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1. Importance of moon landing

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

	Age			Race			Gender		Education			
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Definitely worth it	43.6%	39.5%	45.4%	43.9%	45.6%	28.6%	43.3%	50.5%	37.4%	32.1%	50.6%	57.3%
Probably worth it	33.2%	36.6%	31.1%	34.9%	33.4%	34.0%	30.5%	31.3%	34.9%	38.7%	30.1%	26.2%
Probably not worth it	15.8%	16.0%	15.9%	15.5%	14.5%	23.7%	17.9%	12.0%	19.3%	19.7%	13.7%	10.9%
Definitely not worth it	7.4%	7.9%	7.7%	5.6%	6.4%	13.7%	8.2%	6.2%	8.5%	9.5%	5.6%	5.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (791)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (250)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Definitely worth it	43.6%	37.6%	50.7%	46.7%	47.4%	42.1%	51.4%	39.9%	38.3%	41.5%	54.7%	37.0%	46.4%	60.6%
Probably worth it	33.2%	32.7%	30.3%	35.2%	27.0%	34.1%	31.3%	32.6%	35.0%	33.9%	30.8%	35.6%	33.0%	22.3%
Probably not worth it	15.8%	20.0%	11.7%	11.3%	16.3%	14.6%	11.2%	18.6%	19.1%	15.3%	11.2%	18.4%	14.1%	12.6%
Definitely not worth it	7.4%	9.7%	7.3%	6.8%	9.3%	9.3%	6.0%	8.8%	7.6%	9.3%	3.3%	9.0%	6.5%	4.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (389)	100.0% (393)	100.0% (139)

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2. Rating of NASA's performance

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Excellent	19.9%	15.9%	20.4%	24.5%	18.6%	20.6%	30.4%	21.2%	18.7%	19.2%	19.7%	21.6%
Good	51.6%	49.3%	51.6%	55.1%	54.2%	39.9%	42.9%	48.4%	54.4%	50.8%	52.0%	52.6%
Fair	24.1%	30.3%	23.2%	17.1%	22.8%	33.4%	23.8%	25.5%	22.8%	25.4%	23.4%	22.2%
Poor	4.5%	4.5%	4.8%	3.3%	4.4%	6.2%	2.9%	4.9%	4.1%	4.6%	4.9%	3.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (638)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (398)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (250)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Excellent	19.9%	16.1%	28.3%	18.7%	17.6%	18.6%	26.2%	18.4%	18.1%	23.9%	17.1%	19.8%	18.9%	20.9%
Good	51.6%	54.3%	47.5%	54.3%	52.3%	53.3%	50.9%	45.8%	47.0%	53.2%	58.5%	55.3%	51.7%	45.6%
Fair	24.1%	25.8%	18.9%	21.3%	27.9%	22.0%	18.4%	29.9%	28.8%	19.0%	21.9%	21.3%	24.1%	31.4%
Poor	4.5%	3.8%	5.3%	5.7%	2.1%	6.0%	4.5%	5.9%	6.1%	3.9%	2.5%	3.6%	5.4%	2.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (389)	100.0% (392)	100.0% (139)

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3. Space exploration goals favored by respondent

Given the costs and risks involved in space exploration, would you **favor** or oppose:

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The United States sending astronauts to explore Mars?	56.2%	63.7%	54.4%	50.4%	58.4%	45.5%	50.5%	66.7%	46.9%	48.3%	64.6%	61.3%
The United States sending astronauts back to explore the moon?	49.3%	55.2%	48.7%	41.6%	50.3%	45.1%	45.6%	55.9%	43.4%	41.7%	57.5%	53.7%
The United States continuing the space shuttle program?	59.9%	59.1%	60.5%	59.3%	61.9%	49.2%	55.5%	63.6%	56.6%	53.9%	65.8%	64.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The United States sending astronauts to explore Mars?	56.2%	52.5%	64.0%	57.8%	66.3%	56.5%	60.9%	54.8%	50.3%	54.8%	65.6%	51.9%	61.0%	64.6%
The United States sending astronauts back to explore the moon?	49.3%	41.8%	58.1%	52.8%	48.3%	50.2%	57.8%	49.7%	45.5%	47.8%	55.0%	46.9%	52.7%	52.6%
The United States continuing the space shuttle program?	59.9%	51.7%	71.0%	62.9%	57.4%	56.5%	72.5%	57.6%	56.7%	56.7%	69.6%	58.0%	62.1%	63.7%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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4. Level of spending on space program

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Too much	28.5%	24.7%	31.0%	26.3%	27.6%	31.0%	33.4%	22.5%	33.9%	34.1%	21.6%	26.3%
About the right amount	34.2%	34.0%	33.1%	38.4%	34.7%	33.2%	31.3%	38.0%	30.8%	32.9%	36.9%	33.2%
Too little	19.1%	16.3%	20.7%	18.1%	21.3%	5.1%	16.2%	26.7%	12.3%	12.1%	24.3%	26.3%
Not sure	18.2%	25.1%	15.2%	17.2%	16.4%	30.8%	19.0%	12.8%	23.1%	20.9%	17.2%	14.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (791)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (398)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Too much	28.5%	37.0%	22.2%	24.6%	31.1%	30.8%	22.1%	30.4%	34.1%	27.5%	22.5%	29.4%	28.1%	25.2%
About the right amount	34.2%	28.4%	39.2%	37.7%	33.9%	29.5%	41.5%	29.6%	31.7%	35.0%	39.1%	33.2%	37.2%	37.7%
Too little	19.1%	14.9%	28.2%	20.6%	17.0%	23.0%	24.8%	17.5%	15.7%	21.1%	20.9%	18.8%	17.6%	25.2%
Not sure	18.2%	19.7%	10.5%	17.0%	18.1%	16.7%	11.6%	22.6%	18.5%	16.3%	17.4%	18.6%	17.1%	11.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (388)	100.0% (393)	100.0% (139)

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5. Awareness of Obama's space exploration plan

How much have you heard or read about President Barack Obama's plans for future American space exploration?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
A lot	15.7%	6.9%	17.7%	23.1%	15.4%	16.7%	17.1%	19.2%	12.6%	10.3%	18.4%	23.0%
A little	50.5%	45.3%	51.5%	55.4%	52.2%	37.1%	51.8%	53.3%	47.9%	46.4%	50.6%	58.6%
Nothing at all	33.8%	47.8%	30.8%	21.5%	32.4%	46.2%	31.1%	27.4%	39.5%	43.3%	31.1%	18.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (792)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (520)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
A lot	15.7%	12.5%	21.0%	18.4%	18.5%	13.2%	24.8%	9.3%	18.2%	19.4%	12.8%	14.4%	16.2%	20.5%
A little	50.5%	54.0%	45.6%	53.9%	60.1%	54.1%	53.0%	50.5%	51.8%	49.4%	50.6%	45.5%	54.3%	59.2%
Nothing at all	33.8%	33.4%	33.3%	27.8%	21.4%	32.7%	22.3%	40.2%	30.0%	31.2%	36.7%	40.1%	29.5%	20.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (389)	100.0% (394)	100.0% (139)

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6. Approval of Obama's space exploration plan

Do you approve or disapprove of Barack Obama's plans for space exploration? (Asked of respondents who know at least a little about Barack Obama's space plans)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	8.2%	6.8%	10.3%	3.8%	6.8%	20.1%	9.8%	9.7%	6.7%	8.0%	8.0%	8.9%
Somewhat approve	22.8%	32.3%	23.0%	12.1%	22.2%	35.6%	15.9%	25.3%	20.1%	17.6%	24.0%	28.6%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	27.0%	33.1%	25.7%	24.6%	25.2%	29.4%	40.2%	21.7%	32.6%	35.8%	24.6%	17.4%
Somewhat disapprove	21.1%	18.1%	20.8%	25.2%	23.2%	9.7%	13.4%	21.3%	20.9%	20.6%	20.9%	22.1%
Strongly disapprove	20.9%	9.6%	20.2%	34.3%	22.6%	5.3%	20.7%	21.9%	19.8%	18.0%	22.5%	23.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (702)	100.0% (112)	100.0% (473)	100.0% (117)	100.0% (567)	100.0% (77)	100.0% (58)	100.0% (374)	100.0% (328)	100.0% (251)	100.0% (243)	100.0% (208)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	8.2%	16.2%	3.4%	5.0%	18.6%	8.7%	2.4%	5.8%	8.8%	8.0%	9.7%	10.1%	7.7%	6.0%
Somewhat approve	22.8%	33.6%	8.6%	22.8%	38.1%	28.2%	8.8%	26.1%	21.1%	20.3%	26.2%	19.6%	22.8%	27.8%
Neither approve, nor disapprove	27.0%	31.9%	17.6%	26.2%	24.6%	30.9%	17.9%	33.2%	24.2%	25.4%	28.4%	32.0%	24.9%	21.9%
Somewhat disapprove	21.1%	13.9%	28.4%	20.0%	14.1%	17.0%	30.5%	23.6%	21.8%	20.9%	18.9%	18.6%	22.7%	21.5%
Strongly disapprove	20.9%	4.5%	41.9%	25.9%	4.6%	15.3%	40.4%	11.3%	24.1%	25.4%	16.8%	19.7%	21.9%	22.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (702)	100.0% (258)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (163)	100.0% (238)	100.0% (262)	100.0% (114)	100.0% (189)	100.0% (239)	100.0% (160)	100.0% (244)	100.0% (295)	100.0% (112)

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7. Personal space travel

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Definitely would	31.2%	43.9%	29.8%	15.7%	31.7%	19.6%	40.4%	42.8%	20.8%	24.6%	39.7%	33.1%
Probably would	22.1%	28.5%	19.7%	19.9%	21.7%	26.8%	19.6%	24.5%	20.0%	22.0%	21.3%	23.3%
Probably would not	22.3%	16.8%	24.6%	22.9%	22.9%	19.9%	19.5%	18.5%	25.6%	22.1%	19.4%	26.4%
Definitely would not	24.5%	10.8%	25.9%	41.6%	23.7%	33.7%	20.4%	14.3%	33.6%	31.3%	19.6%	17.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (478)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (399)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (249)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Definitely would	31.2%	26.0%	32.9%	37.2%	32.7%	31.1%	33.6%	29.1%	26.0%	30.2%	39.4%	31.7%	29.9%	40.1%
Probably would	22.1%	22.8%	21.2%	20.9%	20.2%	22.3%	22.5%	24.5%	22.7%	22.5%	19.1%	21.4%	22.6%	18.4%
Probably would not	22.3%	26.1%	21.8%	18.8%	23.5%	22.0%	24.3%	24.1%	22.3%	22.2%	21.0%	21.8%	22.0%	22.9%
Definitely would not	24.5%	25.1%	24.2%	23.1%	23.6%	24.6%	19.6%	22.3%	29.0%	25.2%	20.5%	25.2%	25.5%	18.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (175)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (388)	100.0% (394)	100.0% (139)

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8. Intelligent life in space

