

Interviews with 1,034 adult Americans conducted by telephone by Opinion Research Corporation on April 29 - May 1, 2011. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points.

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16. Now, thinking about the cost of gasoline, would you say the country is in a state of crisis, has major problems, has minor problems, or has no problems at all?

	Apr. 29-May 1 2011	June 4-5 2008
State of crisis	16%	24%
Major problems,	66%	59%
Minor problems	18%	16%
No problems at all	1%	2%
No opinion	*	*

CNN/USA TODAY/GALLUP TRENDS

	<u>Crisis</u>	Major <u>problems</u>	Minor problems	No problems <u>at all</u>	No opinion
2004 May 21-23*	15	49	29	6	1
2004 Mar 26-28*	13	56	26	5	

^{*} Asked of a half sample.

17. As a result of the recent rise in gas prices, would you say you have or have not done each of the following: (RANDOM ORDER)

		Yes, have	No, have not	No opinion
a. Cut back significantly on how much yo	ou drive			
April 29-May 1, 2011		63%	36%	2%
June 4-5, 2008 May 5-7, 2006		66% 59%	33% 39%	2%
b. Seriously considered getting a more fu efficient car the next time you buy a ve				
April 29-May 1, 2011		61%	38%	2%
June 4-5, 2008		71%	29%	*
May 5-7, 2006		60%	36%	4%
c. Cut back significantly on your househo spending because of higher gas prices	old			
April 29-May 1, 2011		58%	42%	*
June 4-5, 2008		55%	44%	*
May 5-7, 2006		49%	50%	1%
d. Changed your summer vacation plans				
April 29-May 1, 2011		39%	60%	1%
<u>CNN/</u>	USA TODAY/C	GALLUP TR	<u>ENDS</u>	
Cut back significantly on how much you drive	Yes, have	No,	have not	No opinion
2005 Apr 1-2 2004 Jun 3-6	48 45		51 54	1 1
Seriously considered getting a more fuel-efficient c	ar the next time you Yes, have		have not	No opinion
2005 Apr 1-2 2004 Jun 3-6	57 53		42 46	1 1
Cut back significantly on your household spending	because of the high Yes, have		have not	No opinion
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2005 Apr 1-2 2004 Jun 3-6

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38 34 18. Which would worry you more -- if gas prices rose significantly but you could buy gas whenever you wanted to without waiting in long lines, or if gas prices remained steady but you had to wait in long lines to buy gas or could only buy it on certain days?

	Apr. 29-May 1 2011	June 4-5 2008	August 2-3 2006
Prices rose but no lines	35%	40%	37%
Long lines but stable prices	58%	55%	52%
Both/neither (vol.)	5%	4%	9%
No opinion	2%	1%	2%

19. Please tell me whether you think each of the following deserves a great deal of blame, some blame, not much blame, or no blame at all for the recent increase in gas prices. (RANDOM ORDER)

	Great deal of blame	Some blame	Not much <u>blame</u>	No blame <u>at all</u>	No <u>Opinion</u>
Oil companies April 29-May 1, 2011	61%	27%	5%	7%	*
Speculators and other investors buy and sell oil in the financial					
markets around the world April 29-May 1, 2011	59%	31%	5%	4%	1%
Foreign countries that produce of April 29-May 1, 2011	oil 42%	39%	9%	8%	1%
The violence and unrest in many countries in the Middle East April 29-May 1, 2011	40%	40%	9%	10%	1%
The policies of the Obama administration April 29-May 1, 2011	25%	36%	16%	21%	2%
The policies of the Republicans in Congress					
April 29-May 1, 2011	24%	42%	16%	16%	2%
Environmental regulations April 29-May 1, 2011	24%	37%	16%	21%	1%
The driving habits of American consumers					
April 29-May 1, 2011	21%	41%	16%	22%	*

20. Do you think oil companies as a whole are making too much profit, a reasonable profit, or not enough profit?

	Apr. 29-May 1	Apr. 28-30
	<u>2011</u>	<u>2008</u>
Too much profit	77%	83%
Reasonable profit	22%	13%
Not enough profit	1%	3%
No opinion	1%	1%

OPINION RESEARCH CORPORATION TRENDS

	Too much <u>Profit</u>	Reasonable <u>Profit</u>	Not enough <u>Profit</u>	No opinion
1983 June 2-5	74	22	2	2
1981 July 7-20	83	13	2	2
1979 August 23-26	81	14	3	2
1976 November 4-7	67	24	4	5
1975 Sept. 2-14	76	19	1	4
1975 Feb. 10-March 9	73	19	2	6

