

Interviews with $\mathbf{1 , 0 2 3}$ adult Americans conducted by telephone by Opinion Research Corporation on March 11-13, 2011. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points.

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39. Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too. (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 508 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION A -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

|  | Less <br> than 1\% | 1-5\% | 6-10\% | 11-20\% | 21-30\% | 31-50\% | More <br> than 50\% | No Opinion | MEDIAN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Medicare -- the federal health program for the elderly | 2\% | 14\% | 17\% | 25\% | 17\% | 14\% | 10\% | 2\% | 20 |
| Medicaid -- the federal health program for the poor | 2\% | 18\% | 22\% | 23\% | 12\% | 11\% | 9\% | 2\% | 15 |
| Social Security | 3\% | 11\% | 19\% | 25\% | 16\% | 13\% | 10\% | 3\% | 20 |
| Military spending by the Department of Defense | * | 5\% | 8\% | 19\% | 20\% | 21\% | 25\% | 2\% | 30 |
| Aid to foreign countries for international development and humanitarian assistance | 5\% | 33\% | 16\% | 13\% | 9\% | 10\% | 11\% | 3\% | 10 |
| Pensions and benefits for retired government workers | 5\% | 36\% | 15\% | 14\% | 6\% | 9\% | 12\% | 3\% | 10 |
| Food and nutrition assistance for the poor, including the progra that used to be known as food stamps | rer | 40\% | 16\% | 13\% | 4\% | 9\% | 10\% | 2\% | 10 |
| Housing assistance for the poor | 10\% | 43\% | 18\% | 8\% | 4\% | 8\% | 7\% | 3\% | 7 |
| Corporation for Public Broadca funding for public television and public radio stations | sting $27 \%$ | 40\% | 8\% | 6\% | 5\% | 4\% | 7\% | 2\% | 5 |
| Federal funding for elementary secondary and higher education | 5\% | 33\% | 17\% | 16\% | 9\% | 10\% | 7\% | 2\% | 10 |

40. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely. (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 515 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION B -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

|  | Increased | Kept the <br> Same | Decreased <br> a <br> Little | Decreased A lot | Eliminated Entirely | No Opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Medicare -- the federal health program for the elderly | 48\% | 39\% | 10\% | 4\% | * | * |
| Medicaid -- the federal health program for the poor | 34\% | 41\% | 16\% | 7\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| Social Security | 41\% | 46\% | 8\% | 3\% | 1\% | * |
| Military spending by the Department of Defense | 30\% | 33\% | 23\% | 13\% | 1\% | * |
| Aid to foreign countries for international development and humanitarian assistance | 10\% | 27\% | 29\% | 24\% | 7\% | 2\% |
| Pensions and benefits for retired government workers | 15\% | 33\% | 26\% | 21\% | 5\% | 1\% |
| Food and nutrition assistance for the poor, including the progr that used to be known as food stamps | r | 38\% | 15\% | 10\% | 2\% | 1\% |
| Housing assistance for the poor | 34\% | 38\% | 17\% | 8\% | 2\% | 1\% |
| Corporation for Public Broadca funding for public television and public radio stations | sting $14 \%$ | 39\% | 19\% | 11\% | 16\% | 1\% |
| Federal funding for elementary secondary and higher education | 63\% | 22\% | 7\% | 3\% | 4\% | * |

Question 39A
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
A. Medicare -- the federal health program for the elderly

Base $=$ Half Sample

| 龶 | Total | Men | Women | White N | Non-White |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% | $2 \%$ | N/A |  |  |
| 1-10 | 31\% | 33\% | 28\% | 32\% | N/A |  |  |
| 11-20 | 25\% | 31\% | 20\% | 28\% | N/A |  |  |
| 21-30 | 17\% | 16\% | 17\% | 17\% | N/A |  |  |
| 31-40 | 8\% | 7\% | 9\% | 9\% | N/A |  |  |
| 41-50 | 6\% | 5\% | 7\% | 5\% | N/A |  |  |
| 51-60 | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% | 2\% | N/A |  |  |
| 61-70 | 2\% | * | 3\% | 1\% | N/A |  |  |
| 71-80 | 3\% | * | 5\% | 2\% | N/A |  |  |
| 81-90 | 1\% | * | 1\% | 1\% | N/A |  |  |
| 91-100 | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | 2\% | 1\% | N/A |  |  |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 2\% | 3\% | $2 \%$ | N/A |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-6.0 | +/-6.0 + | /-5.0 |  |  |  |
|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | 65+ | Under 50 | 50 and Older |
| Less than one percent | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 5\% | * | 4\% |
| 1-10 | 31\% | N/A | N/A | 29\% | 21\% | 34\% | 26\% |
| 11-20 | 25\% | N/A | N/A | 28\% | 18\% | 27\% | 24\% |
| 21-30 | 17\% | N/A | N/A | 14\% | 19\% | 17\% | 16\% |
| 31-40 | 8\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 9\% | 8\% | 8\% |
| 41-50 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 9\% | 6\% | 6\% |
| 51-60 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% |
| 61-70 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 9\% | * | 6\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | 1\% | 1\% | * |
| 91-100 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 3\% | 1\% | 4\% |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 3\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |


| Less than one percent | 2\% | 4\% | 1\% | 4\% | 1\% |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1-10 | 31\% | 25\% | 34\% | 32\% | 30\% |  |  |
| 11-20 | 25\% | 23\% | 29\% | 14\% | 33\% |  |  |
| 21-30 | 17\% | 14\% | 17\% | 17\% | 16\% |  |  |
| 31-40 | 8\% | 9\% | 9\% | 8\% | 8\% |  |  |
| 41-50 | 6\% | 8\% | 3\% | 8\% | 4\% |  |  |
| 51-60 | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% |  |  |
| 61-70 | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% |  |  |
| 71-80 | 3\% | 5\% | * | 5\% | 1\% |  |  |
| 81-90 | 1\% | * | 1\% | * | 1\% |  |  |
| 91-100 | 2\% | 3\% | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% |  |  |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 3\% | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.5 | +/-5.0 |  |  |
|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Republican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Conser- <br> vative |
| Less than one percent | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | 1\% | N/A | 2\% | 1\% |
| 1-10 | 31\% | N/A | 36\% | 30\% | N/A | 26\% | 33\% |
| 11-20 | 25\% | N/A | 23\% | 25\% | N/A | 26\% | 23\% |
| 21-30 | 17\% | N/A | 20\% | 15\% | N/A | 17\% | 18\% |
| 31-40 | 8\% | N/A | 5\% | 12\% | N/A | 8\% | 10\% |
| 41-50 | 6\% | N/A | 5\% | 2\% | N/A | 10\% | 4\% |
| 51-60 | 3\% | N/A | 3\% | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 3\% |
| 61-70 | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A | 3\% | 1\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 6\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | * | 2\% | N/A | * | 1\% |
| 91-100 | $2 \%$ | N/A | * | * | N/A | 2\% | 1\% |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  | +/-6.5 | +/-7.5 |  | +/-7.0 | +/-6.5 |

* percentage less than 1\%

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your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if
you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
A. Medicare -- the federal health program for the elderly
Base = Half Sample
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|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | * | 3\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 31\% | N/A | N/A | 32\% | N/A | 30\% | 31\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 25\% | N/A | N/A | 25\% | N/A | 29\% | 29\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 17\% | N/A | N/A | 15\% | N/A | 16\% | 14\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 8\% | N/A | N/A | 8\% | N/A | 7\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 7\% | 6\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | $2 \%$ | N/A | 4\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | 3\% | * | N/A |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | N/A | 1\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | * | * | N/A |
| 91-100 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | /-4.5 |  |  | /-7.5 |  | -8.0 | -6.5 |  |


|  |  | Tea Pty |
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| Total | Tea Pty |  |
| Support |  |  | Neutral | Nea Pty |
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## Question 39B

Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
B. Medicaid -- the federal health program for the poor Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 40\% | 49\% | 32\% | 42\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 23\% | 26\% | 21\% | 25\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 12\% | 10\% | 15\% | 13\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 6\% | 5\% | 7\% | 7\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 5\% | 3\% | 6\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 1\% | * | 2\% | * | N/A |
| 71-80 | 3\% | * | 5\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 1\% | * | 2\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 91-100 | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% | 1\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-6.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-5.0 |  |


|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | 65+ | Under <br> 50 | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 4\% | * | 3\% |
| 1-10 | 40\% | N/A | N/A | 41\% | 27\% | 44\% | 36\% |
| 11-20 | 23\% | N/A | N/A | 27\% | 18\% | 24\% | 23\% |
| 21-30 | 12\% | N/A | N/A | 9\% | 13\% | 14\% | 11\% |
| 31-40 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | 8\% | 9\% | 3\% |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | 14\% | 3\% | 7\% |
| 51-60 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 4\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | * | 1\% | 1\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 4\% | 2\% | 4\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | * | * | 3\% |
| 91-100 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 5\% | 1\% | 4\% |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 3\% | 1\% | 3\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |
|  |  | Under | \$50K | No | Atten |  |  |
|  | Total | \$50K | or more | College | Colle |  |  |
| Less than one percent | 2\% | 3\% | 1\% | 3\% |  | \% |  |
| 1-10 | 40\% | 34\% | 45\% | 37\% |  |  |  |
| 11-20 | 23\% | 20\% | 27\% | 16\% |  |  |  |
| 21-30 | 12\% | 14\% | 10\% | 16\% |  |  |  |
| 31-40 | 6\% | 7\% | 5\% | 3\% |  | \% |  |
| 41-50 | 5\% | 7\% | 4\% | 7\% |  | \% |  |
| 51-60 | 2\% | 3\% | 1\% | 3\% |  | \% |  |
| 61-70 | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | * |  | \% |  |
| 71-80 | 3\% | 5\% | 1\% | 6\% |  | \% |  |
| 81-90 | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 3\% |  |  |  |
| 91-100 | 2\% | 3\% | 1\% | 4\% |  | \% |  |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% |  | \% |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.5 | +/-5 |  |  |


|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | Lib- <br> eral | Moderate | Conservative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | 2\% |
| 1-10 | 40\% | N/A | 48\% | 35\% | N/A | 33\% | 41\% |
| 11-20 | 23\% | N/A | 21\% | 29\% | N/A | 24\% | 21\% |
| 21-30 | 12\% | N/A | 12\% | 11\% | N/A | 17\% | 11\% |
| 31-40 | 6\% | N/A | 6\% | 6\% | N/A | 5\% | 10\% |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | 4\% | 5\% | N/A | 6\% | 6\% |
| 51-60 | $2 \%$ | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | 1\% |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | * | N/A | 2\% | 1\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% | N/A | 5\% | 2\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | * |
| 91-100 | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A | 3\% | 2\% |


| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 2\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  | +/-6.5 | +/-7.5 |  | +/-7.0 | +/-6.5 |

* percentage less than 1\%

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## Question 39B

Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
B. Medicaid -- the federal health program for the poor Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | * | 1\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 40\% | N/A | N/A | 37\% | N/A | 43\% | 42\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 23\% | N/A | N/A | 20\% | N/A | 22\% | 24\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 12\% | N/A | N/A | 16\% | N/A | 16\% | 9\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | N/A | 5\% | 7\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | N/A | 4\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | $2 \%$ | N/A | 2\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 71-80 | $3 \%$ | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | 5\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | * | 1\% | N/A |
| 91-100 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | * | 4\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | 2\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.5 |  | +/-8.0 | +/-6.5 |  |
|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |  |  |  |  |
| Less than one percent | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | 1\% | 1\% |  |  |  |  |
| 1-10 | 40\% | 45\% | 36\% | 42\% |  |  |  |  |
| 11-20 | 23\% | 22\% | 24\% | 25\% |  |  |  |  |
| 21-30 | 12\% | 12\% | 12\% | 13\% |  |  |  |  |
| 31-40 | 6\% | 7\% | 7\% | 6\% |  |  |  |  |
| 41-50 | 5\% | 4\% | 4\% | 6\% |  |  |  |  |
| 51-60 | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% |  |  |  |  |
| 61-70 | 1\% | * | 2\% | * |  |  |  |  |
| 71-80 | 3\% | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% |  |  |  |  |
| 81-90 | 1\% | * | 3\% | * |  |  |  |  |
| 91-100 | 2\% | * | 4\% | 2\% |  |  |  |  |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 4\% | 1\% | 2\% |  |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-8.0 |  |  |  |  |

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Question 39C
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federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me
your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if
you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
C. Social Security
Base = Half Sample
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|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 3\% | 4\% | 3\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 31\% | 35\% | 27\% | 31\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 25\% | 29\% | 21\% | 28\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 16\% | 12\% | 19\% | 16\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 6\% | 8\% | 5\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 7\% | 3\% | 10\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 3\% | 1\% | 4\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 71-80 | 3\% | 1\% | 5\% | 3\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | * | * | * | * | N/A |
| 91-100 | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | 1\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% | 3\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | -6.0 | /-6.0 | -5.0 |  |


|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | 65+ | Under <br> 50 | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 7\% | 3\% | 4\% |
| 1-10 | 31\% | N/A | N/A | 30\% | 23\% | 34\% | 27\% |
| 11-20 | 25\% | N/A | N/A | 23\% | 12\% | 30\% | 19\% |
| 21-30 | 16\% | N/A | N/A | 18\% | 23\% | 12\% | 20\% |
| 31-40 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | 6\% | 6\% | 7\% |
| 41-50 | 7\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | 10\% | 6\% | 7\% |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | 1\% | $2 \%$ | 1\% |
| 61-70 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% | 2\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 3\% | 1\% | 5\% |
| 81-90 | * | N/A | N/A | * | 1\% | * | * |
| 91-100 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 5\% | 1\% | 5\% |
| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | 7\% | 1\% | 4\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |


|  | Total | Under \$50K | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 50 \mathrm{~K} \\ & \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | No College | Attended College |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | $3 \%$ | 6\% | 2\% | 5\% | 2\% |  |  |
| 1-10 | 31\% | 25\% | 33\% | 31\% | 31\% |  |  |
| 11-20 | 25\% | 16\% | 33\% | 21\% | 27\% |  |  |
| 21-30 | 16\% | 17\% | 15\% | 10\% | 20\% |  |  |
| 31-40 | 6\% | 7\% | 6\% | 7\% | 6\% |  |  |
| 41-50 | 7\% | 11\% | 3\% | 9\% | 5\% |  |  |
| 51-60 | 1\% | * | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% |  |  |
| 61-70 | 3\% | 5\% | 1\% | 4\% | 2\% |  |  |
| 71-80 | 3\% | 5\% | 1\% | 4\% | 2\% |  |  |
| 81-90 | * | * | * | * | * |  |  |
| 91-100 | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | 5\% | 1\% |  |  |
| No Opinion | 3\% | 4\% | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.5 | +/-5.0 |  |  |
|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Conservative |
| Less than one percent | 3\% | N/A | 4\% | 3\% | N/A | 3\% | 4\% |
| 1-10 | 31\% | N/A | 38\% | 29\% | N/A | 28\% | 32\% |
| 11-20 | 25\% | N/A | 24\% | 24\% | N/A | 23\% | 28\% |
| 21-30 | 16\% | N/A | 14\% | 18\% | N/A | 16\% | 16\% |
| 31-40 | 6\% | N/A | 7\% | 8\% | N/A | 8\% | 4\% |
| 41-50 | 7\% | N/A | 5\% | 5\% | N/A | 11\% | 2\% |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | * | * | N/A | * | 3\% |
| 61-70 | 3\% | N/A | 1\% | 4\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | 4\% | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% |
| 81-90 | * | N/A | * | * | N/A | * | * |
| 91-100 | 3\% | N/A | * | 4\% | N/A | 4\% | 2\% |


| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | 3\% | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  | +/-6.5 | +/-7.5 |  | +/-7.0 | +/-6.5 |