Do you personally believe that there is intelligent life somewhere in the universe outside of Earth?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Definitely	34.2%	34.3%	38.4%	19.6%	34.0%	30.3%	40.1%	39.2%	29.7%	31.6%	38.0%	34.3%
Possibly	45.0%	43.4%	43.1%	53.9%	46.1%	46.0%	34.3%	41.8%	47.9%	45.3%	41.1%	49.5%
Probably not	10.7%	10.1%	10.1%	13.9%	10.5%	11.9%	11.5%	9.6%	11.8%	11.0%	9.9%	11.2%
Definitely not	10.1%	12.2%	8.4%	12.5%	9.4%	11.8%	14.0%	9.5%	10.6%	12.0%	11.0%	5.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (791)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (398)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Definitely	34.2%	37.1%	25.0%	39.1%	49.2%	36.0%	26.2%	33.0%	36.3%	28.1%	41.5%	37.5%	32.1%	39.0%
Possibly	45.0%	46.4%	46.1%	41.8%	39.8%	45.6%	46.8%	48.1%	42.7%	46.9%	42.5%	42.5%	45.4%	47.3%
Probably not	10.7%	8.3%	15.0%	9.2%	6.7%	10.1%	13.4%	8.8%	10.5%	13.1%	9.0%	10.9%	9.6%	8.9%
Definitely not	10.1%	8.2%	14.0%	9.9%	4.3%	8.3%	13.5%	10.1%	10.6%	11.9%	7.0%	9.1%	12.9%	4.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (388)	100.0% (394)	100.0% (139)

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9. Satisfaction with own insurance coverage

How satisfied are you with your health insurance coverage? (Asked of respondents with health insurance)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very satisfied	40.8%	34.7%	37.1%	58.5%	41.8%	36.3%	36.2%	40.2%	41.4%	40.9%	40.4%	41.2%
Somewhat satisfied	41.4%	47.6%	42.2%	31.9%	41.8%	46.5%	31.2%	45.1%	38.2%	43.2%	41.7%	38.2%
Somewhat dissatisfied	11.3%	15.6%	12.4%	3.0%	10.3%	10.0%	24.0%	9.4%	12.9%	9.7%	11.0%	14.2%
Very dissatisfied	6.5%	2.0%	8.3%	6.5%	6.2%	7.1%	8.6%	5.2%	7.5%	6.2%	6.9%	6.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (786)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (511)	100.0% (133)	100.0% (646)	100.0% (84)	100.0% (56)	100.0% (376)	100.0% (410)	100.0% (294)	100.0% (271)	100.0% (221)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very satisfied	40.8%	34.4%	50.7%	42.1%	38.2%	34.2%	53.5%	41.8%	44.8%	41.3%	35.2%	34.7%	40.6%	49.6%
Somewhat satisfied	41.4%	46.0%	33.5%	42.1%	38.5%	46.5%	35.9%	42.1%	38.8%	41.7%	43.2%	49.6%	40.5%	32.2%
Somewhat dissatisfied	11.3%	13.1%	9.8%	8.8%	16.0%	12.4%	6.4%	11.7%	10.9%	8.9%	14.5%	10.3%	11.0%	13.8%
Very dissatisfied	6.5%	6.5%	6.0%	7.0%	7.3%	6.9%	4.1%	4.3%	5.4%	8.1%	7.0%	5.4%	8.0%	4.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (786)	100.0% (293)	100.0% (222)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (164)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (281)	100.0% (152)	100.0% (206)	100.0% (246)	100.0% (182)	100.0% (251)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (131)

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10. Favorable rating of religious leaders

Do you have a **favorable** or an unfavorable opinion of the following current or former religious leaders?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Pope Benedict the Sixteenth	26.7%	20.2%	26.1%	39.3%	28.5%	16.0%	24.0%	29.8%	24.0%	24.5%	27.1%	30.8%
The Dalai Lama Archbishop Desmond Tutu	54.6%	51.0%	54.7%	59.8%	56.5%	43.6%	51.0%	59.0%	50.7%	41.4%	61.3%	72.2%
Pope John Paul the Second	37.6%	25.7%	42.6%	39.8%	37.0%	47.2%	31.7%	42.5%	33.3%	29.1%	39.9%	51.8%
Billy Graham	46.4%	40.8%	47.3%	52.1%	48.6%	33.5%	42.4%	49.8%	43.3%	39.6%	48.2%	57.6%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Pope Benedict the Sixteenth	26.7%	22.0%	41.0%	25.4%	12.8%	26.9%	44.3%	26.4%	29.4%	28.5%	21.8%	25.8%	26.8%	27.4%
The Dalai Lama Archbishop Desmond Tutu	54.6%	58.3%	51.1%	61.3%	80.4%	57.4%	53.2%	61.5%	56.5%	48.9%	55.5%	48.2%	56.8%	76.6%
Pope John Paul the Second	37.6%	47.1%	29.7%	42.3%	57.1%	45.9%	30.8%	39.8%	39.5%	36.5%	35.6%	33.5%	38.4%	50.9%
Billy Graham	46.4%	46.9%	57.5%	45.8%	48.0%	48.1%	59.3%	51.4%	47.1%	44.2%	45.0%	41.3%	49.0%	55.1%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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11. Respondents rating the Catholic church's handling of sex abuse problem as excellent

Do you think these groups or individuals have done a good job or a poor job handling charges of sexual abuse of children and teenagers by priests? (Asked of Catholic respondents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Pope Benedict the Sixteenth and the Vatican	8.6% (179)	5.1% (35)	5.9% (116)	20.0% (28)	9.3% (141)	17.9% (10)	2.8% (28)	4.2% (84)	12.2% (95)	11.4% (73)	3.6% (54)	8.5% (52)
United States leaders of the Catholic Church	6.1% (175)	8.6% (34)	2.9% (115)	11.7% (26)	7.0% (137)	6.9% (10)	1.7% (28)	2.5% (81)	8.9% (94)	7.0% (70)	4.7% (54)	5.8% (51)
Your local Bishop	12.5% (177)	12.4% (35)	10.6% (115)	18.0% (27)	15.0% (139)	6.9% (10)	3.4% (28)	8.3% (83)	16.0% (94)	14.3% (72)	4.5% (53)	17.0% (52)
Your parish priests	15.0% (177)	12.4% (35)	15.6% (116)	16.8% (26)	17.9% (139)	6.9% (10)	4.5% (28)	12.8% (83)	16.9% (94)	12.7% (72)	6.2% (53)	27.0% (52)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Pope Benedict the Sixteenth and the Vatican	8.6% (179)	8.8% (66)	16.6% (51)	3.0% (45)	12.4% (35)	2.2% (63)	10.9% (67)	9.0% (54)	8.8% (42)	11.3% (46)	3.3% (37)	11.3% (52)	5.4% (72)	10.2% (35)
United States leaders of the Catholic Church	6.1% (175)	4.8% (66)	12.2% (51)	1.9% (41)	8.2% (35)	2.3% (61)	5.7% (65)	5.4% (54)	5.0% (41)	8.0% (45)	5.3% (35)	7.3% (52)	7.0% (68)	5.3% (35)
Your local Bishop	12.5% (177)	10.4% (66)	21.8% (51)	7.0% (44)	12.7% (35)	6.7% (63)	16.5% (66)	15.6% (54)	10.1% (41)	15.9% (45)	5.0% (37)	13.5% (52)	10.9% (70)	20.5% (35)
Your parish priests	15.0% (177)	9.7% (66)	27.0% (50)	12.5% (44)	10.7% (35)	12.8% (62)	20.9% (66)	15.1% (53)	13.7% (42)	20.9% (45)	7.6% (37)	9.8% (52)	14.4% (71)	34.4% (35)

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12. Respondents rating the Catholic church's handling of sex abuse problem as poor

Do you think these groups or individuals have done a good job or a poor job handling charges of sexual abuse of children and teenagers by priests? (Asked of Catholic respondents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Pope Benedict the Sixteenth and the Vatican	40.1% (179)	30.9% (35)	42.8% (116)	44.0% (28)	38.7% (141)	62.5% (10)	40.6% (28)	41.8% (84)	38.7% (95)	25.1% (73)	62.3% (54)	44.5% (52)
United States leaders of the Catholic Church	44.7% (175)	24.8% (34)	53.4% (115)	44.5% (26)	42.3% (137)	58.3% (10)	51.3% (28)	47.8% (81)	42.1% (94)	28.9% (70)	61.0% (54)	55.2% (51)
Your local Bishop	24.0% (177)	18.0% (35)	20.5% (115)	40.9% (27)	21.3% (139)	22.5% (10)	35.9% (28)	27.1% (83)	21.4% (94)	23.8% (72)	24.9% (53)	23.5% (52)
Your parish priests	20.3% (177)	16.0% (35)	21.7% (116)	22.1% (26)	17.1% (139)	31.9% (10)	31.6% (28)	18.3% (83)	22.1% (94)	16.5% (72)	29.3% (53)	18.5% (52)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Pope Benedict the Sixteenth and the Vatican	40.1% (179)	53.1% (66)	34.5% (51)	44.7% (45)	47.0% (35)	60.2% (63)	30.2% (67)	40.2% (54)	46.5% (42)	28.1% (46)	51.2% (37)	37.5% (52)	48.3% (72)	40.6% (35)
United States leaders of the Catholic Church	44.7% (175)	50.0% (66)	41.7% (51)	61.9% (41)	46.8% (35)	62.3% (61)	42.3% (65)	38.8% (54)	51.7% (41)	36.7% (45)	59.6% (35)	36.9% (52)	51.6% (68)	53.7% (35)
Your local Bishop	24.0% (177)	29.1% (66)	23.2% (51)	30.5% (44)	23.6% (35)	37.4% (63)	19.2% (66)	25.1% (54)	29.9% (41)	19.1% (45)	23.1% (37)	31.4% (52)	24.3% (70)	14.3% (35)
Your parish priests	20.3% (177)	28.5% (66)	17.1% (50)	24.0% (44)	25.5% (35)	35.3% (62)	8.3% (66)	22.8% (53)	20.2% (42)	19.9% (45)	17.0% (37)	35.3% (52)	14.5% (71)	11.9% (35)

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13. Pope Benedict's handling of sex abuse problem

Do you think Pope Benedict has done enough to address the problem of sexual abuse of children and teenagers by priests, or should he have done more? (Asked of Catholic respondents)

	Age			Race			Gender		Education			
	Total	18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Has done too much	1.9%	3.8%	1.7%	0.0%	2.4%	0.0%	0.0%	2.1%	1.7%	2.0%	3.6%	0.0%
Has done enough	19.7%	19.4%	13.3%	36.8%	23.0%	0.0%	9.7%	17.3%	21.6%	24.9%	8.9%	20.9%
Should have done more	64.5%	54.6%	71.9%	56.8%	60.9%	82.1%	76.0%	71.3%	58.9%	53.2%	77.2%	71.7%
Not sure	13.9%	22.1%	13.1%	6.4%	13.6%	17.9%	14.2%	9.3%	17.8%	19.9%	10.3%	7.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (35)	100.0% (116)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (10)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (84)	100.0% (95)	100.0% (73)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (52)

	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Has done too much	1.9%	0.0%	6.4%	0.0%	0.0%	2.9%	2.8%	3.1%	0.0%	3.3%	0.0%	2.8%	0.0%	5.8%
Has done enough	19.7%	14.7%	33.2%	20.6%	5.7%	12.7%	32.5%	18.8%	11.7%	31.4%	11.9%	14.2%	19.6%	23.1%
Should have done more	64.5%	70.9%	58.7%	67.4%	79.0%	75.3%	55.0%	62.9%	68.2%	53.3%	80.4%	58.5%	73.2%	67.7%
Not sure	13.9%	14.4%	1.7%	12.0%	15.3%	9.1%	9.6%	15.2%	20.1%	12.1%	7.6%	24.5%	7.2%	3.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (66)	100.0% (51)	100.0% (45)	100.0% (35)	100.0% (63)	100.0% (67)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (42)	100.0% (46)	100.0% (37)	100.0% (52)	100.0% (72)	100.0% (35)

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14. Pope John Paul's handling of sex abuse problem

