

Interviews with $\mathbf{1 , 0 3 8}$ adult Americans conducted by telephone by ORC International on September 9-11, 2011. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points. The sample also includes 943 interviews among registered voters (plus or minus 3 percentage points).

The sample includes 834 interviews among landline respondents and 204 interviews among cell phone respondents.
16. How worried are you that you or someone in your family will become a victim of terrorism -- very worried, somewhat worried, not too worried, or not worried at all?

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Sept. 9-11 } \\ \underline{2011} \end{gathered}$ | Sept. 1-2 $\underline{2010}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Jan. 8-10 } \\ \underline{2010} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Oct. 16-18 } \\ \underline{2009} \end{gathered}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Very worried | 8\% | 7\% | 9\% | 10\% |  |  |
| Somewhat worried | 26\% | 30\% | 25\% | 26\% |  |  |
| Not too worried | 35\% | 35\% | 35\% | 36\% |  |  |
| Not worried at all | 32\% | 28\% | 30\% | 28\% |  |  |
| No opinion | * | * | * | * |  |  |
|  | June 4-5 | Dec. 6-9 | Aug. 6-8 | Mar. 9-11 | Nov. 3-5 | Aug. 18-20 |
|  | $\underline{2008}$ | $\underline{2007}$ | $\underline{2007}$ | $\underline{2007}$ | $\underline{2006}$ | $\underline{2006}$ |
| Very worried | 9\% | 11\% | 12\% | 13\% | 9\% | 8\% |
| Somewhat worried | 29\% | 28\% | 30\% | 31\% | 31\% | 28\% |
| Not too worried | 32\% | 33\% | 33\% | 31\% | 33\% | 36\% |
| Not worried at all | 31\% | 28\% | 24\% | 23\% | 27\% | 29\% |
| No opinion | * | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | * | * |

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|  | Very | Somewhat | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Not } \\ & \underline{\text { too }} \end{aligned}$ | Not at all | No opin |  | Very | Somewhat | Not <br> too | Not at all | No opin |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2006 Jan 20-22* | 14 | 29 | 34 | 23 | 1 | 2002 Sep 2-4 | 8 | 30 | 37 | 25 | , |
| 2005 Dec 16-18 | 11 | 30 | 37 | 22 | * | 2002 May 28-29 | 9 | 31 | 37 | 22 | * |
| 2005 Jul 22-24 | 14 | 33 | 30 | 23 | * | 2002 Apr 22-24 | 8 | 27 | 39 | 25 | * |
| 2005 Jun 16-19 | 8 | 30 | 36 | 26 | * | 2002 Mar 4-7 | 12 | 33 | 32 | 23 | * |
| 2005 Jan 7-9 | 10 | 28 | 37 | 24 | 1 | 2002 Feb 4-6* | 8 | 27 | 39 | 25 | 1 |
| 2004 Dec 17-19 | 13 | 28 | 34 | 25 | * | 2001 Nov 26-27 | 8 | 27 | 34 | 30 | * |
| 2004 Oct 14-16 | 13 | 34 | 33 | 20 | * | 2001 Nov 2-4 | 11 | 28 | 34 | 26 | 1 |
| 2004 Sep 3-5* | 11 | 32 | 36 | 21 | * | 2001 Oct 19-21 ** | 13 | 30 | 33 | 23 | 1 |
| 2004 Aug 9-11* | 8 | 26 | 36 | 30 | * | 2001 Oct 11-14 ** | 18 | 33 | 35 | 14 | * |
| 2004 Feb 9-12 | 10 | 30 | 36 | 24 | * | 2001 Oct 5-6 ** | 24 | 35 | 27 | 14 | * |
| 2004 Jan 2-5 | 5 | 23 | 42 | 30 | * | 2001 Sep 21-22 ** | 14 | 35 | 32 | 18 | 1 |
| 2003 Dec 5-7 | 9 | 28 | 38 | 25 | * | 2001 Sep 14-15** | 18 | 33 | 35 | 13 | 1 |
| 2003 Aug 25-26 | 11 | 30 | 33 | 26 | -- | 2001 Sep 11 ** | 23 | 35 | 24 | 16 | 1 |
| 2003 Jul 18-20* | 6 | 24 | 38 | 32 | * | 2000 Apr 7-9* | 4 | 20 | 41 | 34 | 1 |
| 2003 Apr 22-23* | 8 | 26 | 39 | 26 | 1 | 1998 Aug 20 | 10 | 22 | 38 | 29 | 1 |
| 2003 Mar 22-23 | 8 | 30 | 38 | 24 | * | 1996 Jul 20-21 *** | 13 | 26 | 34 | 27 | * |
| 2003 Feb 17-19 | 8 | 28 | 33 | 31 | -- | 1996 Apr 9-10 *** | 13 | 22 | 33 | 32 | * |
| 2003 Feb 7-9* | 13 | 35 | 34 | 18 | * | 1995 Apr 21-23 *** | 14 | 28 | 33 | 24 | 1 |
| 2003 Jan 23-25 | 8 | 31 | 36 | 25 | * |  |  |  |  |  |  |

