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1. Direction of country

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

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Generally headed in the right direction	30%	29%	34%	29%	26%	23%	50%	45%	33%	27%	24%	31%	39%
Off on the wrong track	54%	48%	49%	60%	61%	62%	28%	37%	56%	52%	60%	51%	48%
Not sure	16%	23%	17%	12%	13%	15%	22%	18%	11%	21%	16%	18%	13%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (214)	100% (218)	100% (427)	100% (138)	100% (800)	100% (109)	100% (88)	100% (437)	100% (560)	100% (349)	100% (362)	100% (286)

	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	30%	62%	11%	22%	56%	43%	7%	34%	27%	29%	31%	28%	33%	38%
Off on the wrong track	54%	21%	84%	61%	22%	42%	88%	45%	60%	54%	55%	56%	51%	52%
Not sure	16%	17%	5%	17%	22%	15%	5%	21%	13%	17%	14%	16%	16%	10%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (354)	100% (270)	100% (294)	100% (260)	100% (341)	100% (339)	100% (222)	100% (257)	100% (349)	100% (169)	100% (360)	100% (348)	100% (102)

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2. Guns – rights versus protection

What's more important?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
The right of people to own guns	19%	22%	15%	21%	17%	22%	12%	10%	22%	16%	21%	19%	14%
Protecting people from gun violence	30%	39%	30%	26%	21%	26%	45%	32%	30%	29%	21%	31%	44%
Both are equally important	49%	35%	53%	49%	62%	50%	39%	52%	46%	51%	53%	48%	41%
Not sure	3%	4%	2%	4%	0%	2%	5%	6%	2%	4%	4%	3%	1%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (214)	100% (218)	100% (429)	100% (137)	100% (799)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (559)	100% (348)	100% (363)	100% (287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The right of people to own guns	19%	8%	27%	24%	4%	14%	36%	10%	25%	16%	25%	18%	18%	30%
Protecting people from gun violence	30%	51%	10%	27%	57%	31%	10%	45%	20%	26%	32%	29%	31%	35%
Both are equally important	49%	40%	62%	47%	37%	54%	54%	38%	53%	56%	39%	48%	50%	35%
Not sure	3%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	0%	7%	1%	2%	3%	4%	1%	0%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (356)	100% (270)	100% (294)	100% (262)	100% (341)	100% (339)	100% (222)	100% (256)	100% (350)	100% (170)	100% (360)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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3. Favorability rating of NRA

Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the NRA?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Very favorable	21%	14%	14%	25%	36%	25%	5%	10%	22%	19%	24%	19%	16%
Somewhat favorable	24%	22%	25%	25%	22%	26%	17%	20%	26%	21%	24%	27%	18%
Somewhat unfavorable	14%	15%	13%	16%	12%	12%	19%	20%	15%	14%	8%	20%	18%
Very unfavorable	22%	25%	22%	21%	23%	22%	27%	17%	23%	22%	19%	21%	33%
Not sure	19%	24%	27%	14%	7%	14%	32%	32%	15%	23%	25%	14%	16%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (214)	100% (219)	100% (428)	100% (138)	100% (801)	100% (109)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (560)	100% (349)	100% (363)	100% (287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very favorable	21%	5%	45%	20%	1%	10%	47%	11%	25%	24%	18%	20%	17%	29%
Somewhat favorable	24%	14%	36%	27%	13%	24%	33%	15%	25%	27%	24%	25%	25%	18%
Somewhat unfavorable	14%	18%	6%	22%	20%	24%	5%	16%	11%	12%	21%	13%	20%	10%
Very unfavorable	22%	46%	4%	15%	54%	22%	6%	36%	20%	17%	23%	21%	23%	30%
Not sure	19%	17%	9%	16%	12%	19%	10%	22%	20%	20%	14%	21%	14%	13%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (355)	100% (271)	100% (294)	100% (262)	100% (340)	100% (340)	100% (222)	100% (257)	100% (350)	100% (170)	100% (360)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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4. View on gun control laws

Do you think gun control laws should be made more or less strict than they are now?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
More strict	51%	52%	56%	49%	46%	46%	72%	60%	48%	54%	46%	50%	63%
No change	31%	26%	27%	35%	41%	36%	14%	25%	34%	29%	33%	32%	25%
Less strict	9%	15%	7%	9%	7%	11%	6%	4%	13%	6%	11%	9%	7%
Not sure	8%	7%	10%	8%	6%	8%	8%	10%	6%	10%	10%	9%	5%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (214)	100% (218)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (801)	100% (109)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (560)	100% (348)	100% (364)	100% (287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
More strict	51%	78%	23%	48%	79%	61%	23%	63%	44%	50%	50%	52%	55%	48%
No change	31%	11%	64%	29%	9%	27%	54%	17%	41%	33%	30%	30%	32%	34%
Less strict	9%	4%	11%	14%	5%	6%	18%	8%	10%	9%	10%	9%	7%	16%
Not sure	8%	7%	2%	9%	7%	7%	4%	12%	5%	8%	10%	9%	6%	3%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (293)	100% (262)	100% (340)	100% (340)	100% (221)	100% (257)	100% (351)	100% (170)	100% (360)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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5. Interpretation of Second Amendment

Do you think the Second Amendment to the U.S. Constitution does or does not allow states to regulate guns?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Does	26%	36%	21%	24%	23%	27%	22%	23%	27%	25%	20%	26%	37%
Does not	37%	30%	34%	43%	43%	39%	32%	29%	39%	35%	40%	39%	29%
Not sure	37%	34%	46%	33%	34%	34%	45%	48%	34%	40%	40%	36%	34%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(213)	(219)	(428)	(137)	(800)	(108)	(89)	(438)	(559)	(349)	(362)	(286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Does	26%	32%	22%	29%	33%	28%	23%	30%	27%	22%	27%	23%	27%	32%
Does not	37%	32%	48%	35%	35%	35%	50%	26%	40%	38%	42%	41%	36%	40%
Not sure	37%	36%	30%	36%	32%	37%	28%	44%	33%	39%	31%	36%	38%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(354)	(270)	(294)	(261)	(340)	(339)	(221)	(256)	(350)	(170)	(360)	(348)	(101)

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6. Opinion on gun control measures – Preventing persons with a history of mental illness from owning guns

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	80%	66%	77%	87%	94%	82%	75%	75%	83%	77%	78%	80%	85%
Oppose	7%	14%	6%	4%	1%	4%	11%	14%	7%	6%	6%	8%	5%
Not sure	13%	20%	17%	9%	5%	14%	14%	10%	9%	17%	16%	11%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(213)	(219)	(428)	(137)	(800)	(109)	(88)	(438)	(559)	(348)	(363)	(286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	80%	86%	88%	79%	85%	88%	79%	76%	79%	84%	78%	76%	87%	74%
Oppose	7%	7%	3%	7%	6%	5%	8%	4%	7%	6%	10%	10%	3%	4%
Not sure	13%	8%	9%	13%	9%	6%	13%	20%	14%	10%	12%	13%	10%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(355)	(271)	(293)	(261)	(339)	(340)	(221)	(256)	(351)	(169)	(359)	(349)	(101)

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7. Opinion on gun control measures – Banning semi-automatic weapons

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	47%	44%	51%	47%	44%	42%	69%	48%	39%	54%	42%	44%	62%
Oppose	38%	36%	34%	42%	43%	44%	18%	30%	49%	28%	37%	43%	31%
Not sure	15%	20%	16%	11%	13%	14%	13%	22%	12%	17%	21%	12%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(214)	(219)	(429)	(138)	(801)	(110)	(89)	(439)	(561)	(349)	(364)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	47%	72%	27%	44%	71%	58%	22%	56%	45%	46%	42%	52%	45%	43%
Oppose	38%	17%	64%	41%	16%	31%	68%	25%	39%	42%	44%	33%	44%	43%
Not sure	15%	11%	8%	15%	12%	11%	10%	19%	16%	12%	14%	15%	11%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(356)	(271)	(294)	(262)	(341)	(340)	(222)	(257)	(351)	(170)	(361)	(349)	(102)

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8. Opinion on gun control measures – Banning the sale of all handguns, except those that are issued to law enforcement officers

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	19%	19%	27%	16%	9%	15%	31%	29%	18%	20%	18%	17%	24%
Oppose	69%	67%	58%	74%	84%	74%	54%	57%	75%	64%	69%	70%	67%
Not sure	12%	14%	15%	9%	7%	10%	16%	14%	7%	16%	13%	12%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(214)	(219)	(428)	(138)	(800)	(110)	(89)	(439)	(560)	(349)	(363)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	19%	30%	6%	18%	29%	19%	11%	29%	18%	16%	17%	26%	14%	21%
Oppose	69%	58%	91%	73%	62%	71%	86%	53%	69%	73%	76%	62%	77%	66%
Not sure	12%	12%	3%	9%	9%	10%	3%	17%	13%	11%	6%	13%	9%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(355)	(271)	(294)	(262)	(340)	(340)	(222)	(257)	(350)	(170)	(361)	(349)	(102)

