



POLL

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Asterisk indicates registered respondents only.*

1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

	Approve	Disapprove	DK/NA
2/2-4/09 CBS	62	15	23
2/18-22/09	63	22	15
3/12-16/09 CBS	62	24	14
3/20-22/09 CBS	64	20	16
4/1-5/09	66	24	10
4/22-26/09	68	23	9
5/6-12/09 CBS	63	26	11
6/12-16/09	63	26	11
7/9-12/09 CBS	57	32	11
7/24-28/09	58	30	13
8/27-31/09 CBS	56	35	9
9/19-23/09	56	33	11
10/5-8/09 CBS	56	34	10
11/13-16/09 CBS	53	36	11
12/4-8/09	50	39	11
1/6-10/10 CBS	46	41	13
1/14-17/10 CBS	50	40	10
2/5-10/10	46	45	9
3/18-21/10 CBS	49	41	10
3/29-4/1/10 CBS	44	41	15
4/5-12/10	50	40	10
4/28-5/2/10	51	39	10
5/20-24/10 CBS	47	43	10
6/16-20/10	47	43	10
7/9-12/10 CBS	44	44	12
8/20-24/10 CBS	48	44	8
9/10-14/10	45	47	8
10/1-5/10 CBS	44	45	11
10/21-26/10	45	47	8
11/7-10/10 CBS	45	45	10
11/29-12/2/10 CBS	48	42	10
1/15-19/11	49	39	12
2/11-14/11 CBS	48	41	11
3/18-21/11 CBS	49	41	10
4/15-20/11	46	45	8
5/2-3/11	57	37	6
6/3-7/11 CBS	48	43	9
6/24-28/11	47	44	9
8/2-3/11	48	47	5
9/10-15/11	43	50	7
9/28-10/2/11 CBS	44	44	12
10/19-24/11	46	46	8
11/6-10/11 CBS	43	47	10
12/5-7/11 CBS	44	46	10
12/14-18/11 CBS	47	44	9
1/4-8/12 CBS	45	47	8
1/12-17/12	47	45	8
2/8-13/12	50	43	7
3/7-11/12	41	47	12
4/13-17/12	48	42	10
7/11-16/12	44	46	10
8/22-26/12 CBS	48	43	8
9/8-12/12	51	42	7
10/17-20/12 CBS	49	42	9
10/25-28/12	50	42	8
12/12-16/12 CBS	57	37	6
1/11-15/13	51	41	7
2/6-10/13 CBS	52	38	10
3/20-24/13 CBS	45	46	9
4/24-28/13	47	45	8
5/31-6/4/13	47	43	10
7/18-22/13 CBS	48	45	7
9/6-8/13	46	46	8
9/19-23/13	43	49	7
10/18-21/13 CBS	46	49	4
11/15-18/13 CBS	37	57	7
12/5-8/13	42	50	8

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

	Right Direction	Wrong Track	DK/NA		Right Direction	Wrong Track	DK/NA
2/10-12/03	35	56	9	1/11-15/09	15	79	6
3/22/2003	50	40	10	2/2-4/09 CBS	23	68	9
4/11-13/03	56	36	9	3/12-16/09 CBS	35	57	8
9/28-10/1/03	37	56	7	4/1-5/09	39	53	7
7/13-27/03	46	49	5	4/22-26/09	41	50	9
11/10-12/03 CBS	39	53	8	5/6-12/09 CBS	45	48	7
12/10-13/03	39	56	5	6/12-16/09	44	50	6
12/14-15/03	49	43	8	7/9-12/09 CBS	35	57	8
1/12-15/04	42	53	5	7/24-28/09	42	49	9
2/12-15/04 CBS	41	51	8	9/19-23/09	41	53	6
3/10-14/04	38	54	8	12/4-8/09	37	56	7
3/30-4/1/04 CBS	36	57	7	1/14-17/10 CBS	36	55	9
4/23-27/04	36	55	9	2/5-10/10	33	62	5
5/20-23/04 CBS	30	65	5	4/5-12/10	34	59	7
6/23-27/04	36	57	6	5/4-5/10 CBS	33	58	9
7/11-15/04	36	56	8	5/20-24/10 CBS	32	61	7
8/15-18/04 CBS	39	55	6	6/16-20/10	32	60	8
9/12-16/04	41	51	7	9/10-14/10	33	60	6
9/20-22/04 CBS	41	54	5	10/1-5/10 CBS	32	63	5
10/1-3/04	40	51	9	10/21-26/10	34	61	5
10/14-17/04	37	59	4	11/7-10/10 CBS	29	62	9
10/28-30/04	43	55	2	1/15-19/11	32	64	4
11/18-21/04	40	54	6	2/11-14/11 CBS	36	58	6
1/14-18/05	39	56	5	3/18-21/11 CBS	30	64	6
2/24-28/05	42	52	6	4/15-20/11	26	70	5
3/9-14/05 NYT	37	56	7	6/3-7/11 CBS	31	60	9
4/13-16/05 CBS	32	62	6	6/24-28/11	28	63	9
5/20-24/05 CBS	34	60	6	7/22-24/11 CBS	22	70	8
6/10-15/05	33	61	6	9/10-15/11	23	72	5
7/29-8/2/05 CBS	37	57	6	9/28-10/2/11 CBS	19	73	8
9/9-13/05	31	63	6	10/19-24/11	21	74	5
10/3-5/05 CBS	37	58	5	12/5-7/11 CBS	21	75	4
10/30-11/1/05 CBS	27	68	5	12/14-18/11 CBS	25	69	6
12/2-6/05	31	60	9	1/4-8/12 CBS	29	65	6
1/5-8/06 CBS	31	62	7	1/12-17/12	29	66	4
1/20-25/06	32	61	7	2/8-13/12	35	59	6
3/9-12/06 CBS	28	66	9	2/24-27/12 CBS	24	67	8
4/28-30/06 CBS	24	71	5	3/7-11/12	29	63	7
5/4-8/06	23	70	7	4/13-17/12	31	61	7
6/10-11/06 CBS	27	69	4	5/31-6/3/12 CBS	31	62	7
7/21-25/06	28	66	6	7/11-16/12	30	64	6
8/17-21/06	29	67	4	8/22-26/12 CBS	31	62	7
10/27-31/06	29	64	7	9/8-12/12	40	54	6
12/8-10/06 CBS	24	70	6	10/17-20/12 CBS	40	53	7
1/1-3/07 CBS	27	68	5	10/25-28/12	39	54	7
1/18-21/07 CBS	26	69	5	12/12-16/12 CBS	37	57	6
2/8-11/07 CBS	26	68	6	1/11-15/13	38	57	5
2/23-27/07	23	68	9	2/23-27/13	29	63	8
5/18-23/07	24	72	4	3/20-24/13 CBS	32	61	7
6/26-28/07 CBS	19	75	6	4/24-28/13	34	59	7
7/9-17/07	22	72	6	5/31-6/4/13	35	59	6
9/4-8/07	24	71	4	7/18-22/13 CBS	35	60	4
12/5-9/07	21	71	8	9/19-23/13	29	66	5
1/9-12/08	19	75	6	10/18-21/13 CBS	23	72	4
3/28-4/2/08	14	81	5	11/15-18/13 CBS	27	68	5
5/30-6/3/08 CBS	14	83	3	12/5-8/13	30	63	7
9/12-16/08	14	81	5				
10/10-13/08	7	89	4				
10/19-22/08	11	85	4				
10/25-29/08	11	85	4				
12/4-8/08 CBS	12	83	5				