*Asked of a half sample
** WORDING IN SEPT-OCT, 2001: How worried are you that you or someone in your family will become a victim of a terrorist attack -- very worried, somewhat worried, not too worried, or not worried at all?
*** WORDING IN 1996 AND 1998: How worried are you that someone in your family will become a victim of a terrorist attack similar to the bombing in
Oklahoma City? WORDING IN 1995: How worried are you that you or someone in your family will become a victim of a terrorist attack similar to the bombing in Oklahoma City?
17. Which comes closer to your view -- the terrorists will always find a way to launch major attacks no matter what the U.S. government does, or the U.S. government can eventually prevent all major attacks if it works hard enough at it?

|  | Sept. 9-11 | Jan. 8-10 | Sep. 7-9 | Aug. 30-Sep. 2 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\underline{2011}$ | $\underline{2010^{*}}$ | $\underline{2007}$ | $\underline{2006}$ |
| Terrorists will always find a way | $58 \%$ |  | $60 \%$ | $57 \%$ |
| Government can prevent attacks | $40 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $57 \%$ |
| No opinion | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $41 \%$ |
| *Asked of a half sample |  |  |  | $2 \%$ |

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Sept. 2-4, 2002
$60 \%$
37\%
3\%
20. Do you think the federal government's Department of Education should continue to exist, or do you think it should be eliminated completely?

Sept. 9-11
$\underline{2011}$
Continue to exist 74\%
Eliminated completely $24 \%$
No opinion $2 \%$
21. Do you think abortion should be legal under any circumstances, legal under only certain circumstances, or illegal in all circumstances?

|  | Legal <br> under <br> any <br> circumstances | Legal <br> under <br> certain <br> circumstances | Illegal <br> in all | circumstances |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Opinion |  |  |  |  |

21. Do you think abortion should be legal under any circumstances, legal under only certain circumstances, or illegal in all circumstances?
22. (IF ONLY CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES:) Do you think abortion should be legal in most circumstances or only a few circumstances?

## QUESTION 21 AND 22 COMBINED

| Legal under any circumstances | $\begin{gathered} \text { Legal } \\ \text { in } \\ \text { most } \\ \text { circumstances } \end{gathered}$ | Legal <br> in a <br> few <br> circumstances | $\qquad$ | No Opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 25\% | 12\% | 41\% | 21\% | 1\% |
| 21\% | 13\% | 42\% | 22\% | 2\% |
| 26\% | 10\% | 40\% | 23\% | 1\% |
| 25\% | 12\% | 39\% | 22\% | 2\% |
| 23\% | 13\% | 40\% | 22\% | 2\% |
| 24\% | 10\% | 40\% | 24\% | 2\% |

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| Legal | Legal only |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| under any | under certain | Illegal in all | No |
| circumstances | circumstances | circumstances |  |