Do you think the last Pope, Pope John Paul the Second, did enough to address the problem of sexual abuse of children and teenagers by priests, or should he have done more? (Asked of Catholic respondents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Did too much	1.4%	0.0%	2.5%	0.0%	1.2%	0.0%	2.4%	0.9%	1.7%	0.0%	3.6%	1.5%
Did enough	21.9%	34.5%	18.4%	16.0%	22.3%	0.0%	25.8%	20.2%	23.3%	26.8%	15.1%	20.1%
Should have done more	58.3%	45.1%	61.9%	64.4%	58.3%	69.4%	55.3%	71.3%	47.5%	46.5%	63.9%	72.7%
Not sure	18.5%	20.4%	17.2%	19.7%	18.2%	30.6%	16.5%	7.6%	27.5%	26.7%	17.4%	5.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (35)	100.0% (116)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (10)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (84)	100.0% (95)	100.0% (73)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (52)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Did too much	1.4%	0.0%	3.2%	1.8%	0.0%	4.2%	0.0%	3.1%	0.0%	1.5%	0.0%	2.8%	1.1%	0.0%
Did enough	21.9%	12.7%	40.8%	12.8%	10.7%	14.2%	34.8%	21.5%	23.8%	26.7%	12.7%	17.7%	20.9%	26.5%
Should have done more	58.3%	64.3%	49.1%	74.5%	74.3%	70.9%	52.8%	54.6%	58.1%	52.1%	74.2%	52.5%	61.8%	67.4%
Not sure	18.5%	23.0%	6.8%	10.9%	14.9%	10.8%	12.5%	20.8%	18.0%	19.7%	13.1%	27.0%	16.2%	6.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (66)	100.0% (51)	100.0% (45)	100.0% (35)	100.0% (63)	100.0% (67)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (42)	100.0% (46)	100.0% (37)	100.0% (52)	100.0% (72)	100.0% (35)

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15. Pope's public apology to victims of sex abuse

Do you think Pope Benedict has gone far enough in publicly apologizing to the victims of sexual abuse by priests, or hasn't he gone far enough? (Asked of Catholic respondents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Too far	2.4%	8.2%	0.8%	0.0%	1.8%	0.0%	5.6%	3.3%	1.7%	2.0%	2.0%	3.4%
Far enough	33.3%	30.4%	32.4%	39.3%	38.3%	0.0%	20.1%	28.6%	37.2%	45.1%	15.7%	30.0%
Not far enough	46.2%	29.8%	53.7%	45.1%	43.7%	82.1%	47.8%	56.2%	38.0%	30.1%	62.9%	57.7%
Not sure	18.1%	31.7%	13.2%	15.6%	16.2%	17.9%	26.5%	11.9%	23.2%	22.7%	19.4%	8.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (34)	100.0% (116)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (140)	100.0% (10)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (95)	100.0% (73)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (51)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Too far	2.4%	0.0%	4.9%	4.0%	0.0%	4.5%	2.8%	1.4%	0.0%	5.0%	2.8%	4.3%	0.0%	5.8%
Far enough	33.3%	19.5%	46.9%	35.0%	9.8%	29.5%	49.1%	37.9%	31.7%	36.3%	22.6%	31.8%	28.7%	37.1%
Not far enough	46.2%	60.9%	35.5%	54.3%	66.5%	57.3%	38.5%	42.3%	56.8%	38.2%	52.9%	38.2%	55.4%	46.1%
Not sure	18.1%	19.6%	12.7%	6.7%	23.7%	8.7%	9.5%	18.5%	11.5%	20.5%	21.7%	25.7%	16.0%	11.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (66)	100.0% (51)	100.0% (44)	100.0% (35)	100.0% (62)	100.0% (67)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (42)	100.0% (46)	100.0% (36)	100.0% (52)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (35)

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16. Pope Benedict's prior knowledge of sex abuse problem

Before he became Pope, how much do you think Pope Benedict knew about the sexual abuse of children by priests? (Asked of Catholic respondents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
He knew about it and participated in letting priests who abused children continue to work with children	17.0%	7.3%	18.0%	25.9%	13.7%	24.0%	30.0%	23.9%	11.3%	15.4%	12.3%	24.1%
He knew about it and knew that priests who abused children could continue to work with children	27.9%	24.7%	32.8%	18.5%	32.5%	38.5%	4.2%	23.1%	31.7%	25.4%	36.0%	24.3%
He knew about it but had no responsibility for what happened to priests who abused children	40.3%	47.2%	37.0%	40.9%	38.6%	6.9%	56.4%	42.0%	38.9%	37.3%	39.6%	46.1%
He wasn't aware of the problem.	14.9%	20.8%	12.2%	14.8%	15.2%	30.6%	9.3%	10.9%	18.1%	21.9%	12.1%	5.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (35)	100.0% (115)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (10)	100.0% (27)	100.0% (83)	100.0% (95)	100.0% (73)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (51)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
He knew about it and participated in letting priests who abused children continue to work with children	17.0%	14.1%	11.4%	26.5%	23.1%	19.1%	9.5%	17.9%	12.8%	19.6%	16.2%	23.5%	11.7%	16.6%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
He knew about it and knew that priests who abused children could continue to work with children	27.9%	34.7%	25.5%	18.3%	29.9%	34.5%	22.9%	29.3%	35.4%	22.2%	25.4%	21.7%	36.5%	23.5%
He knew about it but had no responsibility for what happened to priests who abused children	40.3%	33.6%	44.4%	47.6%	32.6%	36.1%	49.8%	41.9%	33.3%	39.7%	46.8%	36.2%	38.0%	53.9%
He wasn't aware of the problem.	14.9%	17.6%	18.7%	7.6%	14.4%	10.3%	17.8%	10.9%	18.5%	18.4%	11.6%	18.7%	13.7%	6.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (65)	100.0% (51)	100.0% (45)	100.0% (34)	100.0% (63)	100.0% (67)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (42)	100.0% (46)	100.0% (36)	100.0% (52)	100.0% (71)	100.0% (35)

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17. Allowing Catholic priests to marry

Do you favor or oppose allowing Catholic priests to marry? (Asked of Catholic respondents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly favor	29.5%	20.1%	35.6%	24.4%	25.9%	45.4%	41.3%	36.9%	23.3%	18.2%	33.1%	45.0%
Somewhat favor	16.3%	11.8%	19.3%	13.8%	18.3%	0.0%	12.0%	13.9%	18.4%	14.1%	20.8%	15.9%
Neither favor, nor oppose	33.6%	43.5%	24.2%	46.9%	33.4%	12.7%	39.9%	29.2%	37.2%	46.2%	24.0%	21.6%
Somewhat oppose	6.1%	5.6%	8.6%	0.0%	6.4%	18.2%	1.7%	5.9%	6.3%	3.4%	8.4%	8.6%
Strongly oppose	14.5%	19.1%	12.3%	14.8%	16.1%	23.7%	5.2%	14.1%	14.8%	18.2%	13.8%	9.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (35)	100.0% (116)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (10)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (84)	100.0% (95)	100.0% (73)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (52)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly favor	29.5%	42.3%	17.5%	38.5%	50.6%	38.7%	20.3%	27.7%	27.3%	31.1%	32.5%	34.7%	26.7%	31.7%
Somewhat favor	16.3%	16.2%	18.1%	16.0%	13.9%	22.1%	16.3%	18.4%	19.4%	10.9%	17.8%	12.6%	19.9%	15.1%
Neither favor, nor oppose	33.6%	26.1%	29.6%	31.1%	26.8%	19.3%	31.9%	25.8%	36.3%	35.7%	40.1%	39.6%	31.6%	21.4%
Somewhat oppose	6.1%	3.7%	12.8%	4.6%	4.1%	6.1%	9.8%	7.0%	6.0%	8.0%	1.7%	4.1%	3.3%	15.9%
Strongly oppose	14.5%	11.7%	22.1%	9.7%	4.6%	13.8%	21.7%	21.0%	10.9%	14.2%	8.1%	9.0%	18.4%	15.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (66)	100.0% (51)	100.0% (45)	100.0% (35)	100.0% (63)	100.0% (67)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (42)	100.0% (46)	100.0% (37)	100.0% (52)	100.0% (72)	100.0% (35)

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18. Allowing women to be ordained as Catholic priests

Do you favor or oppose letting women be ordained as Catholic priests? (Asked of Catholic respondents)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly favor	24.8%	20.0%	27.3%	24.1%	20.7%	47.2%	37.5%	26.8%	23.2%	17.8%	29.3%	32.5%
Somewhat favor	18.0%	13.9%	24.0%	6.5%	17.3%	23.7%	19.3%	19.2%	17.0%	14.0%	28.5%	14.8%
Neither favor, nor oppose	30.8%	34.5%	24.4%	43.4%	30.0%	22.2%	36.4%	28.1%	33.1%	39.1%	22.1%	25.0%
Somewhat oppose	9.7%	15.7%	8.7%	5.2%	11.7%	6.9%	1.7%	9.8%	9.6%	10.2%	8.6%	9.9%
Strongly oppose	16.7%	16.0%	15.5%	20.8%	20.3%	0.0%	5.2%	16.1%	17.1%	18.8%	11.5%	17.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (35)	100.0% (116)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (10)	100.0% (28)	100.0% (84)	100.0% (95)	100.0% (73)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (52)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly favor	24.8%	39.1%	12.9%	28.9%	44.3%	32.7%	13.2%	22.9%	18.8%	32.3%	23.6%	33.2%	18.9%	19.6%
Somewhat favor	18.0%	23.8%	14.1%	11.5%	21.4%	22.9%	11.9%	19.4%	16.6%	12.2%	26.1%	18.3%	22.1%	12.9%
Neither favor, nor oppose	30.8%	25.0%	25.3%	31.5%	30.3%	21.3%	30.0%	20.1%	34.6%	32.5%	41.6%	34.3%	32.1%	28.2%
Somewhat oppose	9.7%	5.3%	20.2%	8.3%	1.5%	11.7%	16.6%	19.8%	10.7%	2.8%	2.7%	3.2%	9.9%	11.3%
Strongly oppose	16.7%	6.8%	27.5%	19.8%	2.5%	11.3%	28.3%	17.9%	19.4%	20.3%	6.0%	10.9%	17.0%	28.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (179)	100.0% (66)	100.0% (51)	100.0% (45)	100.0% (35)	100.0% (63)	100.0% (67)	100.0% (54)	100.0% (42)	100.0% (46)	100.0% (37)	100.0% (52)	100.0% (72)	100.0% (35)

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19. Impact of celibacy rule on sex abuse problem

The Catholic Church requires priests to remain celibate and unmarried while they are priests. Do you think this requirement has increased or decreased the likelihood that priests will sexually abuse children or teenagers?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Increased likelihood	51.4%	51.3%	49.2%	59.0%	52.1%	50.9%	45.2%	54.0%	49.1%	49.0%	53.4%	53.5%
Not a factor	27.3%	23.3%	30.3%	23.4%	28.7%	21.9%	21.6%	26.6%	27.9%	22.0%	30.0%	34.5%
Decreased likelihood	1.8%	1.7%	2.3%	0.5%	1.8%	3.3%	0.6%	1.9%	1.8%	2.4%	2.1%	0.4%
Not sure	19.5%	23.7%	18.2%	17.1%	17.4%	23.8%	32.6%	17.4%	21.3%	26.5%	14.6%	11.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (790)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (399)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Increased likelihood	51.4%	54.7%	49.0%	54.0%	63.0%	52.6%	50.6%	52.5%	50.2%	50.2%	53.4%	53.9%	50.5%	53.5%
Not a factor	27.3%	23.8%	34.2%	30.0%	23.6%	32.3%	32.8%	30.4%	27.4%	24.7%	28.5%	19.2%	32.3%	35.1%
Decreased likelihood	1.8%	1.7%	2.7%	1.9%	1.8%	2.3%	2.3%	2.1%	3.2%	1.5%	0.7%	2.9%	1.1%	1.2%
Not sure	19.5%	19.8%	14.0%	14.1%	11.6%	12.7%	14.3%	14.9%	19.1%	23.6%	17.4%	24.0%	16.1%	10.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (388)	100.0% (394)	100.0% (139)

