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1. Affected by government shutdown
Have you been affected by the federal government shutdown?

		Ge	nder		А	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Yes	24%	27%	21%	32%	27%	23%	11%	26%	24%	23%	24%	24%
No	58%	60%	57%	46%	56%	63%	67%	57%	56%	66%	60%	46%
Not sure	18%	13%	22%	22%	17%	13%	22%	18%	20%	12%	16%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(464)	(536)	(148)	(269)	(394)	(189)	(363)	(429)	(208)	(912)	(88)

			Race			Ec	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	24%	24%	14%	34%	25%	19%	27%	27%	26%	28%	21%	24%	25%
No	58%	60%	54%	51%	40%	61%	57%	59%	62%	58%	61%	58%	56%
Not sure	18%	16%	32%	15%	34%	20%	16%	14%	12%	15%	18%	18%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(791)	(118)	(91)	(48)	(325)	(344)	(183)	(100)	(147)	(205)	(367)	(281)

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2. Ways affected by government shut down
In what ways have you been affected by the temporary shut down of the federal government? Select all that apply.

Asked of those who reported being affected by the federal government shutdown.

		Ge	nder		A	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
I am a furloughed												
federal employee. A close family member is a	6%	3%	9%	6%	9%	3%	2%	10%	1%	6%	5%	14%
furloughed federal employee. I am a federal employee, but	17%	16%	19%	13%	20%	18%	16%	12%	24%	13%	18%	11%
NOT on furlough. A close family member is a federal employee,	3%	4%	1%	2%	4%	3%	_	3%	1%	7%	3%	_
but <u>NOT</u> on furlough. A federal government office I needed to visit	9%	3%	15%	7%	9%	10%	3%	13%	7%	4%	8%	14%
was closed. A national park I	31%	37%	25%	30%	32%	31%	32%	38%	29%	21%	33%	18%
was going to visit was closed. I was unable to use a federal	25%	28%	20%	22%	17%	32%	28%	21%	26%	30%	27%	3%
government service. A federal government website was not	42%	45%	37%	42%	37%	45%	43%	47%	33%	50%	44%	22%
updated. Something else	33% 21%	39% 23%	26% 19%	41% 9%	27% 22%	33% 29%	28% 30%	34% 18%	35% 26%	26% 17%	31% 23%	45% 6%
Totals	(222)	(112)	(110)	(41)	(70)	(84)	(27)	(82)	(96)	(44)	(206)	(16)

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			Race			Ed	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
I am a furloughed													
federal employee. A close family member is a furloughed federal	6%	5%	8%	9%	_	5%	7%	7%	5%	_	7%	9%	5%
employee. I am a federal employee, but	17%	16%	43%	12%	5%	18%	14%	21%	24%	8%	15%	28%	11%
NOT on furlough. A close family member is a federal employee, but NOT on	3%	3%	5%	_	-	_	3%	2%	12%	5%	1%	3%	1%
furlough. A federal government office	9%	7%	20%	9%	-	9%	12%	4%	6%	-	10%	15%	6%
was closed. A national park I was going to visit	31%	30%	35%	35%	35%	30%	34%	24%	39%	47%	36%	25%	22%
was closed. I was unable to use a federal government	25%	32%	10%	4%	8%	18%	30%	26%	31%	20%	19%	20%	39%
service. A federal government website was not	42%	45%	52%	25%	30%	29%	49%	55%	37%	35%	48%	38%	48%
updated. Something else	33% 21%	32% 24%	17% 18%	41% 13%	34% 4%	29% 25%	33% 15%	40% 26%	31% 35%	35% 13%	51% 24%	17% 21%	41% 28%
Totals	(222)	(184)	(18)	(20)	(10)	(50)	(84)	(52)	(26)	(31)	(40)	(78)	(73)

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3. Most to blame for shutdown

Who do you think is most to blame for the shutdown of the federal government? Select all that apply.

