

1. 2014 Generic congressional ballot

In the election for U.S. Congress in the district where you live, which candidate are you voting for?

	Total	Gender		Age				Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The Democratic Party candidate	42%	39%	45%	52%	49%	36%	39%	87%	27%	3%
The Republican Party candidate	46%	51%	41%	30%	36%	54%	50%	5%	49%	93%
Other	3%	4%	2%	5%	4%	2%	3%	1%	6%	1%
Not sure	9%	6%	12%	11%	10%	8%	8%	7%	16%	3%
I would not vote	1%	—	1%	2%	—	1%	—	—	2%	—
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (801)	100% (404)	100% (397)	100% (104)	100% (189)	100% (350)	100% (158)	100% (280)	100% (300)	100% (221)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The Democratic Party candidate	42%	35%	79%	49%	52%	42%	32%	44%	36%	39%	49%
The Republican Party candidate	46%	53%	11%	33%	33%	49%	58%	40%	52%	48%	41%
Other	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	4%	1%	—	6%	2%
Not sure	9%	9%	6%	14%	12%	7%	6%	13%	11%	7%	7%
I would not vote	1%	0%	—	2%	0%	0%	—	2%	1%	—	—
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (801)	100% (618)	100% (90)	100% (93)	100% (252)	100% (272)	100% (180)	100% (121)	100% (183)	100% (294)	100% (203)

	Total	2014 Generic congressional ballot					Congressional Vote in Support of Obama				
		DEM	REP	Other	Not sure	Not vote	Support Obama	Against Obama	Obama not a factor	Won't vote	Not sure
The Democratic Party candidate	42%	100%	—	—	—	—	92%	6%	60%	11%	54%
The Republican Party candidate	46%	—	100%	—	—	—	3%	85%	19%	—	15%
Other	3%	—	—	100%	—	—	1%	2%	6%	—	—
Not sure	9%	—	—	—	100%	—	4%	7%	15%	—	31%
I would not vote	1%	—	—	—	—	100%	—	0%	1%	89%	—
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (801)	100% (342)	100% (354)	100% (21)	100% (80)	100% (4)	100% (174)	100% (370)	100% (237)	100% (2)	100% (18)

2. Congressional Vote in Support of Obama

As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	22%	21%	23%	32%	24%	18%	21%	49%	11%	1%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	47%	51%	43%	24%	39%	55%	53%	11%	53%	84%
President Obama and his policies will not be a factor in my vote	29%	28%	31%	40%	36%	26%	24%	39%	32%	14%
I don't plan to vote	0%	—	1%	2%	0%	—	—	—	1%	—
Not sure	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	—
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (802)	100% (405)	100% (397)	100% (104)	100% (189)	100% (350)	100% (159)	100% (280)	100% (301)	100% (221)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	22%	16%	57%	29%	30%	20%	18%	25%	16%	21%	26%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	47%	53%	14%	38%	38%	48%	52%	47%	50%	48%	42%
President Obama and his policies will not be a factor in my vote	29%	30%	26%	29%	30%	31%	30%	25%	31%	29%	30%
I don't plan to vote	0%	—	—	2%	—	0%	—	2%	0%	—	—
Not sure	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	1%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (802)	100% (619)	100% (90)	100% (93)	100% (252)	100% (273)	100% (180)	100% (121)	100% (183)	100% (294)	100% (204)

	2014 Generic congressional ballot						Congressional Vote in Support of Obama				
	Total	DEM	REP	Other	Not sure	Not vote	Support Obama	Against Obama	Obama not a factor	Won't vote	Not sure
A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	22%	49%	1%	4%	10%	—	100%	—	—	—	—
A vote against President Obama and his policies	47%	7%	86%	34%	36%	11%	—	100%	—	—	—
President Obama and his policies will not be a factor in my vote	29%	42%	12%	61%	48%	40%	—	—	100%	—	—
I don't plan to vote	0%	0%	—	—	—	50%	—	—	—	100%	—
Not sure	2%	2%	1%	—	5%	—	—	—	—	—	100%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(802)	(342)	(354)	(21)	(80)	(4)	(174)	(371)	(237)	(2)	(18)

3. Issues mentioned in advertising

Thinking about the 2014 midterm elections, which issues have you seen or heard mentioned in political advertisements or campaign mailers? Select all that apply