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20. Likely to vote for Republican candidate based on policy stance

How likely are you to vote for a REPUBLICAN candidate for the U.S. Congress who:

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Supported health care reform	32.3%	34.5%	31.0%	32.9%	29.9%	45.3%	37.8%	31.8%	32.6%	28.6%	34.1%	37.0%
Wants to raise taxes	11.1%	18.5%	9.1%	6.3%	10.0%	15.5%	16.2%	14.4%	8.2%	9.0%	13.9%	11.9%
Is pro-choice	32.9%	37.7%	30.1%	34.5%	34.8%	18.3%	33.7%	33.1%	32.7%	24.8%	40.2%	39.5%
Wants to cut Medicare spending	15.3%	19.6%	15.1%	9.0%	16.5%	10.6%	10.9%	17.8%	13.2%	10.0%	19.0%	21.2%
Wants to cut Social Security spending	16.8%	21.0%	16.9%	9.8%	17.8%	13.3%	12.8%	18.2%	15.6%	13.0%	19.9%	20.4%
Is pro-gay marriage	26.8%	36.0%	24.4%	20.3%	28.7%	11.5%	28.4%	25.7%	27.8%	19.0%	30.0%	38.3%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Supported health care reform	32.3%	47.6%	15.7%	32.2%	48.8%	40.8%	16.2%	25.1%	27.6%	36.9%	35.9%	32.9%	33.3%	27.3%
Wants to raise taxes	11.1%	15.3%	6.9%	11.5%	17.3%	12.3%	8.9%	11.8%	9.9%	9.6%	14.1%	14.2%	9.1%	8.4%
Is pro-choice	32.9%	34.1%	34.1%	36.3%	43.2%	36.1%	33.4%	34.2%	28.4%	31.4%	38.6%	30.6%	36.0%	34.2%
Wants to cut Medicare spending	15.3%	11.3%	23.5%	15.5%	12.3%	16.7%	19.3%	20.7%	16.0%	13.3%	13.4%	13.7%	14.8%	18.9%
Wants to cut Social Security spending	16.8%	12.7%	27.3%	15.3%	14.1%	17.9%	22.7%	22.2%	19.3%	14.0%	14.2%	15.6%	16.1%	20.9%
Is pro-gay marriage	26.8%	34.2%	17.2%	28.0%	49.2%	31.0%	13.6%	35.4%	18.2%	23.8%	33.5%	24.3%	27.5%	33.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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21. Unlikely to vote for Republican candidate based on policy stance

How likely are you to vote for a REPUBLICAN candidate for the U.S. Congress who:

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Supported health care reform	43.6%	31.9%	48.0%	47.5%	45.7%	40.1%	29.0%	47.6%	40.1%	41.2%	43.0%	49.2%
Wants to raise taxes	65.2%	52.4%	68.7%	73.8%	66.0%	71.2%	50.9%	63.8%	66.4%	68.3%	60.7%	64.8%
Is pro-choice	37.6%	30.0%	40.7%	39.1%	35.7%	58.3%	29.0%	40.2%	35.2%	41.1%	31.9%	37.9%
Wants to cut Medicare spending	58.0%	40.0%	60.8%	77.1%	57.1%	69.0%	52.6%	57.2%	58.7%	60.8%	55.4%	55.8%
Wants to cut Social Security spending	56.2%	36.3%	60.1%	74.5%	55.3%	69.7%	47.4%	56.9%	55.5%	60.4%	51.2%	54.2%
Is pro-gay marriage	43.3%	26.9%	48.2%	53.1%	40.8%	68.1%	35.7%	47.4%	39.6%	46.7%	40.5%	40.1%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Supported health care reform	43.6%	30.8%	67.5%	46.2%	32.7%	35.4%	71.1%	45.1%	44.8%	42.1%	43.5%	39.4%	43.7%	58.9%
Wants to raise taxes	65.2%	58.9%	81.7%	62.9%	54.1%	61.6%	79.6%	59.6%	69.6%	65.3%	64.6%	63.3%	66.2%	67.7%
Is pro-choice	37.6%	40.4%	45.9%	29.9%	37.2%	32.0%	45.7%	35.2%	39.2%	35.6%	40.4%	35.7%	37.5%	42.7%
Wants to cut Medicare spending	58.0%	69.4%	49.8%	56.8%	69.0%	59.8%	53.7%	51.1%	63.1%	57.5%	58.6%	61.1%	61.5%	57.3%
Wants to cut Social Security spending	56.2%	66.5%	49.1%	54.6%	64.4%	56.6%	53.7%	44.9%	60.9%	58.0%	57.1%	60.1%	58.2%	49.6%
Is pro-gay marriage	43.3%	41.4%	59.6%	39.1%	34.5%	37.0%	61.8%	30.5%	50.7%	44.1%	44.1%	42.8%	46.1%	43.8%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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22. Likely to vote for Democratic candidate based on policy stance

How likely are you to vote for a DEMOCRATIC candidate for the U.S. Congress who:

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Opposed health care reform	27.4%	26.3%	26.4%	32.8%	29.2%	19.1%	22.0%	31.8%	23.5%	27.8%	27.6%	26.7%
Wants to lower taxes	55.9%	55.4%	55.9%	56.7%	55.1%	65.4%	52.0%	54.8%	56.9%	56.2%	57.1%	53.8%
Is pro-life	33.9%	32.5%	32.8%	39.6%	32.0%	42.6%	40.2%	32.7%	34.9%	35.2%	34.6%	30.2%
Wants to cut Medicare spending	18.7%	25.7%	18.2%	9.0%	17.9%	22.1%	20.9%	18.4%	18.9%	16.3%	19.1%	23.0%
Wants to cut Social Security spending	18.8%	26.4%	17.6%	10.9%	18.5%	21.3%	18.7%	18.7%	19.0%	15.0%	20.8%	23.9%
Is anti-gay marriage	25.3%	23.9%	24.0%	31.7%	24.2%	39.4%	17.6%	27.9%	23.0%	27.1%	26.4%	20.3%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Opposed health care reform	27.4%	12.9%	46.6%	35.2%	8.8%	23.7%	51.5%	27.1%	28.4%	29.7%	23.4%	26.9%	28.7%	29.5%
Wants to lower taxes	55.9%	59.9%	57.7%	56.8%	50.2%	62.6%	60.8%	54.8%	54.7%	57.7%	55.6%	58.7%	56.2%	51.3%
Is pro-life	33.9%	36.1%	39.2%	32.2%	25.6%	37.2%	43.1%	29.3%	30.8%	38.4%	34.0%	35.0%	36.5%	24.6%
Wants to cut Medicare spending	18.7%	19.4%	19.7%	19.0%	18.3%	19.0%	20.8%	21.0%	16.4%	20.0%	17.4%	19.0%	19.7%	19.9%
Wants to cut Social Security spending	18.8%	18.2%	22.5%	19.3%	18.7%	19.5%	22.6%	22.7%	17.5%	18.4%	17.9%	17.2%	20.3%	24.5%
Is anti-gay marriage	25.3%	21.5%	39.1%	23.6%	10.8%	24.5%	41.4%	22.8%	24.6%	30.2%	20.9%	26.3%	28.3%	18.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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23. Unlikely to vote for Democratic candidate based on policy stance

How likely are you to vote for a DEMOCRATIC candidate for the U.S. Congress who:

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Opposed health care reform	46.2%	39.5%	49.0%	47.5%	45.1%	59.2%	40.9%	44.6%	47.7%	40.3%	47.6%	56.3%
Wants to lower taxes	18.7%	13.5%	20.5%	21.0%	19.1%	17.8%	16.0%	20.8%	16.8%	17.5%	18.2%	21.7%
Is pro-life	32.2%	29.6%	34.4%	29.2%	34.6%	18.6%	28.3%	34.8%	30.0%	25.9%	35.1%	41.2%
Wants to cut Medicare spending	53.4%	32.3%	56.8%	75.9%	54.4%	55.0%	43.3%	53.1%	53.8%	54.5%	52.5%	52.4%
Wants to cut Social Security spending	52.9%	31.6%	56.4%	75.0%	54.0%	54.4%	40.8%	54.8%	51.2%	55.2%	49.9%	52.0%
Is anti-gay marriage	42.2%	40.1%	43.6%	41.0%	43.5%	28.8%	47.4%	41.4%	42.9%	36.1%	42.6%	54.1%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Opposed health care reform	46.2%	66.0%	32.2%	39.6%	75.7%	49.2%	33.3%	41.5%	42.9%	45.6%	54.1%	42.8%	47.3%	57.4%
Wants to lower taxes	18.7%	14.6%	25.2%	18.4%	21.4%	13.4%	23.3%	15.8%	20.4%	17.5%	20.8%	16.5%	19.2%	23.2%
Is pro-life	32.2%	29.1%	36.0%	35.8%	49.4%	27.4%	32.6%	33.8%	31.5%	27.8%	38.1%	25.8%	32.9%	50.2%
Wants to cut Medicare spending	53.4%	56.1%	56.5%	52.0%	59.4%	53.1%	59.0%	47.5%	57.1%	52.4%	55.5%	54.1%	52.2%	59.4%
Wants to cut Social Security spending	52.9%	57.6%	54.9%	51.3%	58.2%	53.3%	56.5%	49.5%	55.7%	52.6%	52.9%	54.3%	51.5%	57.0%
Is anti-gay marriage	42.2%	49.8%	36.3%	40.7%	68.3%	42.6%	31.1%	43.2%	40.7%	36.5%	51.2%	38.2%	40.6%	59.8%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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24. Individuals are representative of Republican party

Do the following people represent the views of most Republicans?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
John McCain	41.6%	38.5%	45.6%	32.9%	40.0%	47.1%	48.9%	37.4%	45.3%	39.3%	43.4%	43.7%
Sarah Palin	42.5%	36.1%	42.9%	51.3%	43.4%	36.6%	41.2%	45.5%	39.8%	40.4%	45.8%	42.4%
Mitt Romney	39.5%	30.0%	41.4%	48.1%	41.3%	32.7%	31.4%	44.7%	34.8%	34.5%	41.0%	47.6%
Rush Limbaugh	37.5%	30.8%	36.8%	50.4%	37.6%	40.0%	33.8%	45.2%	30.6%	35.7%	38.0%	40.4%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
John McCain	41.6%	53.8%	44.8%	34.5%	56.0%	48.4%	38.4%	47.6%	42.4%	40.7%	37.4%	37.9%	46.2%	42.8%
Sarah Palin	42.5%	35.8%	64.8%	41.7%	37.7%	36.9%	68.2%	46.9%	41.4%	45.2%	36.4%	35.8%	48.1%	51.2%
Mitt Romney	39.5%	37.5%	54.3%	41.7%	39.2%	43.7%	52.7%	41.8%	37.6%	39.1%	40.1%	32.5%	42.6%	53.9%
Rush Limbaugh	37.5%	35.1%	53.5%	36.3%	40.7%	27.7%	61.1%	40.0%	33.3%	40.1%	36.2%	32.8%	40.9%	44.5%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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25. Individuals are not representative of Republican party

