



Interviews with 1,010 adult Americans conducted by telephone by Opinion Research Corporation on September 21-23, 2010. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points.

The sample also includes 944 interviews among registered voters (plus or minus 3 percentage points) and 506 interviews among likely voters (plus or minus 4.5 percentage points).

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

	Sept. 21-23 <u>2010</u>	Sept. 1-2 <u>2010</u>	Aug. 6-10 <u>2010</u>			
Approve	42%	50%	47%			
Disapprove	54%	49%	51%			
No opinion	4%	1%	2%			
	July 16-21 <u>2010</u>	June 16 <u>2010</u>	May 21-23 <u>2010</u>	Apr. 9-11 <u>2010</u>	Mar. 25-28 <u>2010</u>	Mar. 19-21 <u>2010</u>
Approve	47%	50%	51%	51%	51%	46%
Disapprove	50%	48%	46%	47%	48%	51%
No opinion	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%
	Feb. 12-15 <u>2010</u>	Jan. 22-24 <u>2010</u>	Jan. 8-10 <u>2010</u>	Dec. 16-20 <u>2009</u>	Dec. 2-3 <u>2009</u>	Nov. 13-15 <u>2009</u>
Approve	49%	49%	51%	54%	48%	55%
Disapprove	50%	50%	48%	44%	50%	42%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	2%	2%	3%
	Oct. 30-Nov. 1 <u>2009</u>	Oct. 16-18 <u>2009</u>	Sept. 11-13 <u>2009</u>	Aug. 28-31 <u>2009</u>	July 31-Aug. 3 <u>2009</u>	June 26-28 <u>2009</u>
Approve	54%	55%	58%	53%	56%	61%
Disapprove	45%	43%	40%	45%	40%	37%
No opinion	1%	2%	2%	2%	4%	3%
	May 14-17 <u>2009</u>	Apr. 23-26 <u>2009</u>	Apr. 3-5 <u>2009</u>	Mar. 12-15 <u>2009</u>	Feb. 18-19 <u>2009</u>	Feb. 7-8 <u>2009</u>
Approve	62%	63%	66%	64%	67%	76%
Disapprove	35%	33%	30%	34%	29%	23%
No opinion	3%	5%	3%	2%	4%	1%

2. Regardless of whether you approve or disapprove of Barack Obama, do you think he has met your expectations for how he would handle his job as president, or has he exceeded your expectations, or has he fallen short of your expectations?

	Sept. 21-23 <u>2010</u>	Dec. 16-20 <u>2009</u>	May 16-18 <u>2009</u>	Feb. 18-19 <u>2009</u>
Met	32%	39%	52%	58%
Exceeded	9%	11%	17%	16%
Fallen short	56%	48%	28%	23%
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	2%

3. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district?
4. (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward?

QUESTIONS 3 AND 4 COMBINED

	<u>Democratic candidate</u>	<u>Republican candidate</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	44%	53%	3%	*
Registered Voters				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	44%	50%	4%	1%
Sept. 1-2, 2010	45%	52%	3%	1%
Aug. 6-10, 2010	45%	48%	7%	1%
July 16-21, 2010	44%	49%	6%	1%
May 21-23, 2010	47%	46%	6%	1%
April 9-11, 2010	50%	46%	4%	1%
March 25-28, 2010	45%	49%	4%	2%
March 19-21, 2010	45%	48%	5%	2%
February 12-15, 2010	45%	47%	6%	2%
Jan. 8-10, 2010	45%	48%	6%	1%
Nov. 13-15, 2009	49%	43%	6%	3%
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	50%	44%	5%	2%
All Americans				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	45%	49%	5%	2%
Sept. 1-2, 2010	45%	49%	5%	1%
Aug. 6-10, 2010	47%	45%	6%	1%
July 16-21, 2010	44%	50%	5%	1%
May 21-23, 2010	48%	44%	8%	1%
April 9-11, 2010	50%	45%	4%	2%
March 25-28, 2010	46%	48%	4%	2%
March 19-21, 2010	46%	46%	6%	3%
February 12-15, 2010	46%	46%	5%	3%
Jan. 8-10, 2010	45%	46%	6%	2%
Nov. 13-15, 2009	49%	42%	7%	2%
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	51%	41%	6%	2%

5. (IF DEMOCRAT) Would you say you will definitely vote for the Democrat, or is it possible you would change your mind between now and the election?
6. (IF REPUBLICAN) Would you say you will definitely vote for the Republican, or is it possible you would change your mind between now and the election?