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3. What do you think is the most important problem facing this country today?

	5/31-6/4/13	9/19-23/13	12/5-8/13
Health care	5	8	13
Budget deficit	6	6	6
Education	1	3	2
Medicare/Medicaid	-	-	*
Taxes	1	-	*
Economy	19	22	10
Immigration	3	1	3
Defense	1	-	*
Poverty	1	2	2
Crime	1	1	*
Foreign Policy	1	2	*
Jobs	16	12	14
Abortion	-	-	*
Moral Values	3	2	3
Welfare	1	-	*
President	2	2	4
War	1	2	1
Iraq	-	-	*
Afghanistan	-	-	-
Politicians/Government	5	4	3
Environment	1	-	*
Religious values	3	2	1
Terrorism general	1	1	*
Guns	1	2	1
Other	24	21	3
DK/NA	3	4	2

4. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling foreign policy?

	Approv e	Disapprov e	DK/N A
2/2-4/09 CBS	50	15	35
2/18-22/09	57	17	26
4/1-5/09	59	19	22
4/22-26/09	59	23	18
6/12-16/09	59	23	19
7/9-12/09 CBS	53	30	17
7/24-28/09	54	24	23
10/5-8/09 CBS	48	28	24
11/13-16/09 CBS	50	36	14
1/14-17/10 CBS	49	38	13
2/5-10/10	47	34	19
4/28-5/2/10	48	38	14
7/9-12/10 CBS	44	41	15
11/7-10/10 CBS	46	37	17
11/29-12/2/10 CBS	40	45	15
1/15-19/11	46	32	22
2/11-14/11 CBS	46	33	21
3/18-21/11 CBS	47	36	17
4/15-20/11	39	46	15
5/2-3/11	52	34	15
6/3-7/11 CBS	47	37	16
10/19-24/11	50	31	19
11/6-10/11 CBS	45	41	14
12/5-7/11 CBS	41	41	18
12/14-18/11 CBS	51	32	17
1/4-8/12 CBS	46	37	17
1/12-17/12	48	35	16
2/8-13/12	50	36	14
3/7-11/12	40	41	19
4/13-17/12	46	36	18
7/11-16/12	41	42	17
8/22-26/12 CBS	45	35	20
9/8-12/12	50	36	15
10/25-28/12	47	41	12
12/12-14/12	51	32	17
1/11-15/13	49	36	15
2/6-10/13 CBS	48	31	21
3/20-24/13 CBS	43	37	19
4/24-28/13	45	38	17
5/31-6/4/13	45	39	16
7/18-22/13	43	44	12
9/19-23/13	40	49	11
11/15-18/13 CBS	38	50	12
12/5-8/13	42	44	14

5. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling the economy?