Do the following people represent the views of most Republicans?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
John McCain	30.0%	29.5%	28.5%	35.6%	31.8%	23.0%	22.5%	39.0%	21.9%	24.1%	31.5%	39.8%
Sarah Palin	32.3%	32.6%	33.4%	28.1%	32.6%	31.5%	30.8%	36.1%	29.0%	24.0%	37.9%	41.8%
Mitt Romney	20.9%	20.7%	22.8%	14.9%	21.0%	19.4%	22.0%	26.1%	16.3%	16.1%	23.1%	27.8%
Rush Limbaugh	31.6%	28.5%	34.3%	27.0%	32.8%	26.0%	27.2%	34.5%	29.0%	22.8%	36.8%	42.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
John McCain	30.0%	23.4%	32.4%	42.1%	25.7%	29.9%	42.5%	28.0%	31.9%	28.7%	31.2%	27.0%	28.2%	44.1%
Sarah Palin	32.3%	40.3%	19.4%	41.5%	44.1%	43.3%	20.7%	30.8%	34.9%	27.2%	38.1%	30.3%	32.2%	40.1%
Mitt Romney	20.9%	22.5%	15.0%	28.4%	27.7%	22.1%	20.9%	19.3%	26.2%	18.8%	19.6%	20.8%	19.2%	28.7%
Rush Limbaugh	31.6%	35.8%	23.1%	41.9%	40.9%	45.1%	21.3%	33.3%	38.0%	28.1%	28.5%	28.3%	33.4%	40.9%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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26. Respondents rating groups favorably

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The Democratic Party	39.9%	40.9%	41.1%	34.4%	35.3%	69.5%	45.2%	36.4%	43.0%	36.1%	43.4%	43.0%
The Republican Party	34.3%	26.7%	34.5%	45.8%	38.8%	14.1%	18.8%	37.3%	31.6%	35.6%	34.1%	32.1%
The Tea Party movement	35.8%	27.3%	35.9%	48.9%	41.1%	11.9%	17.6%	40.4%	31.6%	33.7%	38.5%	36.3%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	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	39.9%	85.1%	8.6%	26.1%	78.8%	52.6%	11.7%	43.3%	40.4%	38.8%	38.4%	44.0%	37.5%	36.4%
The Republican Party	34.3%	10.6%	83.4%	31.3%	8.3%	28.1%	71.9%	31.2%	38.3%	35.4%	31.0%	29.4%	37.4%	36.8%
The Tea Party movement	35.8%	10.2%	72.6%	42.6%	5.0%	27.4%	80.2%	35.5%	37.8%	36.9%	32.3%	29.7%	39.7%	43.9%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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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 Grad
A great deal	30.2%	24.5%	28.5%	44.8%	31.6%	22.1%	27.0%	35.8%	25.1%	24.6%	30.0%	41.4%
A fair amount	33.8%	34.8%	34.0%	31.6%	35.5%	27.4%	26.5%	36.9%	31.1%	25.6%	40.7%	41.2%
Not much	22.0%	24.4%	23.3%	14.0%	21.4%	21.2%	29.0%	16.3%	27.2%	28.4%	20.4%	11.6%
Nothing at all	14.0%	16.3%	14.2%	9.6%	11.5%	29.4%	17.6%	11.0%	16.7%	21.4%	8.9%	5.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (637)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (790)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (478)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (397)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (251)

	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	30.2%	24.4%	41.4%	34.8%	36.6%	25.0%	48.5%	29.3%	31.4%	31.5%	27.6%	23.9%	31.5%	49.9%
A fair amount	33.8%	33.2%	32.8%	41.0%	39.0%	40.6%	33.3%	41.7%	31.6%	28.7%	37.7%	28.1%	39.4%	41.8%
Not much	22.0%	26.0%	17.5%	14.9%	16.3%	22.5%	13.6%	16.4%	23.3%	24.9%	20.8%	27.9%	21.0%	5.6%
Nothing at all	14.0%	16.3%	8.3%	9.3%	8.2%	11.9%	4.6%	12.6%	13.7%	15.0%	13.9%	20.2%	8.2%	2.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (254)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (389)	100.0% (391)	100.0% (139)

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 Grad
Yes	27.2%	16.3%	24.8%	50.7%	30.4%	6.4%	17.9%	29.9%	24.5%	29.7%	25.4%	25.3%
No	72.8%	83.7%	75.2%	49.3%	69.6%	93.6%	82.1%	70.1%	75.5%	70.3%	74.6%	74.7%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (887)	100.0% (186)	100.0% (567)	100.0% (134)	100.0% (718)	100.0% (94)	100.0% (75)	100.0% (444)	100.0% (443)	100.0% (325)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (239)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	27.2%	4.5%	57.2%	29.6%	2.2%	14.0%	61.7%	26.4%	25.4%	30.9%	24.4%	21.8%	31.1%	29.7%
No	72.8%	95.5%	42.8%	70.4%	97.8%	86.0%	38.3%	73.6%	74.6%	69.1%	75.6%	78.2%	68.9%	70.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (887)	100.0% (315)	100.0% (241)	100.0% (257)	100.0% (191)	100.0% (305)	100.0% (321)	100.0% (158)	100.0% (226)	100.0% (295)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (322)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (135)

29. Republican involvement in Tea Party movement

Do you think that most Republicans consider themselves a part of the Tea Party movement? (Asked if respondent is aware of Tea Party movement)

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Yes	48.8%	45.1%	48.7%	54.5%	48.5%	57.3%	43.2%	50.4%	47.3%	55.4%	46.8%	40.6%
No	51.2%	54.9%	51.3%	45.5%	51.5%	42.7%	56.8%	49.6%	52.7%	44.6%	53.2%	59.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (880)	100.0% (184)	100.0% (563)	100.0% (133)	100.0% (714)	100.0% (91)	100.0% (75)	100.0% (440)	100.0% (440)	100.0% (319)	100.0% (323)	100.0% (238)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Yes	48.8%	46.5%	61.8%	46.1%	38.5%	42.7%	64.8%	43.9%	48.2%	51.9%	48.7%	50.2%	49.8%	40.9%
No	51.2%	53.5%	38.2%	53.9%	61.5%	57.3%	35.2%	56.1%	51.8%	48.1%	51.3%	49.8%	50.2%	59.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (880)	100.0% (309)	100.0% (240)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (191)	100.0% (301)	100.0% (318)	100.0% (156)	100.0% (225)	100.0% (292)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (321)	100.0% (360)	100.0% (135)

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30. Attitude of Democrats in Congress

In your opinion, do the Democrats in Congress...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Mostly provide constructive policy alternatives	30.8%	31.1%	32.9%	23.7%	27.2%	55.8%	32.7%	29.7%	31.9%	27.4%	30.6%	38.1%
Mostly just oppose the other party	43.5%	33.7%	43.9%	57.7%	49.0%	14.3%	30.7%	50.3%	37.5%	37.6%	48.4%	48.9%
Not sure	25.6%	35.2%	23.2%	18.6%	23.9%	29.9%	36.5%	20.0%	30.7%	35.0%	21.0%	13.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (992)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (635)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (785)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (86)	100.0% (476)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (397)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (249)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Mostly provide constructive policy alternatives	30.8%	62.9%	6.9%	24.2%	65.6%	41.9%	7.4%	35.1%	30.4%	31.3%	27.5%	30.6%	28.1%	42.9%
Mostly just oppose the other party	43.5%	14.1%	79.4%	55.8%	18.7%	40.5%	79.6%	39.2%	48.4%	39.9%	46.9%	34.7%	52.7%	51.2%
Not sure	25.6%	23.0%	13.6%	19.9%	15.7%	17.6%	13.0%	25.7%	21.2%	28.8%	25.6%	34.8%	19.1%	5.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (992)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (257)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (387)	100.0% (392)	100.0% (137)

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31. Attitude of Republicans in Congress

In your opinion, do the Republicans in Congress...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Mostly provide constructive policy alternatives	23.7%	14.4%	24.7%	35.7%	26.3%	11.2%	16.7%	28.2%	19.7%	21.3%	27.2%	24.0%
Mostly just oppose the other party	52.2%	50.9%	53.7%	49.5%	51.5%	60.2%	49.2%	55.9%	49.0%	43.3%	55.1%	66.3%
Not sure	24.0%	34.7%	21.6%	14.8%	22.3%	28.6%	34.1%	15.9%	31.3%	35.4%	17.7%	9.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (639)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (397)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Mostly provide constructive policy alternatives	23.7%	3.9%	58.0%	26.3%	5.3%	15.8%	56.6%	24.4%	27.3%	26.5%	15.7%	19.7%	26.1%	32.2%
Mostly just oppose the other party	52.2%	77.8%	27.0%	54.3%	88.0%	67.7%	29.8%	51.7%	54.5%	47.3%	57.3%	50.3%	55.7%	59.0%
Not sure	24.0%	18.3%	15.0%	19.4%	6.6%	16.5%	13.5%	23.9%	18.2%	26.2%	27.0%	30.1%	18.2%	8.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (275)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (388)	100.0% (392)	100.0% (139)

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32. Attitude of Republicans toward Obama

In dealing with President Obama, do you think the Republicans in Congress...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Mostly provide constructive policy alternatives	26.8%	17.9%	26.9%	40.5%	30.3%	5.9%	20.1%	29.8%	24.1%	24.1%	29.6%	28.6%
Mostly just oppose the President	50.5%	51.4%	52.5%	42.3%	47.5%	69.6%	54.1%	56.0%	45.6%	40.0%	55.6%	64.8%
Not sure	22.7%	30.7%	20.6%	17.1%	22.1%	24.5%	25.8%	14.2%	30.3%	35.9%	14.8%	6.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (213)	100.0% (638)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (398)	100.0% (347)	100.0% (250)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Mostly provide constructive policy alternatives	26.8%	4.0%	59.5%	32.1%	3.5%	20.3%	61.9%	25.8%	27.8%	28.7%	23.8%	22.0%	29.8%	35.2%
Mostly just oppose the President	50.5%	78.2%	27.4%	49.6%	89.1%	64.4%	26.1%	55.9%	50.3%	45.7%	53.4%	46.2%	53.1%	60.5%
Not sure	22.7%	17.9%	13.1%	18.3%	7.4%	15.4%	12.0%	18.3%	21.9%	25.6%	22.9%	31.8%	17.1%	4.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (995)	100.0% (363)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (343)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (387)	100.0% (392)	100.0% (138)

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33. Obama approval on issues