		Ge	nder		Α	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Democrats in												
Congress	26%	28%	25%	26%	27%	26%	28%	13%	32%	40%	26%	26%
Republicans in												
Congress	52%	55%	49%	59%	55%	48%	48%	82%	40%	20%	53%	43%
President Obama	44%	48%	40%	31%	38%	50%	58%	18%	51%	79%	44%	41%
Other (Please												
specify)	9%	9%	9%	7%	10%	10%	8%	7%	12%	8%	10%	3%
Not sure	7%	3%	12%	13%	8%	5%	3%	6%	9%	6%	5%	25%
None of the above	1%	0%	2%	3%	2%	0%	_	1%	2%	_	1%	5%
Totals	(1,000)	(464)	(536)	(148)	(269)	(394)	(189)	(363)	(429)	(208)	(912)	(88)

			Race			Ec	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Democrats in													
Congress	26%	29%	10%	25%	26%	26%	25%	29%	27%	28%	25%	27%	25%
Republicans in													
Congress	52%	48%	76%	53%	31%	47%	57%	55%	62%	61%	49%	49%	52%
President Obama	44%	49%	12%	44%	45%	49%	38%	45%	41%	46%	38%	44%	48%
Other (Please													
specify)	9%	9%	10%	8%	8%	7%	11%	11%	12%	10%	9%	7%	12%
Not sure	7%	6%	14%	8%	25%	9%	6%	2%	3%	7%	11%	8%	4%
None of the above	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	_	0%	1%	2%	1%
Totals	(1,000)	(791)	(118)	(91)	(48)	(325)	(344)	(183)	(100)	(147)	(205)	(367)	(281)

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**4. Most to blame for shutdown**Who do you think is most to blame for the shutdown of the federal government?
Compiled from individual responses

		Ge	nder		A	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Democrats in												
Congress	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	2%	6%	11%	6%	7%
Republicans in												
Congress	43%	47%	39%	49%	46%	41%	35%	75%	30%	12%	44%	34%
President Obama	37%	38%	36%	24%	30%	42%	53%	13%	45%	66%	39%	25%
Other	5%	6%	5%	4%	7%	5%	3%	3%	8%	5%	5%	4%
Not sure	8%	3%	12%	13%	9%	5%	3%	6%	10%	6%	5%	26%
None of the above	1%	0%	2%	3%	2%	0%	_	1%	2%	_	1%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(965)	(451)	(514)	(142)	(259)	(381)	(183)	(346)	(416)	(203)	(882)	(83)

			Race			Ec	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Democrats in													
Congress	6%	7%	_	4%	7%	5%	4%	9%	7%	5%	6%	6%	5%
Republicans in													
Congress	43%	38%	74%	42%	24%	38%	50%	45%	50%	46%	44%	42%	40%
President Obama	37%	42%	6%	36%	36%	43%	31%	36%	36%	39%	32%	37%	40%
Other	5%	5%	3%	6%	6%	4%	7%	7%	4%	3%	5%	4%	9%
Not sure	8%	6%	15%	9%	25%	9%	6%	2%	3%	7%	11%	8%	5%
None of the above	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	_	0%	1%	2%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(965)	(766)	(111)	(88)	(48)	(317)	(329)	(176)	(95)	(141)	(198)	(357)	(269)

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**5. Most to blame for shutdown** Is one of these choices more to blame? Asked of those who identified more than one choice being the most to blame among the first three responses.

		Ge	nder		A	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Democrats in												
Congress	14%	14%	13%	14%	14%	14%	13%	7%	12%	21%	13%	16%
Republicans in												
Congress	21%	26%	15%	32%	26%	18%	8%	47%	15%	15%	17%	51%
President Obama	65%	60%	72%	55%	60%	67%	79%	46%	73%	65%	70%	34%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(240)	(128)	(112)	(30)	(65)	(97)	(48)	(38)	(124)	(78)	(216)	(24)

			Race			Ec	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Democrats in													
Congress	14%	15%	_	9%	23%	13%	8%	21%	16%	13%	12%	15%	13%
Republicans in													
Congress	21%	15%	86%	34%	16%	18%	27%	22%	18%	18%	18%	23%	23%
President Obama	65%	70%	14%	57%	61%	70%	65%	57%	66%	69%	70%	61%	64%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(240)	(206)	(13)	(21)	(13)	(82)	(76)	(46)	(23)	(34)	(45)	(96)	(65)

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**6. Biggest obstacle to ending shutdown**Who is the biggest obstacle to ending the shutdown of the federal government? Select all that apply.