9. Opinion on gun control measures – Banning the sale of magazine clips for semi-automatic weapons that hold more than 10 rounds

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	57%	54%	60%	54%	59%	52%	68%	71%	50%	63%	55%	54%	64%
Oppose	32%	30%	28%	37%	31%	36%	19%	19%	40%	24%	30%	36%	29%
Not sure	12%	16%	12%	9%	10%	12%	13%	10%	9%	14%	15%	10%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(213)	(219)	(429)	(138)	(800)	(110)	(89)	(439)	(560)	(349)	(363)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	57%	82%	34%	56%	82%	67%	34%	63%	54%	52%	61%	59%	60%	49%
Oppose	32%	12%	58%	33%	12%	24%	59%	21%	34%	37%	30%	28%	32%	40%
Not sure	12%	6%	8%	11%	6%	10%	7%	16%	12%	10%	9%	12%	8%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(355)	(271)	(294)	(261)	(341)	(340)	(222)	(256)	(351)	(170)	(360)	(349)	(102)

10. Opinion on gun control measures – Requiring people who purchase handguns to wait five days before they receive that gun

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	69%	66%	67%	68%	80%	66%	72%	78%	63%	74%	66%	68%	77%
Oppose	18%	18%	17%	21%	13%	21%	11%	11%	24%	13%	18%	21%	14%
Not sure	13%	16%	16%	11%	7%	13%	17%	11%	13%	13%	17%	12%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(213)	(218)	(428)	(138)	(799)	(110)	(88)	(438)	(559)	(348)	(362)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	69%	87%	61%	65%	89%	76%	57%	71%	71%	66%	69%	71%	72%	61%
Oppose	18%	7%	28%	23%	8%	15%	31%	12%	16%	20%	23%	16%	18%	20%
Not sure	13%	6%	11%	12%	3%	9%	12%	17%	14%	14%	8%	13%	10%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(355)	(271)	(294)	(260)	(340)	(340)	(221)	(257)	(349)	(170)	(359)	(349)	(102)

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11. Opinion on gun control measures – Requiring gun owners to register their guns with a national gun registry

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	61%	64%	68%	54%	56%	56%	76%	69%	54%	68%	58%	60%	67%
Oppose	28%	22%	19%	36%	37%	33%	8%	21%	35%	20%	28%	30%	23%
Not sure	12%	14%	13%	10%	7%	11%	16%	9%	11%	12%	14%	10%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(214)	(218)	(429)	(137)	(799)	(110)	(89)	(438)	(560)	(348)	(364)	(286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	61%	85%	43%	55%	88%	70%	38%	66%	57%	62%	59%	63%	65%	54%
Oppose	28%	9%	48%	34%	8%	23%	52%	20%	32%	27%	32%	26%	26%	32%
Not sure	12%	6%	8%	10%	3%	7%	10%	14%	11%	11%	10%	11%	9%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(356)	(269)	(294)	(262)	(341)	(338)	(221)	(257)	(350)	(170)	(360)	(349)	(102)

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12. Opinion on gun control measures – Limiting the number of handguns a person can own

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	43%	51%	48%	38%	32%	34%	73%	66%	38%	49%	41%	44%	46%
Oppose	43%	33%	35%	50%	59%	52%	14%	20%	50%	36%	42%	43%	43%
Not sure	14%	16%	17%	12%	9%	14%	13%	15%	13%	15%	17%	13%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(213)	(219)	(427)	(138)	(799)	(109)	(89)	(438)	(559)	(347)	(364)	(286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	43%	67%	20%	41%	65%	51%	22%	49%	41%	42%	43%	51%	41%	32%
Oppose	43%	22%	71%	48%	25%	37%	70%	32%	43%	46%	46%	35%	49%	51%
Not sure	14%	11%	9%	12%	10%	12%	7%	19%	16%	12%	11%	14%	10%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(355)	(269)	(294)	(261)	(341)	(338)	(221)	(256)	(350)	(170)	(360)	(347)	(102)

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13. Opinion on gun control measures – Preventing people from carrying a concealed gun in public

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	36%	29%	45%	34%	30%	32%	51%	39%	34%	37%	29%	36%	48%
Oppose	48%	45%	41%	53%	53%	53%	26%	38%	52%	43%	50%	48%	41%
Not sure	17%	26%	14%	12%	17%	15%	22%	23%	14%	19%	21%	16%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(214)	(218)	(428)	(138)	(799)	(110)	(89)	(439)	(559)	(349)	(363)	(286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	36%	55%	20%	32%	54%	40%	18%	51%	32%	33%	30%	41%	32%	33%
Oppose	48%	32%	73%	50%	29%	43%	74%	30%	51%	51%	54%	43%	52%	51%
Not sure	17%	13%	7%	18%	16%	16%	8%	19%	18%	16%	15%	16%	16%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(354)	(271)	(294)	(261)	(340)	(340)	(222)	(256)	(351)	(169)	(361)	(347)	(102)

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14. Opinion on gun control measures – Requiring people to obtain a police permit before buying a handgun

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	51%	47%	56%	51%	47%	44%	71%	66%	47%	54%	47%	50%	59%
Oppose	35%	34%	28%	39%	41%	40%	19%	20%	42%	27%	35%	37%	29%
Not sure	15%	19%	16%	11%	13%	16%	10%	14%	10%	19%	17%	13%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(214)	(219)	(428)	(136)	(798)	(110)	(89)	(437)	(560)	(347)	(363)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	51%	71%	34%	47%	67%	62%	31%	64%	51%	48%	43%	53%	52%	50%
Oppose	35%	18%	55%	39%	22%	27%	57%	23%	35%	36%	43%	31%	37%	36%
Not sure	15%	11%	11%	14%	12%	11%	12%	14%	14%	16%	13%	16%	11%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(356)	(269)	(293)	(261)	(341)	(338)	(222)	(256)	(350)	(169)	(360)	(348)	(101)

15. Opinion on gun control measures – Having the Centers for Disease Control conduct research on gun violence

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	40%	51%	47%	30%	30%	38%	44%	48%	39%	41%	32%	43%	52%
Oppose	34%	23%	26%	45%	43%	36%	29%	25%	35%	33%	34%	33%	33%
Not sure	26%	26%	27%	26%	27%	26%	28%	27%	26%	26%	34%	23%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(213)	(219)	(429)	(137)	(799)	(110)	(89)	(438)	(560)	(349)	(363)	(286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	40%	53%	21%	42%	58%	44%	26%	49%	40%	39%	35%	41%	40%	42%
Oppose	34%	25%	54%	34%	24%	30%	51%	26%	32%	35%	41%	31%	36%	36%
Not sure	26%	22%	25%	25%	17%	26%	23%	26%	28%	26%	24%	28%	24%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(356)	(270)	(294)	(261)	(341)	(339)	(222)	(257)	(349)	(170)	(361)	(348)	(102)

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16. Opinion on gun control measures – Spending \$50 million to hire officers and counselors for schools, and provide emergency planning in schools

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	43%	38%	54%	40%	36%	41%	49%	49%	43%	44%	44%	41%	46%
Oppose	32%	35%	21%	34%	48%	32%	29%	35%	36%	29%	29%	34%	35%
Not sure	25%	27%	25%	26%	17%	26%	22%	16%	22%	27%	27%	25%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(214)	(218)	(427)	(138)	(800)	(108)	(89)	(439)	(558)	(349)	(362)	(286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	43%	54%	44%	40%	49%	43%	43%	39%	41%	47%	44%	47%	43%	31%
Oppose	32%	27%	37%	36%	29%	33%	37%	34%	35%	30%	32%	31%	35%	35%
Not sure	25%	19%	19%	24%	21%	24%	20%	27%	24%	24%	24%	22%	22%	33%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(356)	(270)	(292)	(262)	(339)	(339)	(221)	(256)	(350)	(170)	(360)	(349)	(102)

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17. Opinion on gun control measures – Requiring criminal and mental background checks for all those buying guns, including at gun shows and private sales

