

Interviews: 1000 adults, including 250 cell phone only respondents

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NBC News/Wall Street Journal Survey

48 Male
52 Female

Please note: all results are shown as percentages unless otherwise stated.

The margin of error for 1,000 interviews is $\pm 3.1\%$

Unless otherwise noted by a "+", all previous data shown reflects responses among all adults.

Q2a For statistical purposes only, would you please tell me how old you are? **(IF "REFUSED," ASK:)** Well, would you tell me which age group you belong to? (READ LIST.)

18-24	11
25-29	7
30-34	9
35-39	9
40-44	11
45-49	6
50-54	11
55-59	10
60-64	10
65-69	7
70-74	3
75 and over.....	5
Not sure/refused	1

Q2b To ensure that we have a representative sample, would you please tell me whether you are from a Hispanic or Spanish-speaking background?

Yes, Hispanic.....	11
No, not Hispanic	89
Not sure/refused	-

Q2c And again, for statistical purposes only, what is your race--white, black, Asian, or something else?

White	74
Black	12
Asian	2
Other	5
Hispanic (VOL).....	7
Not sure/refused.....	-

Q3 All in all, do you think things in the nation are generally headed in the right direction, or do you feel things are off on the wrong track?

									High 9/01	Low 10/17- 20/08+
	6/12	5/12	4/12	3/12	1/12	12/11	11/11	10/11		
Headed in the right direction.....	31	33	33	33	30	22	19	17	72	12
Off on the wrong track	61	58	59	58	61	69	73	74	11	78
Mixed (VOL)	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	11	7
Not sure.....	3	4	2	4	4	3	3	4	6	3

	8/11	7/11	6/11	5/11	4/11	2/11	1/11	12/10	11/10
	19	25	29	36	28	31	35	28	32
	73	67	62	50	63	60	56	63	58
	5	5	6	10	6	6	5	6	6
	3	3	3	4	3	3	4	3	4

	10/28- 30/10+	10/14- 18/10+	9/10	8/26- 30/10	8/5- 9/10	6/10	5/6- 11/10	3/10	1/23 - 25/10
	31	32	32	30	32	29	34	33	32
	60	59	59	61	58	62	56	59	58
	5	6	5	6	6	5	6	5	7
	4	3	4	3	4	4	4	3	3

	1/10- 14/10	12/09	10/09	9/09	7/09	6/09	4/09	2/09	1/09
	34	33	36	39	39	42	43	41	26
	54	55	52	48	49	46	43	44	59
	10	10	9	10	9	9	10	9	9
	2	2	3	3	3	3	4	6	6

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q4 In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job Barack Obama is doing as president?

									High 4/09	Low 8/11
	6/12	5/12	4/12	3/12	1/12	12/11	11/11	10/11		
Approve	47	48	49	50	48	46	44	44	61	44
Disapprove.....	48	46	46	45	46	48	51	51	30	51
Not sure	5	6	5	5	6	6	5	5	9	5

	8/11	7/11	6/11	5/11	4/11	2/11	1/11	12/10	11/10
	44	47	49	52	49	48	53	45	47
	51	48	46	41	45	46	41	48	47
	5	5	5	7	6	6	6	7	6

	10/28- 30/10+	10/14- 18/10+	9/10	8/26- 30/10	8/5- 9/10	6/10	5/20- 23/10	5/6- 11/10	3/10
	45	47	46	45	47	45	48	50	48
	50	49	49	49	48	48	45	44	47
	5	4	5	6	5	7	7	6	5

	1/23- 25/10	1/10- 14/10	12/09	10/09	9/09	8/09	7/09	6/09	4/09	2/09
	50	48	47	51	51	51	53	56	61	60
	44	43	46	42	41	40	34	34	30	26
	6	9	7	7	8	9	7	10	9	14

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Q5 Do you generally approve or disapprove of the job Barack Obama is doing in handling the economy?

	<u>6/12</u>	<u>5/12</u>	<u>4/12</u>	<u>3/12</u>	<u>1/12</u>	<u>12/11</u>	<u>11/11</u>	<u>10/11</u>	<i>High</i> <u>2/09</u>	<i>Low</i> <u>8/11</u>
Approve.....	42	43	45	45	45	39	40	39	56	37
Disapprove.....	53	52	52	51	50	57	57	57	31	59
Not sure	5	5	3	4	5	4	3	4	13	4
		<u>8/11</u>	<u>7/11</u>	<u>6/11</u>	<u>5/11</u>	<u>4/11</u>	<u>2/11</u>	<u>1/11</u>	<u>12/10</u>	<u>11/10</u>
		37	43	41	37	45	46	45	42	42
		59	54	54	58	52	49	50	54	54
		4	3	5	5	3	5	5	4	4
			<u>10/14- 18/10+</u>	<u>9/10</u>	<u>8/26- 30/10</u>	<u>8/5- 9/10</u>	<u>6/10</u>	<u>5/6- 11/10</u>	<u>3/10</u>	<u>1/23- 25/10</u>
			43	42	39	44	46	48	47	47
			53	54	56	52	50	46	50	49
			4	4	5	4	4	6	3	4
			<u>1/10- 14/10</u>	<u>12/09</u>	<u>10/09</u>	<u>9/09</u>	<u>7/09</u>	<u>6/09</u>	<u>4/09</u>	<u>2/09</u>
			43	42	47	50	49	51	55	56
			49	51	46	42	44	38	37	31
			8	7	7	8	7	11	8	13

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I'd like to ask you a question about the November 2012 presidential election...

Q6 Please tell me how interested you are in November's elections, using a scale from one to ten, on which a "ten" means that you are very interested in November's elections and a "one" means that you are not at all interested. You may choose any number from one to ten. (IF "NOT SURE," RECORD AS "DK.")

	<u>6/12+</u>	<u>5/12+</u>	<u>4/12+</u>	<u>3/12+</u>	<u>1/12+</u>	<u>10/4- 5/08+</u>	<u>9/19- 22/08+</u>	<u>9/6- 8/08+</u>	<u>8/08+</u>	<u>7/08+</u>
10, very interested.....	60	62	61	48	57	72	70	69	65	64
9.....	8	7	6	11	10	7	8	10	8	8
8.....	12	12	12	14	11	10	9	10	11	12
7.....	7	6	7	9	7	4	5	3	5	5
6.....	3	4	3	5	3	1	2	2	2	3
5.....	5	5	5	6	6	3	3	2	3	4
4.....	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
3.....	1	1	2	1	2	-	1	1	1	1
2.....	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	1	1	-
1, not at all interested....	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	1	3	2
Cannot rate	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
		<u>6/08+</u>	<u>4/08+</u>	<u>3/08+</u>	<u>1/08+</u>	<u>12/07+</u>	<u>11/07+</u>	<u>10/04+</u>	<u>9/04+</u>	<u>8/04+</u>
		67	65	67	66	65	62	74	71	63
		7	9	8	10	8	9	8	7	10
		11	11	10	10	12	11	9	9	12
		5	4	5	4	5	6	3	5	6
		2	3	2	3	2	3	2	2	2
		4	3	3	4	4	5	2	4	4
		1	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	1
		1	2	1	1	1	1	1	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
		2	2	2	1	2	2	1	1	1
		-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

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(ASK ALL)

Q7 Now I'm going to read you the names of several public figures and groups and I'd like you to rate your feelings toward each one as very positive, somewhat positive, neutral, somewhat negative, or very negative. If you don't know the name, please just say so. (RANDOMIZE EXCEPT BARACK OBAMA)

