	33%	32%	36%	28%	66%	38%	32%	34%	28%	38%	35%
Like somewhat	30%	35%	28%	27%	30%	23%	34%	30%	30%	30%	29%	31%
Dislike	24%	17%	26%	30%	29%	1%	14%	26%	22%	27%	21%	24%
Not sure	13%	15%	14%	7%	13%	10%	14%	12%	14%	15%	13%	10%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (222)	100% (633)	100% (142)	100% (765)	100% (122)	100% (110)	100% (455)	100% (542)	100% (414)	100% (331)	100% (252)

	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%	62%	10%	26%	67%	39%	10%	33%	34%	31%	35%	31%	39%	33%
Like somewhat	30%	29%	23%	35%	25%	35%	27%	42%	22%	28%	31%	31%	30%	30%
Dislike	24%	5%	55%	22%	6%	16%	49%	14%	30%	27%	21%	23%	22%	27%
Not sure	13%	4%	12%	17%	2%	10%	14%	11%	14%	13%	12%	15%	9%	10%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (341)	100% (243)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (359)	100% (311)	100% (189)	100% (210)	100% (357)	100% (241)	100% (386)	100% (282)	100% (240)

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42. 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
Bold	29%	37%	26%	25%	25%	57%	26%	25%	32%	31%	31%	22%
Decisive	17%	21%	15%	12%	12%	40%	24%	14%	19%	16%	18%	16%
Effective	16%	22%	15%	12%	12%	50%	14%	15%	17%	16%	20%	12%
Experienced	14%	18%	13%	8%	9%	45%	15%	13%	15%	15%	15%	9%
Honest	32%	32%	31%	36%	28%	63%	28%	31%	33%	28%	35%	37%
In touch	24%	29%	24%	20%	19%	56%	26%	24%	25%	22%	27%	25%
Inspiring	31%	37%	30%	24%	26%	64%	27%	33%	29%	24%	35%	38%
Intelligent	58%	59%	56%	60%	55%	83%	46%	60%	55%	48%	64%	67%
Partisan	25%	20%	26%	33%	26%	26%	13%	30%	21%	20%	26%	35%
Patriotic	32%	31%	31%	34%	29%	51%	25%	31%	32%	27%	33%	38%
Realistic	27%	29%	27%	23%	22%	54%	32%	27%	26%	21%	30%	32%
Religious	15%	12%	16%	14%	11%	36%	19%	15%	15%	19%	15%	9%
Sincere	33%	33%	33%	35%	29%	61%	30%	32%	35%	28%	37%	38%
Strong	26%	34%	23%	24%	21%	65%	26%	22%	30%	25%	29%	26%
Unifying	13%	19%	11%	11%	9%	41%	11%	10%	16%	12%	15%	13%
Totals	(1,000)	(224)	(634)	(142)	(767)	(122)	(111)	(455)	(545)	(416)	(332)	(252)

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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+
Bold	29%	37%	24%	22%	32%	32%	23%	25%	30%	33%	24%	35%	29%	15%
Decisive	17%	28%	7%	14%	25%	20%	8%	14%	16%	20%	14%	18%	17%	12%
Effective	16%	31%	4%	10%	26%	17%	7%	15%	12%	19%	18%	20%	18%	8%
Experienced	14%	27%	2%	9%	27%	14%	4%	12%	12%	17%	11%	18%	12%	8%
Honest	32%	60%	3%	30%	64%	38%	9%	30%	28%	37%	32%	32%	32%	33%
In touch	24%	45%	3%	22%	52%	25%	9%	26%	19%	30%	21%	29%	23%	18%
Inspiring	31%	54%	11%	29%	64%	34%	12%	34%	23%	33%	35%	30%	32%	32%
Intelligent	58%	84%	29%	60%	85%	69%	37%	62%	50%	58%	62%	55%	61%	60%
Partisan	25%	13%	42%	31%	11%	20%	47%	18%	22%	28%	31%	19%	30%	33%
Patriotic	32%	59%	5%	29%	60%	38%	10%	31%	32%	30%	35%	30%	33%	35%
Realistic	27%	49%	5%	25%	50%	34%	7%	27%	20%	31%	28%	28%	26%	29%
Religious	15%	26%	5%	10%	17%	20%	7%	14%	14%	16%	15%	19%	12%	12%
Sincere	33%	60%	6%	33%	69%	38%	11%	35%	30%	34%	35%	34%	32%	37%
Strong	26%	46%	7%	23%	40%	31%	13%	29%	23%	30%	24%	33%	23%	17%
Unifying	13%	22%	5%	11%	25%	14%	4%	9%	11%	15%	17%	16%	11%	12%
Totals	(1,000)	(344)	(243)	(294)	(189)	(361)	(311)	(191)	(210)	(358)	(241)	(386)	(284)	(241)

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43. Approval of U.S. Congress

Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that the United States Congress is handling its job?

