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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 graduate
The war in Iraq	48%	49%	49%	44%	46%	70%	41%	49%	47%	39%	51%	61%
The economy	33%	38%	32%	26%	28%	66%	27%	31%	34%	27%	37%	36%
Immigration	29%	32%	28%	27%	24%	58%	34%	26%	31%	25%	31%	34%
The environment	38%	42%	38%	33%	33%	69%	39%	37%	39%	34%	40%	43%
Terrorism	46%	45%	46%	43%	42%	70%	43%	47%	45%	39%	47%	56%
Gay rights	35%	39%	35%	33%	35%	48%	26%	33%	37%	24%	40%	49%
Education	40%	47%	38%	37%	36%	69%	37%	41%	39%	35%	43%	45%
Health care	39%	44%	38%	32%	34%	73%	37%	38%	39%	32%	42%	47%
Social security	35%	37%	35%	36%	30%	66%	44%	35%	36%	30%	39%	42%
The budget deficit	30%	34%	31%	22%	25%	63%	29%	29%	31%	24%	34%	36%
The war in Afghanistan	40%	44%	41%	31%	37%	63%	40%	40%	40%	31%	44%	52%
Taxes	36%	45%	34%	27%	31%	66%	35%	38%	34%	31%	38%	42%
Medicare	36%	39%	35%	34%	31%	66%	36%	36%	35%	30%	38%	42%
Totals	(998)	(153)	(705)	(140)	(814)	(114)	(70)	(453)	(545)	(395)	(311)	(292)

	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	48%	73%	22%	53%	74%	60%	29%	56%	48%	44%	47%	43%	52%	55%
The economy	33%	56%	7%	34%	55%	39%	14%	41%	29%	32%	30%	31%	34%	39%
Immigration	29%	51%	12%	27%	43%	39%	13%	35%	25%	28%	29%	28%	29%	34%
The environment	38%	59%	15%	41%	49%	49%	21%	43%	33%	38%	40%	36%	42%	34%
Terrorism	46%	69%	26%	46%	66%	55%	31%	50%	43%	42%	50%	42%	47%	53%
Gay rights	35%	58%	14%	38%	64%	44%	17%	45%	34%	30%	37%	30%	38%	54%
Education	40%	59%	19%	42%	61%	46%	24%	46%	37%	37%	43%	41%	39%	41%
Health care	39%	67%	9%	39%	69%	48%	16%	47%	36%	34%	41%	36%	39%	48%
Social security	35%	62%	9%	36%	58%	45%	17%	38%	35%	33%	38%	37%	34%	34%
The budget deficit	30%	53%	5%	30%	52%	37%	13%	35%	27%	28%	32%	29%	30%	34%
The war in Afghanistan	40%	60%	26%	39%	52%	48%	30%	48%	37%	38%	39%	34%	42%	49%
Taxes	36%	61%	10%	36%	61%	43%	17%	45%	32%	34%	35%	35%	36%	43%
Medicare	36%	61%	7%	37%	60%	43%	18%	43%	34%	32%	36%	35%	36%	37%
Totals	(998)	(335)	(258)	(291)	(200)	(353)	(313)	(161)	(227)	(345)	(265)	(405)	(385)	(120)

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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 graduate
The war in Iraq	72%	71%	71%	79%	72%	81%	64%	69%	75%	71%	75%	72%
The economy	95%	90%	97%	97%	97%	97%	83%	94%	97%	95%	94%	97%
Immigration	77%	76%	74%	90%	78%	75%	76%	77%	77%	79%	81%	69%
The environment	79%	81%	78%	82%	78%	86%	82%	75%	84%	81%	78%	78%
Terrorism	81%	72%	81%	94%	83%	80%	69%	81%	81%	81%	82%	81%
Gay rights	45%	47%	43%	50%	46%	44%	41%	40%	50%	40%	47%	52%
Education	87%	87%	86%	90%	87%	91%	82%	84%	90%	84%	89%	90%
Health care	93%	90%	93%	96%	93%	95%	85%	90%	95%	92%	94%	93%
Social security	89%	74%	93%	100%	89%	95%	84%	89%	90%	94%	86%	86%
The budget deficit	88%	83%	87%	96%	89%	88%	78%	87%	89%	88%	88%	86%
The war in Afghanistan	76%	72%	75%	82%	76%	81%	69%	76%	75%	73%	77%	77%
Taxes	93%	90%	93%	98%	94%	96%	83%	92%	94%	93%	92%	95%
Medicare	87%	71%	89%	100%	87%	89%	81%	84%	89%	89%	86%	84%
Totals	(988)	(152)	(699)	(137)	(807)	(113)	(68)	(448)	(540)	(389)	(309)	(290)

	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	72%	71%	71%	74%	63%	75%	74%	75%	76%	70%	70%	73%	71%	71%
The economy	95%	95%	97%	95%	94%	95%	98%	96%	98%	95%	94%	95%	94%	97%
Immigration	77%	69%	88%	78%	64%	75%	88%	75%	74%	80%	79%	77%	80%	69%
The environment	79%	86%	66%	79%	90%	84%	65%	83%	81%	79%	75%	82%	76%	74%
Terrorism	81%	76%	91%	79%	64%	82%	90%	84%	81%	82%	78%	78%	84%	81%
Gay rights	45%	57%	36%	42%	68%	48%	30%	47%	38%	46%	50%	42%	48%	48%
Education	87%	91%	82%	89%	92%	88%	86%	86%	84%	90%	86%	85%	88%	87%
Health care	93%	95%	90%	92%	94%	93%	92%	90%	94%	94%	92%	92%	92%	93%
Social security	89%	91%	88%	88%	85%	90%	92%	89%	90%	91%	87%	90%	90%	85%
The budget deficit	88%	83%	93%	87%	77%	88%	94%	91%	88%	87%	86%	87%	87%	91%
The war in Afghanistan	76%	74%	76%	77%	67%	78%	78%	80%	77%	74%	73%	75%	77%	74%
Taxes	93%	93%	98%	91%	90%	93%	98%	94%	96%	93%	90%	92%	94%	93%
Medicare	87%	86%	85%	88%	80%	87%	88%	81%	86%	89%	89%	86%	88%	81%
Totals	(988)	(331)	(257)	(288)	(197)	(349)	(312)	(158)	(224)	(342)	(264)	(399)	(384)	(119)

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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 graduate
The war in Iraq	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	3%	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%
The economy	39%	39%	44%	22%	38%	47%	40%	44%	35%	38%	39%	41%
Immigration	5%	6%	4%	7%	5%	2%	14%	8%	2%	7%	4%	3%
The environment	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%	0%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	6%
Terrorism	1%	0%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%
Gay rights	1%	3%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	2%
Education	6%	15%	4%	2%	6%	6%	9%	3%	9%	4%	8%	7%
Health care	12%	9%	13%	10%	12%	9%	12%	9%	14%	9%	14%	14%
Social security	13%	2%	13%	28%	13%	18%	3%	10%	15%	20%	9%	5%
The budget deficit	10%	10%	9%	11%	10%	6%	12%	13%	7%	9%	6%	15%
The war in Afghanistan	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
Taxes	4%	6%	4%	0%	4%	3%	2%	4%	4%	3%	6%	4%
Medicare	4%	1%	2%	15%	4%	5%	6%	4%	4%	6%	3%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted)	(946)	(140)	(669)	(137)	(774)	(111)	(61)	(427)	(519)	(369)	(297)	(280)

	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%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%	2%	1%	0%
The economy	39%	40%	39%	44%	46%	42%	38%	49%	37%	36%	37%	34%	44%	46%
Immigration	5%	3%	8%	6%	3%	4%	7%	5%	4%	5%	5%	6%	3%	4%
The environment	3%	5%	0%	4%	10%	3%	1%	5%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	9%
Terrorism	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Gay rights	1%	2%	1%	1%	4%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Education	6%	8%	3%	5%	6%	8%	3%	9%	3%	5%	7%	6%	5%	6%
Health care	12%	13%	7%	15%	13%	14%	9%	12%	13%	12%	9%	9%	17%	9%
Social security	13%	16%	12%	3%	7%	9%	14%	6%	18%	12%	14%	20%	7%	3%
The budget deficit	10%	4%	20%	9%	2%	9%	17%	2%	11%	12%	13%	10%	8%	14%
The war in Afghanistan	1%	0%	0%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Taxes	4%	1%	6%	5%	4%	3%	5%	6%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	6%
Medicare	4%	6%	2%	4%	3%	6%	3%	2%	4%	5%	4%	5%	5%	2%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (946)	100% (319)	100% (251)	100% (277)	100% (189)	100% (333)	100% (306)	100% (148)	100% (219)	100% (328)	100% (251)	100% (381)	100% (369)	100% (114)

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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 graduate
Strongly Approve	15%	11%	17%	13%	11%	51%	8%	14%	16%	14%	16%	16%
Somewhat Approve	27%	38%	25%	20%	25%	28%	48%	26%	28%	21%	27%	37%
Somewhat Disapprove	13%	14%	13%	11%	13%	6%	21%	12%	14%	14%	13%	11%
Strongly Disapprove	37%	22%	39%	53%	43%	10%	17%	42%	32%	40%	35%	34%
Not Sure	8%	15%	6%	3%	8%	5%	6%	6%	10%	10%	8%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (153)	100% (703)	100% (140)	100% (813)	100% (112)	100% (71)	100% (454)	100% (542)	100% (393)	100% (311)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly Approve	15%	29%	2%	14%	26%	15%	11%	12%	16%	16%	16%	17%	15%	11%
Somewhat Approve	27%	49%	5%	27%	55%	37%	4%	42%	26%	19%	27%	24%	27%	36%
Somewhat Disapprove	13%	13%	13%	15%	12%	16%	10%	13%	11%	14%	14%	13%	15%	12%
Strongly Disapprove	37%	8%	78%	37%	5%	25%	73%	26%	41%	41%	37%	37%	37%	38%
Not Sure	8%	2%	3%	8%	1%	7%	2%	6%	6%	11%	6%	8%	6%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (333)	100% (258)	100% (290)	100% (200)	100% (351)	100% (312)	100% (161)	100% (226)	100% (344)	100% (265)	100% (404)	100% (384)	100% (120)

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5. Progress in shopping for Christmas presents

How much of your Christmas shopping have you done?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Completed all of my Christmas shopping	33%	32%	30%	46%	35%	23%	30%	26%	40%	33%	30%	38%
More than three quarters	20%	20%	23%	12%	21%	21%	12%	16%	25%	15%	26%	23%
Roughly half	9%	12%	9%	5%	10%	6%	10%	13%	6%	7%	12%	10%
Less than a quarter	7%	8%	8%	4%	6%	12%	15%	9%	6%	9%	4%	9%
Haven't started yet	8%	9%	8%	8%	8%	7%	10%	10%	6%	9%	8%	7%
Am not doing any Christmas shopping	21%	19%	21%	24%	20%	30%	23%	26%	17%	27%	20%	13%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (152)	100% (705)	100% (140)	100% (813)	100% (114)	100% (70)	100% (454)	100% (543)	100% (393)	100% (312)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Completed all of my Christmas shopping	33%	33%	42%	29%	29%	33%	36%	35%	31%	33%	35%	27%	39%	38%
More than three quarters	20%	23%	17%	20%	25%	22%	19%	20%	25%	19%	18%	18%	21%	31%
Roughly half	9%	9%	12%	9%	10%	9%	10%	9%	8%	10%	9%	7%	12%	9%
Less than a quarter	7%	6%	10%	8%	8%	8%	7%	6%	7%	7%	9%	8%	7%	3%
Haven't started yet	8%	10%	6%	11%	12%	8%	6%	7%	9%	8%	8%	9%	7%	11%
Am not doing any Christmas shopping	21%	19%	14%	22%	17%	20%	21%	24%	19%	22%	20%	30%	14%	8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (334)	100% (258)	100% (290)	100% (200)	100% (352)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (346)	100% (264)	100% (404)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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6. Spending on Christmas presents compared to last year

Do you plan to spend more or less on Christmas presents this year than you did last year?

