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Washington Post-ABC News Poll

This Washington Post-ABC News poll was conducted by telephone June 12-15, 2008, among a random national sample of 1,125 adults, including additional interviews with randomly selected African Americans, for a total of 201 black respondents. The additional interviews (commonly referred to as an "oversample") were completed to ensure there were enough African American respondents for separate analysis; the group was not over-represented in the reported results from the full sample. The results from the full survey have a margin of sampling error of plus or minus three percentage points. Sampling, data collection and tabulation by TNS of Horsham, Pa.

*= less than 0.5 percent

1. How closely are you following the presidential race: very closely, somewhat closely, not too closely, or not closely at all?

	---- Closely ----			---- Not closely ----			No opinion
	NET	Very	Smwt.	NET	Not too	At all	
6/15/08	75	34	41	25	12	13	*
5/11/08	83	39	44	17	13	5	0
4/13/08	84	37	47	16	11	5	*
3/2/08	84	42	42	15	11	4	*
2/1/08	81	35	46	19	12	7	*
1/12/08	79	32	47	21	15	6	*
12/9/07	72	21	51	28	19	8	*
11/1/07	67	21	46	33	22	12	0
9/30/07	69	21	48	30	21	10	*
7/21/07	70	22	48	30	20	10	*
6/1/07	66	18	48	34	22	13	*
4/15/07	66	20	45	34	20	14	*
2/25/07	65	20	44	35	25	10	*
Early 2004:							
6/20/04	78	33	45	22	15	7	*
5/23/04	74	33	41	26	17	9	*
4/18/04	75	30	45	25	16	9	0
3/7/04	75	33	42	25	18	7	*
2/11/04	75	30	45	25	15	10	*
1/18/04	66	22	44	35	22	13	*
10/29/03	54	15	39	45	30	15	0
9/13/03	56	16	40	44	27	17	*
Early 2000:							
6/11/00	49	13	36	51	26	25	0
4/2/00	53	17	36	47	24	23	0
3/11/00	61	21	40	38	21	17	0
2/27/00	70	24	46	30	20	10	*
2/6/00	65	19	48	34	21	13	0
1/16/00	50	11	39	50	26	24	*
12/15/99	45	12	33	55	31	24	*
10/31/99	61	16	45	38	25	13	*
7/17/95	36	7	29	63	33	31	*
7/8/92	76	28	48	24	16	8	*
1/27/92	51	14	37	48	25	23	1
5/25/88	76	25	51	25	19	6	*
8/23/87	50	9	41	49	31	18	*
6/1/87	50	11	39	49	32	17	*

2. I'd like you to rate the chances that you will vote in the presidential election in November: Are you absolutely certain to vote, will you probably vote, are the chances 50-50, or less than that?

	Certain to vote	Probably vote	Chances 50/50	Less than that	Don't think will vote (vol.)	No opinion
6/15/08	71	9	8	7	4	*
3/2/08	78	9	7	4	2	*

3. If the 2008 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were (Barack Obama, the Democrat) and (John McCain, the Republican), for whom would you vote?

NET LEANED VOTE

	Obama	McCain	Other (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	Would not vote (vol.)	No opinion
6/15/08	48	42	1	4	1	4

5/11/08	51	44	*	3	1	1
4/13/08	49	44	*	3	3	2
3/2/08	52	40	*	3	2	3
2/1/08	49	46	*	2	1	3
1/19/07	47	45	*	3	1	3

4. (IF NAMED CANDIDATE) Would you definitely vote for (CANDIDATE), or is there a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else? (IF CHANCE CHANGE MIND) Is there a GOOD CHANCE you'll change your mind, or would you say it's PRETTY UNLIKELY?

Barack Obama:

	Definitely vote for	-Chance change mind - NET	Good	Unlikely	No opinion
6/15/08	72	25	7	18	3
5/11/08	71	26	13	13	3

John McCain:

	Definitely vote for	-Chance change mind - NET	Good	Unlikely	No opinion
6/15/08	69	31	17	13	1
5/11/08	66	32	17	15	2

5. If the election for the U.S. House of Representatives were being held today, would you vote for (the Democratic candidate) or (the Republican candidate) in your congressional district? (IF OTHER, NEITHER, DK, REF) Would you lean toward the (Democratic candidate) or toward the (Republican candidate)?

	Dem cand.	Rep cand.	Other (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	Will not vote (vol.)	No opinion
6/15/08 All	52	37	*	2	1	8
6/15/08 RV	53	38	*	1	1	7
11/4/06 RV	53	43	1	1	*	3
10/22/06 RV	54	41	*	1	*	3
10/8/06 RV	54	41	*	1	1	3
9/7/06 RV	50	42	*	3	2	4
8/6/06 RV	52	39	*	2	1	5
6/25/06 All	52	38	1	2	2	5
RV	52	39	1	3	1	4
5/15/06 All	53	38	1	3	1	4
RV	52	40	1	3	1	4
4/9/06 All	54	40	*	2	1	4
RV	55	40	*	2	*	3
1/26/06 All	55	36	1	3	1	4
RV	54	38	1	3	1	5
12/18/05 All	50	41	1	3	1	4
RV	51	41	1	3	1	4
11/2/05 All	53	36	1	3	2	5
RV	52	37	1	4	2	6
11/4/02 LV	48	48	1	1	0	2
11/3/02 LV	48	48	*	1	0	2
11/2/02 LV	50	49	*	1	0	2
10/27/02 LV	47	49	1	1	0	3
9/26/02 All	46	42	2	2	5	3
LV	49	47	1	2	0	2
RV	47	44	2	3	2	3
7/15/02 All	47	45	1	1	1	4
RV	47	46	1	1	1	4
1/27/02* RV	43	50	NA	2	1	5
9/6/00 RV	49	42		2	1	6
7/23/00 RV	46	45		3	1	5
2/27/00 RV	45	46		2	1	5
10/31/99 RV	50	43		3	1	3
9/2/99 RV	48	44		3	*	5
3/14/99 RV	50	41		2	1	6
2/14/99 RV	48	41		3	1	7
1/30/99 RV	49	39		8	1	3
11/1/98 RV	51	43		4	*	2
10/25/98 RV	48	43		3	1	4
10/18/98 RV	49	44		3	1	4
9/28/98 RV	49	44		2	*	4
8/21/98 RV	48	45		3	1	3
7/12/98 RV	47	45		2	*	6
1/31/98 RV	49	40		2	1	8
1/19/98 RV	47	44		3	1	5
10/8/96 RV	51	41		2	1	5
9/29/96 RV	48	41		3	1	7
9/22/96 RV	50	43		2	1	4
9/15/96 RV	49	45		1	1	4
9/4/96 RV	48	44		3	*	5
8/29/96 RV	53	39		3	1	5
8/28/96 RV	51	40		3	1	5
8/27/96 RV	51	41		3	0	5
8/26/96 RV	51	41		3	0	5
8/25/96 RV	48	43		3	1	6
8/24/96 RV	47	43		2	1	6
8/19/96 RV	49	42		3	0	6
8/18/96 RV	45	46		3	0	6
8/15/96 RV	46	43		4	1	5
8/14/96 RV	48	42		3	1	6
8/13/96 RV	49	43		3	0	5
8/12/96 RV	49	42		3	1	5
8/11/96 RV	49	40		4	1	6
8/10/96 RV	49	41		4	1	5