Question 16

Now, thinking about the cost of gasoline, would you say the country is in a state of crisis, has major problems, has minor problems, or has no problems at all?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White 1	Non-White			
Crisis	16%	15%	16%	16%	15%			
Major problems	66%	62%	69%	64%	70%			
Minor problems	18%	21%	14%	19%	15%			
No problems at all	1%	1%	1%	1%	*			
No opinion	*	1%	*	*	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		-/-4.5 +/	-3.5	+/-7.5			
		18-	35-	50-		Under	50 and	
	Total	34	49 	64 	65+ 	50 	Older	
Crisis	16%	N/A	18%	18%	11%	16%	15%	
Major problems	66%	N/A	66%	64%	71%	65%	67%	
Minor problems	18%	N/A	13%	17%	17%	18%	17%	
No problems at all	1%	N/A	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	
No opinion	*	N/A	1%	*	*	1%	*	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attende	ed		
	Total	\$50K 	or more	College				
Crisis	16%	18%	14%	17%	148	5		
Major problems	66%	65%	65%	69%	63%	5		
Minor problems	18%	16%	20%	12%	228	5		
No problems at all	1%	1%	1%	1%	18	5		
No opinion	*	*	*	1%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5	5		
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^{*} percentage less than 1%

Question 17A

As a result of the recent rise in gas prices, would you say you have or have not done each of the following:

A. Cut back significantly on how much you drive

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women		on-White			
Have	63%	63%	62%	 59%	71%			
Have not	36%	36%	36%	38%	29%			
No opinion	2%	1%	2%	2%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0				/-7.5			
		18-	35-	50-		Under	50 and	
	Total	34	49	64	65+ 	50 	Older	
Have	63%	N/A	58%	65%	60%	62%	63%	
Have not	36%	N/A	42%	35%	36%	37%	35%	
No opinion	2%	N/A	*	*	5%	2%	2%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
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Have	63%	71%	55%	70%	56%			
Have not	36%	28%	45%	27%	44%			
No opinion	2%	2%	*	3%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5			
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^{*} percentage less than 1%

Question 17B

As a result of the recent rise in gas prices, would you say you have or have not done each of the following:

B. Seriously considered getting a more fuel-efficient car the next time you buy a vehicle

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men			on-White			
Have Have not No opinion Sampling Error	61% 38% 2%	58% 41% *	63% 34% 3%	57% 41% 2%	69% 30% 1% /-7.5			
	Total	18- 34	35- 49	50- 64	65+ 	Under 50	50 and Older	
Have Have not No opinion Sampling Error	61% 38% 2% +/-3.0	N/A N/A N/A	60% 39% * +/-7.0	57% 42% 1% +/-5.0	45% 47% 7%	68% 32% * +/-6.0	52% 44% 3% +/-3.5	
	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attende College			
Have Have not No opinion Sampling Error	61% 38% 2%	61% 37% 2% +/-5.0	63% 37% 1% +/-4.5	59% 38% 3% +/-5.5	62% 37% 1% +/-3.5			
	Total	Demo- crat	Indep- endent	lican	eral	Mod- erate	e vati	ve
Have Have not No opinion Sampling Error	61% 38% 2% +/-3.0	69% 30% 1% +/-5.5	58% 40% 2% +/-4.5	54% 45% 1% +/-6.0	67% 31% 2%	64% 35% 1% +/-5.0	53: 45:	alo alo alo
	Total	North east	Mid- west	South	West	Urban	Sub- urban	Rural
Have Have not No opinion Sampling Error	61% 38% 2% +/-3.0	64% 36% 1% +/-6.5	55% 44% 1% +/-6.5	60% 37% 3% +/-5.5	65% 34% 1%	63% 35% 2% +/-6.0	60% 39% * +/-4.5	59% 38% 3% +/-6.0
	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose				
Have Have not No opinion Sampling Error	61% 38% 2% +/-3.0	50% 49% 1% +/-5.5	64% 34% 2% +/-5.0	63% 35% 1% +/-5.0				

^{*} percentage less than 1%

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Question 17C

As a result of the recent rise in gas prices, would you say you have or have not done each of the following:

C. Cut back significantly on your household spending because of higher gas prices

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men		White N	on-White			
Have	 58%	 55%	60%	 54%	67%			
Have not	42%	44%	40%	45%	33%			
No opinion	*	1%	*	1%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5 +	-/-4.5 +/	-3.5 +	/-7.5			
		18-	35-	50-		Under	50 and	
	Total	34	49	64	65+	50	Older	
Have	 58%	 N/A	 58%	 57%	 52%	60%	 55%	
Have not	42%	N/A	42%	43%	47%	40%	44%	
No opinion	*	N/A	*	*	1%	*	*	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attende	ed		
	Total	\$50K	or more	College	College	9		
Have	58%	71%	42%	72%	46%	5		
Have not	42%	28%	57%	28%	548	5		
No opinion	*	*	1%	1%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5	5		
		Demo-	Indep-	_		Mod-	Cons	
	Total	crat 	endent	lican		erate		
Have	58%	54%	61%	58%		60%	61	
Have not	42%	45%	39%	42%	51%	40%	39	
No opinion	*	1%	*	*	1%	*	*	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.	5
		North	Mid-				Sub-	
	Total	east 	west	South	West	Urban	urban	Rural
Have	58%	57%	59%	64%	49%	52%	56%	69%
Have not	42%	43%	39%	36%	51%	47%	44%	31%
No opinion	*	*	1%	*	*	1%	*	×
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-6.0	+/-4.5	+/-6.0
		Tea Pty	Tea Pty	Tea Pty				
	Total	Support	Neutral	Oppose				
Have	Total 58%	Support 56%	Neutral 66%	Oppose 48%				
Have Have not								
	 58%	56%	66%	48%				

