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1. Immigration Better or Worse
Does immigration make the United States a better or a worse place?

		Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Better place	36%	41%	32%	42%	37%	34%	32%	47%	33%	28%
No difference	24%	24%	24%	27%	30%	23%	15%	24%	26%	20%
Worse place	25%	22%	27%	15%	20%	28%	38%	16%	24%	40%
Not sure	15%	13%	16%	16%	14%	15%	15%	13%	17%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(467)	(530)	(154)	(275)	(393)	(175)	(355)	(406)	(236)

		Race			Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Better place	36%	34%	28%	55%	29%	39%	47%	39%	32%	33%	43%
No difference	24%	22%	36%	23%	29%	20%	19%	26%	25%	24%	23%
Worse place	25%	29%	12%	14%	29%	25%	21%	21%	25%	29%	22%
Not sure	15%	14%	24%	9%	13%	15%	13%	14%	19%	15%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(765)	(107)	(125)	(338)	(276)	(237)	(169)	(225)	(377)	(226)

2. Immigration Levels
Do you think that current levels of LEGAL immigration are too high or too low?

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Too high	28%	27%	30%	24%	24%	31%	34%	22%	28%	39%
About right	35%	38%	32%	38%	36%	32%	37%	34%	33%	41%
Too low	17%	20%	14%	19%	15%	18%	15%	18%	19%	12%
Not sure	20%	15%	24%	18%	25%	19%	14%	26%	21%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(996)	(466)	(530)	(153)	(274)	(393)	(176)	(354)	(406)	(236)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Too high	28%	31%	29%	15%	30%	30%	27%	29%	28%	31%	23%
About right	35%	35%	32%	40%	34%	33%	44%	42%	35%	29%	40%
Too low	17%	17%	7%	22%	16%	15%	19%	16%	13%	17%	21%
Not sure	20%	17%	32%	23%	21%	22%	10%	13%	24%	23%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(996)	(765)	(106)	(125)	(336)	(278)	(236)	(169)	(225)	(377)	(225)

3. Path to citizenship for illegal immigrants

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

		Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Favor	48%	49%	47%	55%	47%	47%	40%	63%	43%	33%
Oppose	32%	34%	31%	18%	37%	33%	42%	19%	32%	54%
Not sure	20%	17%	22%	26%	16%	20%	18%	17%	25%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(467)	(533)	(154)	(276)	(394)	(176)	(355)	(408)	(237)

		Race			Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Favor	48%	45%	44%	67%	44%	52%	50%	54%	39%	48%	51%
Oppose	32%	38%	16%	16%	32%	32%	34%	29%	37%	32%	31%
Not sure	20%	17%	40%	17%	24%	16%	16%	18%	24%	20%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(768)	(107)	(125)	(338)	(278)	(237)	(169)	(226)	(378)	(227)

4. Favor Parent delay

Do you favor or oppose a federal policy that would grant temporary work authorization and defer deportation proceedings against illegal immigrants who are parents of US citizens, have passed a background check, and pay taxes?

		Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Favor	50%	51%	49%	58%	47%	48%	49%	66%	46%	33%
Oppose	32%	33%	32%	21%	36%	31%	42%	21%	30%	54%
Not sure	18%	16%	20%	20%	18%	21%	10%	13%	24%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(467)	(530)	(154)	(276)	(391)	(176)	(354)	(408)	(235)

		Race			Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Favor	50%	47%	48%	67%	50%	48%	56%	56%	43%	49%	54%
Oppose	32%	36%	25%	18%	30%	34%	34%	28%	33%	34%	32%
Not sure	18%	17%	27%	15%	20%	18%	10%	17%	23%	18%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(767)	(106)	(124)	(337)	(278)	(237)	(168)	(225)	(378)	(226)

5. Support for EO Decision
Do you support or oppose President Obama's decision to use an executive order to delay deportation proceedings against illegal immigrants who are parents of US citizens?

		Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Support	37%	36%	38%	38%	44%	31%	36%	65%	30%	6%
Oppose	45%	50%	41%	36%	41%	48%	58%	20%	47%	82%
Not sure	18%	14%	21%	26%	15%	21%	6%	15%	23%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(996)	(466)	(530)	(154)	(275)	(393)	(174)	(354)	(407)	(235)

		Race			Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Support	37%	30%	52%	62%	39%	37%	31%	41%	34%	31%	46%
Oppose	45%	54%	18%	21%	39%	47%	58%	40%	48%	48%	44%
Not sure	18%	16%	31%	17%	22%	17%	11%	19%	19%	21%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(996)	(765)	(107)	(124)	(337)	(276)	(236)	(167)	(225)	(377)	(227)

6. Next President and Immigration Executive Order
Do you think the next President should or should not eliminate the executive order that delays deportation proceedings against illegal immigrants who are parents of US citizens?

		Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Should eliminate the executive order	42%	45%	40%	30%	40%	48%	51%	18%	44%	75%
Should NOT eliminate the executive order	35%	37%	34%	38%	38%	31%	37%	60%	29%	11%
Not sure	23%	18%	26%	32%	23%	22%	12%	22%	27%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(996)	(464)	(532)	(154)	(275)	(394)	(173)	(353)	(407)	(236)

		Race			Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Should eliminate the executive order	42%	49%	21%	23%	37%	44%	49%	35%	44%	44%	44%
Should NOT eliminate the executive order	35%	31%	44%	51%	35%	36%	36%	43%	32%	30%	40%
Not sure	23%	20%	36%	26%	29%	20%	14%	23%	24%	26%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(996)	(765)	(107)	(124)	(336)	(277)	(236)	(169)	(226)	(376)	(225)

7. Approval of Job Handling Immigration
Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling immigration?

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Strongly approve	11%	11%	11%	12%	8%	11%	12%	25%	5%	—
Somewhat approve	24%	23%	24%	22%	31%	19%	25%	38%	21%	7%
Somewhat disapprove	16%	13%	17%	18%	18%	14%	12%	12%	18%	16%
Strongly disapprove	36%	40%	32%	18%	31%	44%	49%	12%	37%	71%
Not sure	14%	12%	16%	30%	13%	11%	2%	12%	19%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(465)	(532)	(152)	(275)	(394)	(176)	(354)	(406)	(237)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	11%	8%	18%	18%	9%	10%	13%	12%	6%	12%	13%
Somewhat approve	24%	20%	33%	34%	26%	23%	22%	29%	26%	18%	26%
Somewhat disapprove	16%	15%	17%	14%	19%	17%	16%	17%	14%	15%	16%
Strongly disapprove	36%	44%	8%	14%	27%	39%	43%	27%	38%	38%	38%
Not sure	14%	12%	23%	19%	18%	12%	5%	16%	16%	16%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(765)	(107)	(125)	(337)	(278)	(236)	(166)	(226)	(378)	(227)

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8. Immigration background
Which of these statements best describes you?

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
I am an immigrant to the USA but not a citizen	4%	4%	5%	8%	6%	3%	—	4%	6%	2%
I am an immigrant to the USA and a naturalized citizen	5%	6%	5%	3%	8%	6%	3%	7%	5%	3%
I was born in the USA but at least one of my parents is an immigrant	12%	12%	11%	17%	12%	8%	12%	12%	12%	10%
My parents and I were born in the USA but at least one of my grandparents was an immigrant	18%	18%	18%	10%	12%	23%	26%	13%	20%	23%
My parents, grandparents and I were all born in the USA	56%	55%	58%	53%	56%	58%	57%	57%	54%	59%
Prefer not to say	5%	6%	3%	8%	7%	3%	1%	6%	4%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(467)	(531)	(153)	(275)	(394)	(176)	(355)	(406)	(237)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
I am an immigrant to the USA but not a citizen	4%	2%	6%	15%	5%	5%	3%	2%	3%	5%	6%
I am an immigrant to the USA and a naturalized citizen	5%	2%	7%	19%	7%	7%	4%	5%	5%	5%	6%
I was born in the USA but at least one of my parents is an immigrant	12%	8%	13%	30%	12%	11%	12%	13%	10%	11%	13%
My parents and I were born in the USA but at least one of my grandparents was an immigrant	18%	22%	3%	6%	18%	20%	18%	25%	13%	14%	24%
My parents, grandparents and I were all born in the USA	56%	62%	66%	19%	55%	57%	60%	50%	66%	59%	48%
Prefer not to say	5%	3%	6%	10%	3%	1%	3%	5%	3%	6%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(766)	(107)	(125)	(337)	(278)	(237)	(168)	(226)	(378)	(226)