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	79%	75%	78%	79%	89%	78%	80%	81%	77%	81%	74%	79%	89%
Oppose	10%	9%	8%	12%	7%	11%	6%	4%	12%	7%	9%	11%	7%
Not sure	11%	16%	14%	9%	4%	10%	13%	15%	11%	12%	17%	10%	3%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (214)	100% (219)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (801)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (561)	100% (349)	100% (364)	100% (287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	79%	89%	79%	79%	90%	88%	73%	79%	77%	83%	74%	77%	87%	74%
Oppose	10%	4%	14%	13%	3%	8%	17%	7%	10%	7%	16%	10%	7%	12%
Not sure	11%	8%	8%	8%	7%	4%	10%	14%	13%	10%	11%	12%	6%	14%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (294)	100% (262)	100% (341)	100% (340)	100% (222)	100% (257)	100% (351)	100% (170)	100% (361)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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18. Opinion on gun control measures – Stationing armed guards at all schools

Do you favor or oppose the following gun control measures?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	41%	30%	50%	40%	42%	41%	36%	48%	42%	40%	47%	37%	35%
Oppose	38%	49%	27%	38%	38%	37%	43%	33%	41%	34%	29%	42%	45%
Not sure	22%	20%	24%	22%	19%	22%	20%	19%	17%	26%	23%	20%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(214)	(218)	(428)	(138)	(800)	(109)	(89)	(438)	(560)	(349)	(362)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	41%	32%	54%	42%	27%	38%	56%	33%	35%	50%	39%	47%	40%	31%
Oppose	38%	51%	26%	39%	55%	45%	27%	41%	41%	30%	44%	35%	43%	39%
Not sure	22%	17%	20%	19%	18%	17%	18%	26%	24%	20%	17%	18%	17%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(355)	(270)	(294)	(262)	(340)	(339)	(221)	(256)	(351)	(170)	(360)	(348)	(102)

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19. Personal gun ownership

Do you or anyone else in your household own a gun?

	Total	Age					Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate	
I personally own a gun	20%	9%	12%	27%	38%	24%	10%	9%	30%	10%	20%	19%	20%	
I don't personally but someone in household does	15%	20%	17%	11%	14%	18%	7%	10%	9%	22%	18%	15%	11%	
No	65%	72%	71%	62%	47%	58%	84%	82%	61%	68%	62%	65%	70%	
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (983)	100% (213)	100% (216)	100% (423)	100% (131)	100% (786)	100% (109)	100% (88)	100% (430)	100% (553)	100% (342)	100% (357)	100% (284)	

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
I personally own a gun	20%	12%	34%	18%	14%	18%	31%	12%	23%	23%	17%	13%	24%	30%
I don't personally but someone in household does	15%	13%	15%	18%	16%	13%	18%	9%	19%	17%	15%	14%	18%	19%
No	65%	75%	51%	63%	70%	69%	51%	79%	58%	60%	68%	74%	58%	51%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (983)	100% (355)	100% (262)	100% (287)	100% (261)	100% (338)	100% (327)	100% (221)	100% (252)	100% (343)	100% (167)	100% (356)	100% (345)	100% (101)

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20. Importance of issues

How important are the following issues to you?

	Total	Age					Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate	
The economy	96%	91%	97%	99%	98%	97%	93%	96%	97%	96%	96%	96%	99%	
Immigration	79%	76%	78%	79%	86%	80%	74%	75%	74%	83%	80%	75%	82%	
The environment	78%	78%	75%	80%	78%	76%	78%	86%	73%	82%	77%	80%	75%	
Terrorism	81%	72%	75%	87%	93%	82%	76%	80%	76%	85%	84%	81%	74%	
Gay rights	42%	52%	44%	36%	36%	41%	44%	47%	36%	48%	39%	44%	46%	
Education	89%	85%	90%	89%	90%	89%	85%	91%	87%	90%	89%	88%	89%	
Health care	90%	86%	91%	92%	93%	90%	91%	92%	88%	93%	89%	92%	91%	
Social security	89%	75%	88%	95%	98%	88%	90%	88%	84%	93%	88%	87%	91%	
The budget deficit	89%	86%	86%	92%	92%	89%	84%	91%	85%	92%	90%	89%	87%	
The war in Afghanistan	70%	72%	64%	69%	78%	71%	63%	67%	63%	76%	72%	69%	66%	
Taxes	90%	84%	88%	93%	94%	91%	78%	91%	87%	92%	89%	89%	91%	
Medicare	85%	73%	81%	92%	97%	86%	86%	79%	79%	90%	83%	87%	85%	
Abortion	63%	69%	62%	58%	67%	63%	58%	69%	54%	71%	64%	61%	65%	
Totals	(997)	(211)	(219)	(429)	(138)	(799)	(109)	(89)	(437)	(560)	(349)	(362)	(286)	

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The economy	96%	97%	100%	95%	94%	97%	99%	94%	98%	97%	97%	95%	98%	98%
Immigration	79%	76%	81%	80%	74%	76%	84%	78%	79%	77%	83%	80%	77%	88%
The environment	78%	88%	62%	76%	94%	82%	61%	73%	77%	78%	81%	82%	78%	69%
Terrorism	81%	77%	93%	79%	71%	77%	92%	78%	81%	84%	77%	80%	79%	79%
Gay rights	42%	58%	23%	38%	74%	44%	23%	50%	42%	37%	45%	39%	48%	45%
Education	89%	92%	91%	85%	91%	91%	85%	91%	90%	90%	83%	91%	87%	91%
Health care	90%	96%	87%	89%	97%	91%	87%	89%	92%	92%	87%	91%	90%	97%
Social security	89%	91%	91%	86%	88%	88%	91%	90%	86%	92%	84%	87%	90%	91%
The budget deficit	89%	82%	95%	90%	80%	86%	97%	85%	91%	89%	88%	88%	91%	87%
The war in Afghanistan	70%	70%	75%	65%	68%	67%	74%	71%	71%	71%	64%	69%	68%	73%
Taxes	90%	84%	94%	91%	84%	89%	94%	87%	89%	90%	91%	86%	94%	93%
Medicare	85%	90%	87%	81%	84%	85%	86%	83%	83%	87%	84%	85%	87%	86%
Abortion	63%	61%	69%	59%	67%	53%	68%	68%	65%	61%	59%	62%	62%	73%
Totals	(997)	(356)	(270)	(293)	(262)	(340)	(339)	(221)	(257)	(350)	(169)	(360)	(348)	(102)

21. Support for requiring employers to provide health care plans that cover employee contraceptives

Do you support or oppose requiring employers to provide health care plans that cover the cost of contraceptives for their employees?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Support	45%	47%	59%	40%	21%	42%	51%	55%	42%	48%	41%	46%	49%
Oppose	37%	32%	25%	42%	59%	42%	26%	20%	41%	32%	36%	35%	40%
Not sure	19%	21%	16%	19%	20%	17%	23%	25%	18%	20%	23%	19%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(214)	(219)	(428)	(138)	(800)	(110)	(89)	(439)	(560)	(348)	(364)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Support	45%	70%	21%	38%	77%	48%	20%	52%	45%	40%	45%	47%	47%	50%
Oppose	37%	12%	70%	40%	9%	32%	66%	30%	33%	42%	36%	30%	39%	42%
Not sure	19%	17%	9%	22%	13%	20%	13%	18%	21%	18%	19%	23%	14%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(355)	(271)	(294)	(262)	(340)	(340)	(222)	(257)	(350)	(170)	(360)	(349)	(102)

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22. Support for allowing religiously-affiliated hospitals and colleges to be exempt from requirements that health care plans cover the cost of employee contraceptives

Do you think religiously-affiliated hospitals and colleges should be exempt from requirements that their health care plans cover the cost of contraceptives for their employees?