^{*} percentage less than 1%

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Question 17D

As a result of the recent rise in gas prices, would you say you have or have not done each of the following:

D. Changed your summer vacation plans

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men			on-White			
Have	39%	38%	40%	38%	41%			
Have not	60%	62%	59%	61%	59%			
No opinion	1% +/-3.0	* +/-4.5 +	2% -/-4.5 +/	1% -3.5 +	* /-7.5			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	T/-4.5 T	7-4.5 +/	-3.J T	/-/.5			
	Total	18- 34	35- 49	50- 64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older	
Have	 39%	 N/A	49%	 37%	31%	 42%	 35%	
Have not	60%	N/A	51%	62%	66%	57%	63%	
No opinion	1%	N/A	*	1%	2%	1%	2%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K	No	Attende			
		200V	or more	College	College			
Have	39%	47%	29%	46%	32%			
Have not	60%	51%	70%	52%	67%			
No opinion	1%	2%	1%	2%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5)		
	Total	Demo- crat	Indep- endent	_		Mod- erate		
Have	39%	39%	41%	34%		39%		
Have not	60%	60%	59%	64%		59%		
No opinion	1%	2%	*	2%		1%		
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.	5
		North	Mid-				Sub-	
	Total	east	west	South	West	Urban	urban	Rural
Have	39%	39%	43%	41%	31%	34%	38%	45%
Have not	60%	61%	56%	58%	69%	65%	61%	54%
No opinion	1%	1%	1%	2%	*	1%	1%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-6.0	+/-4.5	+/-6.0
		Tea Pty	Tea Pty	Tea Pty				
	Total	Support	Neutral	Oppose				
Have	39%	 37%	46%	200				
Have not	39% 60%	378 638	46% 53%	30% 69%				
No opinion	1%	036 *	1%	2%				
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0				

^{*} percentage less than 1%

Question 18

Which would worry you more -- if gas prices rose significantly but you could buy gas whenever you wanted to without waiting in long lines, or if gas prices remained steady but you had to wait in long lines to buy gas or could only buy it on certain days?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women		on-White			
Prices rose but no lines	35%	36%	34%	35%	36%			
Long lines but stable prices	58%	56%	60%	58%	57%			
Both/neither	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%			
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5 +/	-3.5 +	-/-7.5			
	Total	18- 34	35- 49	50- 64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older	
Prices rose but no lines	 35%	 N/A	36%	 36%	34%	 35%	 35%	
Long lines but stable prices	58%	N/A	58%	56%	53%	60%	55%	
Both/neither	5%	N/A	6%	6%	11%	3%	8%	
No opinion	2%	N/A	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	21,722	+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attend			
	Total	\$50K 	or more	College	_			
Prices rose but no lines	35%	32%	40%	30%	40	용		
Long lines but stable prices	58%	62%	53%	64%	53	용		
Both/neither	5%	5%	5%	6%	5			
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	*	. 3			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.	5		
		Demo-	Indep-	-				
	Total	crat 	endent					
Prices rose but no lines	35%	30%	36%	398	39%	34%	35	용
Long lines but stable prices	58%	62%	57%	55%				
Both/neither	5%	6%	5%	6%				
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	18				
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.	5
		North	Mid-				Sub-	
	Total	east 	west	South	West	Urban 	urban 	Rural
Prices rose but no lines	35%	30%	29%	40%	38%	38%	34%	31%
Long lines but stable prices	58%	63%	64%	51%	58%	53%	60%	61%
Both/neither	5%	4%	6%	8%	2%	6%	4%	7%
No opinion	2%	4%	1%	1%	2%	28	2%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-6.0	+/-4.5	+/-6.0
		Tea Pty	Tea Pty	Tea Pty				
	Total	Support	Neutral	Oppose				
Prices rose but no lines	35%	40%	30%	39%				
Long lines but stable prices	58%	53%	63%	54%				
Both/neither	5%	6%	5%	5%				
No opinion	2%	1%	2%	1%				
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0				

 $^{^{\}star}$ percentage less than 1%

Question 19A

Please tell me whether you think each of the following deserves a great deal of blame, some blame, not much blame, or no blame at all for the recent increase in gas prices.