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The war in Iraq	42.6%	46.6%	42.2%	37.6%	42.1%	50.1%	37.4%	50.0%	36.0%	36.8%	45.2%	50.8%
The economy	37.1%	43.0%	37.1%	27.8%	33.2%	61.9%	41.7%	38.5%	35.8%	30.0%	39.1%	48.7%
Immigration	26.2%	27.1%	28.8%	15.9%	22.8%	41.2%	38.5%	28.4%	24.2%	21.9%	27.0%	33.8%
The environment	41.1%	43.2%	42.3%	33.6%	37.2%	61.0%	51.0%	42.7%	39.6%	35.1%	42.1%	51.9%
Terrorism	40.6%	39.1%	43.4%	33.7%	38.0%	57.9%	42.5%	42.8%	38.6%	34.2%	41.8%	51.9%
Gay rights	34.7%	38.6%	34.4%	29.5%	33.7%	40.6%	36.4%	37.0%	32.7%	25.6%	39.2%	47.3%
Education	42.0%	43.9%	43.0%	35.4%	37.2%	72.0%	47.5%	43.1%	40.9%	38.7%	42.5%	47.7%
Health care	39.8%	42.9%	40.5%	32.3%	35.0%	70.2%	45.4%	41.1%	38.6%	32.8%	45.1%	46.8%
Social security	29.8%	30.7%	31.1%	24.3%	26.1%	52.5%	35.8%	30.0%	29.6%	24.3%	32.9%	37.0%
The budget deficit	29.8%	32.2%	30.3%	24.5%	25.5%	54.8%	37.3%	28.7%	30.8%	23.3%	31.9%	40.1%
The war in Afghanistan	42.0%	41.5%	42.8%	39.9%	42.0%	48.1%	34.0%	46.6%	37.8%	35.7%	44.2%	51.7%
Taxes	36.5%	40.7%	35.9%	32.0%	32.1%	58.5%	48.9%	38.6%	34.7%	29.0%	38.4%	49.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The war in Iraq	42.6%	59.2%	35.5%	38.4%	61.2%	52.8%	32.9%	44.8%	39.3%	43.9%	42.5%	39.1%	47.0%	52.0%
The economy	37.1%	67.8%	10.4%	30.7%	74.5%	50.3%	9.3%	37.8%	32.7%	35.5%	43.4%	37.0%	39.0%	39.5%
Immigration	26.2%	46.0%	10.3%	19.9%	53.5%	31.9%	6.9%	30.6%	21.1%	26.7%	27.4%	27.4%	25.4%	29.9%
The environment	41.1%	69.7%	17.5%	32.9%	71.7%	57.1%	15.1%	40.0%	35.9%	44.3%	42.8%	43.1%	41.6%	41.2%
Terrorism	40.6%	68.5%	19.4%	33.4%	71.8%	57.1%	13.7%	41.4%	36.2%	41.1%	43.9%	37.7%	43.4%	47.3%
Gay rights	34.7%	53.5%	17.2%	32.2%	61.2%	45.4%	15.7%	40.8%	24.6%	35.1%	40.1%	31.9%	37.4%	41.2%
Education	42.0%	71.4%	18.3%	35.8%	76.2%	54.1%	16.1%	45.5%	40.2%	42.0%	41.0%	43.0%	43.8%	45.0%
Health care	39.8%	74.2%	9.6%	31.8%	82.0%	51.3%	9.0%	41.0%	39.1%	36.1%	44.8%	41.2%	39.9%	43.7%
Social security	29.8%	54.9%	6.9%	24.7%	62.7%	38.6%	6.8%	30.2%	27.9%	28.7%	33.1%	31.6%	27.5%	36.2%
The budget deficit	29.8%	58.0%	6.4%	21.8%	63.3%	37.3%	7.5%	30.1%	24.1%	31.8%	32.6%	30.7%	29.0%	35.4%
The war in Afghanistan	42.0%	54.5%	38.6%	38.5%	57.4%	50.6%	36.0%	44.3%	38.0%	41.5%	44.9%	37.7%	47.4%	51.9%
Taxes	36.5%	67.1%	9.1%	29.8%	76.6%	47.0%	10.2%	37.9%	33.1%	35.5%	40.5%	38.6%	36.7%	38.0%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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34. Important issue

How important are the following issues to you?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The war in Iraq	81.6%	75.5%	84.7%	80.8%	83.2%	72.5%	78.1%	79.3%	83.6%	78.1%	81.5%	88.5%
The economy	97.6%	98.2%	97.3%	97.9%	98.2%	96.5%	94.1%	97.1%	98.1%	97.5%	96.9%	98.7%
Immigration	80.5%	78.5%	79.5%	87.0%	82.3%	68.6%	78.8%	79.4%	81.4%	79.3%	80.8%	82.5%
The environment	81.8%	81.3%	84.6%	73.4%	81.5%	87.7%	77.7%	75.5%	87.5%	82.3%	82.6%	79.9%
Terrorism	87.5%	80.5%	90.1%	90.2%	88.7%	84.3%	80.8%	86.1%	88.8%	87.9%	87.2%	87.3%
Gay rights	44.9%	51.5%	42.4%	42.4%	45.1%	37.1%	52.4%	39.1%	50.0%	40.4%	46.4%	51.8%
Education	89.6%	94.6%	89.0%	83.8%	89.1%	93.9%	89.0%	88.5%	90.6%	87.0%	94.4%	88.5%
Health care	92.6%	92.2%	93.1%	91.6%	92.5%	95.3%	90.1%	91.3%	93.8%	92.9%	91.5%	93.5%
Social security	90.7%	79.7%	94.2%	96.4%	90.5%	92.0%	90.8%	89.4%	91.8%	92.2%	88.4%	90.6%
The budget deficit	91.5%	89.7%	92.0%	92.7%	91.8%	90.7%	89.2%	91.0%	91.9%	89.9%	93.3%	92.3%
The war in Afghanistan	83.7%	78.7%	86.6%	82.2%	86.2%	72.1%	75.9%	83.0%	84.3%	81.7%	82.9%	88.8%
Taxes	92.3%	84.9%	95.0%	94.8%	92.2%	95.5%	89.2%	92.8%	91.8%	92.5%	90.7%	94.0%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The war in Iraq	81.6%	81.0%	89.6%	78.9%	82.4%	78.1%	89.8%	82.4%	78.8%	84.3%	80.0%	79.8%	82.2%	85.9%
The economy	97.6%	97.9%	98.1%	97.5%	97.3%	97.4%	99.3%	96.1%	96.1%	98.4%	99.2%	96.9%	97.9%	98.2%
Immigration	80.5%	75.5%	85.5%	82.5%	68.1%	81.0%	93.2%	76.2%	76.1%	81.3%	87.1%	78.9%	80.3%	81.7%
The environment	81.8%	92.8%	68.5%	76.4%	91.8%	83.1%	69.4%	88.3%	75.8%	85.9%	77.5%	83.3%	80.1%	80.9%
Terrorism	87.5%	86.3%	94.5%	85.1%	79.4%	88.0%	93.2%	84.9%	84.2%	90.0%	89.5%	86.9%	88.0%	86.3%
Gay rights	44.9%	56.7%	30.7%	44.1%	67.2%	47.1%	29.2%	48.7%	37.7%	45.8%	48.0%	44.8%	43.1%	53.5%
Education	89.6%	92.3%	88.9%	87.9%	92.9%	87.3%	91.9%	87.7%	84.4%	93.5%	90.8%	88.5%	89.7%	92.4%
Health care	92.6%	98.8%	89.5%	90.4%	95.6%	95.9%	88.8%	92.2%	90.7%	94.2%	92.8%	92.2%	93.2%	90.7%
Social security	90.7%	92.8%	90.7%	89.6%	88.2%	90.2%	93.1%	89.2%	90.9%	92.7%	88.8%	92.3%	90.3%	88.0%
The budget deficit	91.5%	88.1%	96.6%	92.2%	84.8%	94.3%	97.8%	89.5%	89.7%	92.0%	94.0%	89.6%	93.0%	91.7%
The war in Afghanistan	83.7%	83.8%	90.9%	82.1%	85.5%	81.7%	90.5%	85.9%	78.6%	86.5%	83.5%	80.6%	84.1%	92.2%
Taxes	92.3%	90.6%	95.1%	92.7%	86.8%	93.3%	96.6%	88.7%	91.8%	95.3%	91.2%	92.5%	93.7%	89.5%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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35. Most important issue

Which of these is the **most** important issue for you?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
The war in Iraq	0.4%	1.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	0.5%	0.0%	0.4%	0.4%	0.1%	0.7%	0.6%
The economy	38.4%	39.8%	41.9%	24.5%	38.5%	34.9%	42.2%	41.1%	36.0%	35.9%	38.7%	43.2%
Immigration	4.4%	3.4%	4.4%	5.9%	4.4%	3.6%	4.8%	4.7%	4.1%	4.1%	5.8%	3.0%
The environment	4.6%	6.2%	4.8%	1.4%	5.3%	1.7%	1.4%	5.5%	3.8%	4.9%	3.7%	5.2%
Terrorism	3.4%	1.9%	4.2%	3.4%	3.5%	3.7%	2.9%	3.0%	3.8%	3.4%	3.6%	3.3%
Gay rights	2.9%	5.3%	2.4%	0.5%	3.3%	1.3%	0.8%	3.2%	2.6%	2.0%	4.4%	2.5%
Education	7.2%	17.7%	3.7%	2.0%	5.5%	13.6%	14.4%	6.4%	7.9%	6.4%	10.3%	4.7%
Health care	14.2%	9.8%	16.2%	14.4%	13.8%	21.6%	8.4%	10.2%	17.7%	14.1%	12.9%	16.0%
Social security	10.5%	0.8%	8.9%	31.5%	10.5%	9.6%	11.4%	8.6%	12.1%	15.7%	7.8%	3.4%
The budget deficit	9.1%	9.0%	8.6%	10.9%	9.0%	7.8%	11.6%	11.5%	6.9%	7.5%	9.3%	12.0%
The war in Afghanistan	1.1%	0.6%	1.0%	2.6%	1.3%	0.7%	0.6%	0.8%	1.5%	1.2%	0.7%	1.6%
Taxes	3.9%	4.5%	3.8%	2.9%	4.5%	1.0%	1.4%	4.6%	3.2%	4.7%	2.1%	4.5%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (786)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (85)	100.0% (474)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (395)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (250)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
The war in Iraq	0.4%	0.2%	0.6%	0.3%	1.1%	0.4%	0.2%	0.8%	0.0%	0.2%	0.8%	0.5%	0.6%	0.0%
The economy	38.4%	36.6%	36.1%	42.6%	34.4%	40.9%	36.6%	41.1%	41.7%	38.1%	33.4%	36.6%	39.6%	39.3%
Immigration	4.4%	2.6%	7.4%	4.7%	2.3%	5.3%	6.8%	1.8%	3.8%	5.6%	5.1%	4.6%	4.4%	3.7%
The environment	4.6%	7.3%	0.9%	2.7%	10.5%	3.3%	1.3%	6.3%	4.0%	3.2%	6.0%	5.1%	2.7%	10.8%
Terrorism	3.4%	1.8%	6.4%	2.6%	0.0%	3.7%	5.5%	6.6%	3.7%	2.2%	2.6%	3.0%	4.4%	3.7%
Gay rights	2.9%	5.2%	1.0%	1.7%	7.7%	2.7%	0.7%	2.3%	2.0%	2.9%	4.2%	2.5%	3.2%	2.8%
Education	7.2%	8.5%	2.3%	8.9%	10.7%	8.4%	3.1%	5.7%	5.8%	6.3%	10.9%	7.5%	7.1%	4.1%
Health care	14.2%	18.5%	12.8%	11.9%	20.1%	12.1%	13.0%	12.1%	12.7%	17.7%	12.3%	13.1%	16.0%	13.3%
Social security	10.5%	11.7%	7.9%	10.0%	3.5%	11.4%	8.4%	6.7%	11.4%	11.5%	10.7%	17.0%	6.8%	0.6%
The budget deficit	9.1%	4.6%	16.2%	10.3%	5.3%	7.9%	15.8%	10.5%	9.4%	6.9%	10.8%	6.9%	9.6%	14.0%
The war in Afghanistan	1.1%	1.7%	1.1%	0.8%	2.7%	1.2%	0.4%	0.9%	1.6%	1.7%	0.0%	0.9%	1.0%	1.9%
Taxes	3.9%	1.3%	7.3%	3.6%	1.7%	2.6%	8.1%	5.1%	3.9%	3.5%	3.3%	2.2%	4.7%	5.8%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (990)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (272)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (175)	100.0% (253)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (231)	100.0% (384)	100.0% (389)	100.0% (139)

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36. Approval of Obama as President