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 39C
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name
a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the
federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me
your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if
you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
C. Social Security
Base = Half Sample
```

|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | N/A | 3\% | 3\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 31\% | N/A | N/A | 32\% | N/A | 34\% | 26\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 25\% | N/A | N/A | 18\% | N/A | 18\% | 33\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 16\% | N/A | N/A | 14\% | N/A | 20\% | 15\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | N/A | 11\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 7\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | N/A | 6\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | * | 2\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | N/A | 5\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | * | N/A | N/A | * | N/A | * | * | N/A |
| 91-100 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | * | 4\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | /-4.5 |  |  | -7. 5 |  | -8.0 | -6.5 |  |


|  | Total | Tea Pty Support | Tea Pty Neutral | Tea Pty Oppose |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 3\% | 6\% | 1\% | 5\% |
| 1-10 | 31\% | 35\% | 29\% | 30\% |
| 11-20 | 25\% | 27\% | 27\% | 20\% |
| 21-30 | 16\% | 17\% | 13\% | 20\% |
| 31-40 | 6\% | 5\% | 8\% | 6\% |
| 41-50 | 7\% | 1\% | 6\% | 9\% |
| 51-60 | 1\% | 1\% | * | 3\% |
| 61-70 | 3\% | 3\% | 4\% | 1\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | 2\% | 5\% | 1\% |
| 81-90 | * | * | * | * |
| 91-100 | 3\% | * | 5\% | 2\% |
| No Opinion | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% | 3\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-8.0 |

* percentage less than 1\%


## Question 39D

Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
D. Military spending by the Department of Defense Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | * | * | * | * | N/A |
| 1-10 | 13\% | 14\% | 12\% | 14\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 19\% | 21\% | 18\% | 22\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 20\% | 26\% | 14\% | 23\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 12\% | 13\% | 12\% | 12\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 9\% | 8\% | 9\% | 6\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 2\% | 1\% | 4\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 4\% | 3\% | 6\% | 3\% | N/A |
| 71-80 | 8\% | 4\% | 12\% | 9\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 4\% | 6\% | 2\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 91-100 | 6\% | 4\% | 8\% | 5\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | -6.0 | /-6.0 | -5.0 |  |


|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | $65+$ | Under $50$ | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | * | N/A | N/A | * | * | * | * |
| 1-10 | 13\% | N/A | N/A | 11\% | 13\% | 14\% | 12\% |
| 11-20 | 19\% | N/A | N/A | 17\% | 14\% | 22\% | 16\% |
| 21-30 | 20\% | N/A | N/A | 27\% | 17\% | 17\% | 23\% |
| 31-40 | 12\% | N/A | N/A | 11\% | 12\% | 13\% | 11\% |
| 41-50 | 9\% | N/A | N/A | 10\% | 8\% | 8\% | 9\% |
| 51-60 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | $2 \%$ | 4\% | 2\% | 3\% |
| 61-70 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 3\% | 6\% | 3\% |
| 71-80 | 8\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 10\% | 8\% | 8\% |
| 81-90 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 4\% | 5\% | 3\% |
| 91-100 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 11\% | 9\% | 3\% | 10\% |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | * | 5\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |
|  |  | Under | \$50K | No | Atten |  |  |
|  | Total | \$50K | or more | College | Colle |  |  |
| Less than one percent | * | * | * | * |  |  |  |
| 1-10 | 13\% | 8\% | 19\% | 14\% |  |  |  |
| 11-20 | 19\% | 17\% | 21\% | 16\% |  |  |  |
| 21-30 | 20\% | 16\% | 22\% | 12\% |  |  |  |
| 31-40 | 12\% | 9\% | 16\% | 12\% |  |  |  |
| 41-50 | 9\% | 6\% | 10\% | 8\% |  |  |  |
| 51-60 | 2\% | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% |  |  |  |
| 61-70 | 4\% | 7\% | 1\% | 2\% |  |  |  |
| 71-80 | 8\% | 15\% | 3\% | 12\% |  |  |  |
| 81-90 | 4\% | 6\% | 2\% | 7\% |  |  |  |
| 91-100 | 6\% | 12\% | 2\% | 12\% |  |  |  |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 3\% |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | -7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.5 | +/-5 |  |  |


|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | Liberal | Moderate | Conservative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | * | N/A | * | * | N/A | * | * |
| 1-10 | 13\% | N/A | 15\% | 16\% | N/A | 11\% | 17\% |
| 11-20 | 19\% | N/A | 24\% | 21\% | N/A | 19\% | 18\% |
| 21-30 | 20\% | N/A | 18\% | 23\% | N/A | 22\% | 20\% |
| 31-40 | 12\% | N/A | 10\% | 10\% | N/A | 9\% | 13\% |
| 41-50 | 9\% | N/A | 10\% | 6\% | N/A | 10\% | 7\% |
| 51-60 | $2 \%$ | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | N/A | 4\% | 1\% |
| 61-70 | 4\% | N/A | 2\% | 6\% | N/A | 5\% | 5\% |
| 71-80 | 8\% | N/A | 8\% | 8\% | N/A | 8\% | 7\% |
| 81-90 | 4\% | N/A | 5\% | 1\% | N/A | 4\% | 2\% |
| 91-100 | 6\% | N/A | 7\% | 4\% | N/A | 6\% | 6\% |


| No Opinion | $2 \%$ | N/A | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | N/A | $3 \%$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Sampling Error | $+/-4.5$ |  | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-7.0$ | $+/-6.5$ |

* percentage less than 1\%

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## Question 39D

Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
D. Military spending by the Department of Defense Base $=$ Half Sample

|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | * | N/A | N/A | * | N/A | * | * | N/A |
| 1-10 | 13\% | N/A | N/A | 14\% | N/A | 12\% | 13\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 19\% | N/A | N/A | 16\% | N/A | 23\% | 17\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 20\% | N/A | N/A | 21\% | N/A | 25\% | 17\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 12\% | N/A | N/A | 11\% | N/A | 9\% | 16\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 9\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | N/A | 13\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | N/A | 7\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 71-80 | 8\% | N/A | N/A | 8\% | N/A | 5\% | 9\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | * | N/A | 4\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 91-100 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 9\% | N/A | 1\% | 10\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | * | 2\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.5 |  | +/-8.0 | +/-6.5 |  |
|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |  |  |  |  |
| Less than one percent | * | * | * | * |  |  |  |  |
| 1-10 | 13\% | 16\% | 12\% | 12\% |  |  |  |  |
| 11-20 | 19\% | 25\% | 17\% | 18\% |  |  |  |  |
| 21-30 | 20\% | 27\% | 15\% | 21\% |  |  |  |  |
| 31-40 | 12\% | 13\% | 10\% | 15\% |  |  |  |  |
| 41-50 | 9\% | 5\% | 9\% | 10\% |  |  |  |  |
| 51-60 | 2\% | 1\% | 4\% | 1\% |  |  |  |  |
| 61-70 | 4\% | 2\% | 5\% | 6\% |  |  |  |  |
| 71-80 | 8\% | 5\% | 8\% | 8\% |  |  |  |  |
| 81-90 | 4\% | * | 7\% | 2\% |  |  |  |  |
| 91-100 | 6\% | 2\% | 9\% | 6\% |  |  |  |  |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 4\% | 3\% | * |  |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-8.0 |  |  |  |  |

[^2]Question 39E
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
E. Aid to foreign countries for international development and humanitarian assistance Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Less than one percent | ---- | ----- | ----- | ----- | --------- |
| $1-10$ | $5 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $6 \%$ | N/A |
| $11-20$ | $49 \%$ | $62 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $51 \%$ | N/A |
| $21-30$ | $13 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $14 \%$ | N/A |
| $31-40$ | $9 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $9 \%$ | N/A |
| $41-50$ | $6 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $5 \%$ | N/A |
| $51-60$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | N/A |
| $61-70$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |
| $71-80$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $81-90$ | $3 \%$ | $\star$ | $6 \%$ | $4 \%$ | N/A |
| $91-100$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |


|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | 65+ | Under $50$ | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 4\% | 5\% | 4\% |
| 1-10 | 49\% | N/A | N/A | 50\% | 44\% | 51\% | 48\% |
| 11-20 | 13\% | N/A | N/A | 13\% | 9\% | 14\% | 12\% |
| 21-30 | 9\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | 12\% | 9\% | 9\% |
| 31-40 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | 6\% | 8\% | 4\% |
| 41-50 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | 6\% | 4\% | 4\% |
| 51-60 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | 4\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| 61-70 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | * | $2 \%$ | 2\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | 6\% | 1\% | 7\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | * | 2\% | * |
| 91-100 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | 5\% | * | 6\% |
| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |
|  |  | Under | \$50K | No | Attend |  |  |
|  | Total | \$50K | or more | College | Colleg |  |  |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | 4\% | 6\% | 5\% |  |  |  |
| 1-10 | 49\% | 35\% | 63\% | 36\% | 5 |  |  |
| 11-20 | 13\% | 13\% | 13\% | 14\% | 12 |  |  |
| 21-30 | 9\% | 11\% | 7\% | 7\% | 11 |  |  |
| 31-40 | 6\% | 11\% | 3\% | 8\% |  |  |  |
| 41-50 | 4\% | 7\% | 2\% | 7\% |  |  |  |
| 51-60 | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% |  |  |  |
| 61-70 | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% |  |  |  |
| 71-80 | 3\% | 6\% | 1\% | 6\% |  |  |  |
| 81-90 | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% |  |  |  |
| 91-100 | 3\% | 6\% | * | 5\% |  |  |  |
| No Opinion | 3\% | 1\% | 2\% | 4\% |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.5 | +/-5 |  |  |


|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | Liberal | Moderate | Conservative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | N/A | 7\% | 3\% | N/A | 7\% | 3\% |
| 1-10 | 49\% | N/A | 57\% | 49\% | N/A | 48\% | 48\% |
| 11-20 | 13\% | N/A | 9\% | 18\% | N/A | 11\% | 16\% |
| 21-30 | 9\% | N/A | 6\% | 13\% | N/A | 9\% | 12\% |
| 31-40 | 6\% | N/A | 5\% | 3\% | N/A | 4\% | 7\% |
| 41-50 | 4\% | N/A | 5\% | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% |
| 51-60 | $2 \%$ | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A | * | 2\% |
| 61-70 | $2 \%$ | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A | 3\% | 1\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | 4\% | 3\% | N/A | 3\% | 4\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | * | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | 1\% |
| 91-100 | 3\% | N/A | 3\% | 1\% | N/A | 6\% | 1\% |


| No Opinion | $3 \%$ | N/A | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

* percentage less than $1 \%$ ( 10

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Question 39E
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name
a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the
federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me
your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if
you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
E. Aid to foreign countries for international development and humanitarian assistance
Base = Half Sample
```