QUESTIONS 5 AND 6 COMBINED

	<u>Definitely vote</u>	<u>Could change mind</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	75%	20%	*	5%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	65%	29%	1%	6%
Aug. 6-10, 2010	55%	37%	1%	6%
March 25-28, 2010	56%	38%	1%	5%
March 19-21, 2010	52%	39%	1%	8%
Jan. 8-10, 2010	46%	46%	1%	7%
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	49%	45%	1%	6%
Oct. 13-15, 2006	58%	40%	NA	2%
Aug. 2-3, 2006	49%	49%	NA	2%
All Americans				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	62%	31%	1%	6%
Aug. 6-10, 2010	52%	39%	2%	7%
March 25-28, 2010	54%	39%	1%	5%
March 19-21, 2010	50%	40%	2%	8%
Jan. 8-10, 2010	46%	45%	2%	7%
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	48%	44%	2%	5%
Oct. 13-15, 2006	56%	42%	NA	2%
Aug. 2-3, 2006	46%	52%	NA	2%

5. (IF DEMOCRAT) Would you say you will definitely vote for the Democrat, or is it possible you would change your mind between now and the election?
6. (IF REPUBLICAN) Would you say you will definitely vote for the Republican, or is it possible you would change your mind between now and the election?

QUESTIONS 5 AND 6 COMBINED

	<u>Definitely Democratic</u>	<u>Democratic could change</u>	<u>Republican could change</u>	<u>Definitely Republican</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters						
Sept. 21-23, 2010	34%	9%	11%	41%	*	5%
Registered Voters						
Sept. 21-23, 2010	30%	13%	15%	35%	1%	6%
Aug. 6-10, 2010	26%	19%	18%	29%	1%	6%
March 25-28, 2010	28%	18%	21%	28%	1%	5%
March 19-21, 2010	24%	19%	20%	27%	1%	8%
Jan. 8-10, 2010	23%	21%	25%	23%	1%	7%
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	27%	23%	22%	22%	1%	6%
Oct. 13-15, 2006	37%	19%	17%	21%	3%	4%
Aug. 2-3, 2006	32%	21%	22%	18%	3%	4%
All Americans						
Sept. 21-23, 2010	29%	14%	16%	32%	1%	6%
Aug. 6-10, 2010	25%	21%	17%	28%	2%	7%
March 25-28, 2010	28%	19%	21%	27%	1%	5%
March 19-21, 2010	25%	20%	20%	25%	2%	8%
Jan. 8-10, 2010	24%	21%	24%	22%	2%	7%
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	28%	23%	21%	20%	2%	5%
Oct. 13-15, 2006	35%	20%	16%	21%	3%	5%
Aug. 2-3, 2006	29%	22%	22%	18%	2%	7%

BASED ON 425 DEMOCRATS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.
 BASED ON 527 REPUBLICANS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5% PTS.

7. (IF DEMOCRAT) If you had to choose, would you say you are voting that way mostly to express support for the Democratic candidate, or mostly to express opposition to the Republican candidate?

	<u>Support Democrat</u>	<u>Oppose Republican</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters			
Sept. 21-23, 2010	62%	32%	6%
Oct. 27-29, 2006	58%	40%	2%
Registered Voters			
Sept. 21-23, 2010	69%	25%	6%
Oct. 27-29, 2006	59%	37%	4%
All Americans			
Sept. 21-23, 2010	67%	24%	9%

8. (IF REPUBLICAN) If you had to choose, would you say you are voting that way mostly to express support for the Republican candidate, or mostly to express opposition to the Democratic candidate?

	<u>Support Republican</u>	<u>Oppose Democrat</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters			
Sept. 21-23, 2010	44%	49%	7%
Oct. 27-29, 2006	76%	19%	5%
Registered Voters			
Sept. 21-23, 2010	52%	42%	6%
Oct. 27-29, 2006	73%	22%	6%
All Americans			
Sept. 21-23, 2010	54%	40%	6%

BASED ON 401 REGISTERED DEMOCRATS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.
 BASED ON 496 REGISTERED REPUBLICANS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5% PTS.

9. How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting for Congress this year -- extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic?

	<u>Extremely enthusiastic</u>	<u>Very enthusiastic</u>	<u>Somewhat enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not too enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not at all enthusiastic</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters						
Sept. 21-23, 2010	32%	24%	26%	10%	7%	1%
Registered Voters						
Sept. 21-23, 2010	23%	17%	31%	17%	12%	*
July 16-21, 2010	15%	19%	37%	17%	11%	1%
May 21-23, 2010	17%	25%	29%	15%	14%	*
March 25-28, 2010	24%	21%	32%	12%	11%	1%
January 8-10, 2010	20%	20%	35%	16%	10%	*
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	22%	20%	32%	16%	9%	*
Registered Democrats						
Sept. 21-23, 2010	16%	14%	36%	19%	15%	*
July 16-21, 2010	11%	16%	41%	19%	12%	*
May 21-23, 2010	10%	22%	35%	18%	15%	*
March 25-28, 2010	17%	19%	40%	14%	9%	1%
January 8-10, 2010	13%	18%	42%	17%	10%	*
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	17%	25%	34%	17%	6%	1%
Registered Republicans						
Sept. 21-23, 2010	31%	22%	27%	13%	7%	*
July 16-21, 2010	19%	23%	34%	14%	10%	*
May 21-23, 2010	25%	29%	24%	12%	10%	*
March 25-28, 2010	32%	23%	24%	10%	11%	1%
January 8-10, 2010	25%	24%	30%	14%	7%	*
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	26%	17%	33%	16%	8%	*
All Americans						
Sept. 21-23, 2010	21%	17%	31%	17%	13%	*
July 16-21, 2010	13%	20%	37%	16%	13%	*
May 21-23, 2010	15%	22%	29%	16%	17%	*
March 25-28, 2010	22%	20%	33%	12%	13%	1%
January 8-10, 2010	19%	19%	35%	16%	11%	*
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	21%	20%	32%	16%	10%	*

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FOR COMPARISON

How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting **for President** this year -- extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic?