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	21.6%	19.3%	23.4%	19.6%	16.5%	57.3%	23.8%	18.5%	24.5%	18.4%	24.5%	24.4%
Somewhat approve	24.0%	35.8%	22.5%	10.3%	22.6%	23.5%	37.2%	25.7%	22.5%	23.4%	22.9%	26.6%
Somewhat disapprove	15.3%	14.3%	16.1%	14.1%	16.9%	7.4%	10.8%	14.4%	16.1%	17.9%	14.0%	11.8%
Strongly disapprove	32.6%	20.8%	33.1%	50.0%	38.1%	2.4%	20.4%	37.4%	28.4%	30.8%	32.9%	35.9%
Not sure	6.5%	9.8%	5.0%	6.1%	5.9%	9.4%	7.9%	4.0%	8.6%	9.5%	5.7%	1.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (792)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (520)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	21.6%	46.7%	2.0%	14.8%	51.9%	23.2%	4.7%	22.9%	17.9%	23.9%	21.3%	23.7%	19.7%	23.6%
Somewhat approve	24.0%	32.2%	8.7%	23.6%	33.6%	33.2%	6.4%	23.3%	24.2%	21.1%	28.5%	25.6%	23.2%	22.0%
Somewhat disapprove	15.3%	14.2%	18.9%	13.5%	10.5%	20.1%	11.4%	20.9%	17.9%	11.2%	14.2%	14.9%	17.0%	9.9%
Strongly disapprove	32.6%	3.6%	69.7%	43.0%	2.2%	21.3%	75.7%	26.4%	35.8%	36.5%	28.4%	26.4%	36.0%	44.5%
Not sure	6.5%	3.3%	0.8%	5.1%	1.8%	2.2%	1.8%	6.4%	4.3%	7.3%	7.5%	9.3%	3.9%	0.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (1,000)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (389)	100.0% (394)	100.0% (139)

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37. Approval of U.S. Congress

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Strongly approve	1.8%	2.1%	1.8%	1.5%	1.5%	4.2%	1.4%	1.2%	2.4%	3.1%	0.7%	0.6%
Somewhat approve	12.8%	18.3%	11.3%	9.4%	9.9%	28.8%	19.6%	14.5%	11.4%	9.4%	13.9%	18.4%
Neither approve nor disapprove	14.5%	14.4%	14.6%	14.5%	13.2%	17.8%	22.5%	11.1%	17.7%	19.2%	11.0%	9.7%
Somewhat disapprove	23.0%	24.0%	25.7%	12.1%	23.9%	22.3%	15.8%	21.1%	24.6%	19.8%	26.2%	25.2%
Strongly disapprove	37.9%	25.2%	38.2%	57.2%	43.4%	11.0%	21.5%	46.4%	30.4%	33.7%	40.6%	42.9%
Not sure	9.9%	16.0%	8.4%	5.3%	8.1%	15.9%	19.3%	5.9%	13.5%	14.9%	7.5%	3.1%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (641)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (792)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (519)	100.0% (400)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Strongly approve	1.8%	2.7%	2.1%	0.7%	4.3%	1.1%	1.4%	1.1%	1.6%	3.1%	0.8%	2.9%	0.9%	0.6%
Somewhat approve	12.8%	25.5%	2.3%	10.0%	30.5%	16.1%	2.3%	14.6%	9.5%	14.0%	13.3%	12.9%	12.8%	16.1%
Neither approve nor disapprove	14.5%	21.1%	4.1%	11.2%	16.7%	15.3%	4.2%	13.0%	15.1%	13.0%	17.4%	17.0%	14.2%	8.1%
Somewhat disapprove	23.0%	30.4%	21.4%	21.0%	29.6%	33.5%	15.1%	24.0%	25.0%	19.6%	24.7%	21.5%	25.8%	18.3%
Strongly disapprove	37.9%	11.7%	66.8%	50.2%	14.1%	30.0%	75.0%	36.3%	39.0%	38.4%	37.3%	29.7%	42.3%	53.7%
Not sure	9.9%	8.6%	3.3%	6.9%	4.8%	4.0%	2.0%	11.0%	9.7%	11.9%	6.5%	16.0%	4.0%	3.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (999)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (333)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (388)	100.0% (394)	100.0% (139)

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38. 2010 Congressional vote

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Republican	32.5%	23.4%	32.5%	46.8%	38.5%	3.7%	14.2%	38.9%	26.8%	28.9%	36.3%	34.8%
Lean Republican	5.5%	6.6%	5.4%	4.0%	6.6%	0.0%	2.3%	4.1%	6.7%	6.7%	4.8%	4.0%
Lean Democrat	6.5%	8.2%	6.4%	4.2%	5.9%	7.4%	10.7%	5.0%	7.8%	6.4%	8.6%	3.9%
Democrat	37.8%	40.5%	38.0%	32.9%	32.5%	70.1%	45.9%	37.8%	37.8%	32.7%	39.7%	45.5%
Not Sure	17.8%	21.4%	17.7%	12.2%	16.6%	18.8%	26.9%	14.3%	20.9%	25.2%	10.7%	11.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (986)	100.0% (210)	100.0% (634)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (781)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (86)	100.0% (474)	100.0% (512)	100.0% (396)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (249)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Republican	32.5%	3.4%	85.2%	31.2%	2.4%	26.2%	75.6%	35.6%	32.6%	33.5%	28.7%	23.0%	37.1%	46.3%
Lean Republican	5.5%	0.4%	9.9%	7.6%	0.7%	7.4%	5.9%	2.1%	7.5%	4.8%	6.8%	4.7%	7.0%	4.6%
Lean Democrat	6.5%	10.1%	0.0%	8.3%	9.2%	6.3%	3.5%	4.2%	6.0%	7.8%	6.8%	6.5%	5.7%	1.6%
Democrat	37.8%	81.0%	2.0%	27.6%	79.4%	47.6%	8.0%	41.0%	34.3%	37.2%	40.0%	42.6%	33.9%	39.7%
Not Sure	17.8%	5.2%	3.0%	25.3%	8.3%	12.5%	7.0%	17.1%	19.7%	16.7%	17.7%	23.2%	16.4%	7.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (986)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (258)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (206)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (254)	100.0% (326)	100.0% (230)	100.0% (381)	100.0% (391)	100.0% (138)

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39. Direction of country

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Generally headed in the right direction	30.9%	35.1%	31.3%	23.1%	26.7%	56.8%	36.8%	33.5%	28.5%	26.4%	32.2%	38.2%
Off on the wrong track	56.1%	45.8%	57.4%	68.2%	61.7%	22.9%	46.8%	54.9%	57.3%	58.0%	57.0%	51.3%
Not sure	12.9%	19.1%	11.3%	8.7%	11.6%	20.4%	16.4%	11.5%	14.2%	15.5%	10.9%	10.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (213)	100.0% (637)	100.0% (144)	100.0% (788)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (86)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (515)	100.0% (398)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (250)

	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	30.9%	56.0%	7.4%	27.0%	65.6%	40.6%	8.9%	28.5%	27.2%	31.3%	36.0%	31.4%	31.6%	36.2%
Off on the wrong track	56.1%	31.5%	88.8%	59.0%	22.1%	48.7%	87.7%	57.4%	59.7%	55.3%	52.7%	49.9%	59.2%	60.4%
Not sure	12.9%	12.5%	3.8%	14.0%	12.3%	10.7%	3.3%	14.1%	13.1%	13.3%	11.3%	18.6%	9.2%	3.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (994)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (259)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (232)	100.0% (386)	100.0% (393)	100.0% (138)

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40. Trend of economy

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Getting better	25.7%	30.0%	25.7%	18.7%	24.1%	42.8%	18.9%	30.8%	21.0%	20.3%	27.5%	33.9%
About the same	32.7%	32.4%	33.9%	29.5%	32.8%	30.0%	35.5%	30.8%	34.4%	33.1%	29.9%	35.6%
Getting worse	34.6%	27.3%	34.7%	45.9%	38.0%	13.6%	30.0%	31.5%	37.3%	36.2%	37.1%	28.2%
Not sure	7.0%	10.4%	5.7%	6.0%	5.1%	13.7%	15.6%	6.8%	7.2%	10.4%	5.5%	2.3%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (993)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (637)	100.0% (142)	100.0% (787)	100.0% (119)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (477)	100.0% (516)	100.0% (398)	100.0% (345)	100.0% (250)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Getting better	25.7%	43.7%	7.3%	24.9%	55.5%	31.7%	6.3%	29.0%	22.4%	25.0%	27.5%	21.6%	28.0%	36.5%
About the same	32.7%	33.7%	38.5%	31.6%	27.3%	43.4%	30.1%	36.7%	32.8%	30.3%	33.2%	34.6%	34.9%	28.4%
Getting worse	34.6%	18.1%	52.6%	37.5%	11.1%	22.7%	60.9%	29.8%	37.0%	36.5%	33.1%	31.4%	34.9%	34.5%
Not sure	7.0%	4.5%	1.6%	6.0%	6.1%	2.1%	2.7%	4.5%	7.8%	8.3%	6.3%	12.4%	2.3%	0.6%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (993)	100.0% (362)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (207)	100.0% (341)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (175)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (387)	100.0% (389)	100.0% (139)

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41. Change in personal finances over past year

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Better off financially than you were a year ago	14.3%	22.0%	13.2%	5.8%	13.4%	20.9%	14.3%	15.0%	13.7%	10.4%	18.1%	17.2%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	40.7%	39.1%	38.5%	50.5%	41.7%	42.1%	29.9%	44.0%	37.8%	39.6%	38.2%	46.0%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	40.7%	29.8%	45.1%	43.1%	41.6%	32.3%	42.4%	36.9%	44.0%	43.5%	40.0%	35.8%
Not sure	4.3%	9.0%	3.2%	0.6%	3.2%	4.7%	13.4%	4.1%	4.5%	6.4%	3.7%	0.9%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (639)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (478)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (399)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (249)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Better off financially than you were a year ago	14.3%	18.2%	12.3%	13.0%	22.2%	16.5%	11.7%	17.9%	10.1%	15.5%	14.2%	15.0%	13.3%	17.9%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	40.7%	43.9%	46.3%	39.6%	44.0%	44.8%	40.1%	39.8%	36.4%	46.7%	37.1%	36.5%	44.6%	43.4%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	40.7%	36.2%	41.4%	43.6%	33.5%	37.5%	47.2%	38.2%	51.6%	31.6%	44.1%	41.9%	40.5%	37.2%
Not sure	4.3%	1.7%	0.0%	3.8%	0.3%	1.2%	1.0%	4.0%	1.9%	6.1%	4.5%	6.6%	1.5%	1.4%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (254)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (387)	100.0% (392)	100.0% (139)

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42. Stock market expectations over next year

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Higher	32.2%	35.3%	31.7%	28.8%	31.3%	38.0%	33.0%	39.3%	25.8%	25.5%	34.0%	43.1%
About the same	26.5%	22.4%	27.9%	28.4%	28.3%	20.6%	17.9%	26.3%	26.7%	25.7%	24.0%	31.4%
Lower	20.6%	18.3%	19.4%	28.0%	21.6%	10.9%	23.2%	19.4%	21.6%	20.7%	24.4%	15.3%
Not sure	20.7%	23.9%	21.0%	14.8%	18.9%	30.4%	25.9%	15.0%	25.8%	28.0%	17.7%	10.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (790)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (399)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (250)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Higher	32.2%	43.7%	22.8%	35.3%	53.8%	41.2%	20.0%	35.9%	28.2%	31.3%	34.6%	26.8%	34.6%	46.2%
About the same	26.5%	25.8%	34.3%	24.7%	22.1%	31.7%	31.6%	29.4%	29.8%	25.3%	22.6%	24.8%	30.5%	28.7%
Lower	20.6%	11.2%	30.3%	24.1%	6.9%	14.6%	37.5%	14.6%	21.1%	22.5%	21.9%	19.6%	19.8%	20.3%
Not sure	20.7%	19.3%	12.6%	15.9%	17.2%	12.6%	10.8%	20.2%	20.8%	20.9%	21.0%	28.7%	15.2%	4.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (997)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (388)	100.0% (392)	100.0% (139)