|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | N/A | 6\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 49\% | N/A | N/A | 47\% | N/A | 56\% | 50\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 13\% | N/A | N/A | 10\% | N/A | 13\% | 9\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 9\% | N/A | N/A | 8\% | N/A | 10\% | 10\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 9\% | N/A | 1\% | 10\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 7\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | $2 \%$ | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | * | 2\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 3\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | $2 \%$ | 3\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | * | * | N/A |
| 91-100 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | * | 5\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 2\% | 2\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | -4.5 |  |  | -7. 5 |  | -8.0 | -6.5 |  |


|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Total |  |  |  |
| Support | Neutral | Oppose |  |  |

* percentage less than 1\%


## Question 39F

Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
F. Pensions and benefits for retired government workers

Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Less than one percent | ---- | ----- | ----- | ----- | --------- |
| $1-10$ | $5 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $6 \%$ | N/A |
| $11-20$ | $51 \%$ | $61 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $50 \%$ | N/A |
| $21-30$ | $14 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $15 \%$ | N/A |
| $31-40$ | $6 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $7 \%$ | N/A |
| $41-50$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | N/A |
| $51-60$ | $5 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $4 \%$ | N/A |
| $61-70$ | $1 \%$ | $*$ | $2 \%$ | $*$ | N/A |
| $71-80$ | $2 \%$ | $*$ | $5 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $81-90$ | $2 \%$ | $*$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |
| $91-100$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $5 \%$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $4 \%$ | N/A |


|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | 65+ | Under $50$ | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 4\% | 5\% | 5\% |
| 1-10 | 51\% | N/A | N/A | 48\% | 40\% | 56\% | 45\% |
| 11-20 | 14\% | N/A | N/A | 13\% | 16\% | 14\% | 14\% |
| 21-30 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 7\% | 6\% | 6\% |
| 31-40 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | 8\% | 3\% | 6\% |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | 8\% | 3\% | 7\% |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | $2 \%$ | 1\% | 1\% |
| 61-70 | $2 \%$ | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% |
| 71-80 | $2 \%$ | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 6\% | * | 4\% |
| 81-90 | $2 \%$ | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% | 2\% |
| 91-100 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 8\% | 4\% | 3\% | 6\% |
| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |
|  |  | Under | \$50K | No | Atten |  |  |
|  | Total | \$50K | or more | College | Colle |  |  |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | 4\% | 6\% | 5\% |  |  |  |
| 1-10 | 51\% | 38\% | 64\% | 40\% |  |  |  |
| 11-20 | 14\% | 18\% | 12\% | 14\% |  |  |  |
| 21-30 | 6\% | 7\% | 5\% | 7\% |  |  |  |
| 31-40 | 4\% | 4\% | 1\% | 3\% |  |  |  |
| 41-50 | 5\% | 7\% | 3\% | 7\% |  |  |  |
| 51-60 | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% |  |  |  |
| 61-70 | 2\% | 5\% | * | 4\% |  |  |  |
| 71-80 | 2\% | 4\% | * | 4\% |  |  |  |
| 81-90 | 2\% | 4\% | 1\% | 4\% |  |  |  |
| 91-100 | 4\% | 9\% | 1\% | 9\% |  |  |  |
| No Opinion | 3\% | 1\% | 4\% | 1\% |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.5 | +/-5 |  |  |


|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Conservative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | N/A | 8\% | 5\% | N/A | 6\% | 5\% |
| 1-10 | 51\% | N/A | 59\% | 40\% | N/A | 55\% | 45\% |
| 11-20 | 14\% | N/A | 5\% | 28\% | N/A | 11\% | 18\% |
| 21-30 | 6\% | N/A | 7\% | 4\% | N/A | 5\% | 5\% |
| 31-40 | 4\% | N/A | 5\% | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 8\% |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | 5\% | 5\% | N/A | 6\% | 4\% |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | * | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% |
| 61-70 | $2 \%$ | N/A | 1\% | 1\% | N/A | 4\% | 2\% |
| 71-80 | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% |
| 81-90 | 2\% | N/A | 3\% | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | * |
| 91-100 | 4\% | N/A | 3\% | 4\% | N/A | 5\% | 4\% |


| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | 3\% | 4\% | N/A | 2\% | 4\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  | +/-6.5 | +/-7.5 |  | +/-7.0 | +/-6.5 |