	<u>Very Positive</u>	<u>Somewhat Positive</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat Negative</u>	<u>Very Negative</u>	<u>Don't Know Name/ Not Sure</u>
Barack Obama						
June 2012	29	19	14	11	27	-
May 2012	32	17	10	12	29	-
April 2012	30	18	13	13	26	-
March 2012	28	21	14	12	25	-
January 2012	28	22	10	14	25	1
December 2011	22	23	13	15	27	-
November 2011	26	19	15	13	27	-
October 2011	23	23	14	12	28	-
August 2011	24	20	12	14	30	-
June 2011	27	22	14	13	24	-
May 2011	33	21	14	13	18	1
April 2011	28	22	14	13	23	-
February 2011	28	21	15	15	20	1
January 2011	29	23	15	14	18	1
December 2010	25	23	14	14	24	-
November 2010	28	21	12	13	26	-
October 28-30, 2010+	29	18	12	15	27	-
October 14-18, 2010+	29	19	9	17	26	-
September 2010	29	18	12	14	27	-
August 26-30, 2010	26	20	12	14	27	1
August 5-9, 2010	27	19	13	14	27	-
June 2010	27	20	13	15	25	-
May 20-23, 2010	28	19	15	14	24	-
May 6-11, 2010	29	20	12	14	24	1
March 2010	31	19	11	14	24	1
January 23-25, 2010	29	23	14	14	20	-
January 10-14, 2010	29	23	12	16	19	1
December 2009	29	21	13	15	22	-
October 2009	36	20	11	12	21	-
September 2009	38	18	11	14	19	-
July 2009	37	18	10	14	20	1
June 2009	41	19	11	12	17	-
April 2009	45	19	12	10	13	1
February 2009	47	21	12	9	10	1
January 2009	43	23	17	8	6	3
December 2008	45	22	15	8	8	2
October 17-20, 2008+	37	19	10	10	23	1
October 4-5, 2008+	30	22	12	12	23	1
September 19-22, 2008+	29	19	15	14	22	1
September 6-8, 2008+	33	20	13	12	20	2
August 2008+	28	22	13	17	19	1
July 2008+	27	21	16	11	23	2
June 2008+	25	23	17	11	22	2
April 2008+	23	23	16	17	20	1
March 2008+	24	25	18	16	16	1
January 2008	19	30	22	11	14	4

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Barack Obama (cont'd)

	<u>Very Positive</u>	<u>Somewhat Positive</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat Negative</u>	<u>Very Negative</u>	<u>Don't Know Name/ Not Sure</u>
December 2007.....	17	29	22	14	12	6
November 2007.....	15	28	24	12	12	9
September 2007.....	15	27	23	13	12	10
July 2007.....	16	26	24	12	10	12
April 2007.....	19	26	25	8	6	16
March 2007.....	18	19	26	11	6	20

Barack Obama

<i>High</i>						
February 2009.....	47	21	12	9	10	1
<i>Presidential Term Low</i>						
August 2011.....	24	20	12	14	30	-
<i>All-time Obama Low</i>						
October 28-30, 2006+.....	14	17	18	5	6	40
NBC-WSJ All-time Presidential Tracking High/Low within Presidential Term						
<i>High</i>						
March 1991						
(George H.W. Bush).....	50	30	9	6	4	1
<i>Low</i>						
October 17-20, 2008+.....						
(George W. Bush).....	11	18	11	15	45	-

The Democratic Party

June 2012.....	14	23	25	18	19	1
May 2012.....	17	22	19	21	19	1
April 2012.....	15	24	21	19	19	1
March 2012.....	15	23	24	18	18	2
January 2012.....	15	23	23	21	18	-
December 2011.....	9	23	25	23	19	1
November 2011.....	15	25	22	18	19	1
October 2011.....	12	25	19	20	22	2
August 2011.....	11	22	21	19	25	2
June 2011.....	13	25	21	19	20	2
May 2011.....	15	26	22	18	17	2
April 2011.....	12	26	22	18	21	1
January 2011.....	15	24	25	19	16	1
December 2010.....	9	28	20	18	23	2
November 2010.....	14	26	18	18	23	1
October 28-30, 2010+.....	16	23	17	19	23	2
October 14-18, 2010+.....	14	24	16	19	26	1
September 2010.....	15	22	20	20	22	1
August 26-30, 2010.....	11	25	19	19	24	2
August 5-9, 2010.....	11	22	22	18	26	1
June 2010.....	11	24	21	20	24	-
May 20-23, 2010.....	15	26	18	18	22	1
May 6-11, 2010.....	11	26	19	18	24	2
March 2010.....	9	28	19	19	24	1
January 23-25, 2010.....	14	25	22	17	21	1
January 10-14, 2010.....	11	27	20	18	23	1
December 2009.....	10	25	19	19	26	1
October 2009.....	14	28	20	14	22	2
September 2009.....	14	27	18	17	22	2
July 2009.....	13	29	19	17	20	2
June 2009.....	19	26	16	16	21	2
April 2009.....	17	28	19	15	19	2

	Very Positive	Somewhat Positive	Neutral	Somewhat Negative	Very Negative	Don't Know Name/ Not Sure
The Democratic Party (cont'd)						
February 2009.....	20	29	18	14	17	2
December 2008.....	17	32	22	15	13	1
October 17-20, 2008+	16	23	22	17	21	1
October 4-5, 2008+	15	26	20	18	19	2
September 19-22, 2008+	19	23	20	16	20	2
September 6-8, 2008+	24	25	17	19	14	1
August 2008+	17	26	21	16	19	1
July 2008+	15	28	18	18	19	2
June 2008+	16	27	24	13	19	1
April 2008+	17	27	22	15	17	2
March 7-10, 2008+	20	25	18	16	19	2
January 2008	22	25	19	18	15	1
November 2007.....	12	27	24	18	17	2
September 2007.....	8	26	27	22	16	1
July 2007.....	15	27	21	20	15	2
January 2007	13	29	26	16	14	2
October 28-30, 2006+	14	25	25	18	17	1
July 2006.....	7	25	27	22	17	2
January 2006	11	25	28	20	15	1
May 2005	12	26	26	20	14	2
February 2005.....	14	28	28	16	13	1
October 2004+	17	25	22	16	19	1
<i>High</i>						
January 2000	20	30	23	15	10	2
<i>Low</i>						
July 2006.....	7	25	27	22	17	2
The Republican Party						
June 2012	10	21	23	18	26	2
May 2012	9	23	23	19	24	2
April 2012.....	11	22	23	19	24	1
March 2012	8	24	23	19	24	2
January 2012	8	23	24	19	25	1
December 2011.....	6	21	23	23	25	2
November 2011.....	9	21	23	18	26	3
October 2011	11	22	21	18	26	2
August 2011	8	24	21	23	23	1
June 2011	8	22	24	23	21	2
May 2011	8	24	22	21	23	2
April 2011.....	7	24	24	22	22	1
January 2011	7	27	24	21	19	2
December 2010.....	11	27	23	17	20	2
November 2010.....	11	23	24	20	19	3
October 28-30, 2010+	12	22	24	18	23	1
October 14-18, 2010+	8	23	25	19	23	2
September 2010.....	8	23	25	21	22	1
August 26-30, 2010.....	7	23	25	22	21	2
August 5-9, 2010.....	6	18	28	24	22	2
June 2010	6	24	26	23	19	2
May 20-23, 2010	10	23	26	21	19	1
May 6-11, 2010	8	22	26	22	20	2
March 2010	6	25	24	20	23	2
January 23-25, 2010	7	25	27	18	20	3
January 10-14, 2010	7	23	27	24	18	1
December 2009.....	5	23	27	24	19	2
October 2009	6	19	27	23	23	2
September 2009.....	5	23	27	22	21	2
July 2009.....	9	19	29	21	20	2
June 2009	6	19	29	23	21	2
April 2009.....	7	22	25	22	22	2

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	Very Positive	Somewhat Positive	Neutral	Somewhat Negative	Very Negative	Don't Know Name/ Not Sure
The Republican Party (cont'd)						
February 2009.....	7	19	24	25	22	3
December 2008.....	7	20	20	26	26	1
October 17-20, 2008+	11	21	18	23	25	2
October 4-5, 2008+	12	23	17	21	26	1
September 19-22, 2008+	13	21	18	19	28	1
September 6-8, 2008+	18	22	15	18	25	2
August 2008+	10	25	22	19	23	1
July 2008+	8	23	20	22	26	1
June 2008+	7	21	24	22	25	1
April 2008+	8	19	23	22	26	2
March 7-10, 2008+	10	24	15	21	28	2
January 2008	13	21	26	19	18	3
November 2007	8	24	24	20	22	2
September 2007	8	23	20	27	20	2
July 2007	8	25	19	23	23	2
January 2007	10	23	21	23	21	2
Oct 28-30, 2006+	15	20	16	20	28	1
July 2006	11	22	18	21	25	3
January 2006	13	24	20	20	22	1
May 2005	13	27	17	19	22	2
February 2005	17	27	19	18	18	1
October 2004+	20	24	18	15	22	1
<i>High</i>						
December 2001	21	36	18	13	9	3
<i>Low</i>						
August 5-9, 2010	6	18	28	24	22	2
Mitt Romney						
June 2012	9	24	22	17	22	6
May 2012	10	24	23	19	19	5
April 2012	10	23	26	18	18	6
March 2012	6	22	28	20	19	5
January 2012	6	25	26	21	15	7
December 2011	4	20	30	21	11	14
November 2011	5	21	32	17	13	12
October 2011	6	21	30	17	12	14
August 2011	5	19	32	18	11	15
June 2011	7	20	30	16	10	17
February 2011	6	19	30	13	12	20
December 9-13, 2010	10	18	30	10	10	22
September 2010	6	15	29	20	10	20
March 2010	7	20	29	16	9	19
July 2009	10	18	30	12	8	22
April 2008+	9	19	31	17	11	13
January 2008	7	21	24	19	13	16
December 2007	9	16	26	16	11	22
November 2007	4	18	27	17	12	22
September 2007	6	18	26	14	11	25
June 2007	5	16	23	13	7	36
March 2007	4	11	24	11	6	44
December 2006	3	8	22	7	4	56