	Total	Age					Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate	
They should be exempt	36%	37%	27%	38%	50%	41%	20%	28%	43%	30%	33%	35%	45%	
They should not be exempt	39%	38%	44%	39%	29%	39%	39%	38%	34%	43%	35%	41%	42%	
Not sure	25%	25%	30%	23%	21%	20%	42%	34%	23%	27%	31%	25%	12%	
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (213)	100% (218)	100% (428)	100% (138)	100% (800)	100% (108)	100% (89)	100% (437)	100% (560)	100% (348)	100% (363)	100% (286)	

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
They should be exempt	36%	18%	66%	41%	17%	30%	64%	28%	38%	38%	39%	29%	38%	46%
They should not be exempt	39%	60%	20%	31%	67%	42%	19%	43%	42%	35%	37%	38%	44%	43%
Not sure	25%	22%	13%	29%	15%	28%	17%	28%	20%	27%	24%	33%	18%	11%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (291)	100% (261)	100% (340)	100% (340)	100% (222)	100% (257)	100% (349)	100% (169)	100% (359)	100% (349)	100% (101)

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23. Support for women in ground combat roles

Do you support or oppose allowing women in the military to serve in ground units that engage in close combat?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Strongly support	26%	32%	32%	24%	9%	29%	19%	19%	27%	26%	22%	27%	33%
Somewhat support	19%	17%	16%	22%	22%	20%	13%	23%	21%	17%	16%	23%	19%
Neither support nor oppose	20%	16%	20%	21%	24%	21%	20%	14%	19%	21%	22%	18%	21%
Somewhat oppose	14%	10%	13%	14%	20%	13%	16%	15%	12%	15%	15%	12%	12%
Strongly oppose	15%	16%	12%	14%	22%	14%	19%	17%	19%	12%	16%	15%	12%
Not sure	6%	10%	6%	4%	3%	4%	12%	12%	3%	9%	9%	4%	3%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (214)	100% (219)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (801)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (561)	100% (349)	100% (364)	100% (287)

	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%	36%	17%	24%	46%	25%	14%	33%	27%	22%	27%	26%	30%	28%
Somewhat support	19%	20%	17%	26%	22%	24%	17%	17%	18%	18%	24%	18%	23%	18%
Neither support nor oppose	20%	17%	23%	18%	16%	20%	20%	17%	23%	21%	18%	21%	19%	20%
Somewhat oppose	14%	15%	18%	13%	7%	15%	20%	6%	13%	18%	13%	15%	11%	14%
Strongly oppose	15%	8%	23%	15%	4%	12%	26%	16%	16%	14%	14%	16%	12%	18%
Not sure	6%	4%	1%	5%	4%	4%	2%	10%	2%	7%	5%	5%	4%	2%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (294)	100% (262)	100% (341)	100% (340)	100% (222)	100% (257)	100% (351)	100% (170)	100% (361)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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24. Support any path to citizenship for illegal immigrants

Do you favor or oppose providing a legal way for illegal immigrants already in the United States to become U.S. citizens?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	44%	56%	41%	39%	41%	40%	54%	56%	48%	40%	32%	47%	62%
Oppose	36%	26%	36%	40%	43%	41%	24%	19%	34%	38%	44%	36%	20%
Unsure	20%	19%	23%	21%	16%	19%	22%	24%	19%	22%	24%	17%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(213)	(218)	(429)	(138)	(800)	(109)	(89)	(438)	(560)	(348)	(363)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	44%	60%	31%	44%	72%	51%	25%	57%	38%	39%	47%	40%	47%	54%
Oppose	36%	23%	53%	37%	13%	30%	55%	24%	43%	39%	32%	40%	33%	30%
Unsure	20%	17%	17%	20%	15%	20%	21%	19%	20%	22%	21%	20%	20%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(356)	(271)	(292)	(261)	(341)	(339)	(222)	(257)	(350)	(169)	(360)	(349)	(101)

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25. Path to citizenship for illegal immigrants

Do you favor or oppose providing a way for illegal immigrants currently in the country to gain legal citizenship if they pass background checks, pay fines, and have jobs?

Asked of respondents who weren't sure or opposed a generic path to citizenship in previous question

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	46%	53%	46%	44%	39%	44%	44%	62%	45%	46%	38%	49%	57%
Oppose	34%	23%	28%	39%	49%	37%	31%	18%	38%	30%	39%	35%	19%
Not sure	21%	24%	26%	17%	13%	20%	26%	20%	17%	24%	23%	16%	23%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (747)	100% (149)	100% (160)	100% (327)	100% (111)	100% (619)	100% (70)	100% (58)	100% (318)	100% (429)	100% (275)	100% (271)	100% (201)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	46%	55%	39%	47%	67%	50%	36%	53%	45%	39%	53%	44%	51%	48%
Oppose	34%	27%	49%	32%	15%	31%	48%	27%	34%	40%	29%	35%	32%	33%
Not sure	21%	18%	12%	21%	18%	19%	16%	21%	21%	21%	18%	21%	17%	20%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (747)	100% (229)	100% (230)	100% (226)	100% (153)	100% (250)	100% (296)	100% (165)	100% (202)	100% (257)	100% (123)	100% (265)	100% (271)	100% (68)

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26. Views on giving illegal immigrants legal status if they go to college

Passing a law that would allow illegal immigrants brought to the U.S. as children to gain legal resident status if they go to college

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Strongly support	25%	37%	24%	19%	18%	20%	32%	47%	23%	27%	16%	31%	32%
Somewhat support	24%	21%	21%	29%	21%	26%	17%	20%	24%	24%	20%	25%	28%
Somewhat oppose	15%	14%	18%	11%	22%	15%	17%	10%	16%	14%	17%	11%	17%
Strongly oppose	22%	16%	19%	26%	26%	25%	15%	10%	26%	17%	27%	21%	13%
Not sure	15%	13%	17%	15%	13%	15%	19%	14%	12%	18%	20%	12%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(214)	(218)	(429)	(138)	(801)	(109)	(89)	(439)	(560)	(349)	(363)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly support	25%	38%	9%	25%	51%	26%	7%	28%	21%	24%	27%	27%	24%	22%
Somewhat support	24%	26%	21%	24%	24%	29%	21%	23%	19%	25%	26%	23%	27%	29%
Somewhat oppose	15%	11%	24%	14%	8%	12%	22%	13%	15%	18%	11%	13%	13%	19%
Strongly oppose	22%	13%	35%	22%	7%	18%	37%	22%	26%	19%	21%	21%	20%	20%
Not sure	15%	12%	11%	15%	10%	15%	12%	13%	20%	14%	14%	16%	16%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(356)	(271)	(293)	(262)	(340)	(340)	(221)	(257)	(351)	(170)	(361)	(349)	(102)

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27. Views on giving illegal immigrants legal status if they join the military

Passing a law that would allow illegal immigrants brought to the U.S. as children to gain legal resident status if they join the military

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Strongly support	32%	41%	30%	29%	27%	29%	31%	50%	32%	32%	25%	34%	41%
Somewhat support	24%	18%	22%	25%	33%	27%	15%	13%	25%	22%	22%	22%	29%
Somewhat oppose	11%	7%	12%	12%	14%	10%	14%	11%	7%	15%	11%	13%	9%
Strongly oppose	18%	19%	18%	18%	15%	19%	19%	12%	22%	14%	23%	18%	9%
Not sure	16%	15%	18%	16%	11%	15%	22%	14%	15%	17%	19%	13%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(214)	(219)	(429)	(137)	(801)	(109)	(89)	(439)	(560)	(348)	(364)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly support	32%	44%	19%	34%	49%	39%	20%	38%	28%	28%	38%	31%	35%	33%
Somewhat support	24%	20%	34%	23%	19%	26%	29%	20%	22%	27%	23%	21%	25%	29%
Somewhat oppose	11%	11%	17%	7%	10%	7%	17%	5%	9%	15%	11%	13%	10%	5%
Strongly oppose	18%	12%	21%	20%	10%	16%	23%	20%	21%	16%	17%	19%	16%	13%
Not sure	16%	13%	9%	15%	12%	12%	12%	17%	19%	15%	11%	16%	14%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(355)	(271)	(294)	(262)	(340)	(340)	(222)	(256)	(351)	(170)	(361)	(348)	(102)

28. Seriousness of local immigration problem

How serious a problem is immigration in your LOCAL community?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Very serious	15%	8%	16%	18%	18%	17%	7%	11%	14%	15%	14%	16%	13%
Somewhat serious	18%	12%	17%	24%	18%	19%	16%	16%	18%	18%	17%	17%	22%
A minor problem	27%	34%	26%	25%	24%	29%	16%	30%	30%	25%	29%	24%	30%
Not a problem	26%	32%	27%	21%	24%	24%	35%	30%	26%	26%	24%	28%	27%
Not sure	14%	14%	14%	13%	16%	12%	27%	13%	12%	16%	16%	15%	8%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (213)	100% (219)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (800)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (438)	100% (561)	100% (349)	100% (363)	100% (287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very serious	15%	7%	28%	11%	5%	11%	23%	15%	12%	12%	22%	13%	18%	12%
Somewhat serious	18%	20%	20%	20%	16%	16%	25%	14%	15%	18%	27%	19%	20%	9%
A minor problem	27%	25%	26%	32%	26%	33%	26%	21%	33%	30%	22%	28%	23%	42%
Not a problem	26%	37%	17%	22%	39%	26%	18%	35%	29%	23%	18%	26%	23%	26%
Not sure	14%	11%	10%	14%	14%	14%	7%	15%	11%	17%	10%	14%	15%	12%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (294)	100% (261)	100% (341)	100% (340)	100% (222)	100% (257)	100% (350)	100% (170)	100% (361)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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29. Know illegal immigrant