A. Oil companies

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White N	Jon-White			
Great deal of blame	61%	53%	68%	 61%	61%			
Some blame	27%	31%	23%	26%	27%			
Not much blame	5%	6%	3%	5%	6%			
No blame at all	7%	9%	5%	8%	7%			
No opinion	*	*	1%	1%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5 +	/-4.5 +/	-3.5 +	-/-7.5			
	Total	18- 34	35- 49	50- 64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older	
Great deal of blame	61%	N/A	69%	63%	61%	60%	62%	
Some blame	27%	N/A	21%	25%	26%	27%	25%	
Not much blame	5%	N/A	3%	4%	5%	6%	4%	
No blame at all	7%	N/A	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	
No opinion	*	N/A	*	*	2%	*	1%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attende	ed		
	Total	\$50K 	or more	College	_			
Great deal of blame	61%	67%	54%	69%	55%	5		
Some blame	27%	25%	31%	23%	298			
Not much blame	5%	3%	5%	3%	68			
No blame at all	7% *	5% *	9%	5% *	98	5		
No opinion Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	1% +/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5	5		
		Demo-	Indep-	Repub	- Lib-	Mod-	Cons	er-
	Total	crat	endent	lican	eral	erate	vati	ve
Great deal of blame	 61%	69%	60%	 52%		 63%	50	
Some blame	27%	23%	26%	32%		26%	32	
Not much blame	5%	2%	6%	6%	2%	3%	9	용
No blame at all	7%	5%	88	9%	4%	7%	9	
No opinion Sampling Error	* +/-3.0	* +/-5.5	* +/-4.5	+/-6.0	1% +/-7.0	* +/-5.0	* +/-4.	
Sampling Billor	17 3.0			17 0.0	1, 1, 0	17 3.0		J
	m . 1	North	Mid-	a 1		1	Sub-	. .
	Total	east 	west	South	West	Urban	urban 	Rural
Great deal of blame	61%	61%	68%	58%	58%	60%	58%	69%
Some blame	27%	26%	24%	29%	27%	26%	29%	23%
Not much blame	5%	4%	2%	6%	6%	4%	6%	3%
No blame at all No opinion	7% *	9% *	6% *	7% 1%	8% *	10% 1%	7% *	5% *
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-6.0	+/-4.5	+/-6.0
	Total	_	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose				
G				750				
Great deal of blame	61%	38%	66%	75%				
Some blame Not much blame	27% 5%	38% 10%	24% 3%	19% 2%				
No blame at all	7%	14%	5°	3%				
No opinion	*	*	*	*				
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0				

^{*} percentage less than 1%

Question 19B

Please tell me whether you think each of the following deserves a great deal of blame, some blame, not much blame, or no blame at all for the recent increase in gas prices.

