## 1. Decision to send troops to Iraq

Do you think the United States made a mistake sending troops to fight in Iraq?


## 2. Approval of Obama's handling of Iraq

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling the war in Iraq?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | Party ID |  |  |
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|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Approve strongly | 13\% | 14\% | 12\% | 8\% | 12\% | 16\% | 15\% | 28\% | 7\% | 1\% |
| Approve somewhat | 23\% | 22\% | 24\% | 22\% | 25\% | 23\% | 18\% | 36\% | 20\% | 7\% |
| Disapprove somewhat | 18\% | 17\% | 19\% | 22\% | 20\% | 17\% | 13\% | 16\% | 18\% | 23\% |
| Disapprove strongly | 33\% | 38\% | 28\% | 25\% | 25\% | 36\% | 51\% | 7\% | 40\% | 61\% |
| Not sure | 13\% | 9\% | 16\% | 22\% | 18\% | 8\% | 3\% | 13\% | 15\% | 7\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (997) | (461) | (536) | (164) | (253) | (384) | (189) | (359) | (404) | (234) |


|  | Total | Race |  |  | Family Income |  |  |  | Region |  |  |  |
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|  |  | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80-100 | 100+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Approve strongly | 13\% | 10\% | 33\% | 10\% | 15\% | 12\% | 6\% | 15\% | 13\% | 15\% | 12\% | 13\% |
| Approve |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| somewhat | 23\% | 21\% | 32\% | 26\% | 23\% | 23\% | 31\% | 25\% | 25\% | 19\% | 26\% | 19\% |
| Disapprove |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| somewhat | 18\% | 20\% | 10\% | 17\% | 17\% | 20\% | 25\% | 15\% | 22\% | 18\% | 14\% | 22\% |
| Disapprove |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| strongly | 33\% | 38\% | 6\% | 32\% | 30\% | 33\% | 33\% | 41\% | 30\% | 31\% | 35\% | 36\% |
| Not sure | 13\% | 11\% | 19\% | 15\% | 15\% | 12\% | 5\% | 4\% | 10\% | 17\% | 13\% | 10\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (997) | (792) | (105) | (100) | (381) | (303) | (70) | (112) | (170) | (222) | (336) | (269) |

## 3. Approval of Bush's handling of Iraq

Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush handled the war in Iraq?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | Party ID |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Approve strongly | 11\% | 13\% | 9\% | 5\% | 13\% | 13\% | 11\% | 4\% | 7\% | $31 \%$ |
| Approve |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| somewhat | 23\% | 22\% | 24\% | 12\% | 22\% | 27\% | 30\% | 8\% | 24\% | 45\% |
| Disapprove |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| somewhat | 16\% | 17\% | 16\% | 24\% | 13\% | 15\% | 12\% | 17\% | 18\% | 13\% |
| Disapprove |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| strongly | 40\% | 44\% | 36\% | 40\% | 40\% | 39\% | 45\% | 61\% | 39\% | 7\% |
| Not sure | 10\% | 5\% | 14\% | 19\% | 12\% | 6\% | 3\% | 10\% | 12\% | 5\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (997) | (459) | (538) | (164) | (254) | (383) | (189) | (360) | (404) | (233) |


|  | Total | Race |  |  | Family Income |  |  |  | Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80-100 | 100+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Approve strongly | 11\% | 13\% | 8\% | 5\% | 12\% | 9\% | 10\% | 12\% | 9\% | 14\% | 11\% | 11\% |
| Approve |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| somewhat | 23\% | 24\% | 10\% | 26\% | 18\% | 30\% | 26\% | 17\% | 27\% | 17\% | 23\% | 26\% |
| Disapprove |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| somewhat | 16\% | 17\% | 14\% | 17\% | 16\% | 16\% | 19\% | 22\% | 16\% | 14\% | 19\% | 16\% |
| Disapprove |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| strongly | 40\% | 39\% | 51\% | 35\% | 41\% | 37\% | 46\% | 44\% | 42\% | 41\% | 38\% | 40\% |
| Not sure | 10\% | 7\% | 16\% | 17\% | 14\% | 8\% | - | 4\% | 6\% | 14\% | 10\% | 7\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (997) | (792) | (105) | (100) | (382) | (303) | (70) | (113) | (170) | (223) | (336) | (268) |