8/4/96	RV	48	45	2	1	4
6/30/96	RV	49	44	3	*	3
5/22/96	RV	52	41	3	1	3
3/10/96	RV	51	43	2	*	4
1/21/96	RV	52	43	3	1	1
10/1/95	RV	49	44	3	*	3
11/6/94	RV	47	42	5	2	5
10/31/94	RV	48	44	4	1	3
10/23/94	RV	50	45	2	1	2
10/9/94	RV	46	47	3	2	2
9/11/94	RV	50	45	1	1	4
8/7/94	RV	49	42	4	1	4
2/27/94	RV	50	40	8	1	2
10/21/91	RV	51	41	4	*	4
7/28/91	RV	49	41	6	*	3
6/2/91	RV	48	42	4	1	5
11/4/90	RV	51	41	5	*	3
10/14/90	RV	50	41	5	*	3
9/9/90	RV	47	46	3	*	3
7/24/90	RV	51	41	4	1	4
5/21/90	RV	47	45	5	1	2
10/10/88	RV	52	41	2	1	4
9/19/88	RV	51	39	3	1	6
6/22/85	RV	48	44	5	*	3
10/16/84	RV	52	44	2	NA	5
9/11/84	RV	53	45	2	NA	1
7/8/84	RV	58	40	2	NA	1
10/27/82	RV	58	39	NA	NA	3
10/11/82	RV	55	36	NA	NA	9
9/13/82	RV	58	36	NA	NA	6
11/22/81	RV	53	41	"	NA	7

*1/27/02 and previous: No "other candidate" option recorded

6. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as president? Do you approve/disapprove strongly or somewhat?

	----- Approve -----			----- Disapprove -----			No	
	NET	Strongly	Somewhat	NET	Somewhat	Strongly	opinion	
6/15/08	29	10	19	68	14	54	3	
5/11/08	31	15	16	66	14	52	2	
4/13/08	33	16	17	64	15	49	2	
3/2/08	32	15	17	66	16	50	2	
2/1/08	33	17	16	65	14	51	2	
1/12/08	32	16	16	66	15	51	2	
12/9/07	33	17	16	64	14	50	3	
11/1/07	33	17	16	64	13	50	3	
9/30/07	33	15	18	64	14	49	3	
9/7/07	33	16	17	64	15	49	3	
7/21/07	33	16	17	65	13	52	2	
6/1/07	35	17	18	62	16	46	3	
4/15/07	35	17	18	62	14	49	2	
2/25/07	36	19	17	62	12	49	2	
1/19/07	33	17	16	65	14	51	2	
12/11/06	36	18	18	62	13	49	2	
11/4/06	40	24	16	57	12	46	2	
10/22/06	37	21	16	60	15	45	3	
10/8/06	39	23	16	60	12	48	1	
9/7/06	42	24	18	55	12	43	3	
8/6/06	40	23	17	58	12	46	2	
6/25/06	38	20	18	60	12	48	2	
5/15/06	33	17	16	65	18	47	2	
4/9/06	38	20	18	60	13	47	1	
3/5/06	41	24	17	58	14	44	1	
1/26/06	42	25	18	56	14	42	2	
1/8/06	46	29	17	52	13	39	2	
12/18/05	47	29	17	52	12	40	1	
11/2/05	39	20	18	60	13	47	1	
10/29/05	39	22	17	58	13	45	3	
9/11/05	42	27	15	57	12	45	1	
8/28/05	45	27	18	53	12	41	2	
6/26/05	48	27	21	51	11	40	1	
6/5/05	48	27	21	52	14	38	1	
4/24/05	47	25	22	50	13	38	3	
3/13/05	50	31	19	48	11	37	3	
1/31/05	50	34	15	45	11	34	5	
1/16/05	52	33	19	46	11	35	2	
12/19/04	48	27	21	49	12	38	2	
10/20/04	50	30	20	46	11	35	4	
10/17/04	LV	54	35	19	9	36	2	
10/16/04	LV	54	35	19	44	10	34	2
10/15/04	LV	54	35	19	44	10	34	2
10/3/04	LV	53	36	17	46	11	34	1
9/26/04	50	33	18	45	13	32	5	
9/8/04	52	35	17	43	11	32	5	
8/29/04	50	31	19	47	13	34	3	
8/1/04	47	28	18	49	13	36	5	
7/25/04	50	32	19	47	13	34	3	
7/11/04	48	31	17	50	11	39	2	
6/20/04	47	30	17	51	13	39	1	
5/23/04	47	31	17	50	14	36	3	
4/18/04	51	33	18	47	13	34	1	
3/7/04	50	32	18	48	12	36	2	
2/11/04	50	30	21	47	14	34	2	
1/18/04	58	35	24	40	9	30	2	
12/21/03	59	39	21	38	15	23	3	
12/14/03	57	37	20	39	10	29	5	
12/7/03	53	32	21	40	13	27	7	

11/16/03	57	34	23	39	11	28	4	
10/29/03	56	30	26	42	13	29	2	
10/13/03	53	33	20	43	13	29	4	
9/30/03	54	34	20	44	15	29	2	
9/13/03	58	35	23	40	14	27	2	
9/7/03	56	34	22	41	13	28	4	
8/11/03	59	37	22	37	14	23	4	
7/10/03	59	35	24	38	13	25	3	
6/22/03	68	45	23	29	11	18	4	
4/30/03	71	50	22	26	17	9	3	
4/16/03	74	52	22	23	9	14	3	
4/9/03	77	58	19	20	6	14	4	
4/3/03	71	54	16	25	7	19	4	
3/23/03	68	NA	NA	27	NA	NA	4	
3/20/03	67	NA	NA	28	NA	NA	5	
3/2/03	62	38	23	35	13	22	4	
2/23/03	60	NA	NA	34	NA	NA	6	
2/9/03	64	42	21	34	14	20	3	
2/1/03	62	41	21	34	13	22	4	
1/28/03	62	43	19	36	13	23	2	
1/27/03	59	39	21	37	15	22	4	
1/20/03	59	36	23	38	16	22	2	
12/15/02	66	37	28	32	12	20	2	
11/4/02	LV	67	45	23	31	12	20	1
11/3/02	LV	67	45	22	32	12	20	1
11/2/02	LV	67	47	20	32	9	23	1
10/27/02	67	39	28	29	13	16	4	
9/26/02	67	42	25	30	12	18	3	
9/8/02	71	42	28	27	12	15	3	
7/28/02	69	39	31	28	14	14	3	
7/15/02	72	42	31	25	12	13	2	
6/17/02	74	42	32	22	9	13	4	
6/9/02	77	41	36	20	9	11	3	
5/19/02	76	48	28	22	8	13	3	
4/21/02	78	47	31	20	9	10	2	
3/28/02	79	49	30	18	8	10	3	
3/10/02	82	52	30	16	9	7	2	
1/27/02	83	56	27	14	7	7	3	
12/19/01	86	64	22	12	6	6	2	
11/27/01	89	69	21	9	4	5	1	
11/6/01	89	65	24	9	5	4	2	
10/9/01	92	76	16	6	3	3	1	
9/27/01	90	70	20	6	3	3	4	
9/13/01	86	63	23	12	5	6	2	
9/9/01	55	26	29	41	20	22	3	
8/12/01	61	28	33	31	14	17	8	
7/30/01	59	28	30	38	17	22	3	
6/3/01	55	27	28	40	18	22	6	
4/22/01	63	33	30	32	16	16	5	
3/25/01	58	NA	NA	33	NA	NA	8	
2/25/01	55	NA	NA	23	NA	NA	22	

7. Do you think things in this country (are generally going in the right direction) or do you feel things (have gotten pretty seriously off on the wrong track)?