Do you personally know anyone who is an illegal immigrant?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Yes	27%	33%	24%	28%	17%	25%	18%	45%	33%	21%	19%	34%	30%
No	55%	56%	55%	53%	59%	55%	70%	37%	53%	57%	61%	47%	58%
Not sure	18%	10%	21%	19%	24%	20%	12%	18%	14%	22%	20%	20%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(213)	(218)	(428)	(138)	(799)	(109)	(89)	(437)	(560)	(348)	(363)	(286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	27%	29%	27%	29%	32%	26%	30%	31%	23%	18%	41%	26%	28%	32%
No	55%	59%	51%	52%	54%	60%	48%	54%	61%	64%	34%	60%	52%	49%
Not sure	18%	12%	21%	19%	14%	14%	22%	15%	16%	18%	25%	14%	19%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(355)	(271)	(293)	(261)	(339)	(340)	(221)	(256)	(350)	(170)	(360)	(349)	(102)

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30. Support Border Fences

Do you support building more border fences?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	51%	37%	52%	57%	61%	54%	46%	39%	53%	50%	55%	51%	44%
Oppose	26%	38%	25%	22%	17%	24%	25%	40%	32%	21%	18%	31%	35%
Not sure	23%	25%	24%	20%	22%	21%	29%	22%	15%	30%	27%	19%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(995)	(213)	(218)	(426)	(138)	(800)	(106)	(89)	(438)	(557)	(348)	(363)	(284)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	51%	45%	74%	45%	27%	48%	75%	44%	49%	59%	47%	52%	52%	47%
Oppose	26%	34%	9%	32%	53%	30%	9%	34%	27%	18%	32%	26%	28%	35%
Not sure	23%	21%	16%	23%	20%	22%	16%	22%	24%	23%	21%	22%	20%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(995)	(352)	(271)	(293)	(261)	(337)	(340)	(219)	(256)	(350)	(170)	(359)	(347)	(102)

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31. Favor Guest Worker Program

Would you favor a program allowing people from other countries to be guest workers in the U.S. for a temporary period of time, and then be required to return to their home country?

	Age					Race			Gender		Education		
	Total	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Favor	46%	39%	44%	48%	57%	47%	35%	53%	49%	43%	36%	49%	59%
Oppose	29%	29%	29%	31%	25%	28%	40%	25%	31%	28%	39%	25%	18%
Not sure	25%	33%	27%	22%	18%	26%	25%	23%	20%	30%	25%	26%	23%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (214)	100% (219)	100% (428)	100% (138)	100% (800)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (560)	100% (349)	100% (364)	100% (286)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Favor	46%	43%	53%	48%	46%	47%	51%	47%	42%	41%	57%	40%	51%	52%
Oppose	29%	33%	28%	25%	29%	29%	30%	29%	34%	34%	15%	37%	20%	29%
Not sure	25%	24%	19%	27%	26%	24%	20%	25%	24%	25%	27%	23%	28%	19%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (293)	100% (262)	100% (340)	100% (340)	100% (222)	100% (257)	100% (350)	100% (170)	100% (361)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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32. Immigration background

Which of these statements best describes you?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Immigrant Citizen	6%	4%	9%	6%	4%	3%	10%	18%	4%	7%	6%	6%	6%
Immigrant non-citizen	6%	9%	12%	0%	2%	4%	6%	15%	7%	5%	5%	5%	11%
First generation	10%	18%	10%	6%	9%	9%	3%	27%	11%	9%	7%	13%	12%
Second generation	20%	16%	11%	27%	25%	22%	5%	21%	19%	20%	19%	20%	21%
Third generation	58%	54%	58%	62%	61%	62%	77%	19%	58%	59%	64%	56%	51%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (991)	100% (213)	100% (216)	100% (425)	100% (137)	100% (795)	100% (109)	100% (87)	100% (433)	100% (558)	100% (344)	100% (361)	100% (286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Immigrant Citizen	6%	6%	4%	5%	6%	6%	5%	9%	2%	5%	9%	6%	6%	6%
Immigrant non-citizen	6%	8%	1%	5%	8%	4%	2%	7%	1%	7%	9%	6%	4%	16%
First generation	10%	10%	7%	14%	13%	11%	8%	12%	11%	8%	11%	7%	13%	12%
Second generation	20%	19%	23%	16%	20%	19%	21%	27%	21%	15%	21%	17%	22%	19%
Third generation	58%	57%	64%	59%	54%	60%	65%	46%	65%	65%	51%	64%	55%	46%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (991)	100% (353)	100% (268)	100% (292)	100% (261)	100% (336)	100% (338)	100% (219)	100% (257)	100% (346)	100% (169)	100% (357)	100% (347)	100% (102)

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33. View on Abortion

Do you think abortion should be...

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Legal in all cases	32%	40%	29%	35%	19%	32%	30%	37%	32%	32%	26%	38%	34%
Legal/Illegal in some cases	46%	39%	46%	45%	58%	45%	50%	43%	47%	44%	47%	44%	46%
Illegal in all cases	15%	18%	18%	11%	18%	17%	12%	12%	16%	15%	17%	13%	16%
Not sure	7%	4%	7%	9%	6%	6%	7%	8%	5%	9%	9%	5%	4%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (212)	100% (219)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (799)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (438)	100% (560)	100% (349)	100% (362)	100% (287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Legal in all cases	32%	56%	14%	26%	66%	36%	12%	38%	30%	26%	40%	28%	42%	32%
Legal/Illegal in some cases	46%	36%	53%	51%	27%	51%	52%	43%	45%	54%	34%	48%	41%	34%
Illegal in all cases	15%	5%	29%	17%	5%	8%	29%	10%	17%	17%	16%	14%	12%	33%
Not sure	7%	4%	5%	6%	2%	5%	7%	9%	7%	3%	10%	9%	4%	1%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (293)	100% (261)	100% (341)	100% (340)	100% (221)	100% (257)	100% (350)	100% (170)	100% (360)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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34. Gay marriage

Do you favor or oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Strongly favor	30%	44%	34%	23%	13%	30%	25%	31%	28%	32%	23%	33%	39%
Somewhat favor	12%	10%	11%	14%	14%	12%	14%	14%	10%	15%	12%	12%	12%
Somewhat oppose	11%	6%	14%	13%	8%	10%	13%	13%	13%	9%	9%	12%	15%
Strongly oppose	36%	29%	30%	39%	55%	39%	31%	25%	40%	32%	45%	31%	27%
Not sure	11%	10%	11%	12%	10%	9%	17%	18%	9%	12%	11%	12%	8%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (213)	100% (219)	100% (429)	100% (137)	100% (799)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (559)	100% (349)	100% (362)	100% (287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly favor	30%	50%	5%	26%	69%	35%	4%	35%	28%	25%	35%	25%	34%	38%
Somewhat favor	12%	14%	9%	13%	10%	18%	9%	18%	10%	11%	12%	12%	13%	9%
Somewhat oppose	11%	8%	14%	16%	9%	7%	17%	11%	8%	13%	11%	12%	9%	9%
Strongly oppose	36%	18%	66%	33%	7%	28%	62%	23%	47%	39%	31%	38%	34%	38%
Not sure	11%	10%	6%	12%	5%	12%	8%	13%	8%	12%	11%	13%	10%	6%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (356)	100% (270)	100% (293)	100% (262)	100% (341)	100% (339)	100% (221)	100% (257)	100% (350)	100% (170)	100% (360)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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35. Authority to set same-sex marriage policies

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

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
States should be permitted	45%	42%	41%	47%	57%	48%	43%	36%	48%	43%	42%	47%	49%
Should only be handled by federal government	33%	36%	38%	31%	26%	35%	30%	29%	36%	31%	35%	30%	36%
Not sure	21%	22%	21%	22%	17%	18%	27%	36%	16%	26%	23%	22%	16%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (995)	100% (210)	100% (218)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (797)	100% (110)	100% (88)	100% (437)	100% (558)	100% (347)	100% (362)	100% (286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
States should be permitted	45%	37%	62%	50%	33%	49%	60%	44%	41%	51%	43%	42%	51%	46%
Should only be handled by federal government	33%	47%	22%	28%	54%	31%	22%	33%	38%	30%	34%	33%	36%	43%
Not sure	21%	16%	16%	22%	12%	20%	17%	23%	20%	19%	23%	25%	13%	11%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (995)	100% (356)	100% (269)	100% (292)	100% (261)	100% (340)	100% (338)	100% (220)	100% (257)	100% (348)	100% (170)	100% (358)	100% (348)	100% (102)