## 4. Decision to send troops to Afghanistan

Do you think the United States made a mistake sending troops to fight in Afghanistan?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | Party ID |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Yes | 42\% | 39\% | 45\% | 44\% | 36\% | 38\% | 56\% | 48\% | 45\% | 28\% |
| No | 39\% | 49\% | 30\% | 30\% | 39\% | 49\% | 35\% | 29\% | 39\% | 57\% |
| Not sure | 18\% | 12\% | 25\% | 26\% | 25\% | 13\% | 10\% | 23\% | 16\% | 15\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | $(1,000)$ | (462) | (538) | (164) | (255) | (384) | (190) | (360) | (406) | (234) |


|  | Total | Race |  |  | Family Income |  |  |  | Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80-100 | 100+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Yes | 42\% | 42\% | 47\% | 40\% | 42\% | 43\% | 47\% | 40\% | 43\% | 44\% | 42\% | 40\% |
| No | 39\% | 42\% | 27\% | 35\% | 35\% | 40\% | 41\% | 52\% | 42\% | 35\% | 39\% | 43\% |
| Not sure | 18\% | 16\% | 25\% | 26\% | 23\% | 17\% | 12\% | 8\% | 15\% | 21\% | 19\% | 17\% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | $\begin{gathered} \hline 100 \% \\ (1,000) \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (795) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (105) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (100) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (382) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (304) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 100 \% \\ (70) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (113) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (171) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (223) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (337) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (269) \end{aligned}$ |

## 5. Approval of Obama's handling of Afghanistan

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling the war in Afghanistan?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | Party ID |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Approve strongly | 10\% | 10\% | 9\% | 6\% | 10\% | 12\% | 8\% | 20\% | 5\% | 1\% |
| Approve somewhat | 26\% | 28\% | 25\% | 26\% | 28\% | 27\% | 23\% | 43\% | 19\% | 13\% |
| Disapprove somewhat | 20\% | 19\% | 20\% | 22\% | 20\% | 17\% | 20\% | 15\% | 21\% | 23\% |
| Disapprove strongly | 33\% | 37\% | 30\% | 25\% | 28\% | 36\% | 48\% | 10\% | 40\% | 57\% |
| Not sure | 11\% | 6\% | 16\% | 22\% | 14\% | 7\% | 1\% | 11\% | 14\% | 6\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (996) | (462) | (534) | (164) | (252) | (383) | (190) | (359) | (405) | (232) |


|  | Total | Race |  |  | Family Income |  |  |  | Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80-100 | 100+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Approve strongly | 10\% | 6\% | 30\% | 10\% | 12\% | 11\% | 4\% | 5\% | 11\% | 10\% | 10\% | 9\% |
| Approve |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| somewhat | 26\% | 26\% | 35\% | 19\% | 28\% | 27\% | 26\% | 31\% | 26\% | 27\% | 30\% | 20\% |
| Disapprove |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| somewhat | 20\% | 20\% | 10\% | 24\% | 17\% | 20\% | 29\% | 17\% | 18\% | 19\% | 20\% | 20\% |
| Disapprove |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| strongly | 33\% | 38\% | 8\% | 32\% | 30\% | 32\% | 39\% | 41\% | 34\% | 28\% | 31\% | 43\% |
| Not sure | 11\% | 10\% | 16\% | 15\% | 14\% | 10\% | 2\% | 5\% | 11\% | 17\% | 9\% | 8\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (996) | (793) | (105) | (98) | (380) | (304) | (70) | (111) | (170) | (223) | (335) | (268) |

## 6. Approval of Bush's handling of Afghanistan

Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush handled the war in Afghanistan?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | Party ID |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Approve strongly | 12\% | 13\% | 11\% | 4\% | 12\% | 16\% | 15\% | 5\% | 9\% | 30\% |
| Approve |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| somewhat | 23\% | 28\% | 18\% | 16\% | 21\% | 29\% | 24\% | 13\% | 22\% | 41\% |
| Disapprove |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| somewhat | 20\% | 20\% | 20\% | 29\% | 21\% | 14\% | 19\% | 21\% | 21\% | 16\% |
| Disapprove |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| strongly | 33\% | 33\% | 33\% | 29\% | 32\% | 32\% | 40\% | 49\% | 33\% | 6\% |
| Not sure | 12\% | 6\% | 18\% | 22\% | 14\% | 8\% | 3\% | 12\% | 15\% | 7\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (999) | (461) | (538) | (164) | (255) | (384) | (189) | (360) | (405) | (234) |


|  |  | Race |  |  | Family Income |  |  |  | Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80-100 | 100+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Approve strongly | 12\% | 13\% | 7\% | 14\% | 12\% | 12\% | 14\% | 12\% | 12\% | 14\% | 11\% | 11\% |
| Approve somewhat | 23\% | 26\% | 13\% | 14\% | 18\% | 29\% | 27\% | 24\% | 27\% | 21\% | 22\% | 24\% |
| Disapprove somewhat | 20\% | 21\% | 15\% | 20\% | 19\% | 24\% | 17\% | 20\% | 18\% | 18\% | 21\% | 23\% |
| Disapprove strongly | 33\% | 30\% | 43\% | 36\% | 33\% | 28\% | 42\% | 38\% | 34\% | 33\% | 33\% | 31\% |
| Not sure | 12\% | 10\% | 22\% | 17\% | 17\% | 8\% | 1\% | 6\% | 10\% | 14\% | 13\% | 11\% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (999) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (794) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (105) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (100) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (381) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (304) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 100 \% \\ (70) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (113) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (171) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (222) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (337) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (269) \end{aligned}$ |