	Gender		Age				Party ID			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The economy	69%	75%	62%	67%	59%	73%	71%	68%	67%	71%
Foreign policy or terrorism	39%	44%	33%	31%	33%	40%	46%	32%	40%	45%
The environment	31%	36%	26%	36%	24%	33%	32%	32%	33%	29%
Immigration	50%	56%	45%	41%	36%	57%	56%	44%	51%	56%
Health care	67%	72%	63%	58%	60%	72%	71%	66%	67%	70%
Social issues or women's issues	48%	53%	43%	41%	44%	47%	58%	48%	49%	47%
Gun policies	24%	26%	22%	22%	21%	30%	18%	20%	25%	29%
The way things work in Washington	53%	63%	43%	43%	46%	62%	51%	49%	58%	53%
Other	12%	10%	13%	10%	15%	11%	12%	9%	14%	11%
Not sure	9%	5%	14%	8%	19%	7%	6%	11%	9%	8%
Totals	(802)	(405)	(397)	(104)	(189)	(350)	(159)	(280)	(301)	(221)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The economy	69%	69%	57%	73%	65%	68%	75%	62%	65%	70%	73%
Foreign policy or terrorism	39%	40%	36%	32%	29%	38%	46%	34%	40%	45%	33%
The environment	31%	32%	32%	29%	30%	26%	43%	26%	29%	29%	40%
Immigration	50%	51%	44%	51%	44%	50%	59%	42%	40%	60%	50%
Health care	67%	68%	59%	69%	62%	68%	71%	59%	59%	73%	72%
Social issues or women's issues	48%	49%	37%	48%	44%	45%	55%	42%	41%	54%	49%
Gun policies	24%	26%	20%	18%	21%	20%	34%	29%	24%	23%	23%
The way things work in Washington	53%	55%	37%	54%	49%	51%	63%	42%	51%	60%	52%
Other	12%	13%	16%	1%	13%	14%	7%	13%	14%	12%	10%
Not sure	9%	9%	15%	6%	11%	9%	7%	14%	14%	7%	6%
Totals	(802)	(619)	(90)	(93)	(252)	(273)	(180)	(121)	(183)	(294)	(204)

	2014 Generic congressional ballot						Congressional Vote in Support of Obama				
	Total	DEM	REP	Other	Not sure	Not vote	Support Obama	Against Obama	Obama not a factor	Won't vote	Not sure
The economy	69%	67%	75%	49%	48%	50%	65%	72%	68%	11%	34%
Foreign policy or terrorism	39%	31%	47%	27%	33%	11%	31%	47%	32%	11%	22%
The environment	31%	31%	33%	45%	23%	—	28%	34%	31%	—	15%
Immigration	50%	43%	59%	74%	30%	—	43%	59%	44%	11%	34%
Health care	67%	65%	71%	77%	56%	100%	61%	70%	69%	100%	38%
Social issues or women's issues	48%	50%	48%	76%	30%	—	43%	46%	55%	—	46%
Gun policies	24%	20%	30%	16%	17%	—	17%	31%	20%	—	6%
The way things work in Washington	53%	53%	57%	52%	39%	5%	53%	55%	52%	—	28%
Other	12%	13%	10%	11%	12%	5%	12%	9%	17%	—	—
Not sure	9%	9%	7%	7%	23%	—	12%	8%	8%	—	45%
Totals	(802)	(342)	(354)	(21)	(80)	(4)	(174)	(371)	(237)	(2)	(18)

4. Most important issues to respondent

Thinking about the 2014 midterm elections, which two issues are the MOST important to you? Select up to TWO issues.

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The economy	56%	60%	51%	55%	56%	62%	45%	50%	61%	57%
Foreign policy or terrorism	20%	18%	23%	12%	16%	21%	28%	9%	17%	38%
The environment	11%	15%	8%	29%	10%	7%	8%	19%	12%	2%
Immigration	25%	28%	23%	15%	19%	25%	37%	14%	28%	35%
Health care	35%	30%	39%	35%	30%	34%	40%	44%	28%	31%
Social issues or women's issues	13%	10%	16%	23%	16%	11%	5%	22%	11%	3%
Gun policies	10%	9%	11%	9%	12%	10%	8%	11%	9%	9%
The way things work in Washington	21%	23%	19%	9%	26%	24%	20%	21%	25%	17%
Other	4%	5%	3%	8%	4%	2%	3%	3%	4%	4%
Not sure	1%	0%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	—
Totals	(802)	(405)	(397)	(104)	(189)	(350)	(159)	(280)	(301)	(221)