	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%	0%
Somewhat approve	8%	8%	7%	9%	8%	8%	8%	9%	7%	9%	8%	5%
Neither approve nor disapprove	13%	15%	14%	5%	9%	24%	28%	10%	15%	17%	11%	7%
Somewhat disapprove	22%	18%	25%	23%	24%	16%	18%	18%	27%	22%	24%	22%
Strongly disapprove	48%	41%	48%	60%	51%	37%	33%	58%	39%	38%	51%	63%
Not sure	8%	15%	6%	2%	6%	15%	10%	5%	11%	14%	3%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (999)	100% (224)	100% (633)	100% (142)	100% (767)	100% (122)	100% (110)	100% (455)	100% (544)	100% (416)	100% (332)	100% (251)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	1%	2%	2%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	0%
Somewhat approve	8%	11%	9%	6%	6%	8%	10%	14%	4%	8%	7%	7%	8%	10%
Neither approve nor disapprove	13%	14%	12%	9%	7%	10%	12%	15%	13%	12%	10%	17%	8%	10%
Somewhat disapprove	22%	21%	32%	19%	20%	22%	28%	27%	24%	22%	18%	24%	24%	23%
Strongly disapprove	48%	50%	43%	59%	64%	54%	46%	39%	46%	49%	56%	40%	54%	56%
Not sure	8%	3%	2%	6%	4%	5%	3%	5%	10%	8%	6%	11%	3%	1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (999)	100% (344)	100% (243)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (361)	100% (311)	100% (190)	100% (210)	100% (358)	100% (241)	100% (385)	100% (284)	100% (241)

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44. 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	22%	26%	20%	25%	20%	36%	21%	27%	18%	18%	24%	29%
About the same	29%	28%	28%	35%	30%	15%	40%	28%	30%	28%	29%	31%
Lower	24%	17%	28%	24%	28%	6%	16%	26%	23%	22%	25%	27%
Not sure	24%	29%	24%	17%	21%	42%	23%	19%	29%	32%	22%	13%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (223)	100% (633)	100% (142)	100% (765)	100% (122)	100% (111)	100% (453)	100% (545)	100% (415)	100% (331)	100% (252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Higher	22%	39%	8%	17%	38%	27%	11%	30%	20%	22%	19%	21%	20%	28%
About the same	29%	29%	31%	34%	26%	33%	29%	29%	34%	22%	35%	30%	32%	29%
Lower	24%	11%	43%	26%	11%	20%	43%	23%	23%	25%	25%	21%	26%	31%
Not sure	24%	21%	17%	23%	24%	20%	18%	18%	23%	30%	20%	28%	21%	12%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (344)	100% (241)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (361)	100% (310)	100% (191)	100% (208)	100% (358)	100% (241)	100% (386)	100% (283)	100% (241)

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45. 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	14%	15%	13%	14%	9%	35%	24%	13%	14%	14%	16%	10%
Off on the wrong track	71%	64%	74%	73%	78%	34%	57%	76%	66%	68%	70%	78%
Not sure	15%	21%	14%	13%	12%	32%	20%	11%	20%	18%	14%	12%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (223)	100% (632)	100% (142)	100% (766)	100% (122)	100% (109)	100% (455)	100% (542)	100% (415)	100% (331)	100% (251)

	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	14%	27%	2%	9%	19%	19%	5%	15%	11%	15%	13%	14%	16%	9%
Off on the wrong track	71%	55%	93%	77%	64%	68%	90%	73%	74%	68%	71%	69%	73%	80%
Not sure	15%	18%	5%	13%	17%	14%	5%	12%	16%	16%	17%	17%	11%	11%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (342)	100% (243)	100% (294)	100% (189)	100% (360)	100% (311)	100% (188)	100% (210)	100% (358)	100% (241)	100% (385)	100% (283)	100% (240)

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46. 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	8%	9%	7%	10%	7%	16%	4%	9%	7%	6%	10%	8%
About the same	31%	43%	28%	21%	27%	38%	55%	31%	31%	35%	29%	25%
Getting worse	54%	36%	59%	68%	60%	29%	32%	55%	53%	48%	56%	62%
Not sure	7%	12%	6%	1%	5%	17%	9%	5%	9%	11%	4%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted)	(997)	(223)	(632)	(142)	(766)	(122)	(109)	(455)	(542)	(415)	(331)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Getting better	8%	15%	2%	6%	13%	11%	3%	6%	6%	9%	9%	9%	6%	9%
About the same	31%	45%	19%	28%	42%	36%	19%	35%	30%	31%	27%	33%	35%	25%
Getting worse	54%	36%	78%	59%	39%	49%	76%	52%	56%	51%	58%	49%	56%	63%
Not sure	7%	5%	1%	7%	7%	5%	2%	7%	7%	8%	5%	8%	3%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted)	(997)	(342)	(243)	(294)	(189)	(360)	(311)	(188)	(210)	(358)	(241)	(385)	(283)	(240)

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47. Change in personal finances over past year

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Better off financially than you were a year ago	13%	24%	10%	1%	13%	15%	10%	16%	10%	10%	14%	15%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	43%	46%	41%	48%	42%	48%	49%	43%	43%	44%	40%	47%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	38%	19%	44%	50%	41%	25%	24%	35%	41%	37%	40%	36%
Not sure	6%	11%	5%	1%	4%	12%	18%	6%	6%	9%	5%	1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (224)	100% (632)	100% (141)	100% (765)	100% (122)	100% (110)	100% (455)	100% (542)	100% (414)	100% (332)	100% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Better off financially than you were a year ago	13%	15%	8%	12%	18%	10%	10%	12%	13%	11%	15%	10%	15%	15%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	43%	51%	39%	45%	54%	45%	39%	50%	41%	47%	36%	43%	44%	48%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	38%	32%	50%	40%	25%	41%	49%	32%	40%	37%	42%	40%	40%	35%
Not sure	6%	2%	3%	4%	2%	4%	1%	6%	6%	5%	7%	7%	2%	1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (343)	100% (243)	100% (293)	100% (189)	100% (359)	100% (311)	100% (189)	100% (209)	100% (358)	100% (241)	100% (384)	100% (283)	100% (241)

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Sponsorship	<i>The Economist</i>
Fieldwork	YouGov
Interviewing Dates	August 20-23, 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 0.4 to 3.2, 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	25 questions not reported.