	<u>Extremely enthusiastic</u>	<u>Very enthusiastic</u>	<u>Somewhat enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not too enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not at all enthusiastic</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
<u>REGISTERED VOTERS</u>						
Oct. 30 - Nov. 1, 2008	37%	32%	16%	7%	8%	*
Oct. 17-19, 2008	34%	24%	23%	11%	8%	*
Sept. 5-7, 2008	30%	30%	23%	11%	6%	*
Aug. 29-31, 2008	31%	27%	19%	15%	8%	*
Aug. 23-24, 2008	26%	23%	28%	13%	11%	*
June 4-5, 2008	23%	27%	24%	14%	12%	*
Jan. 14-17, 2008	37%	26%	24%	8%	4%	*
June 23-24, 2007	26%	28%	27%	13%	6%	*
<u>Republicans</u>						
Oct. 30 - Nov. 1, 2008	28%	32%	19%	9%	12%	*
Oct. 17-19, 2008	24%	26%	27%	12%	10%	*
Sept. 5-7, 2008	26%	28%	26%	15%	4%	*
Aug. 29-31, 2008	24%	25%	23%	19%	9%	*
Aug. 23-24, 2008	22%	21%	30%	16%	11%	*
June 4-5, 2008	13%	24%	27%	21%	15%	*
Jan. 14-17, 2008	33%	24%	29%	9%	5%	*
June 23-24, 2007	27%	25%	27%	16%	6%	*
<u>Democrats</u>						
Oct. 30 - Nov. 1, 2008	45%	34%	13%	4%	3%	*
Oct. 17-19, 2008	45%	23%	20%	7%	5%	*
Sept. 5-7, 2008	36%	30%	21%	6%	6%	*
Aug. 29-31, 2008	37%	30%	17%	11%	6%	*
Aug. 23-24, 2008	30%	26%	25%	11%	7%	*
June 4-5, 2008	32%	31%	21%	8%	8%	*
Jan. 14-17, 2008	41%	27%	22%	6%	3%	*
June 23-24, 2007	28%	32%	27%	9%	4%	*

10. Do you think the country would be better off if the Republicans controlled Congress, if the Democrats controlled Congress, or would the country be the same regardless of which party controlled Congress?

	<u>Republicans</u>	<u>Democrats</u>	<u>Same regardless</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	38%	27%	34%	1%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	32%	22%	44%	2%
May 21-23, 2010	31%	28%	40%	1%
Nov. 3-5, 2006	21%	40%	36%	3%
All Americans				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	30%	23%	45%	2%
May 21-23, 2010	28%	27%	44%	1%
Nov. 3-5, 2006	20%	39%	37%	3%

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	<u>Republicans</u>	<u>Democrats</u>	<u>Same regardless</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2004 Mar 5-7	25	31	39	5
2002 Nov 8-10	28	22	47	3
2002 Oct 31-Nov 3	25	27	42	6
1998 Oct 23-25	24	22	48	6

11. Would you be more likely to vote for a candidate for Congress who President Obama supports, or more likely to vote for a candidate who President Obama opposes?

	<u>Obama supports</u>	<u>Obama opposes</u>	<u>No difference/ both equal (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	37%	48%	13%	2%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	37%	45%	15%	3%
May 21-23, 2010	43%	43%	13%	1%
All Americans				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	37%	44%	15%	4%
May 21-23, 2010	44%	41%	13%	2%

12. Would you be more likely to vote for a candidate for Congress who the Tea Party movement supports, or more likely to vote for a candidate who the Tea Party movement opposes?

	<u>Tea Party supports</u>	<u>Tea Party opposes</u>	<u>No difference/ both equal (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	50%	33%	9%	8%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	45%	33%	12%	10%
May 21-23, 2010	43%	40%	10%	6%
All Americans				
Sept. 21-23, 2010	43%	34%	12%	11%
May 21-23, 2010	44%	41%	10%	5%

23. As you may know, the tax cuts passed into law when George W. Bush was president are set to expire this year. Unless a new bill is passed, federal income tax rates will rise to the level they were at when those cuts were enacted. Please tell me whether you would favor or oppose each of the following: (ASKED IN ORDER)

a. Making those tax cuts permanent for families that make less than \$250,000 a year

	Sept. 21-23
	<u>2010</u>
Favor	79%
Oppose	19%
No opinion	2%

b. Making those tax cuts permanent for families that make more than \$250,000 a year as well

	Sept. 21-23
	<u>2010</u>
Favor	44%
Oppose	53%
No opinion	3%

c. Continuing those tax cuts for a few years for all families, regardless of how much money they make, but not making them permanent