	Approve	Disapprove	DK/NA
2/2-4/09 CBS	55	24	21
2/18-22/09	57	32	11
3/12-16/09 CBS	56	33	11
3/20-22/09 CBS	61	29	10
4/1-5/09	56	34	10
4/22-26/09	61	29	10
5/6-12/09 CBS	56	33	11
6/12-16/09	57	35	7
7/9-12/09 CBS	48	44	8
7/24-28/09	51	41	9
8/27-31/09 CBS	53	41	6
9/19-23/09	50	40	10
10/5-8/09 CBS	54	38	8
11/13-16/09 CBS	49	43	8
12/4-8/09	47	43	10
1/6-10/10 CBS	41	47	12
1/14-17/10 CBS	46	48	6
2/5-10/10	42	52	5
3/18-21/10 CBS	45	45	10
3/29-4/1/10 CBS	42	50	8
4/5-12/10	43	46	11
4/28-5/2/10	48	47	6
5/20-24/10 CBS	43	48	9
6/16-20/10	45	48	7
7/9-12/10 CBS	40	54	6
8/20-24/10 CBS	44	48	8
9/10-14/10	41	51	8
10/1-5/10 CBS	38	50	12
10/21-26/10	42	50	8
11/7-10/10 CBS	40	53	7
11/29-12/2/10 CBS	43	50	7
1/15-19/11	41	52	7
2/11-14/11 CBS	42	50	8
3/18-21/11 CBS	39	53	8
4/15-20/11	38	57	5
5/2-3/11	34	55	11
6/3-7/11 CBS	37	56	7
6/24-28/11	39	52	9
9/10-15/11	34	57	9
9/28-10/2/11 CBS	35	53	12
10/19-24/11	38	56	5
11/6-10/11 CBS	34	60	6
12/5-7/11 CBS	33	60	7
12/14-18/11 CBS	40	53	7
1/4-8/12 CBS	38	55	7
1/12-17/12	40	54	6
2/8-13/12	44	50	6
3/7-11/12	39	54	7
4/13-17/12	44	48	7
7/11-16/12	39	55	6
8/22-26/12 CBS	39	54	7
9/8-12/12	45	47	8
10/25-28/12	46	47	7
12/12-16/12 CBS	47	47	6
1/11-15/13	46	49	5
2/6-10/13 CBS	45	49	6
3/20-24/13 CBS	39	54	7
4/24-28/13	41	52	7
5/31-6/4/13	44	50	6
7/18-22/13 CBS	45	49	6
9/6-8/13	46	48	6
9/19-23/13	41	54	5
10/18-21/13 CBS	42	52	7
11/15-18/13 CBS	37	60	3
12/5-8/13	37	58	6

6. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling health care?

	Approve	Disapprove	DK/NA
6/12-16/09	44	34	22
7/9-12/09 CBS	49	37	14
7/24-28/09	46	38	16
8/27-31/09 CBS	40	47	13
9/19-23/09	47	45	9
10/5-8/09 CBS	47	42	11
11/13-16/09 CBS	44	48	8
12/4-8/09	42	50	7
1/6-10/10 CBS	36	54	10
1/14-17/10 CBS	40	54	6
2/5-10/10	35	55	10
3/18-21/10 CBS	41	51	8
3/29-4/1/10 CBS	34	55	11
4/5-12/10	41	51	8
4/28-5/2/10	44	48	8
5/20-24/10	42	52	6
9/19-23/13	40	54	5
11/15-18/13 CBS	32	65	3
12/5-8/13	41	55	5

8. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Congress is handling its job?

	Approve	Disapprove	DK/NA		Approve	Disapprove	DK/NA
7/13-16/02	49	38	14	8/27-31/09 CBS	26	58	16
9/22-23/02 CBS	48	36	16	10/5-8/09 CBS	22	65	13
10/3-6/02	42	45	13	10/29-11/1/09 CBS	18	70	12
10/27-31/02	45	40	15	11/13-16/09 CBS	26	60	14
5/9-12/03	35	48	16	1/14-17/10 CBS	23	63	14
7/13-27/03	39	46	15	2/5-10/10	15	75	10
9/28-10/1/03	37	47	16	3/18-21/10 CBS	14	76	10
1/12-15/04	45	42	13	3/29-4/1/10 CBS	16	74	10
10/14-17/04	38	46	16	4/5-12/10	17	73	10
1/14-18/05	44	39	17	5/20-24/10 CBS	15	77	8
2/24-28/05	41	44	15	6/16-20/10	19	70	11
3/21-22/05 CBS	34	49	17	8/20-24/10 CBS	22	71	7
4/13-16/05 CBS	35	51	14	9/10-14/10	21	70	9
5/20-23/05 CBS	29	55	16	10/1-5/10 CBS	18	71	11
6/10-15/05	33	53	14	10/21-26/10	14	76	10
7/13-14/05 CBS	33	50	17	11/29-12/2/10 CBS	17	72	11
9/9-13/05	34	54	12	2/11-14/11 CBS	24	62	14
10/3-5/05 CBS	31	57	12	3/18-21/11 CBS	21	66	13
10/30-11/1/05 CBS	34	53	13	4/15-20/11	16	75	9
12/2-6/05	33	53	14	6/3-7/11 CBS	18	72	10
1/5-8/06 CBS	27	57	16	6/24-28/11	20	70	10
1/20-25/06	29	61	11	8/2-3/11	14	82	3
2/22-26/06 CBS	28	61	11	9/10-15/11	12	80	8
3/9-12/06 CBS	32	54	14	9/28-10/2/11 CBS	11	80	9
4/6-9/06 CBS	27	61	12	10/19-24/11	9	84	7
5/4-8/06	23	64	13	11/6-10/11 CBS	9	83	8
6/10-11/06 CBS	26	60	14	12/5-7/11 CBS	11	82	7
7/21-25/06	28	58	14	12/14-18/11 CBS	11	83	6
8/17-21/06	29	60	11	1/4-8/12 CBS	12	80	8
9/15-19/06	25	61	14	1/12-17/12	13	79	9
10/5-8/06	27	64	9	2/8-13/12	10	82	8
10/27-31/06	29	56	15	4/13-17/12	13	77	9
1/18-21/07 CBS	33	49	18	5/31-6/3/12	15	77	9
2/8-11/07 CBS	32	52	16	7/11-16/12	12	79	9
2/23-27/07	33	50	17	8/22-26/12 CBS	14	74	12
3/7-11/07	31	53	16	9/8-12/12	16	74	10
4/9-12/07 CBS	34	54	12	10/25-28/12	15	75	10
5/18-23/07	35	52	13	12/12-16/12 CBS	11	81	9
6/26-28/07 CBS	27	60	13	1/11-15/13 CBS	12	82	6
7/9-17/07	29	59	12	2/6-10/13 CBS	14	77	8
7/20-22/07	26	61	13	3/20-24/13 CBS	11	81	8
8/8-12/07 CBS	25	63	12	4/24-28/13	17	75	8
9/4-8/07	23	66	11	5/31-6/4/13	13	80	7
10/12-16/07 CBS	27	59	14	7/18-22/13 CBS	17	76	6
12/5-9/07	21	64	15	9/6-8/13	24	68	8
4/25-29/08	21	68	11	9/19-23/13	14	80	6
9/27-30/08 CBS	15	72	13	10/18-21/13 CBS	9	85	6
10/10-13/08	12	74	14	11/15-18/13 CBS	11	85	5
10/19-22/08	17	70	13	12/5-8/13	10	83	7
2/2-4/09 CBS	26	62	12				
2/18-22/09	26	63	12				
3/12-16/09 CBS	30	56	14				
3/20-22/09 CBS	30	56	14				
4/1-5/09	26	64	10				
4/22-26/09	28	55	16				
7/9-12/09 CBS	22	65	13				