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36. Marijuana legalization

Do you think the use of marijuana should be legalized?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Yes	48%	53%	48%	51%	31%	48%	43%	55%	51%	45%	46%	51%	46%
No	36%	29%	35%	35%	57%	38%	34%	31%	37%	36%	38%	33%	39%
Not sure	16%	17%	18%	14%	12%	14%	23%	14%	12%	19%	16%	16%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(214)	(218)	(429)	(138)	(800)	(110)	(89)	(438)	(561)	(349)	(364)	(286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	48%	65%	25%	47%	80%	52%	30%	50%	49%	43%	53%	48%	54%	46%
No	36%	23%	64%	34%	14%	28%	57%	32%	40%	42%	28%	37%	30%	36%
Not sure	16%	12%	11%	19%	6%	21%	13%	18%	12%	15%	19%	15%	16%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(356)	(271)	(293)	(262)	(340)	(340)	(221)	(257)	(351)	(170)	(361)	(349)	(102)

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37. Authority to set marijuana policies

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

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
States should be permitted	51%	49%	51%	53%	54%	54%	45%	45%	55%	48%	48%	54%	54%
Should only be handled by federal government	33%	31%	35%	31%	37%	33%	29%	39%	32%	34%	34%	31%	35%
Not sure	16%	20%	14%	16%	9%	13%	25%	16%	12%	19%	19%	14%	12%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (212)	100% (219)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (799)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (438)	100% (560)	100% (349)	100% (362)	100% (287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
States should be permitted	51%	52%	55%	57%	53%	54%	57%	50%	49%	50%	57%	50%	54%	53%
Should only be handled by federal government	33%	36%	34%	27%	39%	31%	29%	29%	36%	36%	28%	34%	33%	39%
Not sure	16%	12%	11%	16%	8%	14%	14%	21%	15%	14%	14%	16%	13%	9%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (293)	100% (261)	100% (341)	100% (340)	100% (221)	100% (257)	100% (350)	100% (170)	100% (360)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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38. Respondents have a somewhat or very favorable opinion of these individuals

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following people?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Barack Obama	48%	51%	55%	46%	36%	41%	80%	56%	50%	47%	41%	52%	56%
John Boehner	21%	13%	15%	22%	44%	23%	13%	15%	22%	19%	21%	20%	21%
Mitch McConnell	18%	10%	14%	22%	31%	19%	15%	18%	19%	17%	17%	18%	20%
Harry Reid	20%	21%	19%	21%	21%	17%	32%	25%	22%	18%	15%	21%	29%
Nancy Pelosi	27%	27%	28%	26%	24%	21%	46%	36%	27%	26%	18%	30%	38%
Joe Biden	42%	44%	41%	43%	39%	35%	72%	48%	42%	42%	33%	47%	50%
Hillary Clinton	52%	48%	57%	50%	49%	47%	72%	56%	51%	52%	44%	55%	61%
John Kerry	36%	31%	34%	39%	41%	34%	46%	37%	36%	37%	27%	39%	49%
Totals	(994)	(208)	(219)	(429)	(138)	(796)	(109)	(89)	(436)	(558)	(349)	(359)	(286)

	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%	88%	11%	42%	87%	64%	17%	59%	43%	45%	51%	49%	54%	49%
John Boehner	21%	9%	48%	16%	4%	19%	38%	16%	21%	25%	18%	18%	22%	28%
Mitch McConnell	18%	12%	36%	14%	5%	13%	34%	17%	15%	19%	20%	16%	18%	25%
Harry Reid	20%	39%	11%	12%	37%	25%	10%	30%	18%	16%	21%	16%	25%	29%
Nancy Pelosi	27%	56%	5%	20%	57%	32%	7%	33%	20%	26%	29%	25%	30%	37%
Joe Biden	42%	81%	10%	36%	76%	58%	13%	51%	38%	41%	40%	41%	47%	47%
Hillary Clinton	52%	86%	21%	49%	88%	63%	28%	55%	45%	52%	55%	52%	57%	53%
John Kerry	36%	68%	14%	33%	68%	48%	14%	43%	33%	35%	36%	32%	44%	46%
Totals	(994)	(355)	(270)	(292)	(260)	(340)	(339)	(219)	(257)	(349)	(169)	(358)	(347)	(102)

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39. Respondents have a somewhat or very unfavorable opinion of these individuals

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following people?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Barack Obama	43%	37%	32%	50%	64%	51%	12%	33%	44%	42%	47%	42%	38%
John Boehner	48%	53%	45%	50%	39%	50%	45%	41%	56%	40%	39%	54%	56%
Mitch McConnell	37%	38%	33%	39%	40%	38%	37%	31%	45%	29%	28%	41%	49%
Harry Reid	42%	38%	32%	46%	62%	49%	20%	27%	50%	35%	39%	43%	46%
Nancy Pelosi	50%	42%	40%	56%	69%	57%	27%	32%	55%	44%	49%	50%	50%
Joe Biden	41%	33%	36%	44%	61%	49%	13%	27%	46%	37%	43%	40%	41%
Hillary Clinton	37%	31%	28%	43%	51%	43%	12%	27%	41%	33%	39%	36%	33%
John Kerry	41%	37%	36%	43%	52%	45%	28%	27%	47%	34%	40%	42%	39%
Totals	(994)	(208)	(219)	(429)	(138)	(796)	(109)	(89)	(436)	(558)	(349)	(359)	(286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Barack Obama	43%	11%	85%	49%	9%	31%	83%	29%	48%	48%	42%	41%	41%	44%
John Boehner	48%	62%	32%	56%	65%	51%	45%	48%	50%	44%	51%	44%	52%	50%
Mitch McConnell	37%	48%	29%	41%	50%	44%	31%	34%	41%	36%	38%	32%	39%	48%
Harry Reid	42%	20%	67%	52%	23%	38%	67%	25%	45%	48%	43%	37%	44%	49%
Nancy Pelosi	50%	24%	81%	59%	21%	48%	80%	32%	53%	55%	51%	46%	51%	54%
Joe Biden	41%	11%	81%	48%	10%	31%	79%	29%	42%	46%	44%	38%	40%	47%
Hillary Clinton	37%	9%	74%	41%	7%	28%	70%	30%	39%	40%	34%	34%	36%	41%
John Kerry	41%	16%	73%	44%	12%	35%	72%	30%	45%	44%	38%	39%	38%	45%
Totals	(994)	(355)	(270)	(292)	(260)	(340)	(339)	(219)	(257)	(349)	(169)	(358)	(347)	(102)

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40. 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	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Strongly Approve	21%	20%	20%	22%	22%	15%	49%	25%	19%	23%	21%	19%	24%
Somewhat Approve	25%	30%	34%	19%	13%	22%	31%	36%	27%	23%	18%	31%	29%
Somewhat Disapprove	11%	14%	8%	13%	8%	12%	6%	12%	12%	11%	11%	11%	11%
Strongly Disapprove	35%	24%	27%	43%	55%	44%	7%	16%	37%	34%	40%	32%	31%
Not Sure	8%	12%	10%	5%	3%	7%	7%	11%	6%	10%	10%	7%	6%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (214)	100% (219)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (801)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (561)	100% (349)	100% (364)	100% (287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly Approve	21%	50%	4%	11%	44%	26%	4%	31%	15%	21%	17%	21%	22%	25%
Somewhat Approve	25%	39%	4%	27%	41%	35%	9%	28%	24%	22%	28%	26%	28%	23%
Somewhat Disapprove	11%	3%	17%	15%	6%	15%	12%	6%	13%	10%	16%	12%	12%	7%
Strongly Disapprove	35%	6%	73%	39%	5%	19%	74%	23%	38%	41%	33%	32%	35%	41%
Not Sure	8%	2%	3%	8%	4%	4%	1%	13%	10%	5%	6%	10%	3%	5%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (294)	100% (262)	100% (341)	100% (340)	100% (222)	100% (257)	100% (351)	100% (170)	100% (361)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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41. Obama approval on issues

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling these specific issues?