	Right direction	Wrong track	No opinion	
6/15/08	14	84	2	
5/11/08	16	82	2	
1/12/08	21	77	2	
11/1/07	24	74	2	
6/1/07	25	73	2	
1/19/07	26	71	3	
11/4/06	RV	39	59	2
10/22/06	30	68	2	
10/8/06	32	66	2	
5/15/06	29	69	2	
11/2/05	30	68	2	
10/24/04	LV	41	55	4
4/18/04	42	57	1	
4/30/03	52	46	2	
9/26/02	43	53	4	
2/21/02	54	42	4	
2/14/99	55	41	4	
11/1/98	55	43	2	
11/1/98	LV	55	44	1
8/21/98	57	40	4	
7/12/98	50	45	6	
4/4/98	55	41	4	
1/31/98	61	34	5	
1/30/98	61	34	5	
1/19/98	44	50	6	
8/27/97	39	57	4	
6/8/97	37	60	3	
3/9/97	34	62	4	
10/17/96	RV	40	55	5
10/16/96	RV	42	53	5
10/15/96	RV	43	52	5
10/14/96	RV	44	51	5
10/13/96	RV	44	51	5
9/04/96	RV	40	54	6
8/21/96	28	67	5	
6/30/96	26	70	5	
3/17/96	27	70	3	
1/21/96	27	66	6	

1/3/96	21	77	3
4/5/95	23	73	3
1/4/95	27	68	6
10/31/94	27	69	4
7/20/94	26	70	4
3/27/94	28	69	3
1/23/94	31	60	10
11/14/93	25	69	6
8/8/93	26	71	3
6/20/93	26	71	3
4/26/93	27	71	2
3/11/93	36	57	7
2/28/93	37	59	4
1/17/93	31	63	6
12/14/92	35	60	5
10/27/92 RV	22	76	2
10/4/92 RV	18	78	4
6/7/92	14	83	3
4/9/92	16	81	3
3/11/92	18	79	4
1/15/92	19	78	3
11/10/91	24	72	4
10/29/91	26	71	3
8/27/91	31	60	9
7/28/91	30	67	3
6/2/91	39	57	4
4/9/91	42	51	7
2/26/91	58	39	3
1/27/91	49	48	4
10/14/90	19	79	2
9/9/90	36	60	4
8/20/90	35	60	5
7/24/90	37	60	2
5/21/90	39	60	2
3/26/90	44	53	2
2/4/90	49	48	3
1/16/90	48	49	3
5/23/89	42	55	3
3/16/89	46	52	2
1/16/89 LV	51	46	3
10/25/88 RV	49	46	6
9/27/88	48	44	8
7/11/88	40	56	4
5/25/88	35	59	6
3/21/88	40	56	4
1/23/88	39	59	2
12/13/87	49	47	4
12/2/87	35	61	4
9/23/87	43	54	4
6/29/87	35	62	3
4/13/87	37	60	3
3/9/87	38	58	4
1/18/87	39	56	5
9/8/86	50	48	2
1/26/86	45	47	8
7/29/85	52	43	6
1/16/85	59	36	4
5/22/84	47	48	5
12/13/83	43	51	6
11/7/83	51	44	5
4/12/83	41	54	4
3/2/83	43	53	3
1/25/83	58	39	3
1/25/83	43	52	4
10/11/82	35	57	8
1/30/82	39	56	5
2/80*	20	70	10
2/78	34	53	13
2/77	41	44	14
10/75	19	71	9
10/74	15	75	11
10/73	16	74	10

*2/80 and previous: Roper

8. Thinking ahead to the November presidential election, what is the single most important issue in your choice for president?

	2008				2007			
	6/15	5/11	4/13	2/1	1/12	12/9	11/1	9/7
Economy/Jobs	33	36	41	39	29	24	14	11
Iraq/War in Iraq	19	21	18	19	20	23	29	35
Health care	8	6	7	8	10	10	13	13
Gas/Oil prices/Energy	6	2	1	*	1	0	0	0
Terrorism/National security	4	4	5	5	4	9	5	6
Ethics/Honesty/Corruption in government	3	3	4	4	5	4	4	6
Education	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	1
Morals/Family values	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	2
Taxes	2	2	*	1	1	1	1	1
Abortion	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Foreign policy	2	1	1	1	2	1	2	1
Immigration/Illegal immigration	1	2	4	4	4	5	5	5

Environment	1	1	*	1	1	1	2	1
Guns/Gun control	1	1	*	*	*	*	*	*
Federal budget deficit	1	*	*	*	*	*	1	1
Housing/Mortgages	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Social Security	*	*	*	*	1	1	2	1
Global warming	*	0	0	*	*	*	*	*
Iran/Situation in Iran	0	*	0	0	*	0	*	0
None/Nothing	*	*	*	*	*	1	*	*
Other	7	7	7	6	9	7	9	7
No opinion	7	6	5	7	7	7	8	9

9. In your choice for president, how important is the [ITEM] - very important, somewhat important, not so important or not important at all?

6/15/08 - Summary Table

	--- Important ---			--- Not Important ---			No opinion
	NET	Very	Smwt.	NET	Not so	At all	
a. Race of the candidate	23	13	10	77	13	64	*
b. Age of the candidate	40	12	28	60	21	39	*

10. All in all, considering the costs to the United States versus the benefits to the United States, do you think the war with Iraq was worth fighting, or not? Do you feel that way strongly o