2005 Nov 11-13
2005 Jun 24-26
2005 May 2-5
2005 Mar 21-23
2004 May 2-4
2003 Oct 24-26
2003 May 5-7
2003 Jan 10-12
2002 May 6-9
2002 Mar 22-24
2002 Feb 8-10
2001 Aug 10-12
2001 May 10-14
2001 Mar 26-28
2000 Mar 30-Apr 2
2000 Jan 13-16
1999 Apr 30-May 2
1998 Jan 16-18
1997 Nov 6-9
1997 Aug 12-13
1996 Sep 20-22*
1996 Jul 25-28
1995 Sep 22-24
1995 Feb 24-26
1994 Sep 6-7
1994 Mar 28-30
1993 Mar 12-14
1992 Jan 16-19
1991 Sep 5-8
1991 May 30-Jun 2
1990 Apr 5-20
1989 Jul 6-9
1989 Jul 6-7
1988 Sep 25-Oct 1
1985 Jan 3-4 $\dagger$
1983 Jun 24-27
1981 May 8-11
1980 Jul 11-14
1979 Feb 23-26
1977 Dec 9-12
1975 Apr 4-7

* Based on reg. voters
193
Legal
under any
circumstances


## 2005 Nov 11-13 <br> 2005 Jun 24-26

 2005 May 2-5 2005 Mar 21-23 2004 May 2-4 2003 Oct 24-26 2003 May 5-7 2003 Jan 10-12 2002 May 6-9 2002 Mar 22-24 2001 Aug 10-12 2001 May 10-14 2001 Mar 26-28 2000 Mar 30-Apr 2 2000 Jan 13-16 1999 Apr 30-May 2 1998 Jan 16-18 1997 Nov 6-9 1997 Aug 12-13 1996 Jul 25-28 1995 Sep 22-24 1995 Feb 24-26 1994 Sep 6-7| 56 | 16 |
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| 57 | 17 |
| 55 | 21 |
| 58 | 18 |
| 52 | 19 |
| 53 | 19 |
| 54 | 17 |
| 55 | 17 |
| 54 | 17 |
|  | 17 |
| 54 |  |

Legal under most circumstances
in a few circumstances

Illegal in all circumstances

No opinion
24. Do you believe that the theory of evolution is definitely true, probably true, probably false, or definitely false?

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| Definitely true | $21 \%$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Probably true | $36 \%$ |
| Probably false | $16 \%$ |
| Definitely false | $25 \%$ |
| No opinion | $3 \%$ |

25. Do you think marriages between gay and lesbian couples should or should not be recognized by the law as valid, with the same rights as traditional marriages?

|  | Sept. 9-11 | Apr. 9-10 | Apr. 23-26 | Dec. 19-21 | June 26-29 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\underline{2011}$ | $\underline{2011}$ | $\underline{2009}$ | $\underline{2008}$ | $\underline{2008}$ |
| Should be recognized as valid | $53 \%$ |  |  |  |  |
| Should not be recognized as valid | $46 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $44 \%$ |
| No opinion | $1 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $53 \%$ |
|  |  | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ |

26. In your view, is homosexuality something a person is born with, or is homosexuality due to factors such as upbringing and environment?

|  | Sept. 9-11 <br> $\underline{2011}$ | June 22-24 <br>  <br>  <br> Born with |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Upbringing and environment | $45 \%$ | $39 \%$ |
| Both (vol.) | $39 \%$ | $42 \%$ |
| Neither (vol.) | $9 \%$ | $10 \%$ |
| No opinion | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| *Asked of a half sample | $4 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
|  |  |  |

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| Born with | Upbringing/ <br> environment | Both (vol.) | Neither <br> (vol.) | No <br> opinion |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 38 | 44 | 10 | 2 | 6 |
| 37 | 41 | 11 | 3 | 8 |
| 38 | 44 | 11 | 2 | 5 |
| 40 | 36 | 12 | 4 | 8 |
| 40 | 39 | 9 | 3 | 9 |
| 34 | 44 | 13 | 1 | 8 |
| 31 | 40 | 13 | 3 | 13 |
| 19 | 48 | 12 | 2 | 19 |
| 17 | 52 | 13 | 2 | 16 |
| 13 | 56 | 14 | 3 | 15 |

27. Would you like to see the number of illegal immigrants currently in this country increased, decreased, or remain the same?
28. (IF DECREASED) Would you like to see the number of illegal immigrants decreased only a little, decreased a lot, or would you like to see all illegal immigrants who are currently in the country removed from the U.S.?