	Total	Age					Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate	
The economy	37%	38%	44%	35%	27%	31%	58%	53%	37%	37%	29%	41%	47%	
Immigration	39%	40%	42%	38%	34%	32%	65%	50%	41%	37%	33%	39%	51%	
The environment	40%	34%	46%	40%	40%	33%	68%	49%	41%	40%	35%	41%	51%	
Terrorism	45%	41%	46%	49%	37%	38%	70%	56%	46%	44%	35%	50%	55%	
Gay rights	36%	38%	38%	36%	28%	33%	50%	39%	34%	38%	27%	39%	49%	
Education	42%	34%	46%	44%	40%	35%	66%	52%	40%	44%	36%	41%	55%	
Health care	43%	45%	49%	39%	32%	34%	73%	57%	44%	42%	33%	46%	55%	
Social security	37%	30%	46%	37%	30%	29%	65%	52%	39%	35%	33%	38%	46%	
The war in Afghanistan	43%	45%	43%	45%	37%	38%	63%	50%	44%	43%	36%	46%	54%	
The budget deficit	33%	31%	39%	31%	27%	26%	61%	42%	33%	33%	28%	33%	42%	
Taxes	38%	39%	44%	35%	30%	32%	63%	47%	38%	38%	32%	39%	50%	
Medicare	38%	33%	45%	38%	30%	31%	65%	46%	37%	38%	30%	40%	50%	
Abortion	34%	34%	39%	31%	31%	28%	55%	47%	35%	34%	31%	34%	42%	
Totals	(993)	(208)	(219)	(429)	(137)	(796)	(108)	(89)	(437)	(556)	(348)	(359)	(286)	

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The economy	37%	70%	9%	31%	69%	51%	12%	50%	35%	31%	40%	38%	40%	39%
Immigration	39%	70%	12%	34%	66%	55%	15%	53%	35%	35%	38%	37%	44%	42%
The environment	40%	70%	15%	37%	66%	53%	21%	52%	33%	37%	43%	42%	43%	41%
Terrorism	45%	74%	25%	41%	65%	61%	27%	52%	35%	46%	46%	42%	53%	41%
Gay rights	36%	70%	12%	28%	70%	48%	12%	48%	30%	33%	38%	30%	43%	42%
Education	42%	72%	20%	35%	65%	56%	22%	53%	36%	40%	41%	45%	43%	47%
Health care	43%	79%	14%	35%	74%	60%	15%	54%	36%	38%	47%	44%	45%	39%
Social security	37%	71%	14%	30%	62%	53%	15%	54%	30%	32%	39%	38%	39%	39%
The war in Afghanistan	43%	70%	26%	37%	64%	59%	25%	50%	41%	44%	39%	44%	47%	41%
The budget deficit	33%	65%	5%	28%	60%	44%	11%	47%	29%	28%	34%	35%	34%	34%
Taxes	38%	75%	8%	34%	67%	53%	14%	53%	35%	32%	39%	40%	40%	39%
Medicare	38%	72%	10%	32%	69%	51%	12%	50%	31%	35%	40%	39%	40%	38%
Abortion	34%	66%	9%	28%	62%	48%	11%	50%	31%	29%	33%	33%	39%	39%
Totals	(993)	(354)	(270)	(291)	(261)	(339)	(338)	(218)	(257)	(349)	(169)	(357)	(347)	(102)

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42. 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	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Strongly approve	2%	3%	4%	1%	1%	2%	4%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%
Somewhat approve	9%	11%	9%	7%	5%	6%	18%	15%	9%	8%	7%	11%	7%
Neither approve nor disapprove	14%	13%	19%	13%	10%	14%	15%	15%	12%	17%	15%	14%	15%
Somewhat disapprove	24%	26%	25%	24%	22%	26%	18%	22%	27%	22%	23%	25%	26%
Strongly disapprove	40%	29%	32%	48%	59%	45%	29%	28%	44%	36%	38%	41%	44%
Not sure	10%	18%	11%	7%	3%	8%	15%	16%	7%	13%	14%	7%	7%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (212)	100% (219)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (799)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (559)	100% (348)	100% (363)	100% (287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	2%	4%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%
Somewhat approve	9%	11%	10%	8%	10%	11%	8%	5%	9%	10%	9%	10%	10%	2%
Neither approve nor disapprove	14%	17%	14%	11%	11%	15%	12%	17%	14%	16%	9%	15%	11%	17%
Somewhat disapprove	24%	23%	27%	26%	19%	26%	32%	20%	26%	26%	24%	28%	24%	22%
Strongly disapprove	40%	39%	41%	49%	51%	38%	42%	36%	43%	37%	46%	32%	45%	55%
Not sure	10%	7%	6%	5%	7%	8%	4%	20%	7%	9%	9%	11%	8%	2%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (355)	100% (270)	100% (294)	100% (260)	100% (341)	100% (340)	100% (221)	100% (256)	100% (351)	100% (170)	100% (360)	100% (348)	100% (102)

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43. Respondent's ideology

In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Very liberal	8%	14%	8%	6%	2%	7%	7%	16%	8%	8%	3%	11%	12%
Liberal	14%	18%	15%	12%	10%	14%	12%	15%	13%	15%	14%	12%	17%
Moderate	32%	28%	33%	32%	32%	27%	54%	34%	33%	31%	30%	35%	28%
Conservative	27%	15%	20%	36%	44%	32%	13%	17%	30%	25%	27%	27%	29%
Very Conservative	8%	8%	6%	9%	10%	10%	2%	3%	8%	8%	9%	7%	8%
Not sure	11%	17%	18%	5%	1%	10%	12%	16%	8%	14%	16%	8%	6%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (214)	100% (219)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (801)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (561)	100% (349)	100% (364)	100% (287)

	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%	17%	0%	7%	36%	0%	0%	11%	6%	7%	10%	8%	10%	13%
Liberal	14%	31%	1%	9%	64%	0%	0%	16%	12%	12%	19%	12%	18%	11%
Moderate	32%	37%	17%	45%	0%	100%	0%	31%	31%	34%	29%	34%	32%	20%
Conservative	27%	10%	60%	26%	0%	0%	78%	21%	29%	31%	25%	23%	29%	39%
Very Conservative	8%	2%	19%	6%	0%	0%	22%	5%	7%	7%	12%	8%	7%	7%
Not sure	11%	2%	3%	7%	0%	0%	0%	17%	16%	8%	7%	15%	4%	11%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (294)	100% (262)	100% (341)	100% (340)	100% (222)	100% (257)	100% (351)	100% (170)	100% (361)	100% (349)	100% (102)

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44. Perceived Obama ideology

Would you say Barack Obama is...

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Very liberal	33%	22%	25%	39%	55%	41%	3%	16%	34%	32%	34%	32%	32%
Liberal	23%	29%	23%	20%	16%	20%	30%	29%	25%	20%	18%	26%	27%
Moderate	21%	22%	25%	20%	14%	18%	22%	35%	21%	21%	17%	20%	30%
Conservative	5%	3%	8%	6%	2%	3%	15%	5%	4%	6%	5%	6%	4%
Very conservative	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	0%	9%	0%	1%	2%	2%	1%	0%
Not sure	17%	24%	18%	13%	12%	17%	21%	15%	15%	19%	24%	14%	8%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (213)	100% (219)	100% (428)	100% (138)	100% (799)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (559)	100% (349)	100% (363)	100% (286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	33%	5%	72%	37%	8%	15%	74%	20%	32%	37%	37%	27%	34%	46%
Liberal	23%	38%	13%	20%	44%	33%	7%	25%	19%	21%	28%	19%	30%	19%
Moderate	21%	36%	6%	21%	36%	29%	7%	27%	20%	19%	19%	24%	17%	21%
Conservative	5%	8%	3%	5%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%	7%	5%	3%
Very conservative	1%	4%	0%	0%	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	0%
Not sure	17%	9%	7%	17%	7%	15%	4%	22%	23%	15%	10%	20%	12%	11%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (355)	100% (271)	100% (293)	100% (261)	100% (341)	100% (339)	100% (222)	100% (256)	100% (351)	100% (169)	100% (360)	100% (348)	100% (102)

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45. Obama's sincerity

Do you think Barack Obama...

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Says what he believes	43%	44%	50%	41%	29%	34%	78%	53%	45%	41%	39%	43%	49%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	46%	41%	38%	49%	66%	55%	15%	30%	47%	45%	52%	43%	40%
Not sure	11%	15%	13%	10%	5%	11%	7%	17%	9%	14%	9%	15%	11%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (992)	100% (210)	100% (218)	100% (426)	100% (138)	100% (794)	100% (109)	100% (89)	100% (436)	100% (556)	100% (347)	100% (360)	100% (285)

	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	43%	76%	13%	36%	74%	50%	18%	54%	35%	43%	40%	42%	44%	43%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	46%	18%	78%	52%	19%	39%	74%	30%	52%	50%	46%	45%	46%	45%
Not sure	11%	7%	8%	12%	7%	10%	8%	17%	12%	7%	14%	13%	9%	12%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (992)	100% (354)	100% (270)	100% (291)	100% (259)	100% (339)	100% (339)	100% (221)	100% (256)	100% (346)	100% (169)	100% (358)	100% (348)	100% (100)

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46. Obama's likeability

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

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Like a lot	32%	37%	34%	30%	26%	25%	64%	38%	30%	34%	27%	35%	38%
Like somewhat	28%	24%	34%	27%	23%	27%	25%	35%	30%	26%	29%	28%	26%
Dislike	28%	21%	22%	32%	44%	36%	6%	9%	28%	28%	31%	26%	26%
Not sure	11%	17%	10%	10%	7%	12%	5%	18%	12%	11%	12%	11%	10%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (996)	100% (211)	100% (218)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (798)	100% (109)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (557)	100% (348)	100% (361)	100% (287)

	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	32%	69%	4%	24%	70%	40%	5%	48%	26%	29%	32%	29%	36%	33%
Like somewhat	28%	25%	27%	31%	23%	35%	27%	24%	29%	31%	26%	33%	27%	26%
Dislike	28%	3%	56%	32%	5%	16%	57%	18%	30%	33%	26%	25%	27%	35%
Not sure	11%	3%	13%	13%	2%	9%	12%	11%	14%	8%	16%	13%	9%	6%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (996)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (291)	100% (262)	100% (339)	100% (340)	100% (221)	100% (257)	100% (348)	100% (170)	100% (359)	100% (349)	100% (101)

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47. Words that describe Obama

Which of these words would you use to describe Barack Obama?