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43. Words that describe Obama

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

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Honest	36.3%	39.1%	35.3%	34.9%	30.7%	65.8%	49.6%	34.7%	37.6%	33.8%	36.7%	40.5%
Intelligent	64.1%	66.0%	63.7%	62.1%	59.7%	92.2%	68.7%	65.3%	63.0%	56.9%	67.5%	74.1%
Religious	15.5%	11.2%	17.7%	15.1%	12.6%	33.8%	19.7%	13.3%	17.6%	17.0%	14.9%	13.5%
Inspiring	41.3%	52.1%	39.2%	31.1%	36.0%	75.4%	47.0%	41.8%	40.9%	34.8%	46.6%	47.5%
Patriotic	30.9%	30.6%	31.6%	28.9%	28.5%	47.6%	31.4%	29.3%	32.3%	25.2%	33.6%	38.7%
Strong	38.0%	42.3%	36.6%	35.6%	32.6%	73.0%	43.1%	33.0%	42.4%	37.2%	37.0%	40.8%
Bold	45.4%	48.6%	43.5%	46.6%	42.5%	64.9%	47.6%	44.8%	46.0%	43.5%	48.4%	45.3%
Experienced	18.3%	20.3%	18.9%	13.4%	14.1%	38.5%	31.1%	12.1%	23.9%	19.6%	18.7%	15.3%
Sincere	34.6%	40.2%	34.8%	25.1%	30.3%	65.6%	35.4%	35.3%	34.0%	28.8%	37.5%	42.6%
Partisan	25.6%	16.0%	26.9%	36.4%	27.0%	15.5%	25.1%	31.8%	20.0%	19.1%	27.7%	35.9%
Effective	26.0%	26.3%	27.0%	22.3%	21.5%	58.8%	26.4%	24.5%	27.3%	21.1%	28.1%	33.0%
Unifying	16.6%	18.2%	16.7%	14.1%	13.5%	37.2%	19.7%	13.8%	19.2%	14.1%	18.2%	19.6%
In Touch	28.5%	25.9%	31.3%	23.1%	23.8%	58.7%	33.3%	26.6%	30.2%	25.4%	31.2%	31.1%
Realistic	32.2%	33.7%	33.1%	27.0%	28.1%	57.9%	37.6%	30.6%	33.7%	28.2%	32.5%	40.0%
Decisive	29.0%	32.1%	29.3%	23.0%	26.7%	50.2%	23.8%	26.3%	31.4%	24.7%	32.7%	32.9%
Totals	(1,000)	(215)	(641)	(144)	(792)	(121)	(87)	(480)	(520)	(400)	(349)	(251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Honest	36.3%	65.0%	4.6%	33.3%	69.3%	47.0%	8.5%	35.0%	33.9%	40.0%	34.4%	39.4%	33.0%	37.0%
Intelligent	64.1%	87.0%	41.2%	63.1%	89.9%	75.8%	46.2%	65.3%	61.2%	65.4%	64.3%	65.2%	63.7%	67.6%
Religious	15.5%	29.1%	4.4%	11.8%	20.8%	21.9%	8.1%	11.4%	17.8%	16.0%	15.6%	19.2%	13.9%	10.3%
Inspiring	41.3%	69.7%	14.5%	37.6%	79.3%	48.7%	18.9%	44.1%	41.1%	39.9%	41.3%	41.3%	42.2%	47.3%
Patriotic	30.9%	53.7%	5.8%	29.9%	61.2%	42.8%	7.4%	31.9%	31.8%	29.2%	31.5%	30.4%	31.1%	35.9%
Strong	38.0%	64.2%	13.3%	28.6%	66.0%	42.5%	16.5%	37.9%	33.7%	43.9%	34.1%	43.3%	32.7%	34.1%
Bold	45.4%	53.7%	33.5%	45.7%	59.6%	48.5%	36.5%	41.5%	47.2%	49.2%	41.0%	46.7%	45.2%	42.4%
Experienced	18.3%	36.6%	3.0%	11.0%	34.7%	23.0%	3.2%	16.5%	17.6%	19.7%	18.6%	22.5%	16.3%	12.0%
Sincere	34.6%	64.0%	6.7%	31.2%	69.8%	42.6%	10.4%	36.9%	30.4%	35.8%	35.6%	36.3%	32.7%	40.2%
Partisan	25.6%	15.1%	39.3%	32.6%	13.8%	25.2%	47.7%	25.0%	25.3%	25.4%	26.6%	21.7%	24.9%	37.8%
Effective	26.0%	51.1%	4.7%	18.8%	53.2%	31.1%	9.3%	22.7%	24.9%	29.6%	24.5%	27.0%	27.4%	27.8%
Unifying	16.6%	33.2%	1.6%	13.7%	35.4%	22.8%	3.8%	14.3%	13.9%	18.7%	18.3%	19.1%	15.3%	16.2%
In Touch	28.5%	54.1%	3.2%	26.8%	55.3%	36.8%	7.5%	23.9%	27.7%	33.1%	26.1%	28.3%	28.3%	25.1%

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Realistic	32.2%	60.7%	5.8%	25.7%	62.3%	40.3%	9.2%	30.5%	28.1%	35.1%	33.7%	31.2%	32.3%	37.4%
Decisive	29.0%	47.0%	11.4%	28.0%	50.7%	36.5%	14.4%	29.8%	24.6%	30.1%	31.4%	29.4%	28.4%	32.2%
Totals	(1,000)	(366)	(260)	(276)	(208)	(344)	(333)	(178)	(256)	(333)	(233)	(389)	(394)	(139)

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44. Obama's ideological leanings

Would you say Barack Obama is...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Very liberal	33.2%	24.3%	32.3%	50.4%	37.4%	11.4%	22.7%	39.5%	27.6%	28.4%	34.6%	40.9%
Liberal	19.9%	23.7%	19.8%	13.7%	19.2%	22.7%	22.3%	18.6%	21.0%	15.4%	24.8%	22.3%
Moderate	24.0%	25.6%	24.7%	19.1%	23.4%	25.8%	26.8%	24.1%	23.9%	19.7%	25.9%	30.1%
Conservative	4.2%	3.1%	5.2%	2.4%	2.6%	13.3%	6.7%	4.5%	3.8%	6.0%	2.9%	2.1%
Very conservative	1.4%	0.6%	2.1%	0.5%	1.0%	4.2%	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	2.2%	0.8%	0.7%
Not sure	17.4%	22.7%	15.9%	13.9%	16.3%	22.5%	20.1%	11.9%	22.2%	28.3%	11.0%	3.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (215)	100.0% (640)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (790)	100.0% (121)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (480)	100.0% (518)	100.0% (398)	100.0% (349)	100.0% (251)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			Region				Family Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Under 40	40-100	100+
Very liberal	33.2%	7.1%	71.2%	41.8%	8.4%	25.1%	78.6%	31.7%	36.8%	34.8%	28.4%	25.5%	36.9%	45.8%
Liberal	19.9%	30.5%	10.6%	18.0%	43.6%	23.2%	6.7%	21.6%	21.5%	15.0%	23.7%	18.1%	22.8%	20.4%
Moderate	24.0%	38.6%	5.8%	26.7%	37.6%	37.6%	4.3%	24.7%	24.1%	22.2%	25.9%	21.7%	25.1%	27.3%
Conservative	4.2%	7.7%	2.6%	2.4%	3.7%	6.0%	4.9%	5.4%	2.6%	4.0%	5.2%	5.2%	3.5%	3.5%
Very conservative	1.4%	2.7%	1.3%	0.6%	2.5%	0.9%	1.3%	1.4%	1.7%	2.1%	0.2%	2.3%	0.2%	0.0%
Not sure	17.4%	13.4%	8.5%	10.5%	4.2%	7.1%	4.2%	15.2%	13.4%	21.9%	16.6%	27.2%	11.5%	3.0%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (998)	100.0% (365)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (276)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (332)	100.0% (178)	100.0% (256)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (388)	100.0% (394)	100.0% (139)

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45. Obama's sincerity

Do you think Barack Obama...

	Total	Age			Race			Gender		Education		
		18-29	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Says what he believes	50.0%	59.2%	48.7%	39.3%	44.2%	81.4%	62.8%	48.4%	51.3%	47.1%	52.1%	52.8%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	50.0%	40.8%	51.3%	60.7%	55.8%	18.6%	37.2%	51.6%	48.7%	52.9%	47.9%	47.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (992)	100.0% (213)	100.0% (638)	100.0% (141)	100.0% (785)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (477)	100.0% (515)	100.0% (395)	100.0% (346)	100.0% (251)

	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	50.0%	74.2%	20.5%	43.9%	75.7%	56.7%	24.0%	51.5%	41.4%	50.9%	56.1%	53.5%	46.4%	48.2%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	50.0%	25.8%	79.5%	56.1%	24.3%	43.3%	76.0%	48.5%	58.6%	49.1%	43.9%	46.5%	53.6%	51.8%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (992)	100.0% (364)	100.0% (258)	100.0% (274)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (342)	100.0% (330)	100.0% (176)	100.0% (254)	100.0% (329)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (385)	100.0% (392)	100.0% (139)

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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	30-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Male	Female	HS or Less	Some College	College Grad
Like a lot	35.2%	38.0%	36.5%	26.4%	29.3%	75.5%	39.1%	31.9%	38.1%	29.8%	38.7%	41.4%
Like somewhat	29.5%	33.8%	28.4%	26.7%	31.8%	16.0%	26.0%	34.2%	25.4%	33.0%	26.1%	27.0%
Dislike	22.3%	17.4%	21.0%	34.7%	25.5%	3.7%	16.3%	22.9%	21.8%	22.0%	22.0%	23.4%
Not sure	13.0%	10.7%	14.2%	12.3%	13.4%	4.8%	18.6%	11.0%	14.7%	15.2%	13.1%	8.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (214)	100.0% (639)	100.0% (143)	100.0% (789)	100.0% (120)	100.0% (87)	100.0% (479)	100.0% (517)	100.0% (399)	100.0% (348)	100.0% (249)

	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	35.2%	64.8%	5.5%	31.7%	77.1%	40.7%	8.6%	36.8%	30.6%	37.8%	35.0%	34.0%	35.8%	41.2%
Like somewhat	29.5%	25.3%	35.1%	26.4%	17.3%	34.6%	29.4%	34.7%	30.6%	24.0%	32.4%	29.3%	30.9%	25.3%
Dislike	22.3%	4.6%	49.3%	26.7%	2.3%	18.7%	46.2%	19.4%	22.6%	24.6%	21.0%	19.5%	24.8%	27.3%
Not sure	13.0%	5.2%	10.1%	15.2%	3.3%	6.1%	15.8%	9.1%	16.2%	13.6%	11.6%	17.1%	8.5%	6.2%
Totals (Unweighted)	100.0% (996)	100.0% (366)	100.0% (260)	100.0% (273)	100.0% (208)	100.0% (344)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (177)	100.0% (255)	100.0% (331)	100.0% (233)	100.0% (388)	100.0% (391)	100.0% (139)