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12. How would you rate the condition of the national economy these days? Is it very good, fairly good, fairly bad or very bad?

	Very good	Fairly good	Fairly bad	Very bad	DK/NA		Very good	Fairly good	Fairly bad	Very Bad	DK/NA
1/4-6/03 CBS	1	40	43	14	2	10/25-29/08	1	10	41	48	1
1/19-22/03	1	42	43	12	1	12/4-8/08 CBS	1	8	37	54	
5/9-12/03	2	42	41	14	1	1/11-15/09	1	6	30	62	-
9/28-10/1/03	4	39	37	19	1	2/2-4/09 CBS	-	5	31	63	1
2/10-12/03	2	37	42	18	2	2/18-22/09	-	8	30	61	1
3/20-24/03	3	47	33	15	2	3/12-16/09 CBS		12	36	52	
4/11-13/03	2	48	36	10	3	4/1-5/09	1	10	38	51	1
10/20-21/03CBS	3	42	36	18	1	4/22-26/09	1	15	40	44	1
12/10-13/03	4	52	30	13	1	5/6-12/09 CBS	1	17	45	36	1
12/14-15/03	5	50	28	13	4	6/12-16/09	1	14	48	36	1
1/12-15/04	3	51	34	11	1	7/9-12/09 CBS	1	13	42	44	
3/10-14/04	2	47	34	15	2	7/24-28/09	1	17	47	35	1
4/23-27/04	4	51	30	15	1	8/27-31/09 CBS	2	18	43	36	1
5/20-23/04 CBS	5	47	31	16	1	9/19-23/09	1	21	49	28	1
6/23-27/04	4	54	30	11	1	10/5-8/09 CBS	1	15	49	35	
8/15-18/04 CBS	5	47	32	15	1	11/13-16/09 CBS	1	18	42	37	2
9/12-16/04	3	51	31	12	2	12/4-8/09	2	20	44	33	1
10/1-3/04	6	49	29	16	1	1/6-10/10 CBS	2	15	50	32	1
10/14-17/04	3	49	32	13	2	2/5-10/10	1	16	44	39	1
11/18-21/04	4	50	30	14	1	3/29/-4/1/10 CBS	1	15	42	42	
2/24-28/05	2	44	53	29	13	4/5-12/10	1	22	43	34	1
6/10-15/05	4	50	32	13	1	4/28-5/2/10	3	23	45	27	3
7/29-8/2/05 CBS	7	50	31	11	1	5/20-24/10	1	19	47	32	1
9/9-13/05	4	45	33	17	1	6/16-20/10	2	20	48	29	1
10/30-11/1/05 CBS	3	44	35	16	2	7/9-12/10 CBS	2	15	50	32	1
12/2-6/05	6	49	29	14	1	8/20-24/10 CBS	2	15	42	41	
1/5-8/06 CBS	6	48	32	13	1	9/10-14/10	-	17	47	34	2
1/20-25/06	6	51	29	13	1	10/1-5/10 CBS	1	18	43	37	1
2/22-26/06 CBS	5	45	33	15	2	10/21-26/10	-	21	45	33	1
3/9-12/06 CBS	4	51	29	14	2	11/7-10/10 CBS	2	18	44	35	1
4/6-9/06 CBS	7	45	30	17	1	11/29-12/2/10 CBS	1	17	46	36	
4/28-30/06 CBS	8	49	27	14	2	1/15-19/11	2	24	46	28	1
5/4-8/06	6	47	31	15	1	2/11-14/11 CBS	1	23	46	29	1
7/21-25/06	5	46	34	13	1	3/18-21/11 CBS	2	21	48	29	
8/17-21/06	5	47	32	15	1	4/15-20/11	2	17	44	36	1
9/15-19/06	5	51	30	13	1	6/3-7/11 CBS	2	18	43	36	1
10/5-8/06	7	53	28	11	1	6/24-28/11	1	17	43	38	1
10/27-31/06	9	50	26	13	3	8/2-3/11	-	12	46	40	1
12/8-10/06 CBS	8	50	26	13	3	9/10-15/11	1	13	39	47	1
1/1-3/07 CBS	8	50	26	14	2	9/28-10/2/11 CBS		10	47	41	2
1/18-21/07 CBS	7	51	31	10	1	10/19-24/11	1	13	50	36	1
2/8-11/07 CBS	8	52	27	12	1	11/6-10/11 CBS	1	12	41	45	1
2/23-27/07	7	55	25	10	3	12/5-7/11 CBS	1	12	44	42	1
3/7-11/07	8	47	33	11	1	1/4-8/12 CBS	1	18	46	34	2
4/9-12/07 CBS	8	51	28	11	2	1/12-17/12	1	20	47	32	-
5/18-23/07	7	48	29	14	1	2/8-13/12	1	22	46	29	1
7/9-17/07	9	46	30	13	2	3/7-11/12	1	21	45	30	2
8/8-12/07 CBS	7	45	32	14	2	4/13-17/12	1	26	41	29	2
9/4-8/07	4	51	30	15	1	7/11-16/12	1	26	39	32	1
10/12-16/07 CBS	5	45	33	16	1	8/22-26/12 CBS	2	25	39	32	1
12/5-9/07	3	39	39	18	1	9/8-12/12	2	29	38	30	1
1/9-12/08	3	35	42	19	2	10/17-20 CBS	2	30	39	27	1
1/30-2/2/08 CBS	2	26	27	44	1	10/25-28/12	2	30	36	31	1
2/20-24/08	2	27	45	25	1	12/12-16/12 CBS	1	28	46	23	1
3/15-18/08 CBS	1	24	42	34		2/6-10/13 CBS	1	31	38	29	1
3/28-4/2/08	1	20	48	30	1	3/20-24/13 CBS	1	29	42	26	2
4/25-29/08	-	22	41	36	1	4/24-28/13	2	29	42	26	2
5/1-3/08	1	15	40	43	1	5/31-6/4/13	3	36	37	23	1
5/30-6/3/08 CBS	1	19	45	33	2	7/18-22/13 CBS	3	34	36	25	2
7/7-14/08	1	18	45	35	1	9/19-23/13	1	34	39	24	1
7/31-8/5/08 CBS	1	16	40	43		10/18-21/13 CBS	2	30	37	29	1
8/15-19/08	1	17	41	41	-	11/15-18/13 CBS	2	31	37	28	2
9/12-16/08	2	20	39	39	-	12/5-8/13	3	34	36	25	2
9/21-24/08	-	17	34	46	2						
9/27-30/08 CBS	-	10	37	52	1						
10/3-5/08 CBS	1	10	34	55	-						
10/10-13/08	-	11	38	50	-						
10/19-22/08	-	13	35	51	-						