## QUESTION 27 ONLY

|  | Increased | Remain the same | Decreased | No opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sept. 9-11, 2011 | 4\% | 22\% | 74\% | * |
| May 21-23, 2010 | 2\% | 21\% | 76\% | 1\% |
| Oct. 16-18, 2009 | 3\% | 22\% | 73\% | 1\% |
| Jan. 14-17, 2008 | 5\% | 29\% | 65\% | 1\% |
| Oct. 12-14, 2007 | 7\% | 22\% | 69\% | 2\% |
| Oct. 20-22, 2006 | 5\% | 27\% | 67\% | 1\% |
| June 8-11, 2006 | 2\% | 26\% | 67\% | 6\% |

## QUESTION 27 AND 28 COMBINED

| Increased | Remain <br> the same | Decrease <br> a little | Decreased <br> a lot | Remove <br> all | No <br> opinion |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $4 \%$ | $22 \%$ |  | $17 \%$ |  | $21 \%$ | $36 \%$ |

29. Thinking specifically about the role that religion plays in government, which of the following statements comes closest to your views:

|  | Sept. 9-11 <br> $\underline{2011}$ | June 22-24 <br> $\underline{2007}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Religion should be the only factor the <br> government uses to decide its policies | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| Religion should be a major factor in the <br> government's decisions but not the only one | $15 \%$ | $16 \%$ |
| Religion should have some influence on the <br> government's decisions but should not be a <br> major factor in those decisions | $36 \%$ | $36 \%$ |
| Religion should have no influence at all on <br> the government's decisions | $47 \%$ | $45 \%$ |
| No opinion | $*$ | $1 \%$ |

31a. Which of the following statements comes closest to your view of global warming

|  | Sept. 9-11 <br> $\underline{2011}$ | Dec. 2-3 <br> $\underline{2009 *}$ | June 4-5 <br> $\underline{2008}$ | Oct. 12-14 <br> $\underline{2007}$ | $\underline{\underline{2007}}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Global warming is a proven fact and is mostly |  |  |  |  |  |
| caused by emissions from cars and industrial <br> facilities such as power plants and factories | $48 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $56 \%$ | $54 \%$ |
| Global warming is a proven fact and is mostly <br> caused by natural changes that have |  |  |  |  |  |
| nothing to do with emissions from cars <br> and industrial facilities | $22 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $20 \%$ |
| Global warming is a theory that has not yet <br> been proven | $29 \%$ | $31 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $22 \%$ |
| No opinion |  |  |  |  |  |

*Asked of a half sample
32. Should the United States give up its membership to the United Nations, or not? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 508 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION A -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/-4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

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| Should | $15 \%$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Should not | $82 \%$ |
| No opinion | $2 \%$ |

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|  | Yes, should | No, should not | No opinion |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 2005 Feb 7-10* |  |  | 2 |
| 1997 Nov 21-23 | 13 | 85 | 2 |
| 1996 Apr 25-28 | 9 | 88 | 3 |
| 1995 Oct 19-22 | 17 | 77 | 6 |
| 1990 Oct 18-21 | 9 | 84 | 7 |
| 1985 Aug 13-15 | 8 | 88 | 4 |
| 1983 Oct 7-10 | 11 | 81 | 8 |
| 1982 Jun 25-28 | 12 | 79 | 9 |
| 1975 Nov 21-24 | 12 | 79 | 9 |
| 1975 Feb 7-10 | 16 | 74 | 10 |
| 1967 Jul 13-18 | 11 | 75 | 14 |
| 1963 Nov 8-13 | 10 | 85 | 5 |
| 1962 Jan 11-16 | 8 | 79 | 13 |
| 1951 Nov 11-16 | 5 | 90 | 5 |
| 1951 May 19-24 | 11 | 78 | 11 |
| 1951 Jan 14-19 | 11 | 79 | 10 |

* Asked of a half sample.