	---- Worth fighting ----			--- Not worth fighting ---			No opinion
	NET	Strongly	Somewhat	NET	Somewhat	Strongly	
6/15/08	34	21	13	63	9	54	3
4/13/08	34	24	11	64	11	52	2
3/2/08	34	24	11	63	12	51	2
2/1/08	34	23	11	65	11	53	1
1/12/08	35	21	13	64	13	51	2
12/9/07	37	25	12	61	11	50	2
11/1/07	35	23	12	63	12	51	2
9/30/07	38	25	14	59	12	47	3
9/7/07	36	23	13	62	11	51	2
7/21/07	36	25	12	63	10	53	1
6/1/07	37	24	12	61	12	50	2
4/15/07	33	22	11	66	12	54	1
2/25/07	34	22	12	64	13	51	2
1/10/07	40	28	12	58	11	47	2
12/11/06	36	25	11	61	12	50	2
11/4/06 RV	44	33	12	53	10	44	2
10/22/06	40	28	12	57	11	47	2
10/8/06	35	25	10	63	13	50	2
9/7/06	42	29	13	56	11	45	2
8/6/06	39	29	10	59	12	47	1
6/25/06	40	25	15	58	13	45	2
5/15/06	37	24	14	62	12	50	1
4/9/06	41	30	11	58	10	48	1
3/5/06	42	29	14	57	11	46	1
1/26/06	44	32	12	55	13	42	1
1/8/06	43	30	13	55	12	43	2
12/18/05	46	33	14	52	11	42	1
11/2/05	39	25	13	60	12	48	1
8/28/05	46	33	12	53	9	44	1
6/26/05	46	33	13	53	10	43	1
6/5/05	41	29	12	58	12	46	1
4/24/05	44	31	13	54	12	42	2
3/13/05	45	34	11	53	11	42	2
1/16/05	44	32	12	55	10	45	1
12/19/04	42	31	11	56	10	47	2
10/3/04 LV	49	34	15	48	11	37	3
9/26/04 RV	46	35	12	51	8	42	3
9/8/04 RV	51	38	13	45	10	34	4
8/29/04 RV	48	34	14	50	11	39	2
7/25/04	49	36	13	48	11	37	3
6/20/04	47	32	14	52	13	39	2
5/23/04	48	35	13	50	13	37	1
5/6/04	49	NA	NA	47	NA	NA	5
4/18/04	51	"	"	47	"	"	2
3/7/04	52			44			3
2/11/04	48			50			2
1/18/04	56			41			3
12/21/03	59			39			2
12/14/03	53			42			5
11/16/03	52			44			4
10/29/03	54			44			2
10/13/03	54			44			2
9/13/03	61			37			2
9/7/03	54			42			4
8/24/03	57			37			5
8/11/03	61			35			4
7/10/03	57			40			3
6/22/03	64			33			3
4/30/03	70			27			4
2/2/92*	66			32			2
7/28/91	67			30			3
6/2/91	70			26			3
3/4/91	86			13			1

*2/2/92 and previous: "the Persian Gulf war"; 3/4/91: "this war"

11. Do you think (the United States should keep its military forces in Iraq until civil order is restored there, even if that means continued U.S. military casualties); OR, do you think (the U

	Keep forces	Withdraw forces	No opinion
6/15/08	41	55	4
4/13/08	41	56	3
12/9/07	43	53	4
9/30/07	43	54	3
7/21/07	39	59	3
4/15/07	42	56	2
2/25/07	42	56	2
1/19/07	46	52	3
12/11/06	48	48	4
11/2/05	52	44	4
8/28/05	54	44	2
6/26/05	58	41	2
12/19/04	58	39	3
6/20/04	57	42	1
5/23/04	58	40	2
4/18/04	66	33	1
11/16/03	62	34	4
10/29/03	58	38	3
9/13/03	65	32	3
8/24/03	69	27	4
7/10/03	72	26	2

12. All told, do you think the United States is winning or losing the war in Iraq?

	Winning	Losing	Neither/ tie (vol.)	No opinion
6/15/08	38	46	9	6
9/7/07	34	48	14	5
4/15/07	32	53	12	2
1/10/07	29	57	12	2
12/11/06	34	52	9	4
12/18/05	56	34	8	2
8/28/05	51	38	8	3

13. The U.S. Supreme Court has ruled that non-citizens suspected of terrorism who are being held in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, should be allowed to challenge their detentions in the U.S

	Should	Should not	No opinion
6/15/08	34	61	6

14. Have recent price increases in gasoline caused any financial hardship for you or others in your household, or not? (IF YES) Has that been a serious hardship, or not serious?

	----- Yes -----		----- No -----		No opinion
	NET	Serious	Not serious	No	No opinion
6/15/08	77	51	25	23	0
5/11/08	63	34	29	37	*
4/13/08	67	38	29	32	1
5/21/07	58	27	30	42	*
4/15/07	67	36	31	33	*
7/19/06	60	29	30	39	1
5/15/06	57	31	26	43	*
4/9/06	70	44	26	30	*
9/11/05	64	34	30	36	*
8/28/05	66	36	30	34	*
8/21/05	53	26	27	47	*
4/24/05	64	34	30	36	*
3/20/05	57	29	28	43	*
5/23/04	64	37	27	36	0
4/18/04	54	31	23	46	0
4/28/02	53	20	33	47	*
4/29/01	48	17	30	52	*
6/25/00*	44	NA	NA	56	*
5/24/00	36			64	*
4/2/00	39			61	*
3/12/00	41			59	*
2/15/00	40	"	"	60	*

*6/25/00 and previous by Gallup; slightly different wordings.

15. (IF GAS IS A HARDSHIP) What steps, if any, have you taken to deal with the higher price of gasoline? (ACCEPT UP TO 3 RESPONSES)

-Base: Hardship- --- Base: All ---
6/15/08 5/11/08 6/15/08 5/11/08

Driving Less NET	72	66	55	42
Driving less	61	54	46	34
Carpooling/ride sharing	8	7	6	4
Cut back on other types of travel	5	2	4	1
Taking mass transit	3	3	2	2
Changing vacation plans	3	1	3	1
Telecommuting/working from home	1	*	*	*
Cut back on other expenses	11	7	8	4
Bought smaller/more fuel efficient car	8	8	6	5
Shopping around for cheaper gas	3	2	2	1
Running up debt/credit card bills, etc.	*	*	*	*
Other	11	10	8	6
None	5	9	4	6
No opinion	3	2	3	1

16. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of (NAME)? Do you feel that way strongly or somewhat?

6/15/08 - Summary Table

	----- Favorable -----			----- Unfavorable -----			No opinion
	NET	Strongly	Somewhat	NET	Somewhat	Strongly	
a. Barack Obama	63	35	28	33	12	21	4
b. John McCain	56	18	38	39	18	21	5
c. Hillary Clinton	54	26	28	43	17	26	3
d. Michelle Obama	48	21	27	29	11	18	23
e. Cindy McCain	39	10	28	25	13	12	36

Trend where available:

a. Barack Obama

	----- Favorable -----			----- Unfavorable -----			No opinion
	NET	Strongly	Somewhat	NET	Somewhat	Strongly	
6/15/08	63	35	28	33	12	21	4
4/13/08	56	28	28	39	14	25	5
1/12/08	63	31	32	30	14	16	7
11/1/07	51	21	30	36	16	20	13
2/25/07	53	21	33	30	16	14	16
1/19/07	45	NA	NA	29	NA	NA	25
12/11/06	44	21	22	23	17	6	33

b. John McCain

	----- Favorable -----			----- Unfavorable -----			No opinion
	NET	Strongly	Somewhat	NET	Somewhat	Strongly	
6/15/08	56	18	38	39	18	21	5
4/13/08	53	17	36	40	19	21	7
1/12/08	59	24	35	30	17	13	11
11/1/07	43	10	34	42	23	19	14
2/25/07	52	13	39	35	22	13	13
1/19/07	49	NA	NA	35	NA	NA	16
12/11/06	50	17	33	31	20	11	19
5/15/06	55	20	35	31	20	11	14
3/5/06	59	22	38	29	18	11	12
6/5/05	57	NA	NA	32	NA	NA	11
7/30/01	57			30			12
2/27/00	60			21			19
10/31/99	36			22			41
9/2/99	22			10			68
3/14/99	20			10			69

c. Hillary Clinton

	----- Favorable -----			----- Unfavorable -----			No opinion
	NET	Strongly	Somewhat	NET	Somewhat	Strongly	
6/15/08	54	26	28	43	17	26	3
4/13/08	44	22	23	54	15	39	2
1/12/08	58	32	26	40	11	29	2
11/1/07	50	28	22	46	11	35	4
2/25/07	49	25	24	48	13	35	3
1/19/07	54	31	23	44	14	30	3
12/11/06	56	27	29	40	11	29	4
5/15/06	54	29	25	42	11	31	4
3/5/06	52	27	25	46	12	33	2
6/5/05	51	NA	NA	46	NA	NA	3
6/1/03	44	15	29	48	16	32	8
9/2/99	49	NA	NA	44	NA	NA	7
6/6/99	59			35			6
3/14/99	60			36			4
2/14/99	63			31			6
11/1/98	64			31			5
8/21/98	64			28			8
8/19/98	64			32			4
4/4/98	58			33			10
1/30/98	60			30			10
1/19/98	52			39			9
3/9/97	47			44			9
9/4/96	RV			42			12
6/30/96	44			47			9
1/21/96	28			36			36
1/19/96	32			34			34
10/31/94	47			44			8