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	Very Positive	Somewhat Positive	Neutral	Somewhat Negative	Very Negative	Don't Know Name/ Not Sure
George W. Bush						
June 2012	13	23	18	19	26	1
August 2011	15	20	20	20	24	-
May 2011	13	24	22	16	24	1
October 28-30, 2010+	12	20	16	17	34	1
August 26-30, 2010+	8	22	22	15	32	1
June 2010	7	22	21	19	31	-
January 2010	10	20	18	17	34	1
April 2009	9	17	15	16	41	2
January 2009	13	18	11	17	41	-
December 2008	11	20	10	16	43	-
October 17-20, 2008+	11	18	11	15	45	-
October 4-5, 2008+	12	18	12	13	45	-
September 19-22, 2008+ ...	13	17	11	13	46	-
September 6-8, 2008+	15	18	12	14	41	-
August 2008+	15	19	11	15	40	-
July 2008+	14	18	10	16	42	-
June 2008+	11	19	10	16	44	-
April 2008+	12	19	13	14	42	-
March 24-25, 2008+	16	17	12	13	41	1
March 7-10, 2008+	16	18	10	12	43	1
January 2008	14	18	10	17	40	1
June 2007	12	20	11	15	42	-
January 2007	17	18	12	17	35	1
June 2006	18	21	9	15	37	-
January 2006	24	17	12	13	33	1
July 2005	27	20	10	15	28	-
January 2005	32	19	9	15	25	-
June 2004+	33	15	8	14	30	-
January 2004	38	17	8	13	24	-
July 2003	38	21	9	14	17	-
January 2003	36	20	12	16	16	-
June 2002	43	27	11	10	9	-
January 2002	53	26	10	7	4	-
June 2001	30	23	16	15	15	1
January 2001	25	25	18	13	17	2
<i>High</i>						
December 2001	54	26	9	6	5	-
<i>Low</i>						
April 2009	9	17	15	16	41	2
Bain Capital						
June 2012*	3	5	19	8	12	53
May 2012	3	6	19	10	9	53
Solyndra						
June 2012**	1	1	15	7	17	59

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

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SUMMARY TABLE OF IMAGES – BY D/S (POSITIVE – NEGATIVE)

	TOTAL POSITIVE	TOTAL NEGATIVE	D/S
Barack Obama	48	38	10
The Democratic Party	37	37	-
Mitt Romney	33	39	-6
George W. Bush	36	45	-9
Bain Capital	8	20	-12
The Republican Party	31	44	-13
Solyndra	2	24	-22

Now, thinking about something else...

Q8 I'm going to read you two statements about the role of government, and I'd like to know which one comes closer to your point of view. (ROTATE STATEMENTS.)

Statement A: Government should do more to solve problems and help meet the needs of people,
OR

Statement B: Government is doing too many things better left to businesses and individuals.

	<u>6/12</u>	<u>6/11</u>	<u>2/11</u>	<u>10/10+</u>	<u>8/26- 30/10</u>	<u>6/10</u>	<u>1/10- 14/10</u>	<u>12/09</u>	<u>10/09</u>	<u>9/09</u>
A/Government should do more	49	51	51	45	47	47	43	44	46	45
B/Government is doing too many things	47	46	46	50	47	49	48	47	48	49
Some of both (VOL)	2	2	2	2	3	2	6	7	5	5
Not sure	2	1	1	3	3	2	3	2	1	1
	<u>4/09</u>	<u>2/09</u>	<u>10/4- 5/08+</u>	<u>9/19- 22/08+</u>	<u>7/08+</u>	<u>9/07</u>	<u>3/07</u>	<u>1/02</u>	<u>12/97</u>	<u>12/95</u> ¹
	47	51	47	48	53	55	52	45	41	32
	46	40	45	42	42	38	40	43	51	62
	6	7	7	8	NA	6	6	9	5	NA
	1	2	1	2	5	1	2	3	3	6

¹ In December 1995, the question was phrased, "Some people think the government is trying to do too many things that should be left to individuals and businesses. Others think that government should do more to solve our country's problems. Which comes closer to your own view?"

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Now, thinking again about this November's elections...

Q9 What is your preference for the outcome of this year's congressional elections -- (ROTATE:) a Congress controlled by Republicans or a Congress controlled by Democrats?

	<u>6/12+</u>	<u>5/12+</u>	<u>4/12+</u>	<u>3/12+</u>	<u>1/12+</u>	<u>12/11+</u>	<u>11/11+</u>	<u>10/11+</u>	<u>8/11+</u>	<u>6/11+</u>
Republican-controlled Congress	44	43	44	41	41	43	43	41	47	44
Democrat-controlled Congress.....	45	44	46	46	47	45	46	45	41	44
Not sure.....	11	13	10	13	12	12	11	14	12	12
	<u>10/10+</u>	<u>9/10+</u>	<u>8/26- 30/10+</u>	<u>8/5- 9/10+</u>	<u>6/10+</u>	<u>5/20- 23/10+</u>	<u>5/6- 11/10+</u>	<u>3/10+</u>	<u>1/23- 25/10+</u>	
	44	44	43	42	45	44	44	42	42	
	46	44	43	43	43	43	44	45	44	
	10	12	14	15	12	13	12	13	14	
	<u>1/10- 14/10+</u>	<u>12/09+</u>	<u>10/09+</u>	<u>9/09+</u>	<u>7/09+</u>	<u>4/09+</u>	<u>11/08+</u>	<u>10/08+</u>	<u>9/08+</u>	
	41	41	38	40	39	39	36	36	37	
	41	43	46	43	46	48	48	49	50	
	18	16	16	17	15	13	16	15	13	
	<u>8/08+</u>	<u>7/08+</u>	<u>6/08+</u>	<u>4/08+</u>	<u>3/08+</u>	<u>11/07+</u>	<u>9/07+</u>	<u>10/06+</u>	<u>9/06+</u>	
	36	36	33	34	35	37	35	37	39	
	47	49	52	49	49	46	47	52	48	
	17	15	15	17	16	17	18	11	13	
	<u>7/06+</u>	<u>6/06+</u>	<u>4/06+</u>	<u>3/06+</u>	<u>1/06+</u>	<u>12/05+</u>	<u>11/05+</u>	<u>10/05+</u>	<u>7/05+</u>	
	38	38	39	37	38	38	37	39	40	
	48	49	45	50	47	46	48	48	45	
	14	13	16	13	15	16	15	13	15	
	<u>5/05+</u>	<u>10/04+</u>	<u>9/04+</u>	<u>6/04+</u>	<u>5/04+</u>	<u>3/04+</u>	<u>1/04</u>	<u>12/13/03</u>	<u>10/02+</u>	<u>9/02</u>
	40	43	42	42	41	42	42	42	43	42
	47	44	46	44	44	45	43	42	42	42
	13	13	12	14	15	13	15	16	15	16
	<u>7/02</u>	<u>6/02</u>	<u>1/02</u>	<u>12/01</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>7/99</u>	<u>6/99</u>	<u>4/99</u>	<u>3/99</u>
	43	42	44	42	40	39	39	42	41	37
	41	41	40	40	44	41	43	41	40	43
	16	17	16	18	16	20	18	17	19	20
	<u>10/98+</u>	<u>9/98</u>	<u>7/98</u>	<u>6/98</u>	<u>2/98</u>	<u>1/98</u>	<u>12/97</u>	<u>9/97</u>	<u>7/97</u>	<u>4/97</u>
	41	40	41	39	41	40	41	41	45	44
	43	39	40	40	37	42	37	39	39	38
	16	21	19	21	22	18	22	20	16	18

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q10 What are the chances of your voting in the election for President and Congress in November, are you almost certain to vote, will you probably vote, are the chances 50-50, or don't you think you will vote?+ (ROTATE OPTIONS TOP TO BOTTOM/BOTTOM TO TOP)

Almost certain to vote.....	88
Probably vote	5
50/50	5
Don't think will vote.....	1
Not sure.....	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q11 And, if the next election for president were held today, and (ROTATE) Mitt Romney were the Republican candidate and Barack Obama were the Democratic candidate, for whom would you vote?