	Sept. 21-23
	<u>2010</u>
Favor	52%
Oppose	45%
No opinion	3%

Question 1

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

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Approve	42%	38%	46%	34%	61%
Disapprove	54%	58%	51%	63%	32%
No opinion	4%	5%	4%	3%	8%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-7.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Approve	42%	N/A	40%	41%	45%	41%	42%
Disapprove	54%	N/A	53%	58%	53%	53%	56%
No opinion	4%	N/A	7%	1%	2%	6%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
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Approve	42%	49%	35%	42%	41%
Disapprove	54%	46%	63%	54%	55%
No opinion	4%	5%	3%	5%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
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Approve	42%	74%	39%	11%	67%	50%	23%
Disapprove	54%	22%	57%	85%	27%	45%	75%
No opinion	4%	4%	5%	4%	6%	5%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
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Approve	42%	39%	45%	41%	42%	50%	37%	41%
Disapprove	54%	57%	54%	55%	50%	43%	59%	58%
No opinion	4%	3%	1%	5%	8%	7%	4%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Approve	42%	13%	43%	76%
Disapprove	54%	86%	51%	21%
No opinion	4%	1%	6%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.0

* percentage less than 1%

Regardless of whether you approve or disapprove of Barack Obama, do you think he has met your expectations for how he would handle his job as president, or has he exceeded your expectations, or has he fallen short of your expectations?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Met	32%	30%	35%	31%	37%
Exceeded	9%	7%	11%	7%	14%
Fallen short	56%	62%	51%	61%	45%
No opinion	2%	1%	3%	1%	5%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-7.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Met	32%	N/A	31%	32%	29%	33%	31%
Exceeded	9%	N/A	8%	10%	10%	9%	10%
Fallen short	56%	N/A	58%	57%	56%	56%	57%
No opinion	2%	N/A	3%	1%	5%	2%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
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Met	32%	32%	33%	24%	39%
Exceeded	9%	11%	8%	10%	9%
Fallen short	56%	55%	58%	63%	51%
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
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Met	32%	45%	30%	21%	44%	38%	22%
Exceeded	9%	16%	8%	3%	11%	12%	6%
Fallen short	56%	38%	58%	73%	42%	48%	70%
No opinion	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
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Met	32%	33%	34%	23%	43%	37%	31%	28%
Exceeded	9%	4%	9%	13%	9%	11%	7%	10%
Fallen short	56%	62%	56%	62%	43%	50%	58%	62%
No opinion	2%	2%	1%	1%	6%	2%	4%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
	-----	-----	-----	-----
Met	32%	22%	34%	44%
Exceeded	9%	3%	9%	17%
Fallen short	56%	75%	54%	39%
No opinion	2%	1%	4%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.0

* percentage less than 1%

Likely Voter

Question 3/4

Q3. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district -

Q4. As of today, do you lean more toward -

Base = Likely Voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Democratic candidate	44%	37%	51%	33%	N/A
GOP candidate	53%	60%	45%	64%	N/A
Neither/other candidate	3%	2%	3%	2%	N/A
Don't plan to vote	*	*	1%	*	N/A
No opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Democratic candidate	44%	N/A	N/A	46%	53%	N/A	49%
GOP candidate	53%	N/A	N/A	52%	44%	N/A	48%
Neither/other candidate	3%	N/A	N/A	1%	2%	N/A	1%
Don't plan to vote	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	N/A	*
No opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	*	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-7.0	+/-7.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Democratic candidate	44%	55%	38%	N/A	41%
GOP candidate	53%	39%	59%	N/A	55%
Neither/other candidate	3%	5%	1%	N/A	2%
Don't plan to vote	*	*	*	N/A	*
No opinion	1%	*	1%	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Democratic candidate	44%	92%	31%	3%	N/A	56%	20%
GOP candidate	53%	8%	58%	97%	N/A	36%	79%
Neither/other candidate	3%	*	8%	*	N/A	6%	*
Don't plan to vote	*	*	1%	*	N/A	*	*
No opinion	1%	*	2%	*	N/A	1%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5		+/-7.5	+/-6.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Democratic candidate	44%	N/A	N/A	37%	48%	54%	37%	N/A
GOP candidate	53%	N/A	N/A	58%	49%	41%	59%	N/A
Neither/other candidate	3%	N/A	N/A	5%	*	4%	3%	N/A
Don't plan to vote	*	N/A	N/A	*	1%	*	*	N/A
No opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	*	2%	1%	1%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-8.0	+/-8.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.5	

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
Democratic candidate	44%	12%	53%	85%
GOP candidate	53%	84%	44%	11%
Neither/other candidate	3%	2%	2%	4%
Don't plan to vote	*	1%	*	*
No opinion	1%	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.0	+/-8.0	+/-8.5

* percentage less than 1%

Likely Voter

Question 3/4/5/6

Q3. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district -

Q4. As of today, do you lean more toward -

Q5. Would you say you will definitely vote for the Democrat, or is it possible you would change your mind between now and the election?

Q6. Would you say you will definitely vote for the Republican, or is it possible you would change your mind between now and the election?