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13. Do you think the economy is getting better, getting worse, or staying about the same?

	Better	Worse	Same	DK/NA		Better	Worse	Same	DK/NA
1/19-22/03	17	39	44	1	6/12-16/09	27	25	46	2
4/11-13/03	17	31	49	2	7/9-12/09 CBS	21	33	45	1
5/9-12/03	22	28	49	1	7/24-28/09	32	22	45	1
7/13-27/03	22	31	46	1	8/27-31/09 CBS	36	25	38	1
8/26-28/03 CBS	25	31	43	1	9/19-23/09	36	17	46	-
9/28-10/1/03	24	29	46	1	10/5-8/09 CBS	31	18	50	1
12/10-13/03	34	24	41	1	11/13-16/09 CBS	32	25	42	1
12/14-15/03	39	19	39	2	12/4-8/09	29	23	47	1
1/12-15/04	34	26	39	1	1/6-10/10 CBS	31	19	49	1
2/12-15/04 CBS	33	27	39	1	1/14-17/10 CBS	24	28	48	-
3/10-14/04	28	27	43	2	2/5-10/10	24	29	45	2
5/20-23/04 CBS	23	32	43	2	4/5-12/10	33	23	43	1
6/23-27/04	28	23	47	1	4/28-5/2/10	41	15	43	1
9/12-16/04	26	27	45	2	5/20-24/10	30	28	42	-
10/14-17/04	24	33	42	1	6/16-20/10	28	24	48	-
11/18-21/04	26	29	44	1	7/9-12/10 CBS	25	26	48	1
1/14-18/05	25	29	45	1	8/20-24/10 CBS	20	34	44	2
2/24-28/05	23	30	46	1	9/10-14/10	22	30	48	1
6/10-15/05	18	36	45	2	10/1-5/10 CBS	22	27	50	1
7/29-8/2/05 CBS	20	32	47	1	10/21-26/10	25	28	46	1
9/9-13/05	13	47	38	2	11/29-12/2/10 CBS	31	24	44	1
10/30-11/1/05 CBS	16	40	44	-	1/15-19/11	30	21	46	2
12/2-6/05	19	35	45	1	2/11-14/11 CBS	32	22	45	1
1/5-8/06 CBS	20	37	43	-	3/18-21/11 CBS	26	26	47	1
1/20-25/06	17	38	44	1	4/15-20/11	23	39	38	1
3/9-12/06	13	39	47	1	6/3-7/11 CBS	24	31	44	1
5/4-8/06	14	47	39	1	6/24-28/11	20	31	48	1
7/21-25/06	12	47	41	1	9/10-15/11	12	43	44	1
9/15-19/06	17	36	46	1	9/28-10/2/11 CBS	12	40	46	2
10/5-8/06	19	31	49	1	10/19-24/11	14	36	49	1
10/27-31/06	16	38	44	-	11/6-10/11 CBS	18	32	50	-
2/8-11/07 CBS	15	34	49	2	12/5-7/11 CBS	21	39	40	-
2/23-27/07	11	35	51	2	12/14-18/11 CBS	24	30	45	1
4/9-12/07 CBS	11	44	44	1	1/4-8/12 CBS	25	29	45	1
5/18-23/07	11	43	44	2	1/12-17/12	28	23	49	-
7/9-17/07	12	41	45	2	2/8-13/12	34	22	43	1
9/4-8/07	8	49	43	1	3/7-11/12	30	24	44	2
10/12-16/07 CBS	9	45	44	2	4/13-17/12	33	28	38	1
12/5-9/07	5	53	40	2	7/11-16/12	24	30	45	1
1/9-12/08	4	62	33	1	8/22-26/12 CBS	25	30	43	1
1/30-2/2/08 CBS	6	67	26	1	9/8-12/12	32	28	39	1
2/20-24/08	3	63	32	1	10/17-20/12 CBS	38	27	34	2
3/15-18/08 CBS	2	75	21	2	10/25-28/12	36	28	35	1
3/28-4/2/08	4	70	25	1	12/12-16/12 CBS	33	23	43	1
4/25-29/08	4	70	24	1	2/6-10/13 CBS	32	28	39	1
5/30-6/3/08 CBS	3	69	27	1	3/20-24/13 CBS	35	25	39	1
7/7-14/08	3	67	29	1	4/24-28/13	31	24	44	1
9/12-16/08	6	61	32	1	5/31-6/4/13	34	24	42	1
9/21-24/08	2	70	26	2	7/18-22/13 CBS	30	24	45	1
9/27-30/08 CBS	2	76	20	2	9/19-23/13	29	27	44	-
10/3-5/08 CBS	3	75	21	1	10/18-21/13 CBS	21	38	41	1