Asked of respondents who are doing Christmas shopping

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
More	15%	21%	13%	11%	15%	22%	7%	17%	13%	16%	12%	16%
About the same	47%	57%	45%	41%	46%	40%	66%	49%	45%	46%	44%	52%
Less	38%	22%	42%	49%	39%	38%	26%	34%	42%	37%	44%	33%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (796)	100% (127)	100% (564)	100% (105)	100% (660)	100% (83)	100% (53)	100% (354)	100% (442)	100% (300)	100% (245)	100% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
More	15%	16%	14%	16%	15%	13%	17%	11%	20%	15%	12%	18%	13%	16%
About the same	47%	51%	44%	41%	53%	51%	33%	59%	41%	42%	50%	42%	48%	57%
Less	38%	32%	42%	43%	31%	35%	49%	30%	39%	43%	38%	41%	39%	26%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (796)	100% (269)	100% (224)	100% (228)	100% (166)	100% (282)	100% (254)	100% (127)	100% (192)	100% (273)	100% (204)	100% (286)	100% (332)	100% (109)

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7. Online Christmas shopping

Thinking of the Christmas gifts that you have already purchased or plan to purchase, how much of your shopping will be done online?

Asked of respondents who are doing Christmas shopping

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
All	5%	7%	5%	4%	5%	13%	4%	5%	5%	6%	4%	5%
More than three quarters	16%	21%	17%	5%	17%	16%	15%	14%	18%	14%	17%	19%
Roughly half	26%	29%	25%	24%	28%	13%	21%	27%	24%	25%	24%	29%
Less than a quarter	24%	24%	26%	19%	23%	24%	38%	28%	21%	22%	25%	27%
None	23%	16%	21%	46%	24%	24%	15%	21%	25%	25%	26%	18%
Not sure	5%	3%	7%	1%	4%	10%	7%	4%	6%	8%	4%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted)	(800)	(127)	(568)	(105)	(663)	(84)	(53)	(355)	(445)	(301)	(247)	(252)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
All	5%	7%	5%	4%	4%	5%	7%	9%	6%	4%	4%	5%	6%	4%
More than three quarters	16%	15%	13%	20%	21%	14%	16%	14%	16%	20%	14%	15%	17%	21%
Roughly half	26%	25%	27%	25%	28%	27%	24%	25%	22%	24%	32%	22%	26%	37%
Less than a quarter	24%	21%	25%	30%	25%	27%	23%	28%	24%	27%	19%	22%	28%	23%
None	23%	28%	27%	18%	16%	23%	27%	23%	24%	21%	27%	28%	21%	14%
Not sure	5%	5%	4%	3%	6%	4%	2%	2%	8%	5%	5%	8%	2%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted)	(800)	(270)	(224)	(231)	(166)	(286)	(254)	(128)	(192)	(273)	(207)	(288)	(333)	(110)

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8. Importance of religion to Christmas holiday

Do you personally celebrate Christmas more as a religious holiday or as a non-religious holiday?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Religious	56%	36%	58%	75%	55%	66%	45%	53%	58%	54%	54%	60%
Non-religious	36%	51%	35%	21%	37%	21%	53%	37%	36%	36%	40%	33%
Don't celebrate Christmas	8%	13%	7%	4%	8%	13%	2%	10%	7%	10%	6%	7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (153)	100% (706)	100% (139)	100% (813)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (454)	100% (544)	100% (395)	100% (311)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Religious	56%	52%	73%	50%	32%	55%	76%	47%	59%	61%	51%	52%	59%	61%
Non-religious	36%	41%	25%	43%	63%	37%	19%	42%	35%	29%	44%	38%	35%	35%
Don't celebrate Christmas	8%	7%	2%	7%	5%	9%	5%	11%	5%	10%	5%	10%	7%	4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (334)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (353)	100% (312)	100% (161)	100% (227)	100% (346)	100% (264)	100% (404)	100% (386)	100% (120)

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9. Factors determining success in life

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? "Success in life is determined by forces outside of our control."

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Agree strongly	6%	8%	5%	8%	4%	14%	14%	5%	7%	7%	7%	5%
Agree somewhat	28%	29%	28%	26%	29%	19%	28%	31%	26%	30%	24%	30%
Disagree somewhat	34%	32%	36%	27%	34%	32%	34%	32%	35%	29%	35%	41%
Disagree strongly	23%	17%	22%	33%	24%	25%	12%	23%	23%	22%	23%	24%
Not sure	9%	13%	9%	5%	9%	10%	11%	9%	10%	13%	11%	1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (152)	100% (706)	100% (140)	100% (813)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (453)	100% (545)	100% (395)	100% (311)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Agree strongly	6%	11%	3%	7%	7%	4%	9%	5%	5%	7%	6%	10%	2%	1%
Agree somewhat	28%	32%	22%	29%	34%	30%	22%	31%	32%	26%	25%	32%	27%	26%
Disagree somewhat	34%	39%	36%	31%	39%	41%	28%	36%	30%	32%	37%	26%	40%	40%
Disagree strongly	23%	15%	35%	27%	17%	19%	38%	20%	21%	25%	24%	21%	25%	32%
Not sure	9%	3%	5%	7%	3%	6%	3%	8%	12%	10%	8%	12%	6%	0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (335)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (353)	100% (313)	100% (161)	100% (227)	100% (345)	100% (265)	100% (404)	100% (386)	100% (120)

10. Opinion on Bush-era tax cuts

As you probably know, many of the major tax cuts passed by Congress during the Bush administration are due to expire at the end of this year. Would you favor...?

(A) Making these tax cuts permanent; (B) Extending the tax cuts for households earning less than \$250,000 per year but letting the tax cuts expire for households earning more than \$250,000 per year; (C) Letting all the tax cuts expire as scheduled; (D) Don't Know

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
A	25%	17%	25%	39%	27%	17%	19%	33%	18%	26%	25%	25%
B	41%	46%	41%	37%	41%	44%	44%	40%	43%	33%	45%	51%
C	14%	14%	14%	14%	13%	21%	12%	16%	13%	13%	14%	17%
D	19%	23%	20%	11%	19%	18%	25%	12%	26%	28%	15%	7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (153)	100% (703)	100% (140)	100% (811)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (453)	100% (543)	100% (395)	100% (310)	100% (291)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A	25%	10%	51%	25%	6%	14%	58%	20%	25%	27%	26%	21%	27%	37%
B	41%	54%	28%	47%	63%	51%	24%	45%	43%	39%	40%	39%	44%	43%
C	14%	20%	5%	17%	22%	19%	7%	19%	14%	11%	14%	13%	16%	13%
D	19%	16%	15%	11%	9%	16%	11%	15%	18%	22%	19%	26%	13%	7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (335)	100% (256)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (352)	100% (311)	100% (161)	100% (226)	100% (345)	100% (264)	100% (403)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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11. Awareness of pending expiration of payroll tax cut

How much have you heard about the Social Security payroll tax cut for workers, which is scheduled to expire on December 31st unless Congress votes to extend it?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
A great deal	29%	19%	31%	36%	30%	28%	18%	38%	21%	21%	31%	41%
A little	41%	37%	41%	43%	40%	44%	44%	40%	41%	41%	37%	44%
Nothing at all	31%	44%	28%	20%	30%	29%	38%	22%	39%	38%	32%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted)	(993)	(152)	(701)	(140)	(811)	(112)	(70)	(452)	(541)	(392)	(310)	(291)

	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	29%	27%	34%	37%	35%	30%	38%	28%	34%	25%	31%	21%	30%	54%
A little	41%	42%	39%	41%	38%	47%	36%	42%	33%	44%	42%	39%	45%	33%
Nothing at all	31%	31%	27%	22%	28%	24%	26%	30%	33%	31%	28%	40%	25%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted)	(993)	(332)	(256)	(290)	(198)	(353)	(310)	(160)	(227)	(343)	(263)	(399)	(386)	(120)

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12. Opinion on payroll tax rate

On January 1, 2012, the payroll tax rate, set at 4.2% for the last year, will revert to 6.2% unless Congress votes to extend it. Members of Congress are considering whether to extend or even expand the payroll tax cut. Do you think the payroll tax rate should be higher or lower than the current 4.2%, or should it be kept at the same rate as it is now?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Higher	11%	8%	12%	11%	11%	15%	4%	15%	7%	9%	11%	12%
Kept the same	51%	49%	49%	64%	53%	37%	55%	53%	49%	47%	52%	57%
Lower	18%	18%	20%	10%	17%	20%	20%	18%	17%	18%	19%	16%
Not sure	20%	25%	20%	15%	19%	28%	21%	14%	27%	26%	17%	15%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (152)	100% (704)	100% (139)	100% (812)	100% (112)	100% (71)	100% (453)	100% (542)	100% (392)	100% (312)	100% (291)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Higher	11%	9%	13%	12%	12%	12%	11%	11%	12%	9%	12%	10%	11%	17%
Kept the same	51%	53%	49%	54%	51%	58%	47%	48%	52%	51%	54%	48%	56%	50%
Lower	18%	16%	25%	16%	15%	12%	32%	18%	19%	19%	14%	19%	17%	20%
Not sure	20%	22%	14%	18%	23%	18%	10%	23%	17%	21%	21%	23%	16%	14%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (334)	100% (257)	100% (289)	100% (198)	100% (352)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (343)	100% (265)	100% (403)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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13. Support for millionaire's tax to fund payroll tax holiday

Some members of Congress have proposed an extension of this year's payroll tax cut, which has boosted most workers' take-home pay. They want to offset the cost of continuing this tax cut by imposing a new tax on incomes in excess of \$1 million.