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 39F
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name
a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the
federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me
your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if
you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
F. Pensions and benefits for retired government workers
Base = Half Sample
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|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 8\% | N/A | 4\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 51\% | N/A | N/A | 48\% | N/A | 56\% | 53\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 14\% | N/A | N/A | 17\% | N/A | 12\% | 12\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | N/A | 7\% | 6\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 4\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 5\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | * | 2\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 5\% | * | N/A |
| 71-80 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | * | N/A | 1\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | 3\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 91-100 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | N/A | * | 6\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | 2\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | -4.5 |  |  | -7. 5 |  | -8.0 | -6.5 |  |


|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |

* percentage less than 1\%


## Question 39G

Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
G. Food and nutrition assistance for the poor, including the program that used to be known as food stamps Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Less than one percent | ---- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -------- |
| $1-10$ | $6 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $6 \%$ | N/A |
| $11-20$ | $56 \%$ | $66 \%$ | $46 \%$ | $60 \%$ | N/A |
| $21-30$ | $13 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $14 \%$ | N/A |
| $31-40$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $4 \%$ | N/A |
| $41-50$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | N/A |
| $51-60$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $3 \%$ | N/A |
| $61-70$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |
| $71-80$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $81-90$ | $2 \%$ | $*$ | $5 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $91-100$ | $1 \%$ | $*$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |


|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | $65+$ | Under $50$ | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 10\% | 4\% | 5\% | 8\% |
| 1-10 | 56\% | N/A | N/A | 58\% | 42\% | 59\% | 52\% |
| 11-20 | 13\% | N/A | N/A | 9\% | 13\% | 15\% | 11\% |
| 21-30 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | 11\% | 3\% | 6\% |
| 31-40 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | 5\% | 2\% |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | N/A | $2 \%$ | 7\% | 6\% | 4\% |
| 51-60 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | * | 1\% | 1\% |
| 71-80 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | 3\% | 1\% | 4\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | * | 2\% | 1\% |
| 91-100 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 8\% | 1\% | 7\% |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | * | 6\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |
|  |  | Under | \$50K | No | Atten |  |  |
|  | Total | \$50K | or more | College | Colleg |  |  |
| Less than one percent | 6\% | 6\% | 6\% | 7\% |  |  |  |
| 1-10 | 56\% | 41\% | 69\% | 43\% |  |  |  |
| 11-20 | 13\% | 14\% | 12\% | 15\% | 12 |  |  |
| 21-30 | 4\% | 7\% | 2\% | 6\% |  |  |  |
| 31-40 | 4\% | 6\% | 2\% | 2\% |  |  |  |
| 41-50 | 5\% | 8\% | 1\% | 7\% |  |  |  |
| 51-60 | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% |  |  |  |
| 61-70 | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% |  |  |  |
| 71-80 | 2\% | 4\% | 1\% | 4\% |  |  |  |
| 81-90 | 1\% | 3\% | * | 3\% |  |  |  |
| 91-100 | 4\% | 6\% | 2\% | 6\% |  |  |  |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.5 | +/-5 |  |  |


|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Conservative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 6\% | N/A | 6\% | 8\% | N/A | 5\% | 6\% |
| 1-10 | 56\% | N/A | 62\% | 56\% | N/A | 54\% | 56\% |
| 11-20 | 13\% | N/A | 13\% | 13\% | N/A | 11\% | 14\% |
| 21-30 | 4\% | N/A | 4\% | 6\% | N/A | 4\% | 6\% |
| 31-40 | 4\% | N/A | 2\% | 4\% | N/A | 5\% | 4\% |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | 4\% | 2\% | N/A | 5\% | 5\% |
| 51-60 | $2 \%$ | N/A | 1\% | $2 \%$ | N/A | 1\% | 2\% |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | * |
| 71-80 | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 4\% | N/A | 4\% | 2\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | * | N/A | 2\% | * |
| 91-100 | 4\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A | 7\% | 2\% |


| No Opinion | $2 \%$ | N/A | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A | $1 \%$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Sampling Error | $+/-4.5$ |  | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-7.0$ | $+/-6.5$ |

* percentage less than $1 \%$ 有


## Question 39G

Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
G. Food and nutrition assistance for the poor, including the program that used to be known as food stamps Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 4\% | 7\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 56\% | N/A | N/A | 57\% | N/A | 60\% | 54\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 13\% | N/A | N/A | 13\% | N/A | 16\% | 13\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | 3\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | N/A | 4\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | N/A | $2 \%$ | N/A | 3\% | 6\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | $2 \%$ | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | 2\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 71-80 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | 4\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 3\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 91-100 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 1\% | 6\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | * | 2\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | -4.5 |  |  | -7. 5 |  | -8.0 | -6.5 |  |


|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 39H
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name
a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the
federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me
your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if
you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
H. Housing assistance for the poor
Base = Half Sample
```

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | --------- |
| $1-10$ | $10 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $11 \%$ | N/A |
| $11-20$ | $61 \%$ | $70 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $65 \%$ | N/A |
| $21-30$ | $8 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $7 \%$ | N/A |
| $31-40$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | N/A |
| $41-50$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $3 \%$ | N/A |
| $51-60$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $3 \%$ | N/A |
| $61-70$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $71-80$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | N/A |
| $81-90$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $91-100$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $2 \%$ | $\star$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | N/A |


|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | $65+$ | Under <br> 50 | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 10\% | N/A | N/A | 10\% | 6\% | 10\% | 9\% |
| 1-10 | 61\% | N/A | N/A | 61\% | 50\% | 64\% | 57\% |
| 11-20 | 8\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 8\% | 10\% | 7\% |
| 21-30 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | 4\% | 4\% | 3\% |
| 31-40 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 10\% | 3\% | 5\% |
| 41-50 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 9\% | 1\% | 7\% |
| 51-60 | $2 \%$ | N/A | N/A | * | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | $2 \%$ | 1\% | * | 2\% |
| 71-80 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | * | 2\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | * | 2\% | 1\% |
| 91-100 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 8\% | 2\% | 1\% | 6\% |
| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | N/A | * | 5\% | 3\% | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |


|  | Total | Under \$50K | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 50 \mathrm{~K} \\ & \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | No <br> College | Attended College |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 10\% | 7\% | 12\% | 12\% | 8\% |
| 1-10 | 61\% | 54\% | 69\% | 49\% | 69\% |
| 11-20 | 8\% | 10\% | 7\% | 8\% | 9\% |
| 21-30 | 4\% | 6\% | 2\% | 4\% | 3\% |
| 31-40 | 4\% | 5\% | 2\% | 5\% | 4\% |
| 41-50 | 4\% | 4\% | 2\% | 7\% | 2\% |
| 51-60 | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| 61-70 | 1\% | * | 2\% | 1\% | * |
| 71-80 | 1\% | 1\% | * | 2\% | * |
| 81-90 | 1\% | 3\% | * | $3 \%$ | * |
| 91-100 | 3\% | 6\% | 1\% | 5\% | 2\% |
| No Opinion | 3\% | 2\% | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.5 | +/-5.0 |


|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Conservative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 10\% | N/A | 11\% | 9\% | N/A | 10\% | 10\% |
| 1-10 | 61\% | N/A | 66\% | 63\% | N/A | 54\% | 62\% |
| 11-20 | 8\% | N/A | 10\% | 6\% | N/A | 10\% | 7\% |
| 21-30 | 4\% | N/A | 2\% | 4\% | N/A | 4\% | 3\% |
| 31-40 | 4\% | N/A | 1\% | 5\% | N/A | 3\% | 6\% |
| 41-50 | 4\% | N/A | 5\% | 4\% | N/A | 2\% | 6\% |
| 51-60 | $2 \%$ | N/A | 1\% | 1\% | N/A | 3\% | * |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | * | 2\% | N/A | $2 \%$ | * |
| 71-80 | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | * | N/A | 1\% | 1\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | * | * | N/A | 3\% | * |
| 91-100 | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 2\% | N/A | 5\% | 1\% |


| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | 1\% | 4\% | N/A | 3\% | 2\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  | +/-6.5 | +/-7.5 |  | +/-7.0 | +/-6.5 |

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 39H
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name
a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the
federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me
your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if
you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
H. Housing assistance for the poor
Base = Half Sample
```

|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 10\% | N/A | N/A | 8\% | N/A | 11\% | 9\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 61\% | N/A | N/A | 58\% | N/A | 64\% | 62\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 8\% | N/A | N/A | 12\% | N/A | 9\% | 9\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | 3\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | N/A | 1\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | $2 \%$ | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 3\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | N/A | 1\% | * | N/A |
| 71-80 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | * | 1\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | 3\% | * | N/A |
| 91-100 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | * | 5\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 2\% | 2\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | -4.5 |  |  | -7. 5 |  | -8.0 | -6.5 |  |


|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Total |  |  |  |
| Support | Neutral | Oppose |  |  |