		Ge	nder		Α	ge			Party ID		Voter R	egistration
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Democrats in												
Congress	19%	20%	17%	17%	17%	19%	23%	7%	24%	29%	20%	10%
Republicans in												
Congress	46%	48%	45%	55%	49%	42%	41%	76%	35%	14%	47%	39%
President Obama	39%	42%	36%	27%	35%	43%	52%	14%	46%	72%	41%	24%
Other (Please												
specify)	7%	7%	7%	3%	9%	10%	5%	6%	8%	7%	8%	1%
Not sure	11%	5%	16%	17%	12%	9%	5%	8%	14%	7%	7%	39%
None of the above	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	_	_	1%	1%	_	0%	4%
Totals	(1,000)	(464)	(536)	(148)	(269)	(394)	(189)	(363)	(429)	(208)	(912)	(88)

			Race			Ec	lucation				Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Democrats in													
Congress	19%	21%	8%	12%	24%	18%	17%	21%	21%	20%	19%	19%	17%
Republicans in													
Congress	46%	42%	69%	50%	26%	40%	52%	51%	54%	53%	43%	47%	44%
President Obama	39%	43%	14%	36%	48%	42%	34%	40%	36%	38%	36%	40%	40%
Other (Please													
specify)	7%	8%	7%	6%	3%	7%	7%	10%	8%	6%	6%	7%	9%
Not sure	11%	9%	18%	15%	31%	14%	9%	5%	4%	9%	14%	10%	11%
None of the above	1%	1%	1%	1%	_	1%	1%	1%	_	0%	0%	1%	1%
Totals	(1,000)	(791)	(118)	(91)	(48)	(325)	(344)	(183)	(100)	(147)	(205)	(367)	(281)

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7. Biggest obstacle to ending shutdown
Is one of these a bigger obstacle?
Asked of those who identified more than one choice being the bigger obstacle among the first three responses.

	Gender			Age					Party ID	Voter Registration		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Democrats in												
Congress	12%	15%	9%	13%	18%	7%	12%	14%	10%	16%	11%	24%
Republicans in												
Congress	16%	18%	15%	16%	32%	12%	5%	49%	16%	3%	15%	28%
President Obama	71%	67%	76%	71%	50%	81%	83%	38%	74%	81%	74%	48%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(149)	(79)	(70)	(19)	(38)	(56)	(36)	(19)	(82)	(48)	(137)	(12)

			Race			Region							
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Democrats in													
Congress	12%	13%	6%	9%	33%	7%	12%	16%	5%	10%	17%	10%	13%
Republicans in													
Congress	16%	10%	42%	46%	8%	18%	11%	29%	7%	20%	13%	21%	9%
President Obama	71%	77%	51%	45%	59%	75%	77%	55%	88%	71%	70%	69%	78%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(149)	(127)	(10)	(12)	(10)	(53)	(41)	(33)	(12)	(22)	(30)	(60)	(37)

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8. Biggest obstacle to ending shutdown
Who is the biggest obstacle to ending the shutdown of the federal government?
Compiled from individual responses

	Total	Ge	Gender		Α	ge			Party ID		Voter R	Registration	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered	
Democrats in													
Congress	6%	7%	4%	6%	5%	5%	7%	2%	7%	10%	6%	3%	
Republicans in													
Congress	42%	44%	39%	49%	44%	38%	35%	73%	29%	10%	43%	33%	
President Obama	36%	38%	34%	23%	30%	41%	50%	12%	42%	68%	38%	19%	
Other	5%	6%	4%	2%	7%	6%	3%	3%	6%	5%	6%	_	
Not sure	11%	5%	17%	18%	13%	9%	5%	9%	15%	7%	7%	40%	
None of the above	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	_	_	1%	1%	_	0%	4%	
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
(Unweighted N)	(969)	(453)	(516)	(146)	(260)	(380)	(183)	(348)	(418)	(203)	(883)	(86)	

			Race			Ec	Region						
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Democrats in													
Congress	6%	7%	1%	1%	10%	4%	5%	6%	9%	6%	7%	5%	5%
Republicans in													
Congress	42%	37%	64%	46%	20%	37%	47%	47%	48%	46%	40%	42%	39%
President Obama	36%	40%	12%	32%	39%	39%	32%	34%	36%	34%	33%	38%	38%
Other	5%	5%	3%	5%	1%	5%	5%	7%	4%	4%	6%	4%	7%
Not sure	11%	9%	18%	16%	31%	14%	9%	5%	4%	9%	14%	10%	11%
None of the above	1%	1%	1%	1%	_	1%	1%	1%	_	0%	0%	1%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(969)	(769)	(111)	(89)	(48)	(315)	(334)	(176)	(96)	(143)	(201)	(354)	(271)