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Strongly support	36%	29%	37%	41%	36%	39%	29%	33%	38%	28%	39%	45%
Somewhat support	16%	22%	14%	15%	16%	14%	23%	16%	16%	15%	19%	15%
Neither support, nor oppose	12%	15%	11%	12%	12%	9%	21%	12%	12%	17%	10%	7%
Somewhat oppose	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	8%	3%	9%	5%	7%	7%	7%
Strongly oppose	15%	10%	17%	17%	17%	11%	10%	22%	9%	13%	16%	18%
Not sure	14%	17%	14%	8%	13%	20%	15%	8%	19%	20%	9%	8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (152)	100% (703)	100% (140)	100% (810)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (453)	100% (542)	100% (393)	100% (310)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly support	36%	55%	20%	36%	65%	41%	22%	41%	41%	30%	34%	34%	37%	41%
Somewhat support	16%	15%	15%	21%	17%	16%	15%	15%	13%	19%	18%	16%	18%	21%
Neither support, nor oppose	12%	10%	14%	9%	4%	15%	10%	9%	11%	14%	13%	15%	11%	5%
Somewhat oppose	7%	2%	10%	8%	2%	8%	10%	7%	6%	8%	6%	6%	9%	4%
Strongly oppose	15%	5%	32%	19%	3%	9%	36%	12%	14%	16%	17%	13%	15%	24%
Not sure	14%	12%	9%	7%	8%	10%	6%	15%	14%	13%	14%	15%	10%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (334)	100% (256)	100% (290)	100% (199)	100% (351)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (226)	100% (344)	100% (265)	100% (402)	100% (386)	100% (119)

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14. Support for federal pay and hiring freeze to fund payroll tax holiday

Some members of Congress have proposed an extension of this year's payroll tax cut, which has boosted most workers' take-home pay. They want to offset the cost of continuing this tax cut by freezing the pay of federal employees and gradually reducing the federal work force.

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Strongly support	26%	14%	26%	45%	29%	17%	9%	32%	20%	29%	22%	25%
Somewhat support	17%	19%	18%	14%	19%	8%	15%	19%	16%	15%	21%	16%
Neither support, nor oppose	18%	21%	20%	9%	17%	19%	32%	16%	20%	21%	17%	15%
Somewhat oppose	12%	16%	11%	13%	12%	13%	14%	12%	13%	7%	11%	23%
Strongly oppose	13%	12%	12%	14%	11%	20%	15%	13%	12%	8%	17%	15%
Not sure	13%	18%	14%	5%	12%	24%	14%	7%	19%	19%	12%	6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (152)	100% (706)	100% (140)	100% (813)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (453)	100% (545)	100% (394)	100% (312)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly support	26%	12%	43%	33%	7%	24%	50%	26%	29%	24%	26%	27%	25%	28%
Somewhat support	17%	15%	22%	15%	15%	17%	18%	15%	16%	16%	22%	17%	18%	17%
Neither support, nor oppose	18%	19%	15%	17%	17%	21%	12%	14%	20%	21%	16%	22%	17%	12%
Somewhat oppose	12%	18%	9%	13%	24%	16%	6%	17%	10%	15%	8%	8%	16%	26%
Strongly oppose	13%	21%	5%	14%	26%	14%	9%	14%	11%	10%	17%	11%	14%	17%
Not sure	13%	15%	6%	7%	11%	9%	4%	14%	14%	14%	11%	15%	10%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (334)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (353)	100% (313)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (346)	100% (265)	100% (404)	100% (386)	100% (120)

15. 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 graduate
Very closely	31%	22%	31%	45%	33%	23%	21%	38%	25%	22%	34%	43%
Somewhat closely	34%	29%	35%	40%	34%	49%	25%	35%	34%	34%	33%	38%
Not too closely	21%	25%	21%	15%	21%	15%	24%	16%	26%	25%	20%	14%
Not at all	14%	24%	13%	1%	12%	13%	30%	12%	15%	20%	12%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (151)	100% (705)	100% (140)	100% (811)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (453)	100% (543)	100% (393)	100% (312)	100% (291)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very closely	31%	23%	42%	39%	32%	28%	46%	34%	28%	29%	34%	25%	32%	48%
Somewhat closely	34%	41%	34%	33%	43%	32%	37%	29%	34%	39%	32%	32%	38%	40%
Not too closely	21%	25%	15%	18%	16%	27%	13%	20%	25%	19%	19%	22%	21%	10%
Not at all	14%	11%	9%	10%	9%	13%	4%	16%	13%	12%	15%	20%	9%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (333)	100% (258)	100% (290)	100% (198)	100% (353)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (226)	100% (346)	100% (264)	100% (402)	100% (386)	100% (120)

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16. 2012 primary participation

In the upcoming primary elections, 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 graduate
Democratic primary or caucus	39%	37%	40%	38%	33%	73%	53%	29%	49%	37%	40%	42%
Republican primary or caucus	39%	26%	40%	50%	46%	10%	18%	48%	31%	41%	38%	39%
Don't plan to vote in a primary or caucus at all	21%	37%	20%	12%	21%	17%	29%	23%	20%	23%	22%	19%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (784)	100% (98)	100% (558)	100% (128)	100% (642)	100% (94)	100% (48)	100% (390)	100% (394)	100% (266)	100% (242)	100% (276)

	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	39%	82%	2%	23%	73%	47%	13%	45%	41%	33%	41%	41%	41%	35%
Republican primary or caucus	39%	4%	91%	37%	3%	27%	78%	27%	39%	46%	41%	37%	41%	43%
Don't plan to vote in a primary or caucus at all	21%	13%	7%	39%	24%	26%	9%	28%	20%	21%	18%	22%	19%	22%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (784)	100% (290)	100% (220)	100% (229)	100% (175)	100% (282)	100% (275)	100% (126)	100% (177)	100% (263)	100% (218)	100% (267)	100% (334)	100% (114)

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17. Enthusiasm about GOP field

Are you satisfied with the field of Republicans who have declared their candidacy for the Republican presidential nomination or would you like someone else to enter the race?

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 graduate
Satisfied with current field	49%	60%	48%	45%	48%	45%	67%	50%	46%	45%	51%	51%
Would like someone else to enter	27%	27%	26%	29%	28%	19%	0%	29%	24%	25%	29%	28%
Not sure	24%	12%	26%	26%	24%	36%	33%	21%	29%	30%	20%	21%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (308)	100% (27)	100% (219)	100% (62)	100% (285)	100% (12)	100% (11)	100% (187)	100% (121)	100% (107)	100% (94)	100% (107)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Satisfied with current field	49%	35%	51%	45%	60%	41%	52%	27%	59%	49%	51%	46%	46%	56%
Would like someone else to enter	27%	20%	29%	23%	28%	33%	26%	45%	20%	23%	30%	24%	28%	32%
Not sure	24%	44%	20%	32%	12%	26%	22%	28%	22%	28%	20%	30%	26%	13%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (308)	100% (12)	100% (203)	100% (83)	100% (6)	100% (77)	100% (215)	100% (38)	100% (63)	100% (118)	100% (89)	100% (97)	100% (135)	100% (52)

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18. Primary vote decision

Have you already decided on the candidate you will vote for in your state's Republican primary or caucus, or are you still undecided?

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 graduate
Have decided on candidate	34%	47%	35%	28%	34%	39%	34%	36%	32%	29%	37%	38%
Have not decided on candidate	66%	53%	65%	72%	66%	61%	66%	64%	68%	71%	63%	62%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (306)	100% (27)	100% (218)	100% (61)	100% (283)	100% (12)	100% (11)	100% (185)	100% (121)	100% (106)	100% (94)	100% (106)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Have decided on candidate	34%	25%	31%	44%	72%	33%	33%	41%	29%	34%	37%	41%	29%	35%
Have not decided on candidate	66%	75%	69%	56%	28%	67%	67%	59%	71%	66%	63%	59%	71%	65%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (306)	100% (12)	100% (201)	100% (83)	100% (6)	100% (77)	100% (213)	100% (38)	100% (63)	100% (117)	100% (88)	100% (95)	100% (135)	100% (52)

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19. 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 graduate
Mitt Romney	21%	22%	22%	20%	21%	17%	26%	21%	22%	20%	24%	21%
Newt Gingrich	27%	11%	29%	29%	27%	12%	35%	29%	23%	27%	35%	19%
Michele Bachmann	8%	7%	7%	14%	8%	13%	7%	8%	9%	10%	7%	8%
Jon Huntsman	6%	20%	4%	4%	6%	16%	0%	8%	3%	5%	4%	9%
Ron Paul	13%	23%	12%	10%	13%	6%	13%	13%	12%	14%	12%	11%
Rick Santorum	4%	7%	3%	5%	4%	12%	0%	5%	3%	5%	3%	4%
Rick Perry	5%	0%	4%	9%	5%	0%	0%	3%	7%	5%	1%	8%
Gary Johnson	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	3%
Other	7%	0%	8%	6%	7%	0%	0%	7%	6%	6%	8%	7%
No preference	8%	10%	10%	3%	7%	25%	19%	5%	13%	8%	6%	11%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (308)	100% (27)	100% (219)	100% (62)	100% (285)	100% (12)	100% (11)	100% (187)	100% (121)	100% (107)	100% (94)	100% (107)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Mitt Romney	21%	5%	24%	19%	0%	25%	20%	20%	21%	20%	25%	19%	22%	23%
Newt Gingrich	27%	15%	28%	25%	16%	21%	30%	33%	20%	28%	27%	21%	26%	35%
Michele Bachmann	8%	5%	7%	13%	28%	3%	10%	8%	6%	13%	3%	10%	10%	1%
Jon Huntsman	6%	15%	5%	8%	45%	15%	2%	5%	7%	5%	6%	6%	5%	7%
Ron Paul	13%	0%	9%	23%	0%	11%	13%	3%	19%	12%	12%	21%	10%	5%
Rick Santorum	4%	0%	5%	3%	0%	1%	6%	2%	7%	4%	3%	6%	3%	3%
Rick Perry	5%	0%	6%	0%	0%	4%	5%	0%	12%	3%	3%	4%	7%	0%
Gary Johnson	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	2%	0%	0%	3%	1%	1%	3%
Other	7%	15%	7%	4%	12%	8%	6%	15%	4%	7%	5%	4%	8%	10%
No preference	8%	44%	8%	4%	0%	11%	6%	13%	4%	7%	12%	9%	8%	12%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (308)	100% (12)	100% (203)	100% (83)	100% (6)	100% (77)	100% (215)	100% (38)	100% (63)	100% (118)	100% (89)	100% (97)	100% (135)	100% (52)

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20. 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. List excludes first choice candidate.