33. In your view, does the United Nations play a necessary role in the world today, or not? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 530 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION B -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/-4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

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| Yes, necessary role | $64 \%$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| No, not necessary role | $34 \%$ |
| No opinion | $1 \%$ |

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Yes, necessary role
No, not
No opinion

2005 Feb 7-10 *
1997 Nov 21-23

* Asked of a half sample.

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Question 16
How worried are you that you or someone in your family will become a victim of terrorism -- very worried, somewhat worried, not too worried, or not worried at all?

Base $=$ Total Sample


* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 17
Which comes closer to your view -- the terrorists will always find a way to launch major attacks no matter what the U.S. government does, or the U.S. government can eventually prevent all major attacks if it works hard enough at it?

The terrorists will always find a way to launch major attacks no matter what US government does The US government can eventually prevent all major attacks if it works hard enough at it

Base = Total Sample
Terrorists will find a way
US government can prevent
No opinion
Sampling Error
Terrorists will find a way
US government can prevent
No opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ------- |
| $58 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $62 \%$ | $61 \%$ | $51 \%$ |
| $40 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $49 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $*$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-3.5$ | $+/-7.0$ |

Terrorists will find a way
US government can prevent
No opinion
Sampling Error

|  | $18-$ | $35-$ | $50-$ |  | Under | 50 and |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
| ---- | ---- | ---- | ---- | ---- | ---- | ----- |
| $58 \%$ | $53 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $63 \%$ | $61 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $62 \%$ |
| $40 \%$ | $46 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $36 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-4.0$ |

Terrorists will find a way US government can prevent No opinion
Sampling Error
Terrorists will find a way
US government can prevent
No opinion
Sampling Error

|  | Under | \$50K | No | Attended |
| ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |
| ----- | ----- | ------ | ------ | ------- |
| $58 \%$ | $58 \%$ | $60 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $61 \%$ |
| $40 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $37 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-3.5$ |

Terrorists will find a way
US government can prevent
No opinion
Sampling Error

|  | Demo- <br> crat | Indep- <br> endent | Repub- <br> lican | Lib- <br> eral | Mod- <br> erate | Conser- <br> vative |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ---- | ----- | ----- | ------ | ----- | ----- | ------ |
| $58 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $62 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $61 \%$ | $63 \%$ | $52 \%$ |
| $40 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $46 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.0$ |

errorists will find a way US government can prevent No opinion

| Total | North <br> east | Mid- <br> west | South |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| $58 \%$ | $58 \%$ | $62 \%$ | $60 \%$ |
| $40 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $40 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $\star$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.5$ |
|  |  |  |  |
| Total Pty | Support | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
| ---- | ----- | ----- | Oppose |
| $58 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $58 \%$ | $65 \%$ |
| $40 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $33 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.5$ |

Sampling Error $\quad+/-3.0 \quad+/-6.0+/-5.0 \quad+/-5.5$

[^0]Question 20
Do you think the federal government's Department of Education should continue to exist, or do you think it should be eliminated completely?

Base = Total Sample


* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 21
Do you think abortion should be legal under any circumstances, legal under only certain circumstances, or illegal in all circumstances?

Base $=$ Total Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -------- |
| Legal under any circumstances | $25 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $22 \%$ |
| Legal under only certain | $53 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $51 \%$ |
| Illegal in all circumstances | $21 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
| No opinion | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| Sampling Error | $+/-3.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-3.5$ | $+/-7.0$ |


|  |  | $18-$ | $35-$ | $50-$ |  | Under | 50 and |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
|  | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----1 |
| Legal under any circumstances | $25 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
| Legal under only certain | $53 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $47 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $53 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $53 \%$ |
| Illegal in all circumstances | $21 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $21 \%$ |
| No opinion | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| Sampling Error | $+/-3.0$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-4.0$ |