Base = Likely Voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Definitely vote for	75%	75%	74%	72%	N/A
Could change mind	20%	21%	19%	22%	N/A
Don't plan to vote	*	*	1%	*	N/A
No opinion	5%	4%	6%	5%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Definitely vote for	75%	N/A	N/A	79%	79%	N/A	79%
Could change mind	20%	N/A	N/A	19%	18%	N/A	18%
Don't plan to vote	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	N/A	*
No opinion	5%	N/A	N/A	3%	2%	N/A	3%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-7.0	+/-7.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
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Definitely vote for	75%	73%	76%	N/A	75%
Could change mind	20%	17%	21%	N/A	21%
Don't plan to vote	*	*	*	N/A	*
No opinion	5%	10%	3%	N/A	4%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
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Definitely vote for	75%	84%	59%	80%	N/A	61%	82%
Could change mind	20%	16%	26%	19%	N/A	29%	16%
Don't plan to vote	*	*	1%	*	N/A	*	*
No opinion	5%	1%	14%	1%	N/A	10%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5		+/-7.5	+/-6.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
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Definitely vote for	75%	N/A	N/A	72%	73%	74%	76%	N/A
Could change mind	20%	N/A	N/A	19%	24%	21%	18%	N/A
Don't plan to vote	*	N/A	N/A	*	1%	*	*	N/A
No opinion	5%	N/A	N/A	9%	2%	5%	5%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-8.0	+/-8.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.5	

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Definitely vote for	75%	81%	66%	74%
Could change mind	20%	14%	27%	22%
Don't plan to vote	*	1%	*	*
No opinion	5%	4%	7%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.0	+/-8.0	+/-8.5

* percentage less than 1%

Likely Voter

Question 3/4/5/6

Q3. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district -

Q4. As of today, do you lean more toward -

Q5. Would you say you will definitely vote for the Democrat, or is it possible you would change your mind between now and the election?

Q6. Would you say you will definitely vote for the Republican, or is it possible you would change your mind between now and the election?

Base = Likely Voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Definitely vote Democratic	34%	29%	39%	23%	N/A
Vote Dem,could change mind	9%	8%	10%	9%	N/A
Vote Rep,could change mind	11%	13%	9%	13%	N/A
Definitely vote Republican	41%	46%	35%	49%	N/A
Don't plan to vote	*	*	1%	*	N/A
No opinion	5%	4%	6%	5%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Definitely vote Democratic	34%	N/A	N/A	37%	41%	N/A	39%
Vote Dem,could change mind	9%	N/A	N/A	9%	12%	N/A	10%
Vote Rep,could change mind	11%	N/A	N/A	10%	6%	N/A	8%
Definitely vote Republican	41%	N/A	N/A	42%	38%	N/A	40%
Don't plan to vote	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	N/A	*
No opinion	5%	N/A	N/A	3%	2%	N/A	3%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-7.0	+/-7.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
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Definitely vote Democratic	34%	46%	28%	N/A	31%
Vote Dem,could change mind	9%	6%	10%	N/A	10%
Vote Rep,could change mind	11%	11%	11%	N/A	10%
Definitely vote Republican	41%	26%	48%	N/A	45%
Don't plan to vote	*	*	*	N/A	*
No opinion	5%	10%	3%	N/A	4%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
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Definitely vote Democratic	34%	78%	18%	1%	N/A	36%	18%
Vote Dem,could change mind	9%	14%	11%	1%	N/A	20%	2%
Vote Rep,could change mind	11%	2%	15%	17%	N/A	10%	14%
Definitely vote Republican	41%	6%	41%	79%	N/A	24%	65%
Don't plan to vote	*	*	1%	*	N/A	*	*
No opinion	5%	1%	14%	1%	N/A	10%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5		+/-7.5	+/-6.5

* percentage less than 1%

- Q3. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district -
Q4. As of today, do you lean more toward -
Q5. Would you say you will definitely vote for the Democrat, or is it possible you would change your mind between now and the election?
Q6. Would you say you will definitely vote for the Republican, or is it possible you would change your mind between now and the election?

Base = Likely Voters

	Total	North east	Mid- west	South	West	Urban	Sub- urban	Rural
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Definitely vote Democratic	34%	N/A	N/A	29%	36%	41%	28%	N/A
Vote Dem,could change mind	9%	N/A	N/A	5%	11%	13%	8%	N/A
Vote Rep,could change mind	11%	N/A	N/A	14%	12%	8%	10%	N/A
Definitely vote Republican	41%	N/A	N/A	43%	37%	33%	48%	N/A
Don't plan to vote	*	N/A	N/A	*	1%	*	*	N/A
No opinion	5%	N/A	N/A	9%	2%	5%	5%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-8.0	+/-8.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.5	

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Definitely vote Democratic	34%	11%	36%	68%
Vote Dem,could change mind	9%	1%	13%	16%
Vote Rep,could change mind	11%	13%	13%	5%
Definitely vote Republican	41%	71%	30%	5%
Don't plan to vote	*	1%	*	*
No opinion	5%	4%	7%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.0	+/-8.0	+/-8.5

* percentage less than 1%

Likely Voter

Question 7

If you had to choose, would you say you are voting that way mostly to express support for the Democratic candidate, or mostly to express opposition to the Republican candidate?