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Mitt Romney	21%	18%	22%	21%	22%	16%	9%	20%	23%	13%	17%	35%
Newt Gingrich	12%	9%	14%	10%	13%	7%	9%	10%	16%	13%	12%	12%
Michele Bachmann	15%	29%	13%	11%	15%	16%	16%	19%	7%	21%	14%	7%
Jon Huntsman	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%	7%	7%	6%	3%	6%	3%	5%
Ron Paul	12%	10%	13%	9%	12%	0%	10%	12%	12%	9%	17%	10%
Rick Santorum	11%	16%	10%	11%	11%	9%	9%	11%	11%	8%	13%	13%
Rick Perry	13%	7%	11%	21%	13%	30%	0%	13%	15%	19%	11%	9%
Gary Johnson	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	16%	1%	0%	0%	2%	0%
Other	3%	0%	3%	3%	2%	7%	8%	3%	2%	5%	1%	2%
No preference	8%	7%	8%	8%	8%	7%	16%	6%	11%	7%	10%	7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (281)	100% (24)	100% (197)	100% (60)	100% (260)	100% (11)	100% (10)	100% (175)	100% (106)	100% (98)	100% (85)	100% (98)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Mitt Romney	21%	34%	23%	17%	45%	28%	19%	22%	26%	16%	24%	12%	24%	37%
Newt Gingrich	12%	0%	14%	11%	0%	11%	14%	8%	14%	13%	13%	14%	12%	14%
Michele Bachmann	15%	10%	13%	16%	16%	7%	17%	9%	16%	17%	12%	17%	18%	2%
Jon Huntsman	5%	0%	3%	8%	0%	12%	2%	14%	1%	5%	4%	9%	1%	5%
Ron Paul	12%	0%	14%	9%	0%	14%	12%	20%	10%	10%	12%	9%	12%	17%
Rick Santorum	11%	10%	10%	13%	12%	6%	13%	7%	11%	13%	9%	13%	9%	7%
Rick Perry	13%	0%	16%	11%	0%	11%	13%	14%	14%	15%	10%	14%	11%	16%
Gary Johnson	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
Other	3%	0%	3%	4%	0%	2%	3%	0%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	1%
No preference	8%	46%	4%	12%	28%	9%	7%	6%	6%	6%	13%	10%	9%	1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (281)	100% (9)	100% (183)	100% (79)	100% (6)	100% (68)	100% (201)	100% (34)	100% (61)	100% (108)	100% (78)	100% (86)	100% (125)	100% (46)

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21. Willingness to support candidates who are not first or second choice

Would you consider supporting any of these candidates for the Republican nomination in 2012? Please check all that apply.

Asked of registered voters who are likely to vote in a Republican primary or caucus. List excludes first and second choice candidates.

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Mitt Romney	19%	17%	19%	23%	19%	33%	7%	21%	18%	19%	23%	17%
Newt Gingrich	18%	16%	20%	15%	18%	19%	7%	20%	15%	13%	16%	27%
Michele Bachmann	23%	30%	25%	16%	23%	33%	27%	25%	21%	14%	29%	29%
Jon Huntsman	13%	11%	16%	7%	13%	12%	21%	16%	9%	8%	17%	17%
Ron Paul	13%	26%	13%	9%	13%	16%	20%	16%	9%	11%	11%	19%
Rick Santorum	24%	26%	25%	21%	24%	29%	18%	29%	16%	22%	31%	20%
Rick Perry	25%	32%	29%	12%	25%	18%	34%	28%	20%	18%	35%	24%
Gary Johnson	9%	24%	8%	3%	9%	21%	0%	12%	4%	5%	11%	11%
None of these	35%	30%	31%	46%	34%	42%	46%	28%	43%	44%	26%	30%
Totals	(308)	(27)	(219)	(62)	(285)	(12)	(11)	(187)	(121)	(107)	(94)	(107)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Mitt Romney	19%	5%	18%	22%	16%	11%	24%	15%	15%	25%	17%	17%	23%	20%
Newt Gingrich	18%	11%	18%	18%	0%	9%	22%	15%	18%	18%	20%	15%	19%	24%
Michele Bachmann	23%	16%	26%	18%	0%	12%	29%	25%	25%	21%	26%	19%	21%	32%
Jon Huntsman	13%	11%	15%	11%	16%	5%	16%	11%	18%	12%	13%	15%	9%	23%
Ron Paul	13%	5%	15%	11%	0%	21%	12%	13%	16%	12%	14%	15%	13%	15%
Rick Santorum	24%	5%	25%	23%	16%	16%	28%	31%	28%	23%	17%	23%	20%	28%
Rick Perry	25%	11%	25%	26%	0%	10%	32%	30%	22%	25%	24%	23%	24%	25%
Gary Johnson	9%	0%	9%	9%	0%	10%	9%	21%	11%	7%	3%	10%	5%	9%
None of these	35%	67%	27%	47%	69%	53%	25%	34%	34%	34%	37%	41%	37%	20%
Totals	(308)	(12)	(203)	(83)	(6)	(77)	(215)	(38)	(63)	(118)	(89)	(97)	(135)	(52)

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22. 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 graduate
Barack Obama	76%	92%	75%	66%	72%	87%	84%	74%	78%	74%	74%	80%
Someone else	11%	5%	9%	22%	14%	1%	12%	15%	8%	11%	13%	8%
Not sure	13%	4%	16%	12%	15%	12%	4%	11%	14%	15%	13%	12%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (315)	100% (37)	100% (229)	100% (49)	100% (222)	100% (68)	100% (25)	100% (120)	100% (195)	100% (102)	100% (99)	100% (114)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	76%	78%	62%	67%	84%	73%	57%	78%	81%	79%	68%	76%	75%	75%
Someone else	11%	10%	13%	17%	7%	11%	23%	6%	9%	13%	13%	9%	14%	9%
Not sure	13%	12%	25%	16%	9%	15%	20%	16%	9%	8%	19%	15%	11%	16%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (315)	100% (246)	100% (4)	100% (56)	100% (128)	100% (131)	100% (35)	100% (53)	100% (80)	100% (95)	100% (87)	100% (111)	100% (138)	100% (41)

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23. 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 graduate
Barack Obama	45%	58%	45%	36%	38%	86%	53%	36%	54%	42%	45%	50%
Lean Barack Obama	2%	0%	2%	2%	1%	1%	5%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%
Lean Mitt Romney	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	5%	1%	3%	1%	4%	3%	0%
Mitt Romney	38%	24%	39%	49%	45%	6%	18%	44%	33%	40%	36%	37%
Other	7%	7%	6%	9%	7%	1%	12%	9%	4%	6%	7%	7%
Not sure	6%	9%	6%	3%	6%	1%	10%	6%	6%	7%	7%	4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (783)	100% (98)	100% (557)	100% (128)	100% (640)	100% (95)	100% (48)	100% (388)	100% (395)	100% (266)	100% (241)	100% (276)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	45%	84%	5%	38%	88%	54%	15%	54%	49%	40%	43%	45%	44%	50%
Lean Barack Obama	2%	3%	1%	1%	3%	2%	0%	2%	0%	1%	3%	1%	2%	0%
Lean Mitt Romney	2%	1%	3%	4%	1%	4%	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%	3%	2%	0%
Mitt Romney	38%	8%	80%	38%	5%	27%	74%	30%	36%	42%	41%	32%	42%	43%
Other	7%	2%	8%	12%	3%	6%	8%	7%	6%	9%	5%	11%	5%	4%
Not sure	6%	2%	4%	8%	1%	7%	2%	7%	7%	5%	5%	9%	4%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (783)	100% (291)	100% (219)	100% (229)	100% (175)	100% (279)	100% (277)	100% (126)	100% (177)	100% (263)	100% (217)	100% (267)	100% (333)	100% (114)

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24. Presidential vote preference: Obama vs. Gingrich

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

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 graduate
Barack Obama	48%	57%	48%	38%	41%	83%	58%	39%	55%	42%	46%	56%
Lean Barack Obama	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	0%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
Lean Newt Gingrich	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Newt Gingrich	36%	25%	37%	44%	42%	10%	17%	42%	31%	39%	37%	33%
Other	8%	5%	6%	14%	8%	2%	10%	10%	6%	9%	8%	5%
Not sure	6%	10%	6%	1%	5%	4%	14%	6%	6%	8%	7%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (783)	101% (98)	100% (556)	100% (129)	100% (640)	102% (95)	100% (48)	101% (389)	100% (394)	100% (265)	101% (243)	100% (275)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	48%	84%	6%	45%	90%	56%	16%	57%	52%	42%	44%	45%	47%	55%
Lean Barack Obama	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	3%	0%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Lean Newt Gingrich	1%	0%	2%	2%	0%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%
Newt Gingrich	36%	8%	80%	32%	4%	24%	74%	28%	37%	41%	36%	32%	40%	38%
Other	8%	4%	8%	12%	3%	8%	8%	6%	5%	10%	7%	11%	6%	2%
Not sure	6%	2%	3%	8%	2%	7%	1%	5%	5%	5%	8%	9%	3%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (783)	101% (291)	100% (219)	100% (228)	100% (175)	101% (279)	100% (277)	101% (125)	100% (177)	100% (262)	100% (219)	100% (268)	101% (333)	100% (114)

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25. Expected winner between Obama and Romney

Who do you think would win the 2012 presidential election if it were a contest between Barack Obama, the Democratic candidate, and Mitt Romney, the Republican candidate?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Barack Obama	41%	45%	41%	36%	35%	72%	51%	38%	44%	37%	42%	46%
Mitt Romney	35%	25%	35%	47%	39%	9%	25%	38%	31%	35%	33%	35%
Not sure	24%	30%	25%	16%	25%	19%	24%	24%	25%	28%	25%	19%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (153)	100% (703)	100% (140)	100% (813)	100% (114)	100% (69)	100% (453)	100% (543)	100% (393)	100% (311)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	41%	78%	11%	33%	71%	49%	19%	50%	41%	34%	43%	39%	42%	45%
Mitt Romney	35%	9%	72%	38%	9%	29%	64%	29%	30%	41%	34%	31%	38%	39%
Not sure	24%	13%	17%	29%	20%	22%	17%	21%	29%	25%	22%	30%	20%	15%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (332)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (352)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (226)	100% (346)	100% (264)	100% (403)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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26. Expected winner between Obama and Gingrich

Who do you think would win the 2012 presidential election if it were a contest between Barack Obama, the Democratic candidate, and Newt Gingrich, the Republican candidate?