5/15/94	54	41	5
3/27/94	53	39	8
1/23/94	55	34	11
11/14/93	58	33	9
8/8/93	59	33	8
4/26/93	54	26	20
2/23/93	59	24	18
1/17/93	51	20	29
7/8/92	30	26	43
3/28/92	28	22	51

d. No trend.

e. No trend.

17. Regardless of who you may support, who do you trust more to handle [ITEM] - (Obama) or (McCain)?

6/15/08 - Summary Table*

	Obama	McCain	Both (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
a. The economy	52	36	2	5	5
b. International affairs	43	49	2	2	3
c. The war in Iraq	46	47	*	3	4
d. Issues of special concern to women	58	26	3	5	9
e. Gasoline prices	50	30	2	11	6
f. Global warming and other environmental issues	55	28	2	6	9
g. The U.S. campaign against terrorism	39	53	2	3	4
h. Taxes	48	40	1	6	6
i. Health care	53	33	1	6	7
j. Energy policy	51	36	1	5	6
k. Appointments to the U.S. Supreme Court	45	43	1	2	9

*Full sample asked item a, half sample asked items b-f, other half sample asked items g-k.

Trend where available:

a. The economy

	Obama	McCain	Both (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
6/15/08	52	36	2	5	5
5/11/08	48	38	2	8	4
3/2/08	49	37	2	6	6

b. No trend.

c. The war in Iraq

6/15/08	46	47	*	3	4
5/11/08	46	45	1	5	3
3/2/08	43	48	1	4	5

d. No trend.

e. Gasoline prices

6/15/08	50	30	2	11	6
5/11/08	48	28	3	14	7

f. No trend.

g. The U.S. campaign against terrorism

6/15/08	39	53	2	3	4
5/11/08	34	55	4	4	3
3/2/08	33	58	2	3	5

h. No trend.

i. Health care

6/15/08	53	33	1	6	7
5/11/08	55	31	2	7	5
3/2/08	56	30	*	7	6

j. No trend.

k. No trend.

18. Regardless of who you may support, who do you think [ITEM] - (Obama) or (McCain)?

6/15/08 - Summary Table*

	Obama	McCain	Both (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
a. is the stronger leader	46	46	3	1	4
b. would do more to bring needed change to Washington	60	26	1	8	4
c. better represents your own personal values	51	38	2	5	3
d. better understands the problems of people like you	53	35	1	7	4
e. would do more to stand up to lobbyists and special interest groups	51	36	2	6	5

*Full sample asked item a, half sample asked items b-c, other half sample asked d-e.

Trend where available:

a. is the stronger leader

	Obama	McCain	Both (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
6/15/08	46	46	3	1	4
5/11/08	42	46	3	2	6
3/2/08	40	51	2	1	6

b. would do more to bring needed change to Washington

6/15/08	60	26	1	8	4
5/11/08	59	29	2	6	4
3/2/08	56	31	1	6	6

c. No trend.

d. better understands the problems of people like you

6/15/08	53	35	1	7	4
5/11/08	54	35	2	5	3
3/2/08	56	29	2	7	7

e. No trend.

19. Which of these is more important to you in a candidate for president: (strength and experience) or (a new direction and new ideas)?

	Strength and experience	New direction and new ideas	Both (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
6/15/08	43	50	6	1	1
5/11/08	47	43	9	1	1
4/13/08	49	43	6	1	1
3/2/08	45	46	7	1	1
2/1/08	51	39	7	1	1
1/12/08	47	43	9	*	1
12/9/07	54	38	6	*	1
11/1/07	49	41	8	1	1
9/30/07	52	40	7	1	1
7/21/07	50	41	6	*	2

20. How much do you feel you know about [NAME] positions on specific issues - a great deal, a good amount, only some, or little or none?

6/15/08 - Summary Table

	-Grt deal/Good amount-			- Some/Little-none-			No opinion
	NET	Great	Good amt	NET	Some	Little	
a. Obama's	50	15	35	50	33	17	*
b. McCain's	48	12	36	51	32	19	*

Trend:

a. No trend.

b. McCain's

	-Great deal/Good amount-			-Only some/Little-none-			No opinion
	NET	Great	Good amt	NET	Some	Little	
6/15/08	48	12	36	51	32	19	*
2/24/00	32	6	26	66	40	27	2
10/31/99	16	4	12	83	22	60	1

21. Do you think of [NAME] as a very safe choice for president, somewhat safe, somewhat risky, or very risky?

	----- Safe -----			----- Risky -----			No opinion
	NET	Very	Smewht	NET	Smewht	Very	
a. Obama	52	18	34	46	28	18	2

b. McCain 56 16 40 42 25 17 2

Compare to:

	Safe			Risky			No opinion
	NET	Very	Smewht	NET	Smewht	Very	
Gore:							
7/23/00	57	18	39	40	24	15	3
2/27/00	58	24	33	40	21	20	2
9/2/99	53	17	36	44	26	19	3
Bush:							
7/23/00	59	20	39	38	24	13	3
2/27/00	61	22	39	37	17	20	2
9/2/99	66	22	44	31	23	8	3

22. Thinking about his candidacy for president so far, how enthusiastic are you about [NAME] - very enthusiastic, fairly enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not enthusiastic at all?

6/15/08 - Summary Table

	Enthusiastic			Not Enthusiastic			No opinion
	NET	Very	Fairly	NET	Not too	Not at all	
a. Obama	55	28	27	44	18	26	1
b. McCain	42	9	33	57	28	29	1

a. No trend.

b. McCain

	Enthusiastic			Not Enthusiastic			No opinion
	NET	Very	Fairly	NET	Not too	Not at all	
6/15/08	42	9	33	57	28	29	1
2/27/00	50	15	35	48	27	21	2

Compare to:

	Enthusiastic			Not Enthusiastic			No opinion
	NET	Very	Fairly	NET	Not too	Not at all	
Gore:							
4/2/00	45	17	28	55	23	32	*
2/27/00	43	17	26	56	23	33	1
3/14/99	39	12	27	59	24	35	1
Bush:							
4/2/00	50	20	29	50	24	26	*
2/27/00	50	18	32	50	19	30	1
3/14/99	55	17	38	42	21	21	3

Compare to:

7/17/95 - Summary table

	Enthusiastic			Not Enthusiastic			No opinion
	NET	Very	Fairly	NET	Not too	Not at all	
Bill Clinton	46	15	31	54	16	38	*
Bob Dole	35	8	27	64	24	39	1
Ross Perot	24	9	15	75	18	58	*

23. Regardless of who you may support, do you think Barack Obama does or does not have the kind of experience it takes to serve effectively as president?