	Race				Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The economy	56%	55%	53%	66%	52%	59%	62%	48%	60%	60%	51%
Foreign policy or terrorism	20%	22%	14%	12%	20%	24%	14%	29%	20%	21%	15%
The environment	11%	10%	10%	19%	11%	12%	14%	11%	6%	11%	17%
Immigration	25%	27%	18%	21%	18%	28%	27%	19%	19%	27%	32%
Health care	35%	33%	44%	39%	42%	34%	26%	31%	41%	33%	33%
Social issues or women's issues	13%	12%	14%	13%	14%	12%	12%	21%	11%	10%	13%
Gun policies	10%	10%	17%	4%	13%	4%	14%	10%	16%	9%	6%
The way things work in Washington	21%	22%	17%	21%	18%	22%	23%	20%	18%	22%	23%
Other	4%	4%	4%	0%	3%	4%	5%	5%	4%	3%	4%
Not sure	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Totals	(802)	(619)	(90)	(93)	(252)	(273)	(180)	(121)	(183)	(294)	(204)

	2014 Generic congressional ballot						Congressional Vote in Support of Obama				
	Total	DEM	REP	Other	Not sure	Not vote	Support Obama	Against Obama	Obama not a factor	Won't vote	Not sure
The economy	56%	52%	61%	42%	53%	40%	52%	57%	59%	11%	26%
Foreign policy or terrorism	20%	9%	33%	10%	16%	—	7%	32%	12%	—	12%
The environment	11%	20%	3%	4%	19%	—	25%	1%	18%	—	3%
Immigration	25%	11%	37%	41%	23%	—	11%	39%	14%	11%	13%
Health care	35%	42%	27%	32%	41%	89%	41%	31%	36%	89%	23%
Social issues or women's issues	13%	23%	4%	10%	10%	60%	26%	4%	15%	89%	24%
Gun policies	10%	10%	11%	2%	8%	—	15%	8%	9%	—	2%
The way things work in Washington	21%	25%	18%	38%	15%	11%	19%	17%	28%	—	39%
Other	4%	3%	4%	20%	2%	—	2%	5%	4%	—	—
Not sure	1%	1%	0%	—	4%	—	0%	1%	1%	—	29%
Totals	(802)	(342)	(354)	(21)	(80)	(4)	(174)	(371)	(237)	(2)	(18)

5. Republican candidate issues

Thinking about the 2014 midterm elections, which two issues have you heard the most about from Republican candidates? Select up to TWO issues.

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The economy	39%	45%	33%	48%	35%	42%	32%	28%	47%	42%
Foreign policy or terrorism	24%	22%	26%	11%	23%	24%	34%	24%	21%	28%
The environment	2%	1%	3%	2%	4%	1%	4%	4%	2%	1%
Immigration	26%	31%	22%	24%	21%	23%	38%	23%	29%	27%
Health care	34%	37%	30%	33%	30%	35%	36%	34%	30%	38%
Social issues or women's issues	5%	4%	7%	6%	7%	4%	7%	8%	5%	3%
Gun policies	6%	5%	7%	13%	7%	5%	2%	7%	5%	5%
The way things work in Washington	22%	24%	21%	23%	20%	27%	15%	25%	23%	17%
Other	5%	3%	6%	1%	4%	6%	5%	5%	4%	5%
Not sure	15%	11%	20%	18%	21%	14%	11%	17%	14%	15%
Totals	(802)	(405)	(397)	(104)	(189)	(350)	(159)	(280)	(301)	(221)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The economy	39%	40%	32%	35%	34%	39%	47%	39%	49%	36%	34%
Foreign policy or terrorism	24%	24%	28%	20%	28%	19%	25%	23%	24%	24%	26%
The environment	2%	2%	4%	1%	5%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	4%
Immigration	26%	27%	21%	23%	28%	29%	22%	17%	21%	30%	30%
Health care	34%	32%	34%	43%	29%	36%	34%	27%	29%	38%	36%
Social issues or women's issues	5%	5%	6%	9%	7%	5%	4%	6%	4%	6%	6%
Gun policies	6%	5%	7%	8%	6%	7%	5%	6%	8%	5%	5%
The way things work in Washington	22%	23%	15%	26%	19%	19%	30%	22%	16%	28%	19%
Other	5%	5%	8%	2%	5%	3%	3%	6%	5%	4%	5%
Not sure	15%	15%	20%	14%	17%	16%	12%	23%	18%	11%	13%
Totals	(802)	(619)	(90)	(93)	(252)	(273)	(180)	(121)	(183)	(294)	(204)