B. Foreign countries that produce oil

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men			on-White			
Great deal of blame	42%	40%	44%	 41%	43%			
Some blame	39%	37%	41%	41%	37%			
Not much blame	9%	11%	7%	88	12%			
No blame at all	8%	11%	6%	9%	7%			
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5 +	/-4.5 +/-	-3.5 +	/-7.5			
		18-	35-	50-		Under	50 and	
	Total	34	49	64	65+	50	Older	
Great deal of blame	42%	N/A	46%	43%	43%	41%	43%	
Some blame	39%	N/A	43%	38%	40%	39%	39%	
Not much blame	9%	N/A	6%	9%	6%	11%	8%	
No blame at all	8%	N/A	5%	9%	9%	8%	9%	
No opinion	1%	N/A	*	1%	2%	1%	1%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attende	d		
	Total	\$50K	or more	College	College			
Great deal of blame	42%	 51%	34%	 51%	35%	_		
Some blame	39%	36%	44%	33%	45%			
Not much blame	9%	6%	11%	8%	10%			
No blame at all	8%	7%	10%	6%	10%			
No opinion	1%	1%	*	2%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5			
	Total	Demo- crat	Indep- endent	Repub lican	eral	Mod- erate	Consei vative)
Great deal of blame	42%	46%	38%	45%		38%	46%	
Some blame	39%	34%	43%	39%	34%	46%	36%	
Not much blame	9%	10%	9%	8%	9%	10%	9%	
No blame at all	8%	7%	9%	8%	12%	7%	8%	
No opinion	1%						0.5	
		3%	*	*	3%	*	1%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	3% +/-5.5	* +/-4.5	+/-6.0	3%			
Sampling Error					3%	*	1%	
Sampling Error		+/-5.5	+/-4.5		3%	*	1% +/-4.5	Rural
Sampling Error Great deal of blame	+/-3.0 Total	+/-5.5 North	+/-4.5 Mid- west	+/-6.0 South	3% +/-7.0 West	* +/-5.0 Urban	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban	
	+/-3.0 Total	+/-5.5 North east	+/-4.5 Mid- west	+/-6.0 South	3% +/-7.0 West	* +/-5.0 Urban	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban	
Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame	+/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9%	+/-5.5 North east 48% 36% 9%	+/-4.5 Mid- west 47% 40% 8%	+/-6.0 South 41% 40% 7%	3% +/-7.0 West 33% 40% 13%	* +/-5.0 Urban 45% 33% 12%	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban 39% 42% 9%	45% 39% 6%
Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame No blame at all	+/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9% 8%	+/-5.5 North east 48% 36% 9% 8%	+/-4.5 Mid- west 47% 40% 8% 4%	+/-6.0 South 41% 40% 7% 9%	3% +/-7.0 West 33% 40% 13% 12%	* +/-5.0 Urban 45% 33% 12% 9%	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban 39% 42% 9% 8%	45% 39% 6% 9%
Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame No blame at all No opinion	+/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9% 8% 1%	+/-5.5 North east 48% 36% 9% 8% *	+/-4.5 Mid- west 47% 40% 8% 4% *	+/-6.0 South 41% 40% 7% 9% 2%	3% +/-7.0 West 33% 40% 13% 12% 2%	* +/-5.0 Urban 45% 33% 12% 9% 1%	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban 39% 42% 9% 8% 1%	45% 39% 6% 9% 1%
Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame No blame at all	+/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9% 8%	+/-5.5 North east 48% 36% 9% 8%	+/-4.5 Mid- west 47% 40% 8% 4%	+/-6.0 South 41% 40% 7% 9%	3% +/-7.0 West 33% 40% 13% 12% 2%	* +/-5.0 Urban 45% 33% 12% 9% 1%	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban 39% 42% 9% 8% 1%	 45% 39% 6% 9%
Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame No blame at all No opinion	+/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9% 8% 1%	+/-5.5 North east 48% 36% 9% 8% * +/-6.5	+/-4.5 Mid- west 47% 40% 8% 4% *	+/-6.0 South 41% 40% 7% 9% 2% +/-5.5	3% +/-7.0 West 33% 40% 13% 12% 2%	* +/-5.0 Urban 45% 33% 12% 9% 1%	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban 39% 42% 9% 8% 1%	45% 39% 6% 9% 1%
Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame No blame at all No opinion Sampling Error	+/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9% 8% 1% +/-3.0	+/-5.5 North east 48% 36% 9% * +/-6.5 Tea Pty Support	+/-4.5 Mid- west 47% 40% 8% 4% * +/-6.5 Tea Pty Neutral	+/-6.0 South 41% 40% 7% 9% 2% +/-5.5 Tea Pty Oppose	3% +/-7.0 West 33% 40% 13% 12% 2%	* +/-5.0 Urban 45% 33% 12% 9% 1%	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban 39% 42% 9% 8% 1%	45% 39% 6% 9% 1%
Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame No blame at all No opinion	+/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9% 8% 1% +/-3.0	+/-5.5 North east 48% 36% 9% 8% * +/-6.5	+/-4.5 Mid- west 47% 40% 8% 4% * +/-6.5 Tea Pty Neutral	+/-6.0 South 41% 40% 7% 9% 2% +/-5.5	3% +/-7.0 West 33% 40% 13% 12% 2%	* +/-5.0 Urban 45% 33% 12% 9% 1%	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban 39% 42% 9% 8% 1%	45% 39% 6% 9% 1%
Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame No blame at all No opinion Sampling Error Great deal of blame	+/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9% 8% 1% +/-3.0 Total 42%	+/-5.5 North east 48% 36% 9% 8% * +/-6.5 Tea Pty Support 40%	+/-4.5 Mid- west 47% 40% 8% 4% * +/-6.5 Tea Pty Neutral 45%	+/-6.0 South 41% 40% 7% 9% 2% +/-5.5 Tea Pty Oppose 38%	3% +/-7.0 West 33% 40% 13% 12% 2%	* +/-5.0 Urban 45% 33% 12% 9% 1%	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban 39% 42% 9% 8% 1%	45% 39% 6% 9% 1%
Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame No blame at all No opinion Sampling Error Great deal of blame Some blame	+/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9% 8% 1% +/-3.0 Total 42% 39%	+/-5.5 North east 48% 36% 9% 8% * +/-6.5 Tea Pty Support 40% 39%	+/-4.5 Mid- west 47% 40% 8% 4% * +/-6.5 Tea Pty Neutral 45% 39%	+/-6.0 South 41% 40% 7% 9% 2% +/-5.5 Tea Pty Oppose 38% 40%	3% +/-7.0 West 33% 40% 13% 12% 2%	* +/-5.0 Urban 45% 33% 12% 9% 1%	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban 39% 42% 9% 8% 1%	45% 39% 6% 9% 1%
Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame No blame at all No opinion Sampling Error Great deal of blame Some blame Not much blame	+/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9% 8% 1% +/-3.0 Total 42% 39% 9%	+/-5.5 North east 48% 36% 9% 8% * +/-6.5 Tea Pty Support 40% 39% 7%	+/-4.5 Mid- west 47% 40% 8% 4% * +/-6.5 Tea Pty Neutral 45% 39% 9%	+/-6.0 South 41% 40% 7% 9% 2% +/-5.5 Tea Pty Oppose 38% 40% 11%	3% +/-7.0 West 33% 40% 13% 12% 2%	* +/-5.0 Urban 45% 33% 12% 9% 1%	1% +/-4.5 Sub- urban 39% 42% 9% 8% 1%	45% 39% 6% 9% 1%

^{*} percentage less than 1%

Question 19C

Please tell me whether you think each of the following deserves a great deal of blame, some blame, not much blame, or no blame at all for the recent increase in gas prices.