	Does	Does not	No opinion
6/15/08	50	46	4
3/2/08	49	45	6

24. If McCain were elected president, do you think he'd (mainly lead the country in a new direction), or (mainly continue in George W. Bush's direction)?

	New direction	Same direction	No opinion
6/15/08	38	57	5

25. Do you think [NAME] views on most issues are too (liberal) for you, too (conservative) for you, or just about right?

a. Obama

	Too liberal	Too conservative	About right	No opinion
6/15/08	36	5	52	7
3/2/08	31	6	56	7

b. McCain

	Too liberal	Too conservative	About right	No opinion

	liberal	conservative	right	opinion
6/15/08	19	34	40	8
3/2/08	16	34	41	8
2/27/00	16	19	55	11
2/24/00	20	16	49	15
2/6/00	15	22	46	16

26. Some people say a president (should NOT meet with leaders of foreign countries that are hostile toward the United States, because it could reward their behavior and make the U.S.

	Should not meet	Should meet	No opinion
6/15/08	20	77	3

27. (ASKED OF LEANED DEMOCRATS) Who did you want to see win the Democratic nomination for president this year - (Hillary Clinton) or (Barack Obama)?

NET LEANED SUPPORT

	Hillary Clinton	Barack Obama	Other (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
6/15/08	39	59	1	1	1

28. (ASKED OF LEANED DEMOCRATS) Thinking about the outcome of the Democratic primaries, would you describe yourself as (enthusiastic, satisfied but not enthusiastic, dissatisfied

	NET	--- Enthusiastic/Satisfied ---	NET	--- Dissatisfied/Angry ---	NET	No opin.
6/15/08	75	32	43	24	21	4
						1

29. (ASKED OF LEANED DEMOCRATS) Who would you like Obama to choose as his vice presidential running-mate? (OPEN-ENDED)

	6/15/08	5/11/08	3/2/08
Hillary Clinton	46	39	36
John Edwards	8	10	11
Bill Richardson	2	3	3
Jim Webb	2	1	*
Al Gore	1	2	1
Joe Biden	1	*	1
Colin Powell	*	*	*
Evan Bayh	*	*	*
Kathleen Sebelius	*	*	*
Sam Nunn	*	*	*
Tom Daschle	*	*	*
Anthony Zinni	0	0	*
Chris Dodd	0	0	*
Joe Lieberman	0	*	*
Mike Bloomberg	0	*	*
Ted Strickland	0	0	*
Wesley Clark	0	0	*
Other	5	4	8
None	0	*	0
Up to him (vol.)	4	4	5
No opinion	31	36	34

30. Would having Hillary Clinton as Obama's vice presidential running-mate make you more likely to vote for the Democratic ticket in November, more likely to vote for the Republican ticket

	Democratic ticket	Republican ticket	Wouldn't make much difference	Would not vote (vol.)	No opinion
6/15/08	23	22	52	1	1
5/11/08	25	18	54	3	1

31. When it comes to representing the interests of [ITEM] do you think that as president Obama would do too much, too little or about the right amount? (IF TOO MUCH OR TOO LITTLE

6/15/08 - Summary Table

	NET	----- Too much ----- Big concern	Not big concern	NET	----- Too little ----- Not big concern	Big concern	About the right amt	No op.
a. African Americans	17	9	8	4	2	2	73	6
b. Middle-								

class	NET	Too much Big concern	Not big concern	NET	Too little Not big concern	Big concern	About the right amt	No op.
Americans	7	5	2	22	4	18	66	4

32. When it comes to representing the interests of [ITEM] do you think that as president McCain would do too much, too little or about the right amount? (IF TOO MUCH OR TOO LITTL

6/15/08 - Summary Table

	NET	Too much Big concern	Not big concern	NET	Too little Not big concern	Big concern	About the right amt	No op.
a. Large business corps.	40	31	9	16	8	8	38	6
b. Middle-class Americans	2	2	1	49	8	41	44	4

33. On another subject, do you think abortion should be legal in all cases, legal in most cases, illegal in most cases or illegal in all cases?

	NET	Legal All cases	Most cases	NET	Illegal Most cases	All cases	No opinion
6/15/08	53	18	35	44	28	16	3
1/12/08	57	21	36	40	25	15	3
12/9/07	53	18	35	44	27	17	3
11/1/07	55	19	36	43	27	16	2
7/21/07	56	23	34	41	28	14	2
2/25/07	56	16	39	42	31	12	2
12/18/0	56	17	40	41	27	13	3
4/24/05	56	20	36	42	27	14	3
12/19/04	55	21	34	42	25	17	3
5/23/04	54	23	31	44	23	20	2
1/20/03	57	23	34	42	25	17	2
8/12/01	49	22	27	48	28	20	3
6/24/01	52	22	31	43	23	20	4
1/15/01	59	21	38	39	25	14	1
9/6/00	RV 55	20	35	42	25	16	3
7/23/00	53	20	33	43	26	17	4
9/2/99	56	20	37	42	26	15	2
3/14/99	55	21	34	42	27	15	3
7/12/98	54	19	35	42	29	13	4
8/5/96	56	22	34	41	27	14	3
6/30/96	58	24	34	40	25	14	2
10/1/95	60	26	35	37	25	12	3
9/21/95	60	24	36	36	25	11	4
7/17/95	59	27	32	40	26	14	1

34. Which of these do you think is more important: (providing health care coverage for all Americans, even if it means raising taxes) or (holding down taxes, even if it means some Americ

	Providing healthcare for all Americans	Holding down taxes	No opinion
6/15/08	66	31	3
9/30/07	70	27	3
9/12/06	68	28	4
10/13/03	79	17	4
12/15/99	71	26	3

35. Do you think the government should (offer tax breaks for companies to develop alternative energy sources,) or should it (leave it to the marketplace to develop alternative energy sou

	Offer tax breaks	Leave it to marketplace	No opinion
6/15/08	63	32	4

36. Generally speaking, would you say you favor (smaller government with fewer services), or (larger government with more services)?

	Smaller govt. fewer services	Larger govt. more services	No opinion
6/15/08	50	45	5
11/1/07	50	44	5
6/20/04	50	46	4
11/4/02 LV	61	34	5
11/3/02 LV	60	34	5
11/2/02 LV	62	34	3
7/15/02	53	42	6

1/27/02	54	41	5
10/9/00 RV	58	32	10
10/1/00 RV	58	33	9
7/23/00	59	34	7
7/23/00 RV	61	32	7
4/2/00	56	38	7
8/16/98	59	35	6
8/5/96	63	32	5
7/8/92	55	38	7

37. Generally speaking, do you think race relations in the United States are excellent, good, not so good or poor?

	NET	Negative		NET	Not good	Poor	No opinion
		Ex.	Good				
6/15/08 All	51	4	47	47	36	12	1
Whites	53	3	50	46	36	10	1
Blacks	36	4	63	43	20	1	
Others	50	5	45	46	31	15	3
1/20/03 All	52	3	49	45	35	10	3
Whites	54	2	52	43	36	7	3
Blacks	44	4	40	55	37	18	1
Others	49	5	44	47	32	15	4
6/8/97 All	31	1	30	68	46	22	2
Whites	33	1	31	66	46	19	2
Blacks	24	2	23	75	42	34	1
5/7/96 All	28	4	24	69	44	25	3
Whites	28	4	24	70	47	23	2
Blacks	20	1	20	76	38	38	4
4/30/92 All	21	1	20	77	45	32	2
Whites	24	1	23	75	47	28	1
Blacks	11	1	10	88	29	59	1
3/3/92 All	32	2	30	66	45	21	2
Whites	34	2	32	64	44	20	2
Blacks	21	2	19	78	48	30	2

38. Do you think Obama's candidacy will do more to (help) or more to (hurt) race relations in this country, or won't it make much of a difference?