	2014 Generic congressional ballot						Congressional Vote in Support of Obama				
	Total	DEM	REP	Other	Not sure	Not vote	Support Obama	Against Obama	Obama not a factor	Won't vote	Not sure
The economy	39%	29%	51%	40%	15%	89%	26%	51%	29%	89%	20%
Foreign policy or terrorism	24%	24%	24%	31%	24%	—	27%	25%	22%	—	4%
The environment	2%	4%	1%	—	4%	—	2%	1%	5%	—	—
Immigration	26%	25%	28%	30%	17%	—	27%	30%	20%	—	25%
Health care	34%	31%	37%	31%	27%	84%	29%	32%	39%	89%	19%
Social issues or women's issues	5%	8%	3%	—	8%	—	6%	3%	8%	—	12%
Gun policies	6%	8%	3%	8%	7%	—	7%	4%	7%	—	16%
The way things work in Washington	22%	26%	21%	24%	15%	5%	30%	19%	21%	—	17%
Other	5%	7%	3%	5%	1%	—	8%	2%	7%	—	—
Not sure	15%	14%	12%	12%	38%	11%	15%	14%	16%	—	44%
Totals	(802)	(342)	(354)	(21)	(80)	(4)	(174)	(371)	(237)	(2)	(18)

6. Democratic candidate issues

Thinking about the 2014 midterm elections, which two issues have you heard the most about from Democratic candidates? Select up to TWO issues.

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The economy	26%	24%	28%	35%	25%	24%	26%	40%	19%	19%
Foreign policy or terrorism	6%	5%	8%	8%	10%	4%	6%	8%	6%	5%
The environment	17%	22%	13%	13%	10%	21%	21%	8%	21%	24%
Immigration	13%	14%	13%	14%	11%	12%	18%	16%	13%	12%
Health care	23%	19%	28%	30%	22%	19%	26%	28%	21%	20%
Social issues or women's issues	43%	50%	35%	40%	28%	47%	49%	38%	46%	45%
Gun policies	10%	11%	9%	8%	9%	13%	6%	6%	10%	15%
The way things work in Washington	15%	17%	13%	14%	16%	18%	10%	18%	15%	12%
Other	6%	7%	4%	2%	5%	6%	8%	3%	6%	9%
Not sure	15%	10%	20%	13%	27%	13%	11%	16%	16%	15%
Totals	(802)	(405)	(397)	(104)	(189)	(350)	(159)	(280)	(301)	(221)

	Race				Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The economy	26%	24%	41%	32%	29%	28%	25%	26%	27%	27%	25%
Foreign policy or terrorism	6%	6%	8%	9%	7%	3%	10%	7%	8%	5%	7%
The environment	17%	19%	6%	18%	15%	15%	24%	12%	17%	17%	20%
Immigration	13%	13%	14%	18%	13%	16%	8%	11%	6%	18%	15%
Health care	23%	22%	35%	20%	28%	24%	18%	26%	27%	17%	25%
Social issues or women's issues	43%	45%	23%	41%	36%	38%	56%	37%	35%	46%	47%
Gun policies	10%	11%	13%	3%	7%	8%	15%	12%	9%	12%	8%
The way things work in Washington	15%	15%	14%	20%	14%	17%	16%	15%	16%	18%	12%
Other	6%	6%	3%	7%	7%	5%	4%	4%	6%	7%	4%
Not sure	15%	16%	16%	10%	16%	19%	9%	20%	20%	12%	13%
Totals	(802)	(619)	(90)	(93)	(252)	(273)	(180)	(121)	(183)	(294)	(204)

	2014 Generic congressional ballot						Congressional Vote in Support of Obama				
	Total	DEM	REP	Other	Not sure	Not vote	Support Obama	Against Obama	Obama not a factor	Won't vote	Not sure
The economy	26%	42%	12%	24%	23%	89%	39%	13%	38%	100%	19%
Foreign policy or terrorism	6%	5%	8%	5%	3%	—	6%	5%	9%	—	6%
The environment	17%	8%	29%	—	8%	—	10%	27%	9%	—	5%
Immigration	13%	13%	12%	31%	19%	—	12%	13%	15%	11%	13%
Health care	23%	33%	17%	16%	12%	50%	33%	19%	21%	89%	47%
Social issues or women's issues	43%	36%	51%	67%	25%	—	30%	49%	43%	—	9%
Gun policies	10%	5%	15%	17%	2%	—	7%	15%	5%	—	—
The way things work in Washington	15%	22%	12%	1%	8%	—	24%	10%	17%	—	17%
Other	6%	4%	7%	5%	5%	5%	2%	6%	7%	—	—
Not sure	15%	12%	13%	15%	40%	11%	15%	16%	13%	—	42%
Totals	(802)	(342)	(354)	(21)	(80)	(4)	(174)	(371)	(237)	(2)	(18)