10/10-13/08	5	67	26	2	11/15-18/13 CBS	25	33	41	1
10/19-22/08	11	57	30	2	12/5-8/13	27	30	42	1
10/25-29/08	8	57	32	3					
5/30-6/3/08 CBS	3	69	27	1					
12/4-8/08 CBS	8	60	29	3					
1/11-15/09	7	54	37	2					
2/2-4/09 CBS	5	51	42	2					
2/18-22/09	8	51	40	1					
3/12-16/09 CBS	19	41	37	3					
4/1-5/09	20	34	43	3					
4/22-26/09	26	25	48	2					
5/6-12/09 CBS	32	23	44	1					

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19. Do you think Barack Obama has the same priorities for the country as you have, or doesn't he?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
2/18-22/09	65	28	7
7/24-28/09	62	31	7
10/5-8/09 CBS	58	38	4
5/20-24/10 CBS	45	47	8
7/9-12/10 CBS	48	48	4
1/15-19/11	42	52	5
2/11-14/11 CBS	45	51	4
4/15-20/11	43	53	3
12/5-7/11 CBS	41	54	5
1/12-18/12	44	50	6
2/6-10/13 CBS	45	50	5
11/15-18/13 CBS	38	59	3
12/5-8/13	38	58	4

20. Do you think Barack Obama is honest and trustworthy, or not?

	Honest	Not honest	DK/NA
9/8-12/12	58	37	5
11/15-18/13 CBS	49	48	3
12/5-8/13	49	46	5

27. From what you've heard or read, do you approve or disapprove of the health care law that was enacted in 2010? IF APPROVE, ASK: Do you strongly approve or somewhat approve? IF DISAPPROVE, ASK: Do you somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove?

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	DK/NA
3/29-4/1/10 CBS ¹	16	16	14	39	15
5/20-24/10 CBS ¹	19	24	13	34	10
7/9-12/10 CBS ²	17	19	16	33	15
9/10-14/10 ²	15	22	15	34	14
10/1-5/10 CBS ²	16	23	16	27	18
2/11-14/11 CBS ²	14	19	17	34	16
6/3-7/11 CBS ³	14	23	15	33	15
12/5-7/11 CBS ³	12	23	16	35	14
3/21-25/12	16	20	17	30	16
4/13-17/12	18	21	13	34	14
5/31-6/3/12	18	16	12	36	17
7/11-16/12	14	22	14	36	13
8/22-26/12 CBS	18	20	14	36	13
9/8-12/12	21	21	12	34	12
3/20-24/13 CBS	15	20	13	31	22
7/18-22/13 CBS	15	21	18	36	10
9/19-23/13	17	22	17	34	10
10/18-21/13 CBS	23	20	14	37	6
11/15-18/13 CBS	15	16	15	46	8
12/5-8/13	16	23	13	37	11

¹ Wording: "From what you've heard or read, do you approve or disapprove of the new health care reform bill..."

² Wording: "From what you've heard or read, do you approve or disapprove of the health care law that was enacted last march..."

³ Wording: "From what you've heard or read, do you approve or disapprove of the health care law that was enacted last year..."

39. As you may know, as part of the 2010 health care law, health insurance exchanges have opened up so people can sign up for health insurance. Based on what you've heard or read, has the sign-up for the health care exchanges been going very well, somewhat well, not very well, not at all well, or don't you know enough to say?