	Help	Hurt	Won't make	No
			much difference	opinion
6/15/08 All	42	15	40	3
Whites	38	17	43	2
Blacks	60	8	31	2

39. Do you yourself know any (black/white) person whom you consider a fairly close personal friend? (Asked of non-blacks about blacks, asked of blacks about whites)

	Yes	No	No opinion
6/15/08 All	81	18	*
Whites	79	20	*
Blacks	92	8	0
6/12/05 All	76	24	*
Whites	75	25	*
Blacks	82	18	0
1/20/03 All	77	23	*
Whites	75	25	0
Blacks	83	17	0
6/8/97 Whites	71	29	*
Blacks	83	17	0
5/7/96 Whites	69	31	*
Blacks	77	22	1
10/3/89 Whites	66	34	*
Blacks	80	20	*
1/14/86 Blacks	69	30	1
3/6/81 Whites	54	46	*
Blacks	69	31	*

40. Do you think blacks who live in your community experience racial discrimination, or not? IF YES: Do you think it happens often, occasionally, or rarely?

		----- Yes -----				No blacks	No
		NET	Often	Occas.	Rarely	(vol.)	opinion
6/15/08	All	49	15	25	9	45	3
	Whites	46	12	26	8	48	3
	Blacks	54	15	26	12	44	3
	Others	59	29	21	9	36	3
1/20/03	All	43	11	25	6	50	4
	Whites	40	9	25	6	52	5
	Blacks	58	23	28	7	40	1
	Others	45	14	26	5	50	2

41. Do you consider yourself to be a feminist, or not?

	Yes	No	No opinion
6/15/08	19	77	3
9/30/07	22	75	3
4/30/06*	24	69	7
5/24/05**	19	75	6
6/17/01**	23	73	4
12/16/99*	17	77	6
9/20/97*	19	75	6
10/11/91**	30	60	10

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42. If you honestly assessed yourself, would you say that you have at least some feelings of racial prejudice?

	Yes	No	No opinion
6/15/08 All	30	69	2
Whites	30	69	1
Blacks	34	65	1
Others	27	69	4

Compare to:

If you honestly assessed yourself, would you say that you have at least some racist feelings?

10/19/99 All	34	66	*
Whites	32	67	*
Blacks	40	60	1

43. Do you or does anyone in your house own a gun, or not?

	Yes	No	No opinion
6/15/08	42	58	*
4/22/07	45	55	0
10/8/06	42	58	*
10/20/02	41	59	*
5/10/00	45	55	*
4/2/00	43	56	*
9/2/99	44	56	*
5/16/99	46	53	*

44. (ASKED OF GUN OWNERS) What kind of gun or guns would that be - handgun, shotgun, rifle or what? (ACCEPT UP TO 4 RESPONSES)

	Handgun	Shotgun	Rifle	Other	No opinion
6/15/08	59	55	64	2	2
9/2/99	53	63	59	2	2

901. Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as:

	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Other	No op.
6/15/08	38	24	34	4	1
5/11/08	34	28	34	4	1
4/13/08	35	29	30	5	1
3/2/08	40	28	28	3	1
2/1/08	37	26	32	4	1
1/12/08	39	27	29	5	1
12/9/07	37	24	33	5	1
11/1/07	35	29	31	4	1
9/30/07	33	24	36	6	1
9/7/07	31	24	38	6	1
7/21/07	35	23	35	6	*
6/1/07	32	25	38	5	1
4/15/07	36	25	33	6	*
2/25/07	35	26	35	3	1
1/19/07	36	24	35	5	1
12/11/06	34	24	36	5	1
11/4/06	33	30	32	3	2
10/22/06	30	28	36	4	2

10/8/06	38	27	31	3	1
9/7/06	33	32	30	3	2
8/6/06	34	27	34	4	1
6/25/06	33	28	35	3	*
5/15/06	34	28	33	4	1
5/11/06	33	30	33	3	1
4/9/06	34	29	34	3	0
3/5/06	32	28	36	3	1
1/26/06	32	27	34	6	*
1/8/06	31	30	34	5	1
12/18/05	33	32	33	2	*
11/2/05	31	27	38	3	1
9/11/05	31	27	34	8	1
9/2/05	32	31	31	5	2
8/28/05	32	29	33	5	1
6/26/05	34	28	32	5	1
6/5/05	30	31	34	4	*
4/24/05	35	28	32	5	*

904. Do you lean more towards the:

	Democratic Party	Republican Party	(VOL)	Neither	No op.
6/15/08	43	37		19	2
5/11/08	50	29		19	2
4/13/08	42	37		19	2
3/2/08	46	26		22	5
2/1/08	43	30		23	4
1/12/08	38	26		32	4
12/9/07	39	32		24	4
11/1/07	42	34		22	2
9/30/07	38	34		27	1
9/7/07	40	27		28	5
7/21/07	42	34		22	1
6/1/07	45	27		26	2
4/15/07	39	30		29	2
2/25/07	42	33		24	1
1/19/07	50	27		20	3
12/11/06	44	32		23	1
NET LEANED PARTY:					

	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Other	No op.
6/15/08	54	38	7	1	*
5/11/08	53	39	6	2	*
4/13/08	50	42	6	2	*
3/2/08	55	36	7	1	1
2/1/08	53	37	8	2	1
1/12/08	52	36	9	3	*
12/9/07	53	36	8	3	*
11/1/07	50	41	6	2	1
9/30/07	50	38	9	2	*
9/7/07	49	36	11	3	1
7/21/07	53	38	7	3	0
6/1/07	52	36	10	2	1
4/15/07	51	37	10	2	*
2/25/07	52	39	8	1	*
1/19/07	56	34	7	2	*
12/11/06	52	38	7	3	*

905. Are you registered to vote at your present address, or not?

	Yes	No	No opinion
6/15/08	81	18	1
5/11/08	82	18	*
4/13/08	83	17	*
3/2/08	84	15	1
2/1/08	80	19	1
1/12/08	82	17	1
12/9/07	82	18	1
11/1/07	81	19	1
9/30/07	81	18	1
9/7/07	80	19	1
7/21/07	84	16	*
6/1/07	82	18	*
4/15/07	85	15	*
2/25/07	84	16	*
1/19/07	80	20	*
12/11/06	84	16	*
11/4/06	80	19	*
10/22/06	78	22	3
10/8/06	85	15	*
9/7/06	81	19	*
8/6/06	85	15	0
6/25/06	83	17	1
5/15/06	83	17	*
5/11/06	84	16	*
4/9/06	83	17	0
1/26/06	81	19	*
12/18/05	86	14	*
11/2/05	86	14	*

908a. Would you say your views on most political matters are liberal, moderate, or conservative?