Base = Likely Voters, Democrats

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Support for DEM candidate	62%	N/A	N/A	56%	N/A
Opposition to GOP candidate	32%	N/A	N/A	37%	N/A
No opinion	6%	N/A	N/A	7%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.5			+/-8.0	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Support for DEM candidate	62%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	60%
Opposition to GOP candidate	32%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	34%
No opinion	6%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6%
Sampling Error	+/-6.5						+/-7.5

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Support for DEM candidate	62%	N/A	N/A	N/A	63%
Opposition to GOP candidate	32%	N/A	N/A	N/A	29%
No opinion	6%	N/A	N/A	N/A	8%
Sampling Error	+/-6.5				+/-7.5

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
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Support for DEM candidate	62%	66%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Opposition to GOP candidate	32%	28%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
No opinion	6%	6%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.5	+/-8.0					

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
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Support for DEM candidate	62%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Opposition to GOP candidate	32%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
No opinion	6%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.5							

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Support for DEM candidate	62%	N/A	N/A	N/A
Opposition to GOP candidate	32%	N/A	N/A	N/A
No opinion	6%	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.5			

* percentage less than 1%

Likely Voter

Question 8

If you had to choose, would you say you are voting that way mostly to express support for the Republican candidate, or mostly to express opposition to the Democratic candidate?

Base = Likely Voters, Republicans

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Support for GOP candidate	44%	44%	N/A	46%	N/A
Opposition to DEM candidate	49%	51%	N/A	48%	N/A
No opinion	6%	5%	N/A	7%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.0	+/-8.0		+/-6.5	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Support for GOP candidate	44%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	44%
Opposition to DEM candidate	49%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	50%
No opinion	6%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6%
Sampling Error	+/-6.0						+/-7.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
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Support for GOP candidate	44%	N/A	48%	N/A	47%
Opposition to DEM candidate	49%	N/A	48%	N/A	50%
No opinion	6%	N/A	4%	N/A	3%
Sampling Error	+/-6.0		+/-8.0		+/-7.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
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Support for GOP candidate	44%	N/A	N/A	51%	N/A	N/A	49%
Opposition to DEM candidate	49%	N/A	N/A	44%	N/A	N/A	47%
No opinion	6%	N/A	N/A	5%	N/A	N/A	4%
Sampling Error	+/-6.0			+/-8.0			+/-7.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
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Support for GOP candidate	44%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	45%	N/A
Opposition to DEM candidate	49%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	51%	N/A
No opinion	6%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.0						+/-8.5	

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Support for GOP candidate	44%	46%	N/A	N/A
Opposition to DEM candidate	49%	49%	N/A	N/A
No opinion	6%	4%	N/A	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.0	+/-7.0		

* percentage less than 1%

How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting for Congress this year -- extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Extremely enthusiastic	21%	23%	19%	21%	18%
Very enthusiastic	17%	18%	15%	19%	9%
Somewhat enthusiastic	31%	30%	33%	27%	44%
Not too enthusiastic	17%	17%	18%	20%	10%
Not at all enthusiastic	13%	12%	14%	11%	18%
No opinion	*	*	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-7.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Extremely enthusiastic	21%	N/A	21%	27%	21%	18%	24%
Very enthusiastic	17%	N/A	14%	20%	21%	13%	21%
Somewhat enthusiastic	31%	N/A	33%	25%	25%	37%	25%
Not too enthusiastic	17%	N/A	17%	16%	16%	18%	16%
Not at all enthusiastic	13%	N/A	14%	11%	17%	13%	14%
No opinion	*	N/A	*	*	1%	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Extremely enthusiastic	21%	15%	26%	16%	25%
Very enthusiastic	17%	13%	21%	15%	17%
Somewhat enthusiastic	31%	37%	30%	35%	29%
Not too enthusiastic	17%	19%	15%	15%	19%
Not at all enthusiastic	13%	16%	9%	18%	9%
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep- endent	Repub- lican	Lib- eral	Mod- erate	Conser- vative
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Extremely enthusiastic	21%	14%	19%	31%	15%	16%	29%
Very enthusiastic	17%	17%	13%	21%	13%	14%	20%
Somewhat enthusiastic	31%	33%	32%	30%	42%	34%	25%
Not too enthusiastic	17%	20%	19%	13%	16%	22%	14%
Not at all enthusiastic	13%	15%	17%	5%	14%	14%	11%
No opinion	*	*	1%	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5

* percentage less than 1%

How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting for Congress this year -- extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	North east	Mid- west	South	West	Urban	Sub- urban	Rural
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Extremely enthusiastic	21%	21%	21%	22%	20%	18%	26%	16%
Very enthusiastic	17%	12%	19%	20%	14%	14%	16%	21%
Somewhat enthusiastic	31%	34%	22%	33%	38%	30%	32%	31%
Not too enthusiastic	17%	18%	23%	11%	19%	19%	17%	15%
Not at all enthusiastic	13%	16%	14%	14%	7%	17%	8%	18%
No opinion	*	*	1%	*	1%	1%	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Extremely enthusiastic	21%	37%	11%	18%
Very enthusiastic	17%	22%	14%	15%
Somewhat enthusiastic	31%	28%	32%	35%
Not too enthusiastic	17%	6%	26%	19%
Not at all enthusiastic	13%	6%	18%	13%
No opinion	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.0

* percentage less than 1%

Likely Voter

Question 10

Do you think the country would be better off if the Republicans controlled Congress, if the Democrats controlled Congress, or would the country be the same regardless of which party controlled Congress?