	<u>6/12+</u>	<u>5/12+</u>	<u>4/12+</u>	<u>3/12+</u>	<u>1/12+</u>	<u>12/11+</u>	<u>11/11+</u>	<u>10/11+</u>
Mitt Romney	44	43	43	44	43	45	43	44
Barack Obama	47	47	49	50	49	47	49	46
Depends (VOL)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Neither/other (VOL)	3	6	4	4	4	4	4	5
Not sure	5	4	2	1	3	3	3	4
		<u>8/11+</u>	<u>6/11+</u>	<u>2/11+</u>	<u>12/10</u>	<u>1/08</u>	<u>11/07</u>	<u>9/07</u>
		45	43	40	40	35	36	34
		46	49	49	47	48	48	51
		2	1	-	1	2	1	1
		4	3	6	6	7	6	7
		3	4	5	6	8	9	7

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q12a Would you definitely vote for (CANDIDATE CHOSEN IN Q11), probably vote for (CANDIDATE CHOSEN IN Q11) but are still thinking about it, or are you just leaning toward voting for (CANDIDATE CHOSEN IN Q11)?

RESULTS SHOWN AMONG VOTERS WHO CHOSE EACH CANDIDATE

	Romney Voters+		
	<u>6/12</u>	<u>5/12</u>	<u>4/12</u>
Definitely vote for candidate	68	72	65
Probably vote for candidate	20	14	16
Just leaning toward voting for candidate	12	14	19
Not sure	-	-	-

	Obama Voters+		
	<u>6/12</u>	<u>5/12</u>	<u>4/12</u>
Definitely vote for candidate	78	73	74
Probably vote for candidate	10	13	13
Just leaning toward voting for candidate	12	13	12
Not sure	-	1	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

RESULTS SHOWN OFF BASE OF ALL REGISTERED VOTERS

	Romney Voters+		
	<u>6/12</u>	<u>5/12</u>	<u>4/12</u>
Definitely vote for candidate	30	31	28
Probably vote for candidate	9	6	7
Just leaning toward voting for candidate	5	6	8
Not sure	-	-	-
TOTAL VOTE (Q12)	44	43	43

	Obama Voters+		
	<u>6/12</u>	<u>5/12</u>	<u>4/12</u>
Definitely vote for candidate	37	34	37
Probably vote for candidate	5	6	6
Just leaning toward voting for candidate	5	7	6
Not sure	-	-	-
TOTAL VOTE (Q12)	47	47	49

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q12b Would you say that your vote is more FOR Barack Obama or more AGAINST Mitt Romney?+

Results shown among Obama voters

More for Barack Obama	72
More against Mitt Romney	22
Some of both (VOL)	4
Not sure	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters

Q12c Would you say that your vote is more FOR Mitt Romney or more AGAINST Barack Obama?+

Results shown among Romney voters

More for Mitt Romney	35
More against Barack Obama	58
Some of both (VOL)	5
Not sure	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters

Q13 And, if the next election for president were held today, for whom would you vote if the choices were (ROTATE ALWAYS READ INDEPENDENT LAST) Mitt Romney the Republican candidate, Barack Obama the Democratic candidate, or an Independent candidate?+

Mitt Romney	33
Barack Obama	41
Independent	15
Depends (VOL)	7
None/other (VOL)	1
Not sure	3

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters

Q14 Now, compared with previous elections, are you more enthusiastic about voting than usual, or less enthusiastic?

	<u>6/12+</u>	<u>3/12+</u>	<u>12/11+</u>	<u>11/11+</u>	<u>10/11+</u>
More enthusiastic	47	46	43	47	50
Less enthusiastic	36	40	39	38	38
Same (VOL)	15	13	17	13	11
Not sure	2	1	1	2	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Moving on...

(Q15-16 AS ROTATED BLOCK WITH Q17-18)

Q15 How much would you say you know about Mitt Romney and what he stands for--a lot, a fair amount, just some, or very little?

Know a lot	20
Know a fair amount	46
Know just some	22
Know very little	12
Not sure	-
+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters	

Q16 What is the first thing that comes to mind when you think about Mitt Romney as president?+*

Net Positive	40%	Net Negative	43%
GOOD BUSINESSMAN	10	WEALTHY/FAVORS THE WEALTHY	12
CHANGE	10	BAD/DISASTER	7
CONSERVATIVE/FOR SMALLER GOVERNMENT	7	OUT OF TOUCH	7
IMPROVE ECONOMY	5	WOMEN'S RIGHTS/ABORTION STANCE	5
AGAINST OBAMACARE	3	BIG BUSINESS	4
EXPERIENCE	3	DON'T LIKE HIM/DON'T TRUST HIM	4
HONEST/TRUSTWORTHY	3	GEORGE BUSH/REPUBLICAN POLICIES	3
CONFIDENCE	2	FLIP FLOPPER	3
MORALS/FAMILY VALUES	2	BAIN CAPITAL	3
WILL CUT SPENDING/LOWER TAXES	1	WOULD CUT ENTITLEMENT PROGRAMS	2
MORE QUALIFIED	1	WOULD NOT MAKE A GOOD PRESIDENT	2
GOOD LEADER	1	COLD/NOT COMPASSIONATE	1
		DISHONEST/A LIAR	1
		OUTSOURCING OF JOBS/CUTTING AMERICAN	
		JOBS	1
		AGAINST GAY MARRIAGE	1
		PERSONIFIES CORPORATE AMERICA	1
		Neutral	
		HIS RELIGION/LDS/MORMON	5
		REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE	2
		OTHER	10
		Don't know; no response	9

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q17 How much would you say you know about Barack Obama and what he stands for--a lot, a fair amount, just some, or very little?

	6/12+	6/08+
Know a lot	43	22
Know a fair amount	45	40
Know just some	7	21
Know very little	4	16
Not sure	1	1
+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.		

Q18 What is the first thing that comes to mind when you think about Barack Obama as president?+**

Net Positive	54%	Net Negative	49%
OBAMACARE/HEALTH CARE	17	THE ECONOMY	15
GOOD LEADER/DOING GOOD JOB FOR THE PEOPLE	10 6	LACK OF EXPERIENCE/INCOMPETENT	9
FAIR/HONEST	5	HIGH UNEMPLOYMENT	6
DOING THE BEST HE CAN/HAS NO SUPPORT CHANGE	4 4	BROKEN PROMISES	6
HANDLING OF MILITARY/WAR	3	SOCIALIST	5
GOOD SPEAKER	3	LIBERAL/FOR LARGER GOVERNMENT	5
IMMIGRATION	3	BAD/DISASTER	4
EDUCATED/INTELLIGENT	2	BIG SPENDER/HIGH TAXES	4
SUPPORTS GAY MARRIAGE	1	REPUBLICANS/CONGRESS BLOCKING	3
FIRST BLACK PRESIDENT/HIS ETHNICITY	1	DON'T LIKE HIM/DON'T TRUST HIM	2
SUPPORTS ENTITLEMENT PROGRAMS	1	DISAPPOINTING/A FAILURE	2
INHERITED A BAD SITUATION	1	SOLYNDRA	1
		DISHONEST/A LIAR	1
		Neutral	
		DEMOCRAT	1
		WAS ILLINOIS SENATOR	1
		OTHER	7
		Don't know; no response	2

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q19 If Mitt Romney were selected as the Republican presidential nominee, would you be comfortable with that choice, or would you be uncomfortable with that choice? (IF "COMFORTABLE" OR "UNCOMFORTABLE," ASK:) Would that be very (comfortable/uncomfortable) or somewhat (comfortable/uncomfortable)?+ (RANDOMIZE)

Very comfortable	24
Somewhat comfortable	34
Somewhat uncomfortable	14
Very uncomfortable	22
Both (VOL).....	1
Don't know/Not sure	5
+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.	

Changing topics...

Q20a In deciding your vote for president, will the candidate's race be the single most important factor, one of several important factors, or not an important factor?