C. The policies of the Obama administration

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White N	Non-White			
Great deal of blame	25%	27%	24%	 30%	15%			
Some blame	36%	34%	38%	37%	33%			
Not much blame	16%	18%	14%	14%	20%			
No blame at all	21%	20%	21%	17%	31%			
No opinion	2%	1%	3%	3%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5 +	/-4.5 +/	-3.5 H	-/-7.5			
	Total	18- 34	35- 49	50- 64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older	
Great deal of blame	 25%	N/A	28%	28%	31%	22%	 29%	
Some blame	36%	N/A	34%	33%	31%	39%	33%	
Not much blame	16%	N/A	20%	14%	14%	17%	14%	
No blame at all	21%	N/A	17%	22%	21%	20%	22%	
No opinion	2%	N/A	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attende	∍d		
	Total	\$50K 	or more	College	_			
Great deal of blame	25%	24%	26%	27%	249	è		
Some blame	36%	37%	37%	36%	369			
Not much blame	16%	16%	16%	14%	179			
No blame at all	21%	20%	21%	19%	229			
No opinion	2% +/-3.0	3% +/-5.0	1% +/-4.5	4% +/-5.5	19 +/-3.5			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.	,		
	Total	Demo- crat	Indep- endent	_		Mod- erate	Cons vati	
Great deal of blame	25%	7%	26%	498		16%	42	
Some blame Not much blame	36% 16%	35% 23%	38% 14%	34% 8%		41% 16%	36 10	
No blame at all	21%	33%	19%	7%		24%	10	
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	28		2%	1	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.	5
		North	Mid-				Sub-	
	Total	east 	west	South	West	Urban	urban	Rural
Great deal of blame	25%	21%	25%	31%	21%	19%	24%	34%
Some blame	36%	34%	32%	34%	45%	37%	35%	37%
Not much blame	16%	13%	23%	14%	14%	21%	15%	11%
No blame at all	21%	31%	16%	19%	19%	23%	24%	15%
No opinion	2% +/-3.0	+/-6.5	4% +/-6.5	3% +/-5.5	2% +/-6.5	1% +/-6.0	2% +/-4.5	3% +/-6.0
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-0.3	+/-0.3	+/-3.3	+/-0.3	+/-0.0	+/-4.5	+/-0.0
	Total	Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose				
Great deal of blame	25%	51%	24%	6%				
Some blame	36%	33%	38%	34%				
Not much blame	16%	7%	17%	21%				
No blame at all	21%	7%	18%	38%				
No opinion	2%	1%	3%	1%				
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0				

^{*} percentage less than 1%

Question 19D

Please tell me whether you think each of the following deserves a great deal of blame, some blame, not much blame, or no blame at all for the recent increase in gas prices.

D. The policies of the Republicans in Congress

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White N	Non-White			
Great deal of blame	24%	20%	27%	 19%	33%			
Some blame	42%	42%	42%	44%	38%			
Not much blame	16%	17%	16%	16%	16%			
No blame at all	16%	19%	12%	18%	10%			
No opinion	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5 +	-/-4.5 +/-	-3.5	+/-7.5			
	Total	18- 34	35- 49	50- 64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older	
Great deal of blame Some blame	24% 42%	N/A N/A	24% 43%	26% 41%	24% 37%	23% 44%	25% 39%	
Not much blame	16%	N/A N/A	15%	13%	18%	18%	15%	
No blame at all	16%	N/A	18%	17%	18%	14%	18%	
No opinion	2%	N/A	*	4%	3%	2%	4%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	,	+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attende	ed		
	Total	\$50K	or more	College	_			
Great deal of blame	24%	29%	18%	29%	18			
Some blame	42%	45%	41%	44%	41			
Not much blame	16%	12%	18%	14%	18			
No blame at all	16%	11%	21%	11%	20			
No opinion Sampling Error	2% +/-3.0	2% +/-5.0	2% +/-4.5	2% +/-5.5	3! +/-3.!			
Jamping Littl	., 0.0	., 0.0	., 1.0	., 0.0	.,			
		Demo-	Indep-	_		Mod-	Cons	
	Total	crat 	endent	licar				
Great deal of blame	24%	39%	18%	119			17	
Some blame	42%	37%	49%	389	41%	45%	38	용
Not much blame	16%	14%	14%	239	13%	13%	23	용
No blame at all	16%	8%	16%	25%		15%	20	
No opinion	2%	2%	3%	29			1	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.0) +/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.	5
		North	Mid-				Sub-	
	Total	east 	west	South	West	Urban	urban	Rural
Great deal of blame	24%	25%	20%	23%	25%	26%	24%	21%
Some blame	42%	38%	44%	46%	39%	41%	40%	47%
Not much blame	16%	16%	17%	15%	18%	16%	16%	16%
No blame at all	16%	16%	17%	14%	16%	13%	18%	14%
No opinion	2% +/-3.0	4% +/-6.5	2% +/-6.5	2% +/-5.5	2% +/-6.5	3% +/-6.0	2% +/-4.5	2% +/-6.0
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-0.5	+/-0.5	+/-3.3	+/-0.5	+/-0.0	+/-4.5	+/-0.0
	Total	Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose				
Great deal of blame	24%	11%	24%	34%				
Some blame	42%	41%	43%	42%				
Not much blame	16%	18%	18%	12%				
No blame at all	16%	27%	11%	12%				
No opinion	2%	3%	3%	1%				
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0				

^{*} percentage less than 1%

Question 19E

Please tell me whether you think each of the following deserves a great deal of blame, some blame, not much blame, or no blame at all for the recent increase in gas prices.