	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Barack Obama	48%	55%	48%	40%	42%	79%	60%	47%	49%	42%	50%	56%
Newt Gingrich	31%	18%	33%	46%	36%	8%	19%	35%	28%	34%	30%	29%
Not sure	20%	28%	20%	14%	21%	13%	21%	18%	23%	24%	20%	15%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (994)	100% (153)	100% (702)	100% (139)	100% (812)	100% (113)	100% (69)	100% (454)	100% (540)	100% (392)	100% (311)	100% (291)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	48%	80%	16%	49%	85%	58%	23%	60%	46%	41%	52%	46%	48%	54%
Newt Gingrich	31%	10%	69%	28%	6%	22%	64%	23%	32%	38%	28%	27%	37%	34%
Not sure	20%	10%	15%	22%	9%	20%	13%	17%	23%	21%	20%	27%	15%	11%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (994)	100% (332)	100% (256)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (351)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (226)	100% (344)	100% (264)	100% (403)	100% (383)	100% (120)

27. 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 graduate
A great deal	33%	27%	34%	36%	34%	29%	22%	41%	25%	20%	36%	51%
A fair amount	34%	30%	32%	47%	34%	38%	28%	36%	33%	34%	35%	33%
Not much	23%	23%	25%	15%	23%	21%	21%	15%	30%	31%	17%	13%
Nothing at all	11%	19%	9%	2%	8%	12%	29%	9%	13%	15%	11%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (153)	100% (705)	100% (140)	100% (814)	100% (113)	100% (71)	100% (454)	100% (544)	100% (395)	100% (311)	100% (292)

	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	33%	29%	37%	45%	40%	32%	43%	38%	30%	30%	35%	27%	33%	59%
A fair amount	34%	38%	37%	35%	40%	36%	38%	25%	36%	38%	35%	33%	39%	31%
Not much	23%	24%	21%	15%	13%	22%	18%	24%	26%	21%	20%	27%	23%	7%
Nothing at all	11%	9%	5%	6%	7%	9%	2%	13%	8%	11%	10%	14%	6%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (334)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (352)	100% (313)	100% (161)	100% (227)	100% (345)	100% (265)	100% (405)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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28. 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 graduate
Yes	19%	15%	19%	27%	20%	16%	13%	24%	14%	23%	18%	15%
No	81%	85%	81%	73%	80%	84%	87%	76%	86%	77%	82%	85%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (906)	100% (127)	100% (642)	100% (137)	100% (751)	100% (100)	100% (55)	100% (436)	100% (470)	100% (337)	100% (283)	100% (286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	19%	6%	39%	19%	3%	8%	43%	16%	14%	24%	20%	20%	15%	23%
No	81%	94%	61%	81%	97%	92%	57%	84%	86%	76%	80%	80%	85%	77%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (906)	100% (309)	100% (244)	100% (275)	100% (189)	100% (324)	100% (304)	100% (143)	100% (208)	100% (315)	100% (240)	100% (345)	100% (368)	100% (118)

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29. 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 graduate
Strongly support	17%	13%	17%	23%	19%	11%	9%	23%	11%	18%	17%	16%
Somewhat support	14%	11%	15%	14%	15%	7%	6%	17%	11%	12%	15%	14%
Neither support, nor oppose	22%	23%	22%	19%	21%	24%	25%	20%	23%	26%	20%	16%
Somewhat oppose	11%	11%	11%	11%	10%	15%	10%	9%	13%	8%	12%	13%
Strongly oppose	26%	32%	25%	24%	23%	40%	40%	25%	28%	19%	28%	36%
Not sure	11%	11%	11%	9%	12%	4%	9%	7%	14%	17%	8%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (906)	100% (127)	100% (644)	100% (135)	100% (752)	100% (100)	100% (54)	100% (434)	100% (472)	100% (336)	100% (285)	100% (285)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly support	17%	2%	38%	18%	0%	4%	43%	14%	15%	19%	19%	16%	15%	25%
Somewhat support	14%	5%	27%	14%	4%	11%	24%	10%	14%	16%	13%	11%	16%	13%
Neither support, nor oppose	22%	20%	18%	25%	14%	29%	18%	24%	20%	25%	16%	25%	23%	12%
Somewhat oppose	11%	13%	3%	16%	17%	18%	2%	16%	11%	8%	11%	8%	13%	14%
Strongly oppose	26%	52%	4%	24%	63%	30%	6%	26%	30%	23%	28%	27%	23%	34%
Not sure	11%	8%	9%	4%	2%	8%	7%	11%	10%	9%	13%	14%	10%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (906)	100% (307)	100% (245)	100% (276)	100% (187)	100% (325)	100% (305)	100% (143)	100% (207)	100% (314)	100% (242)	100% (347)	100% (366)	100% (118)

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30. Support for new Eurozone rules

Recently, leaders of the European Union had a summit to discuss measures to solve the debt crisis that is affecting the Eurozone. European leaders agreed to new rules for the Eurozone. Under the new rules, countries in the Eurozone will have to balance their budgets, there will be punishments for countries who run up deficits that are too large, and countries in the Eurozone will have their budgets monitored by the EU. Do you support or oppose these new rules?

	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Support	44%	47%	41%	52%	44%	43%	43%	53%	35%	33%	50%	56%
Oppose	13%	15%	12%	12%	13%	11%	9%	14%	12%	13%	14%	11%
Don't know	43%	37%	47%	37%	42%	46%	48%	33%	53%	54%	36%	33%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (153)	100% (702)	100% (140)	100% (812)	100% (113)	100% (70)	100% (454)	100% (541)	100% (393)	100% (311)	100% (291)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Support	44%	40%	48%	53%	46%	51%	50%	59%	30%	41%	50%	38%	46%	62%
Oppose	13%	11%	16%	12%	12%	12%	15%	11%	14%	14%	11%	13%	14%	7%
Don't know	43%	49%	36%	35%	42%	37%	36%	30%	56%	45%	39%	49%	39%	30%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (331)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (351)	100% (311)	100% (160)	100% (226)	100% (345)	100% (264)	100% (403)	100% (384)	100% (120)

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31. Effectiveness of new Eurozone rules

Do you think the measures agreed to at the summit will or will not help solve the debt crisis in the Eurozone?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Will help solve the crisis	26%	29%	24%	27%	26%	28%	23%	31%	21%	19%	30%	32%
Will not help solve the crisis	25%	27%	25%	23%	25%	22%	30%	30%	21%	24%	24%	28%
Don't know	49%	44%	51%	50%	49%	51%	47%	40%	58%	58%	45%	40%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (153)	100% (705)	100% (140)	100% (814)	100% (114)	100% (70)	100% (454)	100% (544)	100% (395)	100% (312)	100% (291)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Will help solve the crisis	26%	28%	26%	31%	31%	28%	27%	33%	19%	24%	29%	22%	27%	39%
Will not help solve the crisis	25%	21%	33%	29%	23%	23%	34%	21%	24%	28%	26%	24%	28%	23%
Don't know	49%	51%	41%	40%	45%	49%	39%	46%	57%	49%	45%	54%	45%	38%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (998)	100% (334)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (352)	100% (313)	100% (161)	100% (227)	100% (346)	100% (264)	100% (404)	100% (386)	100% (120)

32. Confidence in European leaders to solve the crisis in the Eurozone

How much confidence do you have in the following European leaders to make the necessary decisions to solve the crisis in the Eurozone?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Angela Merkel, the Chancellor of Germany	42%	33%	42%	55%	45%	38%	17%	50%	34%	29%	43%	63%
Nicholas Sarkozy, the President of France	28%	25%	28%	36%	28%	31%	27%	32%	25%	19%	31%	41%
David Cameron, the Prime Minister of Great Britain	37%	32%	35%	49%	38%	35%	23%	43%	31%	29%	40%	47%
Totals	(998)	(153)	(706)	(139)	(813)	(114)	(71)	(454)	(544)	(395)	(311)	(292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Angela Merkel, the Chancellor of Germany	42%	39%	50%	50%	52%	47%	49%	44%	35%	42%	47%	33%	44%	72%
Nicholas Sarkozy, the President of France	28%	30%	35%	28%	35%	31%	31%	27%	19%	31%	35%	22%	34%	37%
David Cameron, the Prime Minister of Great Britain	37%	34%	49%	40%	35%	42%	46%	40%	27%	37%	43%	31%	40%	53%
Totals	(998)	(334)	(258)	(291)	(200)	(353)	(312)	(161)	(227)	(346)	(264)	(404)	(386)	(120)

33. Lack confidence in European leaders to solve the crisis in the Eurozone

How much confidence do you have in the following European leaders to make the necessary decisions to solve the crisis in the Eurozone?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Angela Merkel, the Chancellor of Germany	20%	25%	19%	19%	19%	16%	38%	25%	16%	22%	21%	17%
Nicholas Sarkozy, the President of France	34%	33%	34%	34%	35%	27%	34%	44%	24%	32%	34%	36%
David Cameron, the Prime Minister of Great Britain	25%	27%	26%	21%	25%	17%	37%	32%	19%	23%	26%	30%
Totals	(998)	(153)	(706)	(139)	(813)	(114)	(71)	(454)	(544)	(395)	(311)	(292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Angela Merkel, the Chancellor of Germany	20%	19%	20%	25%	17%	18%	22%	17%	20%	22%	22%	23%	19%	17%
Nicholas Sarkozy, the President of France	34%	26%	36%	45%	30%	34%	41%	32%	34%	34%	35%	33%	30%	51%
David Cameron, the Prime Minister of Great Britain	25%	24%	21%	33%	34%	21%	27%	20%	27%	27%	27%	27%	22%	37%
Totals	(998)	(334)	(258)	(291)	(200)	(353)	(312)	(161)	(227)	(346)	(264)	(404)	(386)	(120)

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34. Approval of Cameron's veto