Base = Likely Voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Republicans	38%	44%	31%	45%	N/A
Democrats	27%	20%	33%	21%	N/A
Same regardless	34%	33%	34%	32%	N/A
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	2%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Republicans	38%	N/A	N/A	42%	37%	N/A	40%
Democrats	27%	N/A	N/A	24%	36%	N/A	29%
Same regardless	34%	N/A	N/A	32%	25%	N/A	29%
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	2%	1%	N/A	2%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-7.0	+/-7.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Republicans	38%	25%	44%	N/A	42%
Democrats	27%	31%	24%	N/A	27%
Same regardless	34%	42%	30%	N/A	29%
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Republicans	38%	5%	32%	80%	N/A	20%	64%
Democrats	27%	61%	14%	*	N/A	31%	12%
Same regardless	34%	33%	51%	17%	N/A	47%	23%
No opinion	2%	1%	3%	2%	N/A	2%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5		+/-7.5	+/-6.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
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Republicans	38%	N/A	N/A	37%	34%	28%	46%	N/A
Democrats	27%	N/A	N/A	22%	30%	33%	23%	N/A
Same regardless	34%	N/A	N/A	37%	35%	38%	29%	N/A
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	3%	1%	*	2%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-8.0	+/-8.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.5	

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Republicans	38%	68%	27%	4%
Democrats	27%	4%	26%	65%
Same regardless	34%	28%	43%	31%
No opinion	2%	1%	4%	*
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.0	+/-8.0	+/-8.5

* percentage less than 1%

Likely Voter

Question 11

Would you be more likely to vote for a candidate for Congress who President Obama supports, or more likely to vote for a candidate who President Obama opposes?

Base = Likely Voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Obama supports	37%	33%	41%	26%	N/A
Obama opposes	48%	56%	39%	58%	N/A
No difference/both equal	13%	8%	18%	13%	N/A
No opinion	2%	3%	2%	2%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Obama supports	37%	N/A	N/A	38%	43%	N/A	40%
Obama opposes	48%	N/A	N/A	53%	44%	N/A	49%
No difference/both equal	13%	N/A	N/A	9%	10%	N/A	9%
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	1%	3%	N/A	2%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-7.0	+/-7.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Obama supports	37%	45%	34%	N/A	38%
Obama opposes	48%	40%	51%	N/A	50%
No difference/both equal	13%	11%	15%	N/A	12%
No opinion	2%	5%	1%	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep-endent	Repub-lican	Lib-eral	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Obama supports	37%	79%	20%	7%	N/A	53%	16%
Obama opposes	48%	9%	54%	85%	N/A	29%	77%
No difference/both equal	13%	10%	21%	8%	N/A	16%	8%
No opinion	2%	1%	5%	*	N/A	2%	*
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5		+/-7.5	+/-6.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
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Obama supports	37%	N/A	N/A	27%	45%	50%	33%	N/A
Obama opposes	48%	N/A	N/A	56%	39%	37%	53%	N/A
No difference/both equal	13%	N/A	N/A	16%	13%	11%	13%	N/A
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	1%	2%	2%	2%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-8.0	+/-8.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.5	

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Obama supports	37%	11%	40%	76%
Obama opposes	48%	77%	44%	4%
No difference/both equal	13%	10%	14%	16%
No opinion	2%	1%	1%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.0	+/-8.0	+/-8.5

* percentage less than 1%

Would you be more likely to vote for a candidate for Congress who the Tea Party movement supports, or more likely to vote for a candidate who the Tea Party movement opposes?

Base = Likely Voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Tea Party supports	50%	53%	46%	50%	N/A
Tea Party opposes	33%	34%	33%	33%	N/A
No difference/both equal	9%	8%	10%	9%	N/A
No opinion	8%	5%	11%	7%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Tea Party supports	50%	N/A	N/A	49%	41%	N/A	46%
Tea Party opposes	33%	N/A	N/A	37%	34%	N/A	36%
No difference/both equal	9%	N/A	N/A	8%	12%	N/A	10%
No opinion	8%	N/A	N/A	6%	13%	N/A	9%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-7.0	+/-7.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
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Tea Party supports	50%	50%	49%	N/A	47%
Tea Party opposes	33%	28%	37%	N/A	39%
No difference/both equal	9%	8%	11%	N/A	9%
No opinion	8%	15%	3%	N/A	5%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.0		+/-5.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
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Tea Party supports	50%	26%	49%	77%	N/A	32%	73%
Tea Party opposes	33%	58%	31%	9%	N/A	49%	11%
No difference/both equal	9%	7%	12%	8%	N/A	13%	8%
No opinion	8%	9%	8%	6%	N/A	6%	8%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5		+/-7.5	+/-6.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
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Tea Party supports	50%	N/A	N/A	51%	52%	45%	57%	N/A
Tea Party opposes	33%	N/A	N/A	33%	31%	40%	30%	N/A
No difference/both equal	9%	N/A	N/A	8%	12%	9%	8%	N/A
No opinion	8%	N/A	N/A	9%	5%	6%	4%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.5			+/-8.0	+/-8.5	+/-8.0	+/-6.5	