* percentage less than 1\%

Question 391
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
I. Corporation for Public Broadcasting funding for public television and public radio stations Base = Half Sample
Less than one percent
$1-10$
$11-20$
$21-30$
$31-40$
$41-50$
$51-60$
$61-70$
$71-80$
$81-90$
$91-100$
No Opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ----- | ---- | ----- | ----- | ------ |
| $27 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $29 \%$ | N/A |
| $48 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $52 \%$ | N/A |
| $6 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $6 \%$ | N/A |
| $5 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $4 \%$ | N/A |
| $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $2 \%$ | $\star$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | N/A |
| $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | N/A |
| $*$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | N/A |
| $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ | N/A |
| $+/-4.5$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-5.0$ |  |


|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | 65+ | Under $50$ | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 27\% | N/A | N/A | 35\% | 16\% | 26\% | 28\% |
| 1-10 | 48\% | N/A | N/A | 41\% | 46\% | 53\% | 43\% |
| 11-20 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | 10\% | 7\% | 6\% |
| 21-30 | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 5\% | 6\% | 5\% |
| 31-40 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 3\% | 1\% | 4\% |
| 41-50 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 6\% | * | 4\% |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | * | 2\% | * |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | * | 2\% | 1\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 5\% | 1\% | 5\% |
| 81-90 | * | N/A | N/A | * | * | 1\% | * |
| 91-100 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | 1\% | * | 3\% |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | * | 7\% | 1\% | 3\% |
| Sampling Error | -4.5 |  |  | 7.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |


|  | Total | Under \$50K | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 50 \mathrm{~K} \\ & \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | No College | Attended College |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 27\% | 15\% | 39\% | 14\% | 36\% |  |  |
| 1-10 | 48\% | 45\% | 50\% | 52\% | 45\% |  |  |
| 11-20 | 6\% | 12\% | 3\% | 7\% | 6\% |  |  |
| 21-30 | 5\% | 9\% | 2\% | 9\% | 3\% |  |  |
| 31-40 | 2\% | 4\% | 1\% | 1\% | 3\% |  |  |
| 41-50 | 2\% | 3\% | * | 3\% | 1\% |  |  |
| 51-60 | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% |  |  |
| 61-70 | 1\% | * | * | 1\% | 2\% |  |  |
| 71-80 | 3\% | 6\% | * | 7\% | * |  |  |
| 81-90 | * | * | 1\% | * | 1\% |  |  |
| 91-100 | 1\% | 2\% | * | 3\% | * |  |  |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 3\% | $2 \%$ | 2\% | 3\% |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.5 | +/-5.0 |  |  |
|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Republican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Conservative |
| Less than one percent | 27\% | N/A | 30\% | 26\% | N/A | 25\% | 28\% |
| 1-10 | 48\% | N/A | 50\% | 50\% | N/A | 47\% | 48\% |
| 11-20 | 6\% | N/A | 5\% | 8\% | N/A | 8\% | 6\% |
| 21-30 | 5\% | N/A | 4\% | 5\% | N/A | 8\% | 3\% |
| 31-40 | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A | 3\% | 3\% |
| 41-50 | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | * | N/A | 2\% | 2\% |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | 2\% | 1\% | N/A | * | 3\% |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | * | * | N/A | * | 2\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | 4\% | 1\% | N/A | 3\% | 1\% |
| 81-90 | * | N/A | * | 2\% | N/A | * | 1\% |
| 91-100 | 1\% | N/A | * | * | N/A | 2\% | * |


| No Opinion | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ | N/A | $2 \%$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Sampling Error | $+/-4.5$ |  | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-7.0$ |

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 39I
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
I. Corporation for Public Broadcasting funding for public television and public radio stations Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 27\% | N/A | N/A | 27\% | N/A | 34\% | 23\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 48\% | N/A | N/A | 48\% | N/A | 46\% | 50\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 6\% | N/A | N/A | 9\% | N/A | 4\% | 8\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | 9\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | $2 \%$ | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | N/A | * | 2\% | N/A |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | 3\% | 3\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | * | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | * | * | N/A |
| 91-100 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | N/A | * | 3\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.5 |  | +/-8.0 | +/-6.5 |  |
|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |  |  |  |  |
| Less than one percent | 27\% | 31\% | 19\% | 34\% |  |  |  |  |
| 1-10 | 48\% | 55\% | 50\% | 43\% |  |  |  |  |
| 11-20 | 6\% | 3\% | 8\% | 7\% |  |  |  |  |
| 21-30 | 5\% | 3\% | 8\% | 4\% |  |  |  |  |
| 31-40 | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% |  |  |  |  |
| 41-50 | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | 4\% |  |  |  |  |
| 51-60 | 1\% | * | 1\% | 2\% |  |  |  |  |
| 61-70 | 1\% | * | 1\% | 3\% |  |  |  |  |
| 71-80 | 3\% | 1\% | 5\% | 1\% |  |  |  |  |
| 81-90 | * | * | 1\% | * |  |  |  |  |
| 91-100 | 1\% | * | 2\% | * |  |  |  |  |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 5\% | 2\% | 1\% |  |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-8.0 |  |  |  |  |

* percentage less than 1\%

Question 39J
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
J. Federal funding for elementary, secondary and higher education Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | 6\% | 4\% | 6\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 50\% | 61\% | 40\% | 55\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 16\% | 15\% | 17\% | 15\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 9\% | 5\% | 13\% | 8\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 5\% | 4\% | 6\% | 4\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 5\% | 3\% | 7\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | * | N/A |
| 61-70 | * | * | * | * | N/A |
| 71-80 | 3\% | 1\% | 5\% | 3\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 1\% | * | 2\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 91-100 | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | -6.0 | /-6.0 | -5.0 |  |

Less than one percent
$1-10$
$11-20$
$21-30$
$31-40$
$41-50$
$51-60$
$61-70$
$71-80$
$81-90$
$91-100$
No Opinion
Sampling Error
Less than one percent
$1-10$
$11-20$
$21-30$
$31-40$
$41-50$
$51-60$
$61-70$
$71-80$
$81-90$
$91-100$
No Opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | $65+$ | Under <br> 50 | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 5\% | 5\% | 5\% |
| 50\% | N/A | N/A | 57\% | 42\% | 50\% | 51\% |
| 16\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | 10\% | 24\% | 7\% |
| 9\% | N/A | N/A | 9\% | 7\% | 10\% | 8\% |
| 5\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | 7\% | 5\% | 5\% |
| 5\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | 10\% | 3\% | 8\% |
| 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| * | N/A | N/A | * | * | * | * |
| 3\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 5\% | 1\% | 6\% |
| 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| 2\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 2\% | * | 5\% |
| 2\% | N/A | N/A | * | 6\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |


|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Conservative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | N/A | 3\% | 8\% | N/A | 4\% | 6\% |
| 1-10 | 50\% | N/A | 61\% | 47\% | N/A | 51\% | 51\% |
| 11-20 | 16\% | N/A | 13\% | 18\% | N/A | 16\% | 15\% |
| 21-30 | 9\% | N/A | 7\% | 7\% | N/A | 11\% | 7\% |
| 31-40 | 5\% | N/A | 4\% | 5\% | N/A | 5\% | 5\% |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | 6\% | 6\% | N/A | 3\% | 9\% |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | 1\% | N/A | 2\% | 1\% |
| 61-70 | * | N/A | * | 1\% | N/A | * | 1\% |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | 2\% | 2\% | N/A | 3\% | 3\% |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | * | 3\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% |
| 91-100 | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | * | N/A | 3\% | * |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 2\% |

Sampling Error +/-4.5 +/-6.5 +/-7.5 +/-7.0 +/-6.5

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 39J
Think about all the money that the federal government spent last year. I'm going to name
a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to estimate what percentage of the
federal government's budget last year was spent on each of those programs. Just give me
your best guess -- you can pick any number from one percent to a hundred percent, or if
you think it was less than one percent, you can say that too.
J. Federal funding for elementary, secondary and higher education
Base = Half Sample
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|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than one percent | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | N/A | 6\% | 3\% | N/A |
| 1-10 | 50\% | N/A | N/A | 52\% | N/A | 54\% | 51\% | N/A |
| 11-20 | 16\% | N/A | N/A | 17\% | N/A | 19\% | 14\% | N/A |
| 21-30 | 9\% | N/A | N/A | 9\% | N/A | 11\% | 8\% | N/A |
| 31-40 | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | N/A | 4\% | 6\% | N/A |
| 41-50 | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 3\% | 5\% | N/A |
| 51-60 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | 1\% | 1\% | N/A |
| 61-70 | * | N/A | N/A | * | N/A | * | 1\% | N/A |
| 71-80 | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 2\% | 3\% | N/A |
| 81-90 | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | * | 1\% | N/A |
| 91-100 | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | * | 4\% | N/A |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | /-4.5 |  |  | -7. 5 |  | -8.0 | -6.5 |  |


|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Total |  |  |  |
| Support | Neutral | Oppose |  |  |