Do you think David Cameron was right or wrong to veto the treaty?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Right	30%	26%	29%	38%	31%	28%	16%	38%	21%	24%	30%	38%
Wrong	16%	14%	16%	19%	15%	16%	26%	20%	13%	13%	16%	22%
Don't know	54%	60%	55%	43%	53%	56%	58%	42%	65%	62%	55%	40%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (153)	100% (705)	100% (139)	100% (813)	100% (113)	100% (71)	100% (454)	100% (543)	100% (395)	100% (310)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Right	30%	20%	44%	35%	21%	27%	48%	31%	26%	29%	32%	26%	32%	37%
Wrong	16%	20%	12%	20%	28%	21%	11%	18%	14%	15%	19%	13%	22%	17%
Don't know	54%	60%	44%	46%	51%	53%	41%	51%	59%	56%	49%	61%	46%	45%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (333)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (353)	100% (311)	100% (161)	100% (227)	100% (345)	100% (264)	100% (404)	100% (385)	100% (120)

35. Approval of EU agreement without Britain

Do you think other European Union countries are right or wrong to proceed with an agreement without Britain?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Right	35%	36%	35%	38%	35%	38%	32%	44%	27%	24%	40%	49%
Wrong	14%	13%	13%	20%	15%	12%	17%	14%	15%	14%	17%	13%
Don't know	50%	51%	52%	42%	50%	51%	51%	42%	58%	62%	44%	38%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (152)	100% (706)	100% (138)	100% (811)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (453)	100% (543)	100% (393)	100% (311)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Right	35%	32%	35%	50%	42%	41%	35%	38%	32%	32%	41%	31%	38%	52%
Wrong	14%	13%	20%	13%	11%	14%	21%	15%	10%	18%	13%	14%	17%	10%
Don't know	50%	54%	44%	37%	47%	45%	44%	47%	58%	49%	46%	55%	45%	38%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (333)	100% (257)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (353)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (346)	100% (263)	100% (402)	100% (386)	100% (120)

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36. Blame for failure to agree

Of the following, who do you think is most to blame for the summit not agreeing a treaty including all 27 countries?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
David Cameron	10%	12%	10%	8%	11%	9%	6%	13%	7%	7%	9%	17%
Nicholas Sarkozy	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%	4%
Angela Merkel	2%	6%	1%	0%	2%	4%	4%	4%	0%	2%	1%	4%
They are all equally to blame	38%	23%	41%	51%	39%	35%	38%	41%	36%	36%	41%	39%
Other	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	6%	3%	1%	1%	3%	3%
Don't know	45%	54%	43%	37%	44%	47%	44%	36%	53%	51%	45%	33%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (993)	100% (153)	100% (702)	100% (138)	100% (809)	100% (114)	100% (70)	100% (453)	100% (540)	100% (391)	100% (311)	100% (291)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
David Cameron	10%	10%	8%	15%	23%	11%	6%	8%	9%	10%	13%	8%	11%	15%
Nicholas Sarkozy	3%	3%	3%	3%	1%	4%	4%	3%	3%	2%	4%	2%	3%	5%
Angela Merkel	2%	2%	4%	2%	2%	2%	4%	5%	2%	2%	0%	2%	4%	0%
They are all equally to blame	38%	36%	42%	44%	31%	38%	50%	37%	37%	42%	36%	40%	36%	43%
Other	2%	0%	4%	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	1%	3%	2%	3%	2%
Don't know	45%	49%	39%	32%	43%	43%	34%	45%	46%	43%	44%	46%	44%	34%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (993)	100% (331)	100% (257)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (352)	100% (311)	100% (161)	100% (224)	100% (345)	100% (263)	100% (402)	100% (384)	100% (120)

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37. Effect of summit on EU

Do you think the outcome of the summit is good or bad for the European Union?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Good for the European Union	15%	18%	13%	20%	15%	21%	8%	20%	11%	11%	17%	21%
Bad for the European Union	13%	10%	15%	9%	14%	8%	9%	14%	11%	8%	13%	19%
Neither	23%	22%	23%	27%	22%	24%	30%	28%	19%	25%	22%	21%
Don't know	49%	51%	49%	45%	49%	47%	53%	38%	59%	55%	48%	39%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (152)	100% (705)	100% (138)	100% (811)	100% (113)	100% (71)	100% (453)	100% (542)	100% (393)	100% (310)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Good for the European Union	15%	18%	17%	16%	19%	17%	18%	16%	13%	16%	17%	15%	15%	21%
Bad for the European Union	13%	10%	17%	14%	12%	14%	16%	16%	9%	14%	11%	10%	14%	20%
Neither	23%	19%	25%	28%	19%	26%	25%	22%	24%	20%	28%	25%	21%	26%
Don't know	49%	53%	41%	41%	50%	43%	41%	46%	54%	50%	44%	49%	50%	33%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (332)	100% (257)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (353)	100% (310)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (345)	100% (263)	100% (402)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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38. Continued membership of Britain in EU

Do you think Britain should or should not remain a member of the European Union?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Britain should remain a member of the European Union	26%	27%	25%	30%	27%	28%	18%	28%	25%	19%	32%	32%
Britain should leave the European Union	27%	20%	29%	28%	28%	15%	29%	34%	20%	22%	28%	33%
Don't know	47%	53%	46%	42%	45%	57%	52%	38%	55%	59%	40%	34%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (152)	100% (705)	100% (139)	100% (812)	100% (113)	100% (71)	100% (453)	100% (543)	100% (394)	100% (310)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Britain should remain a member of the European Union	26%	37%	19%	29%	38%	32%	20%	34%	20%	23%	31%	27%	27%	32%
Britain should leave the European Union	27%	13%	44%	35%	14%	25%	45%	25%	23%	30%	27%	23%	29%	35%
Don't know	47%	49%	37%	36%	49%	43%	35%	41%	57%	46%	43%	51%	45%	33%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (996)	100% (332)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (352)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (345)	100% (264)	100% (403)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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39. Predictions for continued membership of Britain in EU

Whether or not you personally support Britain's membership of the European Union, do you think Britain will or will not be a member of the European Union in ten years time?

	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Will definitely still be a member	6%	7%	6%	3%	5%	14%	5%	8%	4%	5%	6%	7%
Will probably still be a member	28%	33%	25%	30%	28%	28%	28%	32%	24%	21%	34%	33%
Will probably not be a member	22%	12%	23%	30%	23%	14%	16%	24%	19%	19%	21%	27%
Will definitely not be a member	5%	3%	6%	3%	5%	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%	5%	5%
Don't know	40%	45%	40%	34%	40%	40%	46%	31%	50%	51%	34%	29%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (993)	100% (152)	100% (703)	100% (138)	100% (809)	100% (113)	100% (71)	100% (451)	100% (542)	100% (393)	100% (309)	100% (291)

	Party ID				Ideology			Region				Family Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Will definitely still be a member	6%	9%	3%	7%	6%	7%	6%	8%	3%	6%	6%	7%	5%	9%
Will probably still be a member	28%	31%	30%	30%	31%	35%	26%	30%	21%	29%	31%	26%	28%	28%
Will probably not be a member	22%	12%	30%	29%	18%	20%	33%	18%	25%	21%	23%	18%	25%	31%
Will definitely not be a member	5%	4%	5%	6%	3%	3%	7%	4%	7%	4%	4%	3%	6%	9%
Don't know	40%	44%	31%	29%	42%	35%	27%	40%	44%	41%	37%	47%	36%	23%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (993)	100% (332)	100% (256)	100% (290)	100% (198)	100% (351)	100% (311)	100% (159)	100% (226)	100% (346)	100% (262)	100% (401)	100% (385)	100% (120)

40. Predictions for future of Euro

Whether or not you personally support the euro currency, do you think the euro will or will not still exist in ten years time?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Will definitely still exist	8%	11%	7%	5%	6%	15%	13%	10%	5%	8%	8%	7%
Will probably still exist	33%	39%	29%	38%	34%	39%	13%	36%	30%	25%	37%	42%
Will probably not exist	22%	15%	24%	24%	23%	8%	27%	23%	20%	22%	21%	23%
Will definitely not exist	6%	3%	8%	8%	7%	4%	9%	8%	5%	5%	7%	9%
Don't know	31%	33%	32%	25%	30%	34%	38%	22%	40%	41%	28%	18%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (992)	100% (152)	100% (702)	100% (138)	100% (808)	100% (114)	100% (70)	100% (451)	100% (541)	100% (388)	100% (312)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Will definitely still exist	8%	10%	6%	9%	11%	8%	7%	9%	3%	8%	11%	10%	6%	6%
Will probably still exist	33%	42%	28%	32%	42%	39%	29%	36%	27%	30%	40%	31%	34%	38%
Will probably not exist	22%	13%	35%	26%	16%	22%	32%	21%	26%	22%	17%	17%	27%	26%
Will definitely not exist	6%	3%	9%	9%	3%	5%	12%	6%	9%	7%	5%	6%	5%	13%
Don't know	31%	32%	23%	25%	28%	26%	19%	28%	35%	33%	28%	36%	27%	17%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (992)	100% (331)	100% (257)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (352)	100% (310)	100% (160)	100% (225)	100% (345)	100% (262)	100% (399)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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41. 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 graduate
Very liberal	31%	18%	31%	52%	35%	16%	17%	39%	24%	33%	29%	31%
Liberal	20%	28%	18%	16%	20%	20%	23%	20%	20%	17%	21%	26%
Moderate	26%	23%	27%	22%	24%	37%	27%	22%	29%	19%	29%	32%
Conservative	5%	5%	6%	1%	4%	6%	14%	6%	4%	4%	6%	6%
Very conservative	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	10%	3%	2%	3%	4%	1%	1%
Not sure	16%	24%	15%	7%	16%	11%	17%	11%	20%	23%	15%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (152)	100% (703)	100% (140)	100% (811)	100% (113)	100% (71)	100% (452)	100% (543)	100% (391)	100% (312)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	31%	10%	67%	33%	8%	21%	67%	25%	31%	35%	32%	28%	32%	40%
Liberal	20%	23%	17%	23%	34%	21%	13%	25%	17%	18%	22%	20%	20%	25%
Moderate	26%	46%	4%	28%	45%	40%	6%	28%	27%	22%	27%	22%	30%	26%
Conservative	5%	6%	4%	6%	7%	6%	4%	5%	5%	5%	4%	5%	6%	3%
Very conservative	2%	6%	1%	1%	2%	1%	4%	3%	1%	3%	3%	4%	1%	2%
Not sure	16%	10%	7%	10%	4%	12%	5%	15%	19%	17%	12%	21%	11%	4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (332)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (352)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (225)	100% (345)	100% (265)	100% (402)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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42. 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 graduate
Says what he believes	42%	40%	44%	37%	35%	81%	50%	38%	46%	39%	42%	48%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	58%	60%	56%	63%	65%	19%	50%	62%	54%	61%	58%	52%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (987)	100% (150)	100% (698)	100% (139)	100% (804)	100% (112)	100% (71)	100% (449)	100% (538)	100% (389)	100% (308)	100% (290)