<i>All Voters</i>				
	<u>6/12+</u>	<u>7/08+</u>	<u>6/08+</u>	<u>4/08+</u>
Single most important factor	10	10	6	4
One of several important factor	18	16	14	11
Not an important factor	71	73	79	84
Not sure	1	1	1	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<i>White Voters</i>				
	<u>6/12+</u>	<u>7/08+</u>	<u>6/08+</u>	<u>4/08+</u>
Single most important factor	9	8	5	3
One of several important factor	15	15	14	10
Not an important factor	75	76	80	86
Not sure	1	1	1	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<i>African-American Voters</i>				
	<u>6/12+</u>	<u>7/08+</u>	<u>6/08+</u>	<u>4/08+</u>
Single most important factor	19	20	9	9
One of several important factor	22	14	16	16
Not an important factor	59	62	73	73
Not sure	-	4	2	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

(Q20b & Q20c ROTATED)

Q20b Do you know what Barack Obama's religion is? (IF "YES," ASK:) What religion is he? (DO NOT READ LIST)

	<u>6/12+</u>	<u>7/08+</u>	<u>3/08+</u>	<u>12/07+</u>
Protestant (includes United Church of Christ, Baptist, Lutheran, Methodist, Episcopal, Presbyterian, and other Christians)	43	48	37	18
Catholic	1	2	2	2
Jewish	-	-	-	-
Muslim	8	8	13	8
Mormon/LDS/Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.....	1	-	-	-
Other	4	2	2	1
None.....	3	1	2	1
Not sure/refused	40	39	44	70

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q20c Do you know what Mitt Romney's religion is? (IF "YES," ASK:) What religion is he? (DO NOT READ LIST)+

Protestant (includes United Church of Christ, Baptist, Lutheran, Methodist, Episcopal, Presbyterian, and other Christians)	5
Catholic.....	1
Jewish.....	-
Muslim	-
Mormon/LDS/Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints	67
Other.....	-
None	2
Not sure/refused	25

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q20d As you may know, Mitt Romney is a member of the Mormon faith. Based on what you have heard, would you say that you feel comfortable with Mitt Romney and that his religious beliefs will not interfere with his decisions as president, you do not feel comfortable with Mitt Romney and worry his religious beliefs will interfere with his decisions as president, or don't you know enough to say either way?

	<u>6/12</u>	<u>10/11</u>
Feel comfortable.....	50	47
Do not feel comfortable	18	21
Don't know enough to say either way	29	31
Not sure.....	3	1

Q21 Has what you have seen, read, or heard about Mitt Romney's previous business experience managing a firm that specializes in buying, restructuring, and selling companies made you feel ... more positive or more negative about him, not made much difference in your opinion or do you not know enough about this to have an opinion at this time?

	<u>6/12</u>	<u>1/12</u>
More positive	23	16
More negative.....	28	22
Not much difference	24	37
Don't know enough.....	24	25
Not Sure	1	-

Now, thinking about immigration for a moment...

Q22 How important to you is the issue of immigration—extremely important, quite important, somewhat important, or not that important?

	<u>6/12</u>	<u>12/05</u>	<u>4/05</u>
Extremely important	34	36	36
Quite important	27	19	23
Somewhat important	30	28	30
Not that important	9	15	10
Not important at all (VOL)	-	1	-
Not sure	-	1	1

Q23 Would you say that immigration helps the United States more than it hurts it, OR immigration hurts the United States more than it helps it?

<i>All Adults</i>									
	<u>6/12</u>	<u>5/20- 23/10</u>	<u>5/6- 11/10</u>	<u>12/07</u>	<u>6/07</u>	<u>7/06</u>	<u>6/06</u>	<u>4/06</u>	<u>12/05</u>
Helps more than it hurts	47	43	37	39	46	45	44	45	37
Hurts more than it helps	39	45	53	52	44	42	45	45	53
A little of both (VOL)	8	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Not sure	6	12	10	9	10	10	11	10	10

<i>Hispanic/Latino Adults</i>					
	<u>6/12</u>	<u>5/20- 23/10</u>	<u>5/6- 11/10</u>	<u>6/07</u>	<u>4/06</u>
Helps more than it hurts	63	60	58	69	62
Hurts more than it helps	26	30	32	21	28
A little of both (VOL)	7	na	na	na	na
Not sure	5	10	10	10	10

Now, moving on...

Q24 When it comes to (READ ITEM) which party do you think would do a better job--the Democratic Party, the Republican Party, or both about the same? If you think that neither would do a good job, please just say so. (RANDOMIZE)

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO GIVE THE ADVANTAGE TO THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

	<u>Party Advantage</u>	<u>Democratic Party</u>	<u>Republican Party</u>	<u>Both About The Same</u>	<u>Neither</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>
Looking out for the middle class						
June 2012.....	D-19	45	26	9	18	2
December 2011.....	D-20	44	24	12	17	3
October 1996.....	D-20	47	27	7	13	6
December 1995.....	D-19	43	24	10	19	4
October 1994.....	D-19	37	28	11	20	4
October 1993.....	D-20	42	22	22	12	2
January 1992+	D-22	37	15	27	16	5
October 1991+	D-28	47	19	11	16	7
October 1990+	D-29	47	18	16	14	5
November 1989+.....	D-23	44	21	16	12	7
Dealing with Medicare						
June 2012.....	D-16	40	24	12	18	6
December 2011.....	D-13	37	24	16	17	6
April 2011	D-13	35	22	19	22	2
June 2001.....	D-24	44	20	20	8	8
December 1999.....	D-24	42	18	21	12	7
March 1999	D-23	41	18	23	10	8
September 1997.....	D-18	34	16	25	20	5
October 1996.....	D-14	34	20	24	16	6
May 1996+	D-19	45	26	12	11	6
December 1995.....	D-20	44	24	13	13	6
June 1995.....	D-11	33	22	18	19	8
Dealing with health care						
June 2012.....	D-13	41	28	11	16	4
December 2011.....	D-13	39	26	15	18	2
April 2011	D-17	42	25	14	18	1
October 14-18, 2010+	D-10	42	32	10	15	1
August 5-9, 2010+.....	D-10	40	30	12	16	2
March 2010	D-9	37	28	15	19	1
July 2009	D-17	40	23	15	19	3
July 2008+.....	D-31	49	18	12	16	5
January 2008.....	D-36	51	15	17	12	5
July 2007	D-36	49	13	14	21	3
March 2006	D-31	43	12	21	19	5
November 2005.....	D-26	43	17	17	18	5
December 2004.....	D-18	39	21	23	11	6
January 2004.....	D-26	48	22	18	10	2
December 13, 2003.....	D-18	43	25	14	13	6
October 2002+	D-25	46	21	19	11	3
June 2002.....	D-22	38	16	23	18	5
June 2001.....	D-21	41	20	21	12	6
December 1999.....	D-26	43	17	21	13	6
March 1999	D-24	42	18	23	12	5
October 1998+	D-20	41	21	26	8	4
September 1998.....	D-20	40	20	24	13	3
June 1998.....	D-13	25	12	34	23	6
May 1996.....	D-20	42	22	16	17	3
December 1995.....	D-21	43	22	13	16	6
October 1994.....	D-12	37	25	12	20	6
July 1994.....	D-16	37	21	18	18	6
May 1994.....	D-9	26	17	38	15	4
October 1993.....	D-28	44	16	16	18	6
March 1993	D-48	57	9	17	12	5
July 1992+	D-34	44	10	21	19	6
April 1992+	D-36	48	12	17	18	5
October 1991+	D-34	46	12	18	16	8
October 1991.....	D-23	39	16	24	12	9

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO GIVE THE ADVANTAGE TO THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