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 40A
I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely.
A. Medicare -- the federal health program for the elderly

Base $=$ Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | --------- |
| Kept the same | $48 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $44 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a little | $39 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $45 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a lot | $10 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $10 \%$ | N/A |
| Eliminated entirely | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $\star$ | $\star$ | $\star$ | $*$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $\star$ | $\star$ | $\star$ | $\star$ | N/A |


|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | $65+$ | Under <br> 50 | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | 48\% | N/A | N/A | 45\% | 45\% | 50\% | 45\% |
| Kept the same | 39\% | N/A | N/A | 42\% | 41\% | 36\% | 42\% |
| Decreased a little | 10\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | 10\% | 11\% | 8\% |
| Decreased a lot | 4\% | N/A | N/A | 6\% | $2 \%$ | 3\% | 5\% |
| Eliminated entirely | * | N/A | N/A | 1\% | * | * | * |
| No Opinion | * | N/A | N/A | * | 1\% | * | * |
| Sampling Error | -4. 5 |  |  | -7.0 | -7. 5 | -8.0 | /-5.0 |


|  |  | Under | \$50K | No | Attended |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |



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Question 40B
I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely.
B. Medicaid -- the federal health program for the poor

Base = Half Sample
Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -------- |
| $34 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $30 \%$ | N/A |
| $41 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $45 \%$ | N/A |
| $16 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $16 \%$ | N/A |
| $7 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $7 \%$ | N/A |
| $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $\star$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |
| $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $\star$ | N/A |
| $+/-4.5$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-4.5$ |  |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little

|  | $18-$ | $35-$ | $50-$ |  | Under | 50 and |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
| ---- | ---- | ----- | ---- | ---- | ---- | ----- |
| $34 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $37 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $36 \%$ |
| $41 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $39 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $39 \%$ |
| $16 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $17 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $17 \%$ |
| $7 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $7 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $7 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $*$ |
| $+/-4.5$ |  |  | $+/-7.0$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-5.0$ |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little

| Total | Under \$50K | \$50K <br> or more | No College | Attended College |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 34\% | 48\% | 23\% | 47\% | 24\% |
| 41\% | 31\% | 49\% | 27\% | 50\% |
| 16\% | 13\% | 20\% | 16\% | 16\% |
| 7\% | 8\% | 6\% | 7\% | 7\% |
| 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| 1\% | * | 2\% | 1\% | * |
| /-4.5 | -7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |

Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error
Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error
Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Total
-----
$34 \%$
$41 \%$
$16 \%$
$7 \%$
$1 \%$
$1 \%$
$+/-4.5$
Demo- Indep-

| Lib- | Mod- | Conser- |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| eral | erate | vative |
| ----- | ----- | ----- |
| N/A | $42 \%$ | $27 \%$ |
| N/A | $34 \%$ | $43 \%$ |
| N/A | $16 \%$ | $18 \%$ |
| N/A | $6 \%$ | $10 \%$ |
| N/A | $*$ | $3 \%$ |
| N/A | $2 \%$ | $\star$ |
|  | $+/-7.0$ | $+/-6.5$ |


| Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 34\% | N/A | N/A | 41\% | N/A | 34\% | 30\% | 42\% |
| 41\% | N/A | N/A | 37\% | N/A | 48\% | 41\% | 34\% |
| 16\% | N/A | N/A | 11\% | N/A | 13\% | 19\% | 14\% |
| 7\% | N/A | N/A | 8\% | N/A | 5\% | 7\% | 9\% |
| 1\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | N/A | * | 2\% | 1\% |
| 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | N/A | * | * | * |
| -4.5 |  |  | -7.0 |  | -8.5 | -6.5 | -8.0 |

Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion

| Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |
| ----- | ------ | ------ | ------- |
| $34 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $34 \%$ |
| $41 \%$ | $47 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $46 \%$ |
| $16 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $14 \%$ |
| $7 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ |
| $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ |
| $+/-4.5$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-7.5$ |

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Question 40C
I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely
C. Social Security

Base $=$ Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | ---- | --- | ----- | ----- | -------- |
| Kept the same | $41 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $49 \%$ | $37 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a little | $46 \%$ | $49 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $50 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a lot | $8 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $10 \%$ | N/A |
| Eliminated entirely | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $*$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $*$ | $*$ | $*$ | $*$ | N/A |


|  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & 18- \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50- \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | 65+ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Under } \\ 50 \end{gathered}$ | 50 and <br> Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | 41\% | N/A | N/A | 39\% | 42\% | 42\% | 40\% |
| Kept the same | 46\% | N/A | N/A | 52\% | 48\% | 42\% | 51\% |
| Decreased a little | 8\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | 7\% | 9\% | 7\% |
| Decreased a lot | 3\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | 4\% | 2\% |
| Eliminated entirely | 1\% | N/A | N/A | * | * | 2\% | * |
| No Opinion | * | N/A | N/A | * | * | * | * |
| Sampling Error | -4. 5 |  |  | 7.0 | -7. 5 | -8.0 | +/-5.0 |


|  |  | Under | \$50K | No | Attended |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |

Sampling Error


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Question 40D
I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely.
D. Military spending by the Department of Defense

Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | --------- |
| Kept the same | $30 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $30 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a little | $33 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $35 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a lot | $23 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $21 \%$ | N/A |
| Eliminated entirely | $13 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $13 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $\star$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $\star$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | N/A |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion

|  | $18-$ | $35-$ | $50-$ |  | Under | 50 and |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| $30 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $37 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $35 \%$ |
| $33 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $31 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $31 \%$ |
| $23 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $20 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $21 \%$ |
| $13 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $11 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $11 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $*$ | $3 \%$ | $*$ | $1 \%$ |
| $*$ | N/A | N/A | $*$ | $3 \%$ | $*$ | $1 \%$ |
| $+/-4.5$ |  |  | $+/-7.0$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-5.0$ |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error
Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error


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Question 40E
I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely.
E. Aid to foreign countries for international development and humanitarian assistance Base $=$ Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | ---- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -------- |
| Kept the same | $10 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $11 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a little | $27 \%$ | $31 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $26 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a lot | $29 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $31 \%$ | N/A |
| Eliminated entirely | $24 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $24 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $7 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $7 \%$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error

|  |  | Under | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | No | Attended |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: | :---: |
|  | Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error

|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | 10\% | N/A | N/A | 8\% |
| Kept the same | 27\% | N/A | N/A | 30\% |
| Decreased a little | 29\% | N/A | N/A | 27\% |
| Decreased a lot | 24\% | N/A | N/A | 25\% |
| Eliminated entirely | 7\% | N/A | N/A | 8\% |
| No Opinion | 2\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 |
|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
|  | Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |
| Increased | 10\% | 3\% | 17\% | 9\% |
| Kept the same | 27\% | 25\% | 23\% | 34\% |
| Decreased a little | 29\% | 34\% | 25\% | 31\% |
| Decreased a lot | 24\% | 26\% | 25\% | 24\% |
| Eliminated entirely | 7\% | 11\% | 9\% | 1\% |
| No Opinion | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.5 | +/-7.5 | +/-7.5 |

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Question 40F
I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely.
F. Pensions and benefits for retired government workers