	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	42%	69%	14%	37%	61%	49%	23%	46%	39%	38%	47%	41%	43%	45%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	58%	31%	86%	63%	39%	51%	77%	54%	61%	62%	53%	59%	57%	55%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (987)	100% (333)	100% (255)	100% (290)	100% (197)	100% (350)	100% (312)	100% (159)	100% (225)	100% (339)	100% (264)	100% (397)	100% (385)	100% (119)

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43. 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 graduate
Like a lot	33%	35%	33%	29%	27%	69%	37%	28%	37%	26%	37%	39%
Like somewhat	28%	37%	27%	22%	28%	17%	46%	33%	24%	27%	29%	29%
Dislike	29%	16%	30%	45%	34%	10%	11%	30%	27%	33%	25%	27%
Not sure	10%	13%	10%	4%	11%	3%	6%	9%	11%	14%	9%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (994)	100% (152)	100% (704)	100% (138)	100% (809)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (451)	100% (543)	100% (394)	100% (309)	100% (291)

	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%	6%	32%	67%	39%	12%	39%	34%	29%	33%	30%	34%	36%
Like somewhat	28%	28%	26%	28%	24%	36%	22%	29%	25%	27%	34%	28%	31%	29%
Dislike	29%	8%	60%	28%	5%	19%	56%	21%	29%	33%	29%	30%	27%	29%
Not sure	10%	3%	8%	11%	4%	6%	9%	11%	12%	11%	5%	12%	8%	6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (994)	100% (334)	100% (257)	100% (289)	100% (200)	100% (351)	100% (310)	100% (161)	100% (227)	100% (344)	100% (262)	100% (401)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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44. 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 graduate
Bold	28%	32%	25%	32%	24%	46%	38%	22%	34%	26%	32%	25%
Decisive	21%	16%	23%	23%	18%	37%	30%	21%	22%	18%	27%	21%
Effective	19%	19%	20%	18%	14%	48%	28%	18%	21%	18%	22%	19%
Experienced	16%	17%	17%	12%	12%	44%	19%	14%	18%	15%	17%	18%
Honest	32%	30%	34%	26%	27%	64%	36%	29%	35%	25%	34%	40%
In touch	25%	23%	27%	21%	21%	54%	25%	23%	27%	20%	29%	29%
Inspiring	30%	29%	33%	21%	26%	66%	20%	26%	33%	22%	29%	43%
Intelligent	52%	45%	52%	60%	50%	71%	40%	51%	52%	45%	53%	63%
Partisan	27%	19%	28%	34%	29%	28%	6%	34%	20%	22%	27%	35%
Patriotic	31%	30%	32%	28%	28%	55%	24%	29%	33%	25%	33%	38%
Realistic	28%	30%	29%	21%	24%	54%	28%	27%	29%	21%	32%	34%
Religious	14%	11%	17%	8%	10%	39%	18%	13%	14%	16%	14%	11%
Sincere	33%	27%	37%	29%	28%	65%	35%	30%	36%	25%	36%	44%
Strong	24%	21%	26%	19%	19%	50%	27%	19%	28%	18%	29%	27%
Unifying	14%	13%	15%	13%	11%	38%	15%	12%	16%	12%	16%	17%
Totals	(1,000)	(153)	(707)	(140)	(815)	(114)	(71)	(454)	(546)	(395)	(313)	(292)

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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	28%	41%	20%	23%	32%	32%	20%	28%	27%	30%	25%	29%	30%	18%
Decisive	21%	33%	10%	18%	27%	27%	11%	18%	16%	23%	27%	22%	23%	14%
Effective	19%	35%	5%	16%	27%	24%	9%	21%	17%	20%	19%	22%	18%	15%
Experienced	16%	31%	5%	12%	27%	18%	10%	16%	13%	20%	16%	17%	17%	13%
Honest	32%	57%	7%	30%	56%	39%	12%	37%	34%	28%	31%	30%	33%	35%
In touch	25%	46%	4%	25%	43%	30%	12%	31%	23%	25%	21%	25%	25%	27%
Inspiring	30%	50%	9%	30%	55%	35%	15%	33%	30%	27%	30%	27%	33%	28%
Intelligent	52%	74%	30%	53%	76%	61%	37%	53%	54%	47%	54%	46%	55%	61%
Partisan	27%	17%	42%	33%	13%	24%	49%	23%	27%	28%	28%	25%	26%	39%
Patriotic	31%	54%	5%	29%	50%	38%	12%	34%	34%	27%	30%	30%	31%	33%
Realistic	28%	50%	4%	29%	50%	35%	11%	33%	27%	26%	27%	26%	28%	32%
Religious	14%	23%	8%	9%	19%	14%	10%	10%	16%	16%	11%	16%	14%	9%
Sincere	33%	58%	7%	33%	52%	42%	15%	35%	33%	32%	34%	31%	34%	37%
Strong	24%	42%	7%	21%	36%	30%	13%	22%	24%	24%	23%	22%	26%	23%
Unifying	14%	26%	4%	12%	20%	20%	8%	15%	11%	16%	15%	14%	16%	11%
Totals	(1,000)	(336)	(258)	(291)	(200)	(354)	(313)	(161)	(227)	(346)	(266)	(406)	(386)	(120)

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45. 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 graduate
Strongly approve	3%	5%	2%	1%	1%	12%	4%	4%	2%	4%	3%	0%
Somewhat approve	8%	10%	8%	3%	8%	8%	6%	10%	5%	9%	7%	6%
Neither approve nor disapprove	13%	18%	13%	8%	12%	18%	22%	12%	15%	19%	10%	8%
Somewhat disapprove	21%	17%	23%	17%	21%	16%	18%	20%	21%	18%	24%	20%
Strongly disapprove	46%	29%	47%	68%	48%	37%	41%	48%	44%	38%	46%	61%
Not sure	10%	21%	7%	3%	10%	9%	8%	6%	13%	12%	10%	5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (151)	100% (705)	100% (139)	100% (810)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (451)	100% (544)	100% (394)	100% (310)	100% (291)

	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%	5%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	5%	5%	1%	1%
Somewhat approve	8%	5%	12%	10%	3%	6%	14%	9%	10%	6%	6%	8%	7%	9%
Neither approve nor disapprove	13%	16%	12%	10%	6%	15%	13%	17%	13%	12%	13%	14%	15%	6%
Somewhat disapprove	21%	22%	27%	16%	23%	18%	24%	19%	23%	22%	17%	19%	22%	27%
Strongly disapprove	46%	48%	42%	57%	60%	55%	42%	41%	42%	47%	54%	41%	50%	52%
Not sure	10%	4%	5%	6%	5%	4%	4%	11%	11%	11%	5%	13%	4%	4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (333)	100% (257)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (352)	100% (311)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (344)	100% (264)	100% (402)	100% (385)	100% (120)

46. Assessment of Congressional accomplishments

Do you think the current Congress has accomplished more or less than Congress usually does in a year?

	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
More than usual	4%	7%	4%	2%	3%	8%	6%	7%	2%	6%	3%	3%
About the same	26%	33%	25%	20%	26%	25%	30%	30%	23%	29%	27%	21%
Less than usual	53%	33%	55%	75%	55%	51%	46%	54%	53%	44%	56%	67%
Not sure	16%	26%	16%	3%	16%	16%	17%	10%	23%	21%	15%	9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (994)	100% (151)	100% (704)	100% (139)	100% (810)	100% (113)	100% (71)	100% (452)	100% (542)	100% (392)	100% (310)	100% (292)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
More than usual	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	2%	5%	5%	5%	3%	2%
About the same	26%	20%	34%	31%	13%	26%	37%	27%	23%	27%	29%	29%	27%	21%
Less than usual	53%	66%	49%	54%	73%	58%	52%	53%	53%	53%	54%	45%	58%	71%
Not sure	16%	10%	12%	10%	10%	11%	8%	17%	23%	15%	12%	21%	12%	6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (994)	100% (332)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (352)	100% (310)	100% (159)	100% (227)	100% (344)	100% (264)	100% (400)	100% (386)	100% (120)

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47. Ideology of legislation passed by Congress

Overall, how would you describe the legislation passed by Congress in the past year?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Very liberal	8%	6%	7%	17%	9%	7%	3%	10%	6%	10%	7%	6%
Somewhat liberal	11%	7%	12%	15%	12%	8%	5%	14%	8%	10%	11%	13%
Moderate	19%	21%	20%	13%	18%	20%	27%	25%	14%	19%	21%	19%
Somewhat conservative	18%	18%	18%	17%	18%	14%	21%	19%	16%	13%	19%	24%
Very conservative	11%	10%	11%	11%	9%	16%	14%	10%	11%	7%	10%	18%
Not sure	33%	39%	32%	27%	33%	34%	30%	22%	44%	42%	31%	20%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (992)	100% (149)	100% (704)	100% (139)	100% (809)	100% (112)	100% (71)	100% (450)	100% (542)	100% (394)	100% (309)	100% (289)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	8%	3%	16%	9%	4%	3%	20%	6%	5%	10%	10%	10%	6%	8%
Somewhat liberal	11%	7%	20%	12%	3%	10%	21%	11%	13%	10%	12%	7%	14%	19%
Moderate	19%	17%	22%	22%	17%	24%	18%	24%	18%	18%	19%	21%	21%	14%
Somewhat conservative	18%	26%	14%	19%	27%	23%	13%	18%	17%	18%	17%	15%	20%	29%
Very conservative	11%	16%	4%	14%	26%	12%	6%	9%	13%	9%	13%	8%	11%	19%
Not sure	33%	31%	24%	24%	23%	27%	21%	32%	34%	35%	29%	40%	29%	11%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (992)	100% (330)	100% (258)	100% (290)	100% (198)	100% (350)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (226)	100% (343)	100% (263)	100% (400)	100% (385)	100% (119)

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48. Direction of country

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Generally headed in the right direction	20%	27%	19%	16%	16%	47%	26%	21%	20%	19%	22%	20%
Off on the wrong track	65%	52%	68%	70%	70%	35%	63%	68%	62%	66%	63%	66%
Not sure	15%	20%	13%	13%	15%	18%	11%	10%	19%	15%	15%	14%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (151)	100% (706)	100% (140)	100% (813)	100% (114)	100% (70)	100% (452)	100% (545)	100% (393)	100% (312)	100% (292)