		Very well	Somewhat well	Not very well	Not at all well	Don't know enough	DK/NA
10/18-21/13	CBS	4	8	22	27	38	-
11/15-18/13	CBS	3	8	26	41	23	-
12/5-8/13		3	13	25	33	26	1

39A. Do you think the sign-up for the health-care exchanges is getting better, getting worse, or staying about the same?

	Better	Worse	Same	DK/NA
12/5-8/13	36	13	44	7

Are you currently employed either full time or part time, are you temporarily out of work, or are you not in the market for work at all?

	Employed	Temporarily out of work	Not in the market for work	Retired	DK/NA
12/5-8/13	57	10	15	18	1

Some people are registered to vote and others are not. Are you registered to vote in the precinct or election district where you now live, or aren't you?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
12/5-8/13	81	18	*

Do you have any children?

	Yes, one or more child under 18	Yes, all over 18	No children
12/5-8/13	27	41	32

Are you now married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?

	Married	Widowed	Divorced	Separated	Never married	DK/NA
12/5-8/13	53	7	12	2	26	1

Do you consider yourself to be a supporter of the Tea Party movement, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
4/5-12/10	18	62	19
5/20-24/10 CBS	20	59	21
7/9-12/10 CBS	27	56	17
8/20-24/10 CBS	29	54	17
9/10-14/10	19	63	19
10/21-26/10	24	63	14
11/7-10/10 CBS	31	58	11
11/29-12/2/10 CBS	22	68	10
2/11-14/11 CBS	20	63	17
3/18-21/11 CBS	23	64	13
4/15-20/11	24	66	10
6/24-28/11	26	64	10
8/2-3/11	18	73	10
9/10-15/11	20	65	15
10/19-24/11	24	66	10
1/12-17/12*	23	70	7
2/8-13/12	20	68	11
3/7-11/12	22	66	12
4/13-17/12	26	65	10
7/11-16/12	26	65	10
9/8-12/12	22	68	9
10/25-28/12	23	68	9
11/16-19/12 CBS	20	68	13
12/12-16/12 CBS	21	69	10
3/20-24/13 CBS	22	65	13
5/31-6/4/13	24	63	13
9/6-8/13	21	67	12
9/19-23/13	25	66	9
10/1-2/13 CBS	21	67	12
12/5-8/13	23	63	15

Some people think of themselves as evangelical or born again Christians. Do you ever think of yourself in either of these ways?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
12/5-8/13	31	67	2

What is your religious preference today?

	Protestant	Catholic	Jewish	Muslim	Other	None	DK/NA
12/5-8/13	50	19	1	1	6	20	2

Generally speaking, do you usually consider yourself a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or what?

	Rep	Dem	Ind	DK/NA		Rep	Dem	Ind	DK/NA
7/13-16/02	28	34	33	5	12/4-8/09	27	36	29	8
9/2-5/02	29	35	26	10	2/5-10/10	28	30	37	5
10/3-5/02	27	38	28	7	4/5-12/10	28	31	33	7
10/27-31/02	31	34	28	7	4/28-5/2/10	25	34	31	10
11/20-24/02	29	32	31	8	6/16-20/10	24	34	33	9
1/19-22/03	29	32	33	6	9/10-14/10	25	35	33	7
2/10-12/03	28	34	31	6	10/21-26/10	28	37	31	4
3/7-9/03	29	32	30	9	1/15-19/11	27	34	32	6
4/11-13/03	31	30	32	6	4/15-20/11	25	33	34	7
7/13-27/03	27	32	34	7	6/24-28/11	26	33	34	6
9/28-10/1/03	31	35	30	4	8/2-3/11	24	32	39	4
12/10-13/03	27	33	35	6	9/10-15/11	26	33	32	8
12/14-15/03	28	31	35	6	10/19-24/11	25	35	34	5
1/12-15/04	28	32	33	8	1/12-17/12	25	35	36	4
3/10-14/04	31	30	32	7	2/8-14/12	27	34	32	7
4/23-27/04	29	35	29	7	3/7-11/12	26	30	35	9
6/23-27/04	29	35	29	7	4/13-17/12	26	34	33	6
7/11-15/04	29	37	30	4	7/11-16/12	25	32	37	6
9/12-16/04	33	31	29	7	9/8-12/12	22	35	36	7
10/1-3/04	29	34	28	10	10/25-28/12	27	36	30	7
10/14-17/04	30	34	29	7	1/11-15/13	26	34	34	6
10/28-30/04	30	35	30	6	4/24-28/13	25	31	36	8
11/18-21/04	29	36	30	5	5/31-6/4/13	26	31	35	8
1/14-18/05	31	34	28	8	9/6-8/13	26	34	31	9
2/24-28/05	29	36	29	6	9/19-23/13	25	32	37	7
6/10-15/05	28	34	31	6	12/5-8/13	25	32	34	9
12/2-6/05	28	32	33	7					
1/20-25/06	29	34	33	4					
5/4-8/06	25	37	34	4					
7/21-25/06	31	33	30	5					
8/17-21/06	30	35	27	8					
9/15-19/06	30	32	32	5					
10/5-8/06	30	35	30	6					
10/27-31/06	28	35	31	7					
2/24-27/07	25	35	33	6					
3/7-11/07	27	35	33	6					
4/20-24/07	24	34	36	6					
5/18-23/07	29	37	32	3					
7/9-17/07	28	34	34	4					
7/20-22/07	24	32	36	9					
9/4-8/07	31	32	33	5					
12/5-9/07	26	35	31	8					
1/9-12/08	28	40	27	5					
2/20-24/08	27	38	29	6					
7/28-4/2/08	26	41	27	6					
4/25-29/08	27	37	31	5					
5/1-3/08	29	39	27	5					
7/7-14/08	26	37	31	6					
8/15-20/08	29	37	26	8					
9/12-16/08	28	39	26	7					
9/21-24/08	28	34	32	6					
10/10-13/08	28	36	29	7					
10/19-22/08	26	41	28	5					
10/25-29/08	30	37	27	5					
1/11-15/09	21	39	31	8					
2/18-22/09	26	36	32	5					
4/1-5/09	23	39	30	7					
4/22-26/09	20	38	36	6					
6/12-16/09	24	38	31	8					
7/24-28/09	20	34	39	7					
9/19-23/09	22	37	33	7					

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How would you describe your views on most political matters? Generally, do you think of yourself as liberal, moderate, or conservative?