	Party Advantage	Democratic Party	Republican Party	Both About The Same	Neither	Not Sure
Dealing with Social Security						
June 2012**	D-12	36	24	16	20	4
April 2011	D-8	31	23	20	24	2
October 14-18, 2010+	D-9	36	27	14	19	4
August 5-9, 2010+	D-3	29	26	18	21	5
October 13-16, 2006+	D-28	48	20	18	10	4
September 8-11, 2006	D-23	42	19	17	16	6
November 2005	D-22	44	22	13	16	5
December 2004	D-15	38	23	20	13	6
January 2004	D-20	45	25	16	11	3
December 13, 2003	D-15	39	24	18	13	7
October 2002+	D-23	43	20	19	13	5
June 2002	D-15	36	21	26	12	5
June 2001	D-15	38	23	22	11	6
December 1999	D-15	38	23	18	14	7
March 1999	D-18	39	21	23	11	6
October 1998+	D-23	44	21	25	6	4
September 1998	D-16	37	21	25	13	4
July 1998	D-9	28	19	34	14	5
January 1998	D-11	26	15	34	18	7
September 1997	D-14	33	19	18	22	8
October 1996	D-12	36	24	17	15	8
December 1995	D-22	44	22	14	14	6
June 1995	D-9	35	26	16	15	8
November 1994	D-5	32	27	15	16	10
Dealing with energy policy						
June 2012*	D-8	36	28	12	16	8
April 2011	D-10	34	24	24	16	2
August 5-9, 2010	D-16	36	20	22	17	5
July 2009*	D-12	35	23	22	15	5
July 2008+	D-20	42	22	15	15	6
January 2008	D-28	44	16	20	13	7
July 2007	D-24	41	17	20	15	7
November 2005	D-16	35	19	20	19	7
January 2004	D-11	37	25	22	10	6
December 13, 2003	D-11	36	25	15	11	12
June 2001	D-8	35	27	19	10	9
Dealing with Afghanistan						
June 2012*	D-5	30	25	17	20	8
December 2011*	R-3	23	26	26	20	5
April 2011	R-5	19	24	26	28	3
October 14-18, 2010+	D-1	29	28	19	18	6
August 5-9, 2010+	R-9	20	29	24	22	5
July 2009	R-6	24	30	22	16	8
Dealing with immigration						
June 2012	D-3	33	30	14	17	6
April 2011	R-7	25	32	18	23	2
October 14-18, 2010+	R-10	26	36	15	17	6
August 5-9, 2010+	R-5	27	32	15	22	4
May 20-23, 2010	-	23	23	27	23	4
July 2008+	-	27	27	15	21	10
January 2008	D-4	29	25	26	14	6
July 2007	D-10	29	19	19	26	7
October 13-16, 2006+	D-3	28	25	21	19	7
September 8-11, 2006+	D-2	24	22	21	22	11
November 2005	D-6	25	19	21	26	9

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	Party Advantage	Democratic Party	Republican Party	Both About The Same	Neither	Not Sure
Providing oversight of Wall Street and banks						
June 2012**	D-2	29	27	15	22	7
August 5-9, 2010	D-13	35	22	17	21	5
Changing how things work in Washington						
June 2012**	D-1	22	21	15	38	4
April 2011	D-5	23	18	19	39	1
October 14-18, 2010+	D-4	27	23	16	31	3
Representing the opportunity to move up the economic ladder						
June 2012*	-	34	34	14	15	3
May 20-23, 2010	D-2	34	32	14	16	4
Dealing with taxes						
June 2012.....	R-2	32	34	12	18	4
December 2011	R-2	31	33	16	17	3
April 2011	R-2	30	32	17	20	1
October 14-18, 2010+	R-6	31	37	13	15	4
August 5-9, 2010+	R-8	27	35	16	19	3
March 2010	R-11	25	36	19	18	2
July 2009	R-7	28	35	17	16	4
July 2008+	D-1	37	36	8	15	4
January 2008	D-5	36	31	17	12	4
July 2007	D-9	36	27	14	18	5
March 2006	D-9	35	26	21	15	3
November 2005	D-10	40	30	14	12	4
January 2004	R-2	35	37	16	10	2
December 13, 2003.....	R-3	34	37	12	9	9
October 2002+	R-5	31	36	17	11	5
June 2002.....	R-6	27	33	20	15	5
June 2001.....	R-8	28	36	20	11	5
December 1999	R-3	30	33	19	13	5
March 1999	R-6	29	35	20	12	4
September 1997	R-5	26	31	20	16	7
October 1998+	-	32	32	21	10	5
September 1998.....	R-6	29	35	22	11	3
October 1996.....	R-5	30	35	15	13	7
May 1996+	R-9	25	34	17	19	5
December 1995	R-8	26	34	14	20	6
June 1995.....	R-13	22	35	15	22	6
November 1994.....	R-13	23	36	16	17	8
October 1994.....	R-15	23	38	17	18	4
October 1993.....	R-11	23	34	16	23	4

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	Party Advantage	Democratic Party	Republican Party	Both About The Same	Neither	Not Sure
Dealing with the economy						
June 2012.....	R-6	31	37	13	16	3
December 2011.....	R-3	28	31	18	20	3
April 2011.....	-	29	29	20	20	2
October 14-18, 2010+	R-1	35	36	14	14	1
August 5-9, 2010+	R-2	32	34	16	17	2
March 2010	-	31	31	18	18	2
July 2009.....	D-6	35	29	19	14	3
July 2008+.....	D-16	41	25	14	14	6
January 2008.....	D-18	43	25	21	8	3
July 2007.....	D-15	41	26	17	12	4
October 13-16, 2006+	D-13	43	30	17	7	3
September 2006+.....	D-12	40	28	17	10	5
March 2006	D-12	39	27	20	11	3
November 2005.....	D-14	39	25	17	14	5
December 2004.....	D-9	39	30	20	7	4
July 2004+.....	D-8	40	32	19	7	2
January 2004+	R-2	36	38	15	8	2
December 13, 2003.....	R-1	37	38	14	7	5
October 2002+	D-6	36	30	21	9	4
June 2002.....	D-1	32	31	24	9	4
June 2001.....	D-6	37	31	20	6	6
December 1999.....	D-3	34	31	24	7	4
March 1999	D-6	35	29	26	6	4
September 1998.....	-	31	31	29	6	3
September 1997.....	R-9	25	34	26	9	6
October 1996.....	D-4	36	32	15	10	7
May 1996+	R-4	26	30	27	14	3
December 1995.....	R-8	22	30	27	17	4
June 1995.....	R-12	17	29	29	23	2
October 1994.....	R-8	22	30	28	16	4
July 1994.....	R-11	18	29	32	17	4
June 1994.....	R-5	21	26	39	12	2
October 1993.....	R-5	22	27	20	28	3
March 1993	D-16	34	18	34	11	3
July 1992+.....	D-8	26	18	35	18	3
May 1992.....	D-6	29	23	26	17	5
January 1992+	D-5	28	23	33	12	4
October 1991+	R-1	27	28	26	14	5
Promoting strong moral values						
June 2012*	R-6	24	30	20	21	5
April 2011	R-11	20	31	23	24	2
October 14-18, 2010+	R-7	27	34	18	17	4
August 5-9, 2010+	R-10	23	33	20	21	3
May 20-23, 2010	R-10	24	34	19	19	4
July 2009.....	R-13	22	35	21	19	3
July 2008+.....	R-11	24	35	21	14	6
January 2008	R-9	24	33	28	11	4
July 2007	R-5	23	28	23	23	3
October 13-16, 2006+	R-13	20	33	19	24	4
November 2005.....	R-17	18	35	22	21	4
December 2004.....	R-21	21	42	22	12	3
January 2004.....	R-22	23	45	18	13	2
December 13, 2003.....	R-23	20	42	15	15	8
June 2001.....	R-22	18	40	23	16	3

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	Party Advantage	Democratic Party	Republican Party	Both About The Same	Neither	Not Sure
Dealing with terrorism						
June 2012**	R-9	24	33	31	8	4
December 2011	R-13	21	34	32	9	4
August 2010	R-19	20	39	25	13	3
March 2010	R-14	22	36	25	15	2
July 2009	R-8	26	34	25	11	4
July 2008+	R-11	29	40	16	10	5
January 2008	R-1	30	31	27	8	4
July 2007	-	29	29	20	18	4
October 13-16, 2006+	R-10	25	35	25	11	4
September 8-11, 2006+	R-14	24	38	21	12	5
November 2005	R-9	26	35	23	11	5
December 2004	R-18	24	42	22	7	5
January 2004	R-24	23	46	22	6	3
December 13, 2003	R-26	20	46	19	9	5
October 2002+	R-36	13	49	27	6	5
Reducing the federal deficit						
June 2012**	R-12	25	37	13	23	2
December 2011	R-11	23	34	18	22	3
April 2011	R-12	21	33	19	25	2
October 14-18, 2010+	R-6	28	34	13	21	4
August 5-9, 2010+	R-9	24	33	15	25	3
March 2010	R-6	24	30	18	25	3
July 2009	R-6	25	31	18	22	4
January 2008	D-22	42	20	17	15	6
July 2007	D-25	43	18	14	21	4
November 2005	D-19	38	19	15	22	6
January 2004	D-11	37	26	18	15	4
December 13, 2003	D-13	38	25	12	16	10
September 1997	R-8	23	31	22	18	6
October 1996	R-3	29	32	11	19	9
June 1995	R-21	16	37	17	26	4
October 1993	D-4	27	23	27	18	5
March 1993	D-23	39	16	23	18	4
April 1992+	D-1	20	19	18	37	6
October 1991+	R-5	24	29	16	24	7
October 1990+	R-2	25	27	19	23	6
Controlling government spending						
June 2012*	R-17	23	40	13	21	3
August 2010	R-14	23	37	14	25	1
July 2009	R-9	23	32	20	22	3
July 2007	D-16	36	20	14	27	3
November 2005	D-12	34	22	14	26	4
January 2004	R-2	31	33	16	18	2
December 13, 2003	D-2	34	32	16	14	5
May 1996	R-28	15	43	12	24	6
December 1995	R-19	19	38	12	26	5
October 1994	R-13	21	34	12	28	5
October 1993	R-8	19	27	29	20	5

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Now turning to the economy...