Don't think in	No			those terms (vol.)	op.
	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative		
6/15/08	21	43	33	1	2
5/11/08	24	39	34	2	1
4/13/08	24	38	35	1	2
3/2/08	19	48	30	2	2
2/1/08	25	38	34	2	1
1/12/08	24	36	36	2	1
12/9/07	24	38	36	1	1
11/1/07	24	41	32	1	1
9/30/07	24	45	30	1	1
9/7/07	20	39	39	1	2
7/21/07	25	39	32	3	1
6/1/07	24	36	37	2	1
4/15/07	24	42	32	1	1
2/25/07	23	40	35	1	1
1/19/07	23	41	33	1	1
12/11/06	23	42	33	2	1
11/4/06	19	42	36	2	1
10/22/06	22	42	32	2	2
10/8/06	21	43	33	1	1
9/7/06	24	39	33	2	2
8/6/06	18	42	38	1	1
6/25/06	21	41	35	1	1
5/15/06	19	48	31	1	1
5/11/06	18	49	33	*	*
4/9/06	21	41	35	2	1
3/5/06	22	42	33	2	1
1/26/06	21	40	37	1	1
1/8/06	20	40	37	2	1
12/18/05	22	42	34	1	1
11/2/05	23	44	32	1	*
9/11/05	22	44	31	2	2
8/28/05	20	44	34	2	1
6/26/05	21	44	33	1	1
6/5/05	23	40	35	1	*
4/24/05	20	47	30	1	1

909. What was the last grade of school you completed?

High school or less	15
Graduated high school	32
Some college	23
Graduated College	20
Post-graduate	11

910. What is your age?

18-29	22
30-39	18
40-49	18
50-64	27
65+	16

911. What, if anything, is your religion?

	Christian		Other Non-Christian	None	No op.	
	Protestant	Catholic (Non-Protestant)				
6/15/08	42	24	12	5	15	*
5/11/08	42	22	15	4	15	*
4/13/08	45	22	14	4	13	1
3/2/08	42	21	12	5	17	*
2/1/08	42	21	13	5	17	*
1/12/08	44	21	14	4	15	*
12/9/07	43	21	13	4	16	1
11/1/07	46	21	15	6	13	1
9/30/07	44	21	14	6	15	*
9/7/07	46	21	14	4	13	*
7/21/07	46	20	14	5	12	*
6/1/07	44	22	14	4	15	1
4/15/07	42	21	17	5	13	1
2/25/07	44	21	14	6	14	*
1/19/07	44	23	10	5	14	1
12/11/06	42	21	12	2	16	1
11/4/06	48	23	12	2	12	1
10/22/06	44	21	14	3	15	1
10/8/06	44	19	13	5	15	*
9/7/06	46	19	12	6	14	1
8/6/06	45	23	12	3	16	1
6/25/06	45	23	12	4	14	*
5/15/06	46	22	14	4	12	*
5/11/06	46	24	10	4	13	1
4/9/06	42	24	14	5	14	*
3/5/06	44	21	14	4	14	*
1/26/06	46	24	11	4	14	1
1/8/06	45	20	12	4	15	1
12/18/05	44	21	13	3	15	1
11/2/05	46	21	11	6	15	*
9/11/05	44	23	12	3	15	*

8/28/05	44	23	14	3	13	1
6/26/05	46	22	10	4	16	*
6/5/05	47	23	11	4	14	*
4/24/05	47	21	12	4	14	1

911b. (IF CHRISTIAN) Would you consider yourself a born-again or evangelical Christian, or not?

	Yes	No	No opin.
6/15/08	40	57	3
5/11/08	40	56	4
4/13/08	43	54	3
3/2/08	42	56	2
2/1/08	43	56	2
1/12/08	40	57	3
12/9/07	44	54	2
11/1/07	41	56	3
9/30/07	42	55	3
9/7/07	44	54	3
7/21/07	45	54	1
6/1/07	42	56	3
4/15/07	40	58	2
2/25/07	42	55	3
1/19/07	43	55	2
12/11/06	44	53	3
11/4/06	43	55	2
10/22/06	43	53	4
10/8/06	44	55	1
9/7/06	45	53	2
8/6/06	46	51	3
6/25/06	42	55	3
5/15/06	42	56	1
5/11/06	38	60	2
4/9/06	40	59	1
3/5/06	46	53	1
1/26/06	44	54	2
1/8/06	45	51	3
12/18/05	43	54	2
11/2/05	41	57	2
9/11/05	40	58	2
8/28/05	43	54	3
6/26/05	42	55	3
6/5/05	44	54	2
4/24/05	42	56	2

914. Are you:

Never	Married	Separated	Divorced	Widowed	Married
6/15/08	53	2	10	9	26
5/11/08	55	2	9	8	25
4/13/08	53	1	12	8	26
3/2/08	54	3	10	7	27
2/1/08	56	3	10	8	24
1/12/08	55	3	12	7	23
12/9/07	57	2	10	8	23
11/1/07	58	4	11	7	21
9/30/07	53	2	12	7	26
7/21/07	57	3	10	6	23
6/1/07	56	2	10	7	25
4/15/07	58	2	11	8	22
2/25/07	58	2	10	9	21
1/19/07	58	4	10	7	20

INCOME. Which of the following CATEGORIES best describes your total annual household income before taxes, from all sources?

	-----Less than \$50k-----			-----More than \$50k-----				
	NET	<20k	20-35k	35-50k	NET	50-75k	75-100k	100k+
6/15/08	47	18	15	15	51	18	15	18
5/11/08	47	15	16	17	50	18	13	19
4/13/08	47	17	13	17	51	18	14	18
3/2/08	44	14	13	17	52	17	13	22
2/1/08	48	17	16	15	48	18	12	18
1/12/08	46	12	18	16	51	19	13	19
12/9/07	49	14	17	18	48	15	15	18
11/1/07	48	14	16	17	49	16	13	21
9/30/07	53	17	16	20	44	18	12	14
9/7/07	43	10	17	16	54	19	15	20
7/21/07	46	16	14	16	51	18	13	19
6/1/07	49	15	18	16	49	18	13	18
4/15/07	46	15	16	15	51	20	13	18
2/25/07	46	10	16	20	51	20	14	17
1/19/07	49	16	17	15	49	16	13	20
12/11/06	46	11	16	19	51	18	16	17
10/22/06	52	16	20	17	45	16	11	17
10/8/06	46	13	16	17	51	22	13	16
9/7/06	51	16	18	17	47	17	15	15
8/6/06	49	14	16	18	48	20	12	16
6/25/06	50	16	16	19	47	19	11	17

5/15/06	52	14	18	21	46	16	13	17
5/11/06	46	9	18	18	53	18	15	20
4/9/06	53	16	20	17	47	19	12	16
3/5/06	50	16	18	16	48	20	12	16
1/26/06	52	20	15	17	46	18	12	16
12/18/05	54	17	19	18	44	18	12	15
11/2/05	52	14	18	20	46	19	13	14
9/11/05	55	18	20	17	42	18	11	14
8/28/05	52	18	15	19	46	18	11	16
6/26/05	49	14	17	18	49	19	14	16
6/5/05	55	15	20	20	43	17	13	14
4/24/05	55	15	21	19	45	18	12	15

Q921. Sex

Male 48
Female 52

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