	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	20%	38%	9%	15%	31%	24%	10%	24%	17%	20%	21%	22%	18%	20%
Off on the wrong track	65%	48%	86%	72%	53%	63%	82%	64%	67%	63%	66%	63%	67%	72%
Not sure	15%	14%	6%	13%	16%	13%	8%	12%	16%	16%	13%	15%	15%	8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (334)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (353)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (345)	100% (265)	100% (403)	100% (386)	100% (120)

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49. 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 graduate
Getting better	17%	17%	18%	11%	15%	36%	8%	17%	16%	11%	18%	26%
About the same	39%	45%	37%	39%	37%	39%	55%	41%	37%	39%	41%	36%
Getting worse	37%	22%	39%	49%	41%	17%	27%	37%	37%	42%	33%	33%
Not sure	8%	16%	6%	1%	7%	8%	11%	4%	11%	9%	8%	6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (991)	100% (151)	100% (700)	100% (140)	100% (808)	100% (113)	100% (70)	100% (451)	100% (540)	100% (393)	100% (308)	100% (290)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Getting better	17%	27%	8%	18%	27%	20%	8%	16%	14%	18%	18%	14%	16%	29%
About the same	39%	46%	33%	37%	49%	43%	32%	38%	42%	35%	42%	38%	44%	32%
Getting worse	37%	21%	55%	39%	16%	32%	55%	40%	36%	38%	33%	38%	36%	36%
Not sure	8%	6%	4%	6%	8%	4%	5%	6%	8%	9%	7%	10%	4%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (991)	100% (331)	100% (256)	100% (290)	100% (198)	100% (349)	100% (311)	100% (159)	100% (226)	100% (342)	100% (264)	100% (401)	100% (383)	100% (119)

50. Stock market expectations over next year

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

	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Higher	20%	28%	17%	19%	18%	38%	14%	27%	14%	16%	22%	25%
About the same	34%	34%	34%	35%	33%	33%	47%	36%	32%	32%	33%	38%
Lower	24%	9%	28%	28%	26%	9%	20%	26%	22%	25%	23%	22%
Not sure	22%	29%	21%	18%	23%	20%	20%	12%	32%	27%	21%	15%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (150)	100% (707)	100% (140)	100% (813)	100% (113)	100% (71)	100% (451)	100% (546)	100% (393)	100% (312)	100% (292)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Higher	20%	26%	14%	24%	27%	25%	14%	24%	16%	18%	25%	18%	19%	32%
About the same	34%	41%	32%	31%	36%	37%	35%	32%	35%	34%	35%	33%	37%	35%
Lower	24%	10%	38%	29%	12%	21%	36%	23%	23%	25%	23%	22%	27%	22%
Not sure	22%	23%	16%	16%	25%	16%	15%	21%	26%	24%	16%	27%	17%	11%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (997)	100% (335)	100% (257)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (353)	100% (312)	100% (160)	100% (227)	100% (344)	100% (266)	100% (404)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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51. 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 graduate
Better off financially than you were a year ago	13%	20%	12%	5%	10%	21%	20%	15%	10%	10%	15%	15%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	43%	46%	40%	45%	43%	42%	40%	43%	42%	40%	44%	47%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	38%	22%	42%	49%	41%	30%	26%	36%	40%	42%	36%	35%
Not sure	7%	12%	6%	1%	6%	7%	13%	5%	7%	9%	5%	4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (151)	100% (705)	100% (139)	100% (811)	100% (113)	100% (71)	100% (451)	100% (544)	100% (391)	100% (312)	100% (292)

	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%	11%	13%	16%	15%	10%	12%	8%	14%	16%	11%	14%	21%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	43%	48%	44%	39%	50%	45%	38%	47%	44%	41%	40%	40%	44%	46%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	38%	33%	43%	44%	30%	36%	50%	32%	43%	39%	39%	41%	38%	30%
Not sure	7%	4%	2%	4%	4%	4%	2%	9%	5%	7%	5%	8%	4%	3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (995)	100% (334)	100% (257)	100% (291)	100% (199)	100% (352)	100% (312)	100% (159)	100% (225)	100% (345)	100% (266)	100% (402)	100% (385)	100% (120)

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52. 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 graduate
The Democratic Party candidate	43%	51%	44%	35%	37%	73%	62%	33%	53%	38%	45%	48%
The Republican Party candidate	38%	31%	36%	50%	43%	13%	20%	47%	30%	43%	35%	35%
Other	3%	6%	3%	2%	4%	2%	1%	5%	2%	2%	5%	3%
Not sure	13%	10%	14%	12%	14%	7%	11%	14%	11%	15%	12%	12%
I would not vote	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	5%	6%	1%	4%	3%	3%	1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (781)	100% (96)	100% (556)	100% (129)	100% (638)	100% (95)	100% (48)	100% (387)	100% (394)	100% (266)	100% (242)	100% (273)

	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	43%	84%	3%	35%	89%	51%	10%	52%	46%	37%	42%	43%	45%	46%
The Republican Party candidate	38%	5%	89%	34%	2%	23%	77%	29%	34%	44%	40%	36%	39%	40%
Other	3%	2%	2%	6%	3%	3%	3%	4%	5%	2%	3%	5%	2%	2%
Not sure	13%	7%	5%	25%	6%	21%	7%	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%	12%	12%
I would not vote	2%	2%	1%	0%	0%	2%	2%	2%	1%	4%	3%	4%	2%	0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (781)	100% (290)	100% (217)	100% (229)	100% (173)	100% (282)	100% (274)	100% (124)	100% (176)	100% (264)	100% (217)	100% (267)	100% (332)	100% (113)

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53. 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 graduate
The Democratic Party candidate	43%	51%	43%	36%	38%	72%	58%	37%	49%	42%	45%	44%
The Republican Party candidate	37%	28%	37%	45%	42%	15%	20%	46%	29%	41%	34%	35%
Other	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	0%	1%	3%	1%	1%	3%	2%
Not sure	16%	16%	15%	17%	16%	11%	15%	13%	18%	15%	15%	17%
I would not vote	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	6%	1%	3%	2%	3%	2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (783)	100% (97)	100% (557)	100% (129)	100% (640)	100% (95)	100% (48)	100% (388)	100% (395)	100% (265)	100% (243)	100% (275)

	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	43%	84%	3%	35%	86%	49%	14%	56%	46%	35%	43%	42%	46%	41%
The Republican Party candidate	37%	2%	85%	38%	2%	24%	73%	24%	34%	43%	42%	36%	38%	39%
Other	2%	1%	0%	4%	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	4%
Not sure	16%	11%	11%	22%	9%	23%	10%	15%	16%	20%	10%	17%	14%	15%
I would not vote	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	4%	2%	0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (783)	100% (290)	100% (220)	100% (228)	100% (173)	100% (281)	100% (277)	100% (124)	100% (177)	100% (263)	100% (219)	100% (268)	100% (332)	100% (114)

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54. Gender

Gender

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Male	49%	53%	49%	41%	48%	48%	53%	100%	0%	50%	47%	48%
Female	51%	47%	51%	59%	52%	52%	47%	0%	100%	50%	53%	52%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (1,000)	100% (153)	100% (707)	100% (140)	100% (815)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (454)	100% (546)	100% (395)	100% (313)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Male	49%	37%	56%	60%	43%	50%	58%	55%	45%	47%	50%	49%	47%	57%
Female	51%	63%	44%	40%	57%	50%	42%	45%	55%	53%	50%	51%	53%	43%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (1,000)	100% (336)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (354)	100% (313)	100% (161)	100% (227)	100% (346)	100% (266)	100% (406)	100% (386)	100% (120)

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55. Education

Education

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
No high school	13%	14%	11%	18%	12%	19%	13%	14%	11%	29%	0%	0%
High school graduate	32%	28%	31%	41%	30%	34%	39%	31%	32%	71%	0%	0%
Some college	22%	31%	20%	17%	22%	23%	27%	22%	23%	0%	73%	0%
2-year college	8%	9%	8%	6%	8%	6%	11%	8%	9%	0%	27%	0%
4-year college	16%	15%	18%	10%	18%	11%	7%	15%	17%	0%	0%	64%
Post-graduate	9%	2%	12%	9%	10%	7%	4%	9%	9%	0%	0%	36%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (1,000)	100% (153)	100% (707)	100% (140)	100% (815)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (454)	100% (546)	100% (395)	100% (313)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
No high school	13%	14%	14%	11%	10%	8%	17%	10%	12%	13%	15%	18%	9%	4%
High school graduate	32%	30%	34%	26%	21%	31%	30%	37%	38%	33%	19%	40%	29%	8%
Some college	22%	22%	20%	25%	22%	23%	24%	21%	18%	23%	27%	20%	26%	18%
2-year college	8%	8%	7%	8%	8%	10%	5%	7%	7%	8%	11%	11%	7%	3%
4-year college	16%	17%	17%	19%	24%	17%	17%	15%	18%	15%	17%	10%	18%	31%
Post-graduate	9%	9%	9%	11%	15%	11%	8%	10%	8%	8%	12%	2%	10%	36%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (1,000)	100% (336)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (354)	100% (313)	100% (161)	100% (227)	100% (346)	100% (266)	100% (406)	100% (386)	100% (120)

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56. Age

Age

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
18-29	24%	100%	0%	0%	22%	25%	36%	26%	22%	22%	31%	17%
30-44	26%	0%	44%	0%	25%	26%	39%	28%	25%	24%	24%	32%
45-64	34%	0%	56%	0%	35%	39%	19%	33%	35%	31%	33%	39%
65+	16%	0%	0%	100%	18%	10%	6%	14%	19%	22%	12%	12%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (1,000)	100% (153)	100% (707)	100% (140)	100% (815)	100% (114)	100% (71)	100% (454)	100% (546)	100% (395)	100% (313)	100% (292)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
18-29	24%	24%	17%	24%	31%	23%	14%	35%	22%	22%	18%	30%	19%	10%
30-44	26%	25%	23%	31%	34%	24%	26%	24%	30%	23%	28%	25%	26%	32%
45-64	34%	33%	37%	33%	26%	34%	39%	30%	34%	38%	30%	28%	37%	47%
65+	16%	18%	23%	12%	10%	19%	21%	10%	13%	16%	24%	17%	17%	12%
Totals (Unweighted)	100% (1,000)	100% (336)	100% (258)	100% (291)	100% (200)	100% (354)	100% (313)	100% (161)	100% (227)	100% (346)	100% (266)	100% (406)	100% (386)	100% (120)

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Sponsorship	<i>The Economist</i>
Fieldwork	YouGov
Interviewing Dates	December 17-20, 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 3.8, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.66.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 3.7% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	28 questions not reported.