Q25 During the next twelve months, do you think that the nation's economy will get better, get worse, or stay about the same?

	<u>6/12</u>	<u>5/12</u>	<u>4/12</u>	<u>3/12</u>	<u>1/12</u>	<u>12/11</u>	<u>11/11</u>	<u>10/11</u>	<u>8/11</u>
Economy will get better.....	35	33	38	40	37	30	25	21	22
Economy will get worse	20	19	19	23	17	22	28	32	30
Economy will stay about the same....	41	46	42	35	44	47	47	45	47
Not sure	4	2	1	2	2	1	-	2	1
		<u>7/11</u>	<u>6/11</u>	<u>4/11</u>	<u>2/11</u>	<u>1/11</u>	<u>12/10</u>	<u>11/10</u>	<u>10/14-18/10+</u>
		26	29	33	29	40	32	37	37
		31	30	21	29	17	24	15	20
		41	39	46	41	42	42	46	41
		2	2	-	1	1	2	2	2
	<u>9/10</u>	<u>8/26-30/10</u>	<u>8/5-9/10</u>	<u>6/10</u>	<u>5/6-10/10</u>	<u>3/10</u>	<u>1/10-14/10</u>	<u>10/09</u>	<u>9/09</u>
	32	26	34	33	40	41	41	42	47
	24	26	25	23	20	22	19	22	20
	41	45	39	43	38	36	38	33	30
	3	3	2	1	2	1	2	3	3
	<u>7/09</u>	<u>6/09</u>	<u>4/09</u>	<u>10/08+</u>	<u>9-10/06+</u>	<u>10/04+</u>	<u>10/02+</u>	<u>10/98+</u>	<u>10/94</u>
	44	46	38	38	22	43	41	17	31
	21	22	30	20	22	10	20	24	24
	32	29	30	37	51	33	34	54	40
	3	3	2	5	5	14	5	5	5

¹ Prior to April 2001, the question was phrased, "Over the next year..."

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Q26 Do you think the U.S. economy is recovering or is not recovering?*

Economy is recovering.....	51
Economy is not recovering.....	44
Mixed/In between (VOL)	5
Not sure	-

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

Q27 When you think about the current economic conditions, do you feel that this is a situation that Barack Obama has inherited or is this a situation his policies are mostly responsible for?

	<u>6/12**</u>	<u>8/11</u>	<u>6/11</u>	<u>12/10</u>	<u>9/10</u>
Situation Obama inherited	60	56	62	65	56
Situation Obama's policies mostly responsible for.....	26	33	25	21	32
Some of both (VOL).....	11	9	10	12	10
Not sure.....	3	2	3	2	2

	<u>1/10- 14/10</u>	<u>10/09</u>	<u>6/09</u>	<u>2/09</u>
	65	63	72	84
	17	20	14	8
	16	15	10	6
	2	2	4	2

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

Q28 When it comes to the effect of President Obama's policies in improving economic conditions, would you say his policies have (ROTATE) helped or hurt economic conditions, or have they not made much of a difference one way or the other?

	<u>6/12**</u>	<u>4/12</u>	<u>11/11</u>	<u>8/11</u>
Helped	32	36	22	23
Hurt	33	33	30	37
Not much of a difference	32	30	47	39
Not sure.....	2	1	1	1

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

Q29 Now, thinking about what you have seen, read, and heard in the last few weeks about our country's economy, in general, would you say it has made you feel more optimistic or less optimistic about the direction of the economy?

	<u>6/12*</u>	<u>5/12</u>	<u>1/12</u>
More optimistic	43	42	46
Less optimistic.....	49	53	44
Mixed (VOL)	4	3	5
Not Sure	4	2	5

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

Q30 The government agency that follows the job market recently found that in the month of May sixty-nine thousand (69,000) jobs were created and the unemployment rate was eight point two percent (8.2%). Do you think that these statistics are a reason for optimism about the economic conditions in the country, or do you **not** think that these statistics are a reason for optimism about the economic conditions in the country?

	<u>6/12*</u>	<u>5/12¹</u>
Reason for optimism	43	44
Not a reason for optimism	52	50
Mixed (VOL)	2	1
Not Sure	3	5

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

¹ In May, the question referenced the April 2012 labor statistics: 115,000 jobs and 8.1% unemployment.

Changing topics again...

Q31 I'm going to read you a few things that have happened in the past few years. For each one tell me whether you feel this contributed a lot to the federal budget deficit, contributed a fair amount, contributed some, or contributed very little to the budget deficit.

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE PERCENTAGE WHO SAY A LOT OR A FAIR AMOUNT

	Contributed				Not Sure
	A Lot	A Fair Amount	Some	Very Little	
The wars in Afghanistan and Iraq					
June 2012	63	14	12	9	2
June 2011 ¹	62	15	12	7	4
The recession					
June 2012	56	16	14	10	4
June 2011 ¹	47	18	17	11	7
The economic stimulus plan and increases in spending passed during the Obama administration					
June 2012	34	16	23	23	4
June 2011 ¹	37	14	18	24	7
Government healthcare programs like Medicare and Medicaid					
June 2012	28	20	26	23	3
The income tax cuts passed during the Bush administration					
June 2012	26	16	25	30	3
June 2011 ¹	31	15	18	27	9

¹ Data from a June 2011 CNBC survey conducted by Hart/McInturff

Q32 And which ONE of these do you think contributed the MOST to the federal budget deficit? (RANDOMIZE AND READ LIST. ACCEPT ONLY ON RESPONSE.) (IF ALL, THEN SAY) Now I know you said All of these contributed to the federal budget deficit, but if you had to choose the one you think contributed the MOST, which would it be? (READ LIST. ACCEPT ONLY ON RESPONSE.)

THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE

	6/12**	6/11¹
The wars in Afghanistan and Iraq	47	39
The economic stimulus plan and increases in spending passed during the Obama administration.....	21	26
The recession	15	13
The income tax cuts passed during the Bush administration.....	7	14
Government healthcare programs like Medicare and Medicaid.....	6	na
All (VOL)	-	na
Not sure	4	8

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

¹ Data from a June 2011 CNBC survey conducted by Hart/McInturff

And, turning to the issue of health care...

Q33 From what you have heard about Barack Obama's health care plan that was passed by Congress and signed into law by the President in 2010*, do you think his plan is a good idea or a bad idea? If you do not have an opinion either way, please just say so. (IF GOOD IDEA/BAD IDEA, THEN ASK) And, do you feel that way strongly, or not so strongly?

	<u>6/12</u>	<u>4/12</u>	<u>12/11</u>	<u>1/11</u>	<u>10/14- 18/10+</u>	<u>6/10+</u>	<u>5/6- 10/10¹</u>
Total Good idea	35	36	34	39	36	38	38
Strongly	25	27	23	29	25	28	28
Not so strongly	10	9	11	10	11	10	10
Total Bad idea	41	45	41	39	46	46	44
Not so strongly	6	6	8	5	5	7	6
Strongly	35	39	33	34	41	39	38
Do not have an opinion	22	17	24	21	16	15	17
Not sure	2	2	1	1	2	1	1

	<u>3/10</u>	<u>1/23- 25/10</u>	<u>1/10- 14/10</u>	<u>12/09</u>	<u>10/09</u>
Good idea.....	36	31	33	32	38
Bad idea	48	46	46	47	42
Do not have an opinion	15	22	18	17	16
Not sure	1	1	3	4	4

	<u>9/09</u>	<u>8/09</u>	<u>7/09</u>	<u>6/09</u>	<u>4/09</u>
Good idea.....	39	36	36	33	33
Bad idea	41	42	42	32	26
Do not have an opinion	17	17	17	30	34
Not sure	3	5	5	5	7

¹Prior to May 2010, the question did not ask "And, do you feel that way strongly, or not so strongly?"

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Q34 If the Supreme Court rules that the health care law is constitutional meaning that it will be implemented would you be pleased, disappointed, or would you have mixed feelings about it?

