

Omnibus Poll

July 10 - 11, 2013



1. Greatest invention over last 85 years

Which of the following inventions from the past 85 years would you say is the greatest?

	Gender		Age				Party ID			Voter Registration		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Personal												
computers	12%	13%	12%	5%	15%	13%	15%	11%	12%	14%	13%	7%
Cell phones	7%	6%	8%	15%	6%	5%	4%	10%	6%	4%	5%	19%
Viagra	0%	1%	0%	—	1%	1%	—	0%	1%	—	0%	1%
Oral												
contraceptives												
(birth control pills)	5%	1%	8%	8%	3%	4%	5%	5%	5%	3%	3%	12%
Antibiotics	26%	24%	28%	17%	25%	32%	28%	27%	20%	37%	28%	14%
Televisions	7%	7%	6%	5%	7%	6%	10%	7%	7%	7%	6%	9%
Space travel	7%	9%	5%	6%	8%	8%	6%	8%	7%	7%	7%	8%
Microwaves	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
The Internet	26%	24%	27%	40%	24%	21%	20%	26%	29%	19%	26%	24%
Nuclear power	6%	9%	2%	2%	7%	6%	6%	2%	9%	6%	6%	—
Another invention	3%	4%	2%	2%	2%	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(463)	(537)	(167)	(301)	(381)	(151)	(329)	(428)	(243)	(895)	(105)

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	Total	Race			Education					Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Personal computers	12%	12%	14%	14%	11%	14%	11%	11%	9%	12%	12%	13%	11%
Cell phones	7%	4%	15%	15%	3%	9%	9%	3%	—	7%	7%	8%	5%
Viagra	0%	0%	1%	1%	—	1%	—	1%	—	1%	—	0%	0%
Oral contraceptives (birth control pills)	5%	4%	6%	8%	15%	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	5%	3%	8%
Antibiotics	26%	31%	13%	13%	14%	23%	24%	36%	38%	24%	28%	24%	30%
Televisions	7%	6%	14%	7%	3%	11%	4%	4%	7%	8%	8%	8%	3%
Space travel	7%	7%	6%	8%	18%	7%	6%	9%	4%	9%	6%	8%	7%
Microwaves	1%	1%	—	1%	2%	2%	0%	—	—	3%	—	1%	1%
The Internet	26%	26%	28%	23%	21%	21%	32%	21%	30%	26%	25%	27%	24%
Nuclear power	6%	6%	—	10%	13%	5%	5%	6%	4%	4%	4%	5%	9%
Another invention	3%	4%	3%	1%	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	5%	2%	3%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (812)	100% (101)	100% (87)	100% (32)	100% (358)	100% (343)	100% (181)	100% (86)	100% (164)	100% (219)	100% (341)	100% (276)