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Arrogant	33%	21%	27%	39%	55%	42%	9%	13%	36%	30%	34%	33%	33%
Bold	32%	34%	39%	26%	27%	29%	53%	27%	30%	34%	30%	35%	30%
Effective	26%	22%	33%	24%	22%	19%	54%	35%	27%	25%	24%	28%	26%
Exciting	19%	17%	26%	16%	14%	12%	52%	23%	20%	18%	18%	21%	18%
Experienced	23%	20%	33%	21%	15%	16%	52%	31%	25%	22%	23%	24%	23%
Honest	32%	31%	40%	30%	20%	23%	63%	49%	33%	31%	28%	34%	37%
Hypocritical	31%	19%	24%	41%	46%	40%	6%	11%	35%	28%	33%	30%	31%
Inspiring	36%	42%	41%	35%	22%	30%	69%	37%	37%	36%	28%	39%	48%
Intelligent	56%	58%	61%	54%	50%	53%	72%	58%	60%	53%	45%	62%	68%
Partisan	24%	12%	21%	32%	33%	27%	14%	19%	32%	16%	21%	22%	33%
Patriotic	29%	28%	31%	30%	20%	23%	47%	39%	29%	28%	25%	30%	33%
Religious	14%	11%	17%	14%	13%	11%	29%	13%	13%	15%	13%	15%	13%
Sincere	34%	35%	39%	35%	20%	26%	68%	44%	35%	33%	29%	38%	38%
Steady	24%	17%	32%	23%	23%	20%	47%	26%	24%	25%	21%	24%	30%
Strong	31%	29%	36%	31%	24%	25%	56%	38%	29%	33%	28%	35%	32%
Totals	(1,000)	(214)	(219)	(429)	(138)	(801)	(110)	(89)	(439)	(561)	(349)	(364)	(287)

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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+
Arrogant	33%	5%	72%	36%	5%	23%	67%	20%	35%	37%	36%	28%	36%	38%
Bold	32%	45%	20%	32%	45%	36%	23%	31%	27%	37%	28%	30%	38%	25%
Effective	26%	46%	7%	22%	39%	32%	12%	35%	22%	25%	23%	28%	28%	20%
Exciting	19%	38%	3%	16%	31%	26%	5%	27%	14%	19%	18%	17%	22%	17%
Experienced	23%	44%	7%	20%	32%	30%	13%	25%	19%	26%	22%	26%	24%	19%
Honest	32%	65%	5%	23%	60%	40%	9%	45%	25%	30%	32%	32%	30%	33%
Hypocritical	31%	5%	64%	36%	5%	20%	64%	20%	35%	34%	34%	29%	31%	35%
Inspiring	36%	65%	11%	34%	66%	47%	13%	44%	33%	35%	37%	36%	39%	42%
Intelligent	56%	79%	34%	61%	83%	67%	40%	57%	53%	57%	58%	54%	63%	65%
Partisan	24%	13%	43%	26%	11%	21%	41%	17%	22%	27%	27%	14%	33%	32%
Patriotic	29%	57%	5%	22%	54%	36%	8%	39%	23%	27%	28%	27%	32%	27%
Religious	14%	26%	4%	10%	22%	15%	8%	20%	13%	15%	8%	16%	13%	11%
Sincere	34%	65%	6%	28%	63%	45%	9%	40%	30%	35%	32%	35%	32%	33%
Steady	24%	53%	1%	21%	44%	32%	7%	30%	20%	24%	25%	25%	25%	26%
Strong	31%	56%	8%	28%	54%	35%	15%	36%	26%	33%	28%	32%	34%	29%
Totals	(1,000)	(356)	(271)	(294)	(262)	(341)	(340)	(222)	(257)	(351)	(170)	(361)	(349)	(102)

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48. Trend of economy

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

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Getting better	24%	25%	22%	24%	23%	23%	34%	16%	26%	21%	16%	25%	37%
About the same	33%	36%	38%	27%	35%	30%	44%	40%	29%	37%	35%	33%	32%
Getting worse	35%	24%	33%	41%	40%	40%	11%	31%	36%	34%	39%	34%	27%
Not sure	8%	14%	7%	7%	2%	7%	12%	13%	9%	8%	11%	8%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(995)	(212)	(219)	(427)	(137)	(798)	(108)	(89)	(435)	(560)	(347)	(361)	(287)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Getting better	24%	45%	8%	22%	50%	30%	6%	30%	19%	22%	25%	18%	30%	31%
About the same	33%	39%	32%	31%	27%	46%	27%	29%	37%	36%	28%	39%	30%	33%
Getting worse	35%	13%	56%	40%	15%	20%	62%	28%	37%	35%	38%	34%	33%	36%
Not sure	8%	3%	5%	8%	8%	3%	5%	12%	7%	7%	8%	8%	7%	0%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(995)	(354)	(269)	(293)	(261)	(339)	(338)	(220)	(256)	(349)	(170)	(360)	(348)	(101)

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49. 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	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Higher	23%	25%	22%	22%	24%	21%	28%	25%	29%	17%	16%	23%	35%
About the same	31%	30%	38%	27%	30%	33%	24%	32%	31%	32%	30%	30%	36%
Lower	23%	18%	20%	30%	18%	24%	20%	17%	24%	22%	25%	24%	16%
Not sure	23%	27%	20%	21%	27%	22%	27%	27%	17%	30%	28%	24%	12%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (213)	100% (218)	100% (429)	100% (138)	100% (799)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (439)	100% (559)	100% (349)	100% (363)	100% (286)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Higher	23%	39%	13%	20%	44%	27%	11%	26%	20%	20%	27%	19%	27%	33%
About the same	31%	33%	36%	28%	29%	32%	33%	33%	36%	31%	26%	29%	36%	33%
Lower	23%	11%	30%	33%	10%	20%	37%	16%	23%	23%	27%	25%	20%	28%
Not sure	23%	17%	21%	19%	18%	21%	19%	25%	21%	26%	19%	27%	18%	6%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (292)	100% (261)	100% (340)	100% (340)	100% (222)	100% (256)	100% (350)	100% (170)	100% (361)	100% (348)	100% (101)

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50. Change in personal finances over past year

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

	Total	Age				Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or less	Some college	College graduate
Better off financially than you were a year ago	17%	24%	18%	14%	12%	16%	26%	17%	19%	16%	12%	19%	25%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	47%	48%	49%	43%	47%	44%	57%	48%	45%	48%	49%	41%	52%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	32%	20%	28%	39%	41%	36%	10%	29%	31%	32%	32%	36%	22%
Not sure	4%	8%	4%	4%	0%	4%	7%	6%	4%	5%	7%	4%	1%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (214)	100% (217)	100% (425)	100% (138)	100% (795)	100% (110)	100% (89)	100% (435)	100% (559)	100% (348)	100% (363)	100% (283)

	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	17%	27%	9%	17%	31%	18%	9%	18%	13%	18%	21%	14%	19%	24%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	47%	55%	44%	44%	51%	49%	45%	50%	46%	49%	41%	46%	49%	48%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	32%	17%	45%	36%	17%	29%	45%	24%	37%	31%	34%	35%	31%	28%
Not sure	4%	1%	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	7%	5%	3%	5%	6%	1%	0%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (355)	100% (269)	100% (292)	100% (260)	100% (338)	100% (339)	100% (221)	100% (256)	100% (347)	100% (170)	100% (360)	100% (349)	100% (101)

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Fieldwork	YouGov
Interviewing Dates	February 2-4, 2013
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by age, gender, race, education, and region) was selected from the 2010 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2010 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement. Religion, political interest, minor party identification, and non-placement on an ideology scale, were imputed from the 2008 Pew Religion in American Life Survey.
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 4.8, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.95.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 4.3% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	34 questions not reported.