	Lib	Mod	Con	DK/NA		Lib	Mod	Con	DK/NA
7/13-16/02	21	44	32	4	4/28-5/2/10	21	34	38	6
9/2-5/02	20	39	36		6/16-20/10	18	42	35	5
10/3-5/02	18	45	34	3	9/10-14/10	19	40	36	5
10/27-31/0	20	38	37	5	10/21-26/1	19	37	38	5
11/20-24/0	20	44	30	6	1/15-19/11	20	41	35	4
1/19-22/03	19	45	32	3	4/15-20/11	26	32	36	6
2/10-12/03	21	41	35	3	6/24-28/11	22	37	34	7
3/7-9/03	18	45	35	3	8/2-3/11	22	43	32	2
4/11-13/03	19	45	33	3	10/19-24/1	22	38	35	4
7/13-27/03	22	40	34	5	1/12-17/12	22	38	34	6
9/28-10/1/0	19	42	34	5	2/8-14/12	22	41	32	4
12/10-13/0	20	45	31	4	3/7-11/12	20	39	35	7
12/14-15/0	19	39	37	5	4/13-17/12	23	36	38	4
1/12-15/04	20	43	31	5	7/11-16/12	20	35	38	7
3/10-14/04	21	40	34	5	9/8-12/12	23	33	37	7
4/23-27/04	22	42	30	6	10/25-28/12	21	39	34	6
6/23-27/04	21	42	32	5	1/11-15/13	21	39	34	5
7/11-15/04	22	41	34	3	4/24-28/13	22	31	41	6
9/12-16/04	20	40	36	4	5/31-6/4/13	21	37	37	5
10/1-3/04	24	36	35	6	9/6-8/13	21	42	31	6
10/14-17/0	19	42	33	6	9/19-23/13	23	38	34	5
10/28-30/0	17	42	35	5	12/5-8/13	23	36	36	5
1/14-18/05	20	41	33	6					
2/24-28/05	23	38	35	5					
6/10-15/05	20	43	33	4					
9/9-13/05	18	43	34	5					
12/2-6/05	18	45	32	5					
1/20-25/06	21	45	30	4					
5/4-8/06	25	37	34	4					
7/21-25/06	21	39	36	4					
8/17-21/06	24	38	33	5					
9/15-19/06	17	43	35	4					
10/5-8/06	23	39	34	3					
10/27-31/0	20	45	30	5					
2/24-27/07	20	42	33	6					
3/7-11/07	20	40	36	4					
4/20-24/07	21	42	33	5					
5/18-23/07	20	43	32	5					
7/9-17/07	19	44	33	4					
7/20-22/07	15	48	31	5					
9/4-8/07	22	42	32	4					
12/5-9/07	22	43	31	4					
1/9-12/08	25	39	32	4					
2/20-24/08	23	41	29	6					
3/28-4/2/0	21	39	34	5					
4/25-29/08	22	41	33	4					
5/1-3/08	15	49	32	4					
7/7-14/08	22	41	32	5					
8/15-20/08	24	36	35	5					
9/12-16/08	24	39	33	4					
9/21-24/08	22	38	36	4					
10/10-13/0	18	49	29	4					
10/19-22/0	21	39	33	7					
10/25-29/0	22	38	33	7					
1/11-15/09	21	43	30	6					
2/18-22/09	20	38	36	6					
4/1-5/09	23	39	31	7					
4/22-26/09	22	42	29	7					
6/12-16/09	27	37	29	7					
7/24-28/09	22	41	30	7					
9/19-23/09	21	39	36	4					
12/4-8/09	21	36	38	5					

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How old are you?

	18-29	30-44	45-64	Over 64	DK/NA
12/5-8/13	21	25	35	19	1

What was the last grade in school you completed?

	Not a H.S. grad	H.S grad	Some college	College grad	Post Grad	Refused
12/5-8/13	7	34	29	19	11	1

Are you of Hispanic origin or descent, or not?

	Hispanic	Not Hispanic	DK/NA
12/5-8/13	14	85	1

Are you white, black, Asian or some other race?

	White	Black	Asian	Other	Refused
12/5-8/13	75	12	4	7	3

Was your total family income in 2012 UNDER or OVER \$50,000? IF UNDER, ASK: Was it under \$15,000, between \$15,000 and \$30,000, or between \$30,000 and \$50,000? IF OVER, ASK: Was it between \$50,000 and \$75,000 or between \$75,000 and \$100,000 or was it over \$100,000?

	Under \$15,000	\$15,000- \$29,999	\$30,000- \$49,999	\$50,000- \$74,999	\$75,000- \$100,000	Over \$100,000	Refused
12/5-8/13	9	21	19	21	11	14	6

	Male	Female
12/5-8/13	48	52