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Tea Party supports	50%	89%	36%	5%
Tea Party opposes	33%	2%	29%	90%
No difference/both equal	9%	6%	19%	3%
No opinion	8%	3%	16%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-4.5	+/-7.0	+/-8.0	+/-8.5

* percentage less than 1%

As you may know, the tax cuts passed into law when George W. Bush was president are set to expire this year. Unless a new bill is passed, federal income tax rates will rise to the level they were at when those cuts were enacted. Please tell me whether you would favor or oppose each of the following:

A. Making those tax cuts permanent for families that make less than 250 thousand dollars a year

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Favor	79%	81%	78%	83%	71%
Oppose	19%	18%	20%	16%	26%
No opinion	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-7.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Favor	79%	N/A	80%	84%	77%	78%	82%
Oppose	19%	N/A	17%	15%	20%	20%	17%
No opinion	2%	N/A	3%	*	2%	2%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
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Favor	79%	75%	86%	74%	84%
Oppose	19%	24%	13%	25%	14%
No opinion	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep- endent	Repub- lican	Lib- eral	Mod- erate	Conser- vative
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Favor	79%	74%	78%	86%	73%	80%	82%
Oppose	19%	24%	19%	14%	25%	19%	16%
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	*	1%	1%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5

	Total	North east	Mid- west	South	West	Urban	Sub- urban	Rural
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Favor	79%	80%	83%	78%	77%	71%	85%	81%
Oppose	19%	19%	16%	20%	22%	28%	14%	17%
No opinion	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Favor	79%	87%	78%	76%
Oppose	19%	12%	21%	23%
No opinion	2%	1%	1%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.0

* percentage less than 1%

As you may know, the tax cuts passed into law when George W. Bush was president are set to expire this year. Unless a new bill is passed, federal income tax rates will rise to the level they were at when those cuts were enacted. Please tell me whether you would favor or oppose each of the following:

B. Making those tax cuts permanent for families that make more than 250 thousand dollars a year as well

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Favor	44%	45%	43%	47%	36%
Oppose	53%	52%	54%	50%	60%
No opinion	3%	3%	3%	2%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-7.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Favor	44%	N/A	47%	48%	40%	45%	44%
Oppose	53%	N/A	50%	51%	58%	52%	53%
No opinion	3%	N/A	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
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Favor	44%	39%	51%	42%	46%
Oppose	53%	60%	45%	56%	51%
No opinion	3%	1%	3%	2%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep- endent	Repub- lican	Lib- eral	Mod- erate	Conser- vative
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Favor	44%	32%	40%	62%	27%	36%	59%
Oppose	53%	66%	57%	34%	71%	62%	38%
No opinion	3%	2%	3%	4%	2%	2%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5

	Total	North east	Mid- west	South	West	Urban	Sub- urban	Rural
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Favor	44%	46%	43%	45%	43%	41%	48%	43%
Oppose	53%	54%	54%	52%	53%	57%	49%	55%
No opinion	3%	*	3%	3%	4%	2%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Favor	44%	62%	42%	28%
Oppose	53%	36%	55%	71%
No opinion	3%	2%	3%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.0

* percentage less than 1%

As you may know, the tax cuts passed into law when George W. Bush was president are set to expire this year. Unless a new bill is passed, federal income tax rates will rise to the level they were at when those cuts were enacted. Please tell me whether you would favor or oppose each of the following:

C. Continuing those tax cuts for a few years for all families, regardless of how much money they make, but not making them permanent

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
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Favor	52%	52%	52%	52%	55%
Oppose	45%	45%	45%	45%	41%
No opinion	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-7.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
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Favor	52%	N/A	52%	49%	54%	53%	51%
Oppose	45%	N/A	43%	49%	42%	43%	46%
No opinion	3%	N/A	5%	2%	4%	3%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
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Favor	52%	53%	51%	54%	51%
Oppose	45%	44%	47%	43%	46%
No opinion	3%	3%	2%	4%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep- endent	Repub- lican	Lib- eral	Mod- erate	Conser- vative
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Favor	52%	43%	52%	63%	46%	52%	57%
Oppose	45%	54%	45%	35%	52%	45%	41%
No opinion	3%	3%	4%	2%	2%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5

	Total	North east	Mid- west	South	West	Urban	Sub- urban	Rural
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Favor	52%	52%	48%	55%	52%	53%	53%	51%
Oppose	45%	46%	47%	42%	46%	44%	44%	46%
No opinion	3%	2%	5%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
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Favor	52%	60%	57%	35%
Oppose	45%	37%	40%	63%
No opinion	3%	3%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.0

* percentage less than 1%