Base $=$ Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | --------- |
| Kept the same | $15 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $11 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a little | $33 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $32 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a lot | $26 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $29 \%$ | N/A |
| Eliminated entirely | $21 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $23 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $5 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $5 \%$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $1 \%$ | $*$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |


|  | Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | 15\% | N/A | N/A | 15\% | 7\% | 18\% | 12\% |
| Kept the same | 33\% | N/A | N/A | 31\% | 38\% | 32\% | 34\% |
| Decreased a little | 26\% | N/A | N/A | 26\% | 25\% | 26\% | 25\% |
| Decreased a lot | 21\% | N/A | N/A | 25\% | 17\% | 20\% | 22\% |
| Eliminated entirely | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% | 11\% | 4\% | 6\% |
| No Opinion | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | * | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | -4.5 |  |  | -7.0 | -7.5 | -8.0 | /-5.0 |


|  |  | Under | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | No | Attended |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error

|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | 15\% | N/A | N/A | 23\% |
| Kept the same | 33\% | N/A | N/A | 32\% |
| Decreased a little | 26\% | N/A | N/A | 22\% |
| Decreased a lot | 21\% | N/A | N/A | 19\% |
| Eliminated entirely | 5\% | N/A | N/A | 3\% |
| No Opinion | 1\% | N/A | N/A | * |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 |
|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
|  | Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |
| Increased | 15\% | 3\% | 18\% | 17\% |
| Kept the same | 33\% | 21\% | 33\% | 42\% |
| Decreased a little | 26\% | 36\% | 25\% | 22\% |
| Decreased a lot | 21\% | 32\% | 18\% | 16\% |
| Eliminated entirely | 5\% | 7\% | 5\% | 2\% |
| No Opinion | 1\% | * | 1\% | 1\% |

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Question 40G
I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely.
G. Food and nutrition assistance for the poor, including the program that used to be known
as food stamps
Base = Half Sample
Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ---- | ---- | ----- | ---- | ------ |
| $34 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $34 \%$ | N/A |
| $38 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $40 \%$ | N/A |
| $15 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $15 \%$ | N/A |
| $10 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $7 \%$ | N/A |
| $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |
| $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |
| $+/-4.5$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-4.5$ |  |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely No Opinion
Sampling Error

|  | $18-$ | $35-$ |
| ---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 34 | 49 |
| ----- | ---- | ----- |
| $34 \%$ | N/A | N/A |
| $38 \%$ | N/A | N/A |
| $15 \%$ | N/A | N/A |
| $10 \%$ | N/A | N/A |
| $2 \%$ | N/A | N/A |
| $1 \%$ | N/A | N/A |
| $+/-4.5$ |  |  |


| $50-$ |  | Under <br> 64 | $65+$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | 50 and |
| $30 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $33 \%$ |
| $41 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $40 \%$ |
| $17 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $15 \%$ |
| $10 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $\star$ | $2 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ |
| $+/-7.0$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-5.0$ |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely No Opinion
Sampling Error
Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error

Increased
Kept the same

| Total | Under \$50K | \$50K <br> or more | No College | Attended College |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 34\% | 45\% | 23\% | 44\% | 26\% |
| 38\% | 32\% | 47\% | 30\% | 45\% |
| 15\% | 9\% | 20\% | 12\% | 18\% |
| 10\% | 10\% | 9\% | 11\% | 8\% |
| 2\% | 4\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 1\% | * | * | * | 1\% |
| +/-4.5 | -7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-8.0 | +/-5.0 |

Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error
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Question 40H
I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely.
H. Housing assistance for the poor

Base $=$ Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | --------1 |
| Kept the same | $34 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $31 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a little | $38 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $40 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a lot | $17 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $20 \%$ | N/A |
| Eliminated entirely | $8 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $6 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | N/A |

## Increased

Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error

|  |  | Under | \$50K | No | Attended |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |

Sampling Error


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Question $40 I$
I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely.
I. Corporation for Public Broadcasting funding for public television and public radio stations Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | --------- |
| Kept the same | $14 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $11 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a little | $39 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $39 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a lot | $19 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $19 \%$ | N/A |
| Eliminated entirely | $11 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $12 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $16 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $17 \%$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $1 \%$ | $*$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | N/A |


|  | Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | 14\% | N/A | N/A | 13\% | 10\% | 17\% | 12\% |
| Kept the same | 39\% | N/A | N/A | 38\% | 34\% | 41\% | 36\% |
| Decreased a little | 19\% | N/A | N/A | 18\% | 24\% | 19\% | 20\% |
| Decreased a lot | 11\% | N/A | N/A | 10\% | 10\% | 11\% | 10\% |
| Eliminated entirely | 16\% | N/A | N/A | 21\% | 21\% | 11\% | 21\% |
| No Opinion | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| Sampling Error | -4.5 |  |  | -7.0 | -7. 5 | -8.0 | /-5.0 |


|  |  | Under | \$50K | No | Attended |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |



|  | $+/-4.5$ |  |  | $+/-7.0$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
|  | Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |
|  | ----- | ------- | ------- | ------ |
| Increased | $14 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| Kept the same | $39 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $45 \%$ |
| Decreased a little | $19 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| Decreased a lot | $11 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| Eliminated entirely | $16 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| No Opinion | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| Sampling Error | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-7.5$ |

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Question 40J
I'm going to name a few federal programs and for each one, I'd like you to tell me whether you think federal spending on that program should be increased, kept the same, decreased a little, or decreased a lot, or if you think that program should be eliminated entirely.
J. Federal funding for elementary, secondary and higher education

Base $=$ Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | --------- |
| Kept the same | $63 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $70 \%$ | $55 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a little | $22 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $28 \%$ | N/A |
| Decreased a lot | $7 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $8 \%$ | N/A |
| Eliminated entirely | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | N/A |
| No Opinion | $4 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $5 \%$ | N/A |
| Sampling Error | $\star$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | N/A |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion

|  | $18-$ | $35-$ | $50-$ |  | Under | 50 and |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ------ |
| $63 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $51 \%$ | $49 \%$ | $75 \%$ | $50 \%$ |
| $22 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $33 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $31 \%$ |
| $7 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $9 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | N/A | N/A | $5 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| $\star$ | N/A | N/A | $\star$ | $2 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ |
| $+/-4.5$ |  |  | $+/-7.0$ | $+/-7.5$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-5.0$ |

Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error
Increased
Kept the same
Decreased a little
Decreased a lot
Eliminated entirely
No Opinion
Sampling Error


Sampling Error $+/-4.5+/-7.5+/-7.5+/-7.5$

|  | Under |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | \$5 <br> or more | No <br> College | Attended <br> College |
| ----- | ----- | ------ | ------ | ------- |
| $63 \%$ | $65 \%$ | $60 \%$ | $69 \%$ | $58 \%$ |
| $22 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $26 \%$ |
| $7 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ |
| $+/-4.5$ | $+/-7.0$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-5.0$ |


| Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | Lib- <br> eral | Moderate | Conservative |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 63\% | 72\% | 63\% | 53\% | N/A | 68\% | 53\% |  |
| 22\% | 19\% | 25\% | 23\% | N/A | 23\% | 24\% |  |
| 7\% | 4\% | 7\% | 11\% | N/A | 7\% | 9\% |  |
| 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | 5\% | N/A | 1\% | 7\% |  |
| 4\% | 2\% | 2\% | 8\% | N/A | * | 7\% |  |
| * | 1\% | * | * | N/A | 1\% | * |  |
| +/-4.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-7.0 | +/-8.0 |  | +/-7.0 | +/-6.5 |  |
| Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| 63\% | N/A | N/A | 62\% | N/A | 68\% | 58\% | 65\% |
| 22\% | N/A | N/A | 22\% | N/A | 19\% | 27\% | 19\% |
| 7\% | N/A | N/A | 7\% | N/A | 7\% | 6\% | 7\% |
| 3\% | N/A | N/A | 5\% | N/A | 1\% | 3\% | 5\% |
| 4\% | N/A | N/A | 4\% | N/A | 4\% | 4\% | 3\% |
| * | N/A | N/A | 1\% | N/A | * | 1\% | * |
| +/-4.5 |  |  | -7.0 |  | -8.5 | -6.5 | -8.0 |


[^0]:    * percentage less than 1\%

[^1]:    * percentage less than 1\%

[^2]:    * percentage less than 1\%