E. The driving habits of American consumers

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women		Non-White			
Great deal of blame	21%	22%	20%	22%	20%			
Some blame	41%	39%	43%	39%	45%			
Not much blame	16%	18%	13%	17%	13%			
No blame at all	22%	21%	23%	22%	22%			
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5 +/	-3.5	+/-7.5			
		18-	35-	50-		Under	50 and	
	Total	34	49	64	65+ 	50 	Older	
Great deal of blame	21%	N/A	18%	24%	23%	19%	24%	
Some blame	41%	N/A	39%	41%	43%	40%	42%	
Not much blame	16%	N/A	16%	13%	15%	17%	14%	
No blame at all	22%	N/A	27%	21%	19%	24%	20%	
No opinion	*	N/A	*	*	1%	*	1%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attende			
	Total	\$50K 	or more	Colleg	_			
Great deal of blame	21%	18%	22%	24%	199	26		
Some blame	41%	43%	42%	38%	439	8		
Not much blame	16%	16%	16%	15%				
No blame at all	22%	23%	21%	22%	229			
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5	0		
		Demo-	Indep-	_			Cons	
	Total	crat 	endent			erate		
Great deal of blame	21%	22%	25%	14	৪ 30%	21%	16	용
Some blame	41%	45%	37%	40	용 42 %	41%	41	용
Not much blame	16%	12%	16%	19	% 12%	17%	16	용
No blame at all	22%	21%	21%	27		20%	27	
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	Total	east 	west	South	West	Urban	urban 	Rural
Great deal of blame	21%	23%	17%	20%	25%	28%	18%	20%
Some blame	41%	39%	41%	41%	41%	38%	43%	40%
Not much blame	16%	13%	20%	17%	11%	11%	18%	16%
No blame at all	22%	25%	21%	21%	22%	22%	21%	24%
No opinion	*	*	1%	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-6.0	+/-4.5	+/-6.0
	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose				
Great deal of blame	21%	18%	22%	23%				
Some blame	41%	36%	40%	44%				
Not much blame	16%	19%	14%	16%				
No blame at all	22%	27%	24%	16%				
No opinion	*	*	*	*				
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0				

^{*} percentage less than 1%

Question 19F

Please tell me whether you think each of the following deserves a great deal of blame, some blame, not much blame, or no blame at all for the recent increase in gas prices.

F. The violence and unrest in many countries in the Middle East

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men			on-White			
Great deal of blame	 40%	40%	40%	 40%	41%			
Some blame	40%	35%	44%	41%	38%			
Not much blame	9%	12%	6%	10%	7%			
No blame at all	10%	12%	8%	9%	13%			
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5 +	-/-4.5 +/-	-3.5 +	/-7.5			
		18-	35-	50-		Under	50 and	
	Total	34	49	64	65+	50	Older	
Great deal of blame	40%	 N/A	39%	37%	40%	41%	38%	
Some blame	40%	N/A	41%	42%	40%	38%	41%	
Not much blame	9%	N/A	11%	7%	8%	11%	7%	
No blame at all	10%	N/A	9%	13%	8%	10%	11%	
No opinion	1%	N/A	*	1%	4%	*	3%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attende	d		
	Total	\$50K	or more	College				
Great deal of blame Some blame	40% 40%	46% 34%	34% 47%	46% 34%	35% 45%			
Not much blame	9%	9%	9%	8%	10%			
No blame at all	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%			
No opinion	1%	1%	*	2%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5			
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^{*} percentage less than 1%



Question 19G

Please tell me whether you think each of the following deserves a great deal of blame, some blame, not much blame, or no blame at all for the recent increase in gas prices.