(IF PLEASED/DISAPPOINTED) And, would you be very or just somewhat (pleased/disappointed) if the Supreme Court rules that the health care law is constitutional?*

Very pleased	21
Somewhat pleased.....	7
Somewhat disappointed	6
Very disappointed.....	29
Mixed feelings	34
Not sure.....	3

* Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM A).

Q35 If the Supreme Court rules that the health care law is unconstitutional meaning that it will not be implemented would you be pleased, disappointed, or would you have mixed feelings about it?

(IF PLEASED/DISAPPOINTED) And, would you be very or just somewhat (pleased/disappointed) if the Supreme Court rules that the health care law is unconstitutional?*

Very pleased	27
Somewhat pleased.....	10
Somewhat disappointed	5
Very disappointed.....	17
Mixed feelings	39
Not sure.....	2

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

Q36 Now, if the Supreme Court rules that the part of the health care law called the individual mandate, that requires everyone to either have or buy health insurance is unconstitutional and will not be implemented, do you think this will help you and your family, hurt you and your family, or not make much difference either way?**

Help	18
Hurt.....	25
Not make difference.....	55
Not sure	2

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

Talking again about immigration...

Q37 Have you seen, read, or heard the news coverage about the Obama administration's announcement of a new policy that would stop the deportation of illegal immigrants who today are younger than thirty years old and were brought to the United States as children? (IF YES:) And, have you seen, read, or heard a lot or just some about this?

	All Adults	Hispanic/ Latino Adults
Yes, a lot	38	49
Yes, just some	41	35
No	20	14
Not sure	1	2

Talking some more about this new policy...

Q38 This new policy would apply for now to those who came to the United States before they were 16 and who are younger than 30 if they have lived here for five years, have no criminal history, and graduated from a U.S. high school or served in the military. The policy would allow them to attend college and work in the U.S. legally. Now, having heard some information about this policy, would you say you favor or oppose it? (IF "FAVOR" OR "OPPOSE," ASK:) Would you say that you strongly (favor/oppose), or just somewhat (favor/oppose)?

	All Adults	Hispanic/ Latino Adults
Strongly favor.....	39	63
Somewhat favor.....	29	24
Somewhat oppose	9	4
Strongly oppose.....	20	6
Depends (VOL).....	2	1
Not sure	1	2

FACTUALS: Now I am going to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes only.

QF1a Are you currently registered to vote [LANDLINE: at this address; CELL: in (state from Q1x)]?

Registered	82
Not registered.....	17
Not sure.....	1

QF1b/c A lot of people are unable to get out and vote for many reasons. Did you happen to vote in last November's election for president? (IF "YES," ASK:) For whom did you vote—Barack Obama, John McCain, or someone else?

Yes, Voted	
Voted for Barack Obama	41
Voted for John McCain.....	30
Voted for someone else	4
Not sure.....	2
No, Did Not Vote	23
Not sure.....	-

QF1d And did you happen to vote in the 2010 election for U.S. Congress?+

Yes, Voted.....	69
No, did not vote	27
Not sure.....	4

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QF2 Are you currently employed? (IF "CURRENTLY EMPLOYED," ASK:) What type of work do you do? (RECORD UNDER "6--OTHER.") (IF "NOT CURRENTLY EMPLOYED," ASK:) Are you a student, a homemaker, retired, or unemployed and looking for work?

<u>Currently Employed</u>	
Professional, manager.....	22
White-collar worker.....	19
Blue-collar worker.....	17
Farmer, rancher.....	-
<u>Not Currently Employed</u>	
Student	6
Homemaker	6
Retired.....	23
Unemployed, looking for work	6
Other	-
Not sure.....	-

QF3 What is the last grade that you completed in school? (DO NOT READ CHOICES.)

Grade school	1
Some high school.....	4
High school graduate	25
Some college, no degree.....	27
Vocational training/2-year college	-
4-year college/bachelor's degree.....	25
Some postgraduate work, no degree	2
2-3 years postgraduate work/master's degree.....	12
Doctoral/law degree	4
Not sure/refused.....	-

QF4a Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as (ROTATE:) a Democrat, a Republican, an independent, or something else? (IF "DEMOCRAT" OR "REPUBLICAN," ASK:) Would you call yourself a strong (Democrat/Republican) or not a very strong (Democrat/Republican)? (IF "NOT SURE," CODE AS "NOT VERY STRONG DEMOCRAT/REPUBLICAN.") (IF "INDEPENDENT," ASK:) Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party, closer to the Democratic Party, or do you think of yourself as strictly independent? (IF "NOT SURE," CODE AS "STRICTLY INDEPENDENT.")

Strong Democrat	21
Not very strong Democrat	11
Independent/lean Democrat	10
Strictly Independent.....	14
Independent/lean Republican.....	14
Not very strong Republican	11
Strong Republican.....	13
Other (VOL).....	4
Not sure.....	2

Now, thinking about something else...

QF4b Do you consider yourself a supporter of the Tea Party Movement?

	<u>6/12+</u>	<u>5/12+</u>	<u>4/12+</u>	<u>3/12+</u>	<u>1/12+</u>	<u>12/11+</u>	<u>11/11+</u>	<u>10/11+</u>	<u>8/11+</u>	<u>6/11+</u>
Yes	24	30	25	28	27	27	25	26	27	26
No	64	60	64	63	66	65	69	64	62	63
Depends (VOL)	3	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	4	3
Not sure	9	8	9	7	5	5	4	7	7	8
		<u>5/11+</u>	<u>4/11+</u>	<u>2/11+</u>	<u>1/11+</u>	<u>12/10+</u>	<u>11/10+</u>	<u>10/28- 30/10+</u>	<u>10/14- 18/10+</u>	<u>9/10+</u>
		26	25	29	27	29	30	28	30	28
		62	67	61	62	61	59	61	59	61
		2	3	3	3	3	4	3	2	3
		10	5	7	8	7	7	8	10	8

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QF5 Thinking about your general approach to issues, do you consider yourself to be liberal, moderate, or conservative? (IF "LIBERAL" OR "CONSERVATIVE," ASK:) Do you consider yourself to be very (liberal/conservative) or somewhat (liberal/conservative)?

Very liberal	10
Somewhat liberal	15
Moderate	36
Somewhat conservative	20
Very conservative.....	16
Not sure.....	3

QF6a What is your religion?

Protestant (includes Baptist, Lutheran, Methodist, Episcopal, Presbyterian, and other Christians)	51
Catholic	23
Jewish	2
Muslim	-
Mormon/LDS/Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints	3
Other	9
None	10
Not sure/refused	2

(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO SAY PROTESTANT, OTHER, NONE, OR NOT SURE IN QF6a.)

QF6b Would you describe yourself as either a fundamentalist or an evangelical Christian, or would you not describe yourself that way?

Fundamentalist/evangelical	17
Neither fundamentalist nor evangelical	51
Not sure	4
Catholic/Jewish/Muslim/Mormon (QF6a)	28

QF7a/b Are you a current or retired labor union member? (ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO SAY "NO" OR "NOT SURE" IN QF7a.) Is anyone else in your household a current or retired labor union member?

Labor union member.....	15
Union household.....	8
Non-union household.....	76
Not sure	1

QF8 Are you married, widowed, separated, divorced, single and never been married, or are you unmarried and living with a partner?

Married	54
Widowed.....	6
Separated	2
Divorced	13
Single/never been married	19
Unmarried and living with a partner	5
Refused	1

QF9 If you added together the yearly income of all the members of your family who were living at home last year, would the total be less than ten thousand dollars, between ten thousand dollars and twenty thousand dollars, between twenty thousand dollars and thirty thousand dollars, between thirty thousand dollars and forty thousand dollars, between forty thousand dollars and fifty thousand dollars, between fifty thousand dollars and seventy-five thousand dollars, between seventy-five thousand dollars and one hundred thousand dollars, or would the total be more than that?

Less than \$10,000	6
Between \$10,000 and \$20,000	9
Between \$20,000 and \$30,000	10
Between \$30,000 and \$40,000	9
Between \$40,000 and \$50,000	8
Between \$50,000 and \$75,000	17
Between \$75,000 and \$100,000	13
More than \$100,000	21
Not sure/refused	7

QF10 Were you or was one of your parents born outside the United States? (IF "YES," ASK:) And were you, your parents, or both you and your parents born outside the United States?

	Hispanic/Latino Adults	
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Yes, respondent born outside United States	16	4
Yes, respondent's parents born outside the United States	28	36
Yes, both respondent and parents born outside the United States	19	28
No, neither respondent nor parents born outside the United States	35	32
Not sure	2	-