G. Environmental regulations

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White N	Non-White			
Great deal of blame	24%	25%	23%	 26%	21%			
Some blame	37%	34%	40%	40%	32%			
Not much blame	16%	16%	15%	15%	18%			
No blame at all	21%	23%	20%	19%	27%			
No opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5 +	-/-4.5 +/	-3.5 +	-/-7.5			
	Total	18- 34	35- 49	50- 64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older	
Great deal of blame	24%	N/A	23%	29%	25%	22%	27%	
Some blame	37%	N/A	37%	32%	40%	40%	35%	
Not much blame No blame at all	16%	N/A	18%	17%	13%	16%	16%	
No opinion	21% 1%	N/A N/A	20% 2%	21% 1%	19% 2%	22% 1%	20% 1%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	N/A	+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attend	ed		
	Total	\$50K	or more	College				
Great deal of blame Some blame	24% 37%	21% 43%	26% 31%	24% 44%	25 ¹ 32 ¹			
Not much blame	16%	16%	18%	12%	19			
No blame at all	21%	19%	23%	18%	23			
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	1%	1:			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.	5		
		Demo-	Indep-	_		Mod-	Cons	
	Total	crat 	endent	licar		erate		
Great deal of blame	24%	14%	22%	42%		 18%	37	
Some blame	37%	40%	36%	36%	32%	37%	40	8
Not much blame	16%	19%	18%	88	23%	18%	10	용
No blame at all	21%	25%	23%	13%		26%	12	
No opinion	1%	2%	1%	*	1%	2%	1	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.	5
		North	Mid-				Sub-	
	Total	east 	west	South	West	Urban 	urban 	Rural
Great deal of blame	24%	22%	21%	28%	24%	21%	27%	23%
Some blame	37%	28%	41%	36%	45%	31%	34%	49%
Not much blame	16%	19%	19%	14%	12%	18%	17%	12%
No blame at all	21%	30%	17%	20%	19%	29%	22%	14%
No opinion	1% +/-3.0	1% +/-6.5	2% +/-6.5	1% +/-5.5	1% +/-6.5	2% +/-6.0	1% +/-4.5	1% +/-6.0
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-0.3	+/-0.3	+/-3.3	+/-0.3	+/-0.0	+/-4.5	+/-0.0
	Total		Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose				
Great deal of blame	24%	49%	21%	88				
Some blame	37%	32%	43%	32%				
Not much blame	16%	7% 12%	16%	24%				
No blame at all No opinion	21% 1%	± 1∠%	20%	32% 3%				
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0				

^{*} percentage less than 1%

Question 19H

Please tell me whether you think each of the following deserves a great deal of blame, some blame, not much blame, or no blame at all for the recent increase in gas prices.

 $\hbox{H. Speculators and other investors who buy and sell oil in the financial markets around the world}\\$

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men			on-White			
Great deal of blame	59%	 57%	61%	 61%	 56%			
Some blame	31%	29%	33%	31%	30%			
Not much blame	5%	6%	3%	3%	8%			
No blame at all	4%	7%	2%	4%	6%			
No opinion	1%	*	1%	1%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5 +	-/-4.5 +/-	-3.5 +	/-7.5			
		18-	35-	50-		Under	50 and	
	Total	34	49	64	65+ 	50 	Older	
Great deal of blame	59%	N/A	63%	65%	62%	57%	64%	
Some blame	31%	N/A	31%	28%	27%	34%	27%	
Not much blame	5%	N/A	3%	3%	4%	6%	3%	
No blame at all	4%	N/A	2%	4%	5%	4%	5%	
No opinion	1%	N/A	1%	*	2%	*	1%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attende	ed		
	Total	\$50K	or more	College	College			
Great deal of blame	59%	66%	55%	62%	58%	;		
Some blame	31%	26%	35%	28%	33%			
Not much blame	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%			
No blame at all	4%	2%	5%	5%	4 %	5		
No opinion	1%	1%	*	1%	*			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5)		
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Question 20

Do you think oil companies as a whole are making too much profit, a reasonable profit, or not enough profit?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women		Non-White			
Too much profit	77%	72%	81%	77%	76%			
Reasonable profit	22%	26%	18%	22%	22%			
Not enough profit	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%			
No opinion	1%	1%	*	*	1%			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5 +	+/-4.5 +/	-3.5	+/-7.5			
		18-	35-	50-		Under	50 and	
	Total	34	49	64 	65+ 	50 	Older	
Too much profit	77%	N/A	78%	80%	76%	75%	78%	
Reasonable profit	22%	N/A	21%	19%	23%	23%	21%	
Not enough profit	1%	N/A	*	1%	1%	1%	1%	
No opinion	1%	N/A	1%	*	1%	1%	*	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-3.5	
		Under	\$50K	No	Attende	ed		
	Total	\$50K	or more	Colleg	_			
Too much profit	77%	82%	75%	82%				
Reasonable profit	22%	17%	23%	16%	279	5		
Not enough profit	1%	*	1%	1%				
No opinion	1%	*	1%	*	1,9			
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5	5		
		Demo-	Indep-	-		Mod-		
	Total	crat 	endent			erate		
Too much profit	77%	86%	73%	69	% 85%	80%	67	용
Reasonable profit	22%	12%	25%	29	% 14%	20%	30	용
Not enough profit	1%	*	2%	1	% 1%	*	2	9
No opinion	1%	1%	*	1	% 1%	*	1	용
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.	0 +/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.	5
		North	Mid-				Sub-	
	Total	east 	west	South	West	Urban	urban 	Rural
Too much profit	77%	77%	87%	72%	73%	80%	73%	80%
Reasonable profit	22%	22%	12%	26%	25%	18%	26%	19%
Not enough profit	1%	1%	1%	2%	*	1%	1%	1%
No opinion	1%	*	*	1%	1%	1%	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-6.0	+/-4.5	+/-6.0
		Tea Pty	Tea Pty	Tea Pty				
	Total	Support	Neutral	Oppose				
Too much profit	77%	56%	82%	88%				
Reasonable profit	22%	42%	17%	12%				
Not enough profit	1%	1%	1%	*				
No opinion	1%	1%	*	*				
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0				

^{*} percentage less than $1\mbox{\%}$