Legal under any circumstances
Legal under only certain
Illegal in all circumstances
No opinion
Sampling Error

|  | Under | \$50K | No | Attended |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- | ---: |
| Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |
| ----- | ----- | ------ | ------ | ------ |
| $25 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $30 \%$ |
| $53 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $53 \%$ | $53 \%$ | $53 \%$ |
| $21 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $16 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-3.5$ |

Legal under any circumstances
Legal under only certain
Illegal in all circumstances
No opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | Demo- <br> crat |
| :---: | :---: |
| ----- | ----- |
| $25 \%$ | $34 \%$ |
| $53 \%$ | $49 \%$ |
| $21 \%$ | $16 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | $\star$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-5.5$ |


| Indep- | Repub- | Lib- | Mod- | Conser- |
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| endent | lican | eral | erate | vative |
| ------ | ------ | ----- | ----- | ------ |
| $25 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $11 \%$ |
| $51 \%$ | $61 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $58 \%$ |
| $21 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $31 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ |

Legal under any circumstances
Legal under only certain
Illegal in all circumstances
No opinion
Sampling Error

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

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 21/22
Q21. Do you think abortion should be legal under any circumstances, legal under only certain circumstances, or illegal in all circumstances?
Q22. Do you think abortion should be legal in most circumstances or only a few circumstances?
Base $=$ Total Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -------- |
| Legal under any circumstances | $25 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $22 \%$ |
| Legal in most circumstances | $12 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $11 \%$ |
| Legal in only a few | $41 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $40 \%$ |
| circumstances |  |  |  |  |  |
| Illegal in all | $21 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
| No opinion | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| Sampling Error | $+/-3.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-3.5$ | $+/-7.0$ |


|  | 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 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Legal under any circumstances | 25\% | 22\% | 29\% | 27\% | 21\% | 25\% | 25\% |
| Legal in most circumstances | 12\% | 14\% | 10\% | 12\% | 10\% | 12\% | 11\% |
| Legal in only a few circumstances | 41\% | 43\% | 37\% | 41\% | 41\% | 40\% | 41\% |
| Illegal in all | 21\% | 20\% | 23\% | 18\% | 25\% | 21\% | 21\% |
| No opinion | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-3.0 | -8.0 | -6.5 | -5.0 | -5.5 | -5.0 | +/-4.0 |


|  | Total | Under \$50K | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 50 \mathrm{~K} \\ & \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | No College | Attended College |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Legal under any circumstances | 25\% | 21\% | 32\% | 17\% | 30\% |
| Legal in most circumstances | 12\% | 12\% | 12\% | 11\% | 13\% |
| Legal in only a few circumstances | 41\% | 41\% | 41\% | 42\% | 40\% |
| Illegal in all | 21\% | 24\% | 14\% | 28\% | 16\% |
| No opinion | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-3.0 | +/-5.0 | +/-4.5 | +/-5.5 | +/-3.5 |


| Total | Demo- <br> crat | Indep- <br> endent | Repub- <br> lican | Lib- <br> eral | Mod- <br> erate | Conser- |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | vative |  |  |  |  |  |


|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Legal under any circumstances | 25\% | 32\% | 25\% | 17\% | 29\% | 27\% | 30\% | 13\% |
| Legal in most circumstances | 12\% | 10\% | 10\% | 14\% | 12\% | 13\% | 12\% | 7\% |
| Legal in only a few circumstances | 41\% | 35\% | 40\% | 43\% | 44\% | 35\% | 43\% | 51\% |
| Illegal in all | 21\% | 21\% | 23\% | 24\% | 15\% | 23\% | 15\% | 26\% |
| No opinion | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | * | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-3.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-6.5 | +/-5.5 | +/-6.5 | +/-5.5 | +/-4.5 | +/-6.5 |
|  | Total | Tea Pty <br> Support | Tea Pty <br> Neutral | Tea Pty Oppose |  |  |  |  |
| Legal under any circumstances | 25\% | 11\% | 23\% | 43\% |  |  |  |  |
| Legal in most circumstances | 12\% | 8\% | 10\% | 19\% |  |  |  |  |
| Legal in only a few circumstances | 41\% | 45\% | 48\% | 25\% |  |  |  |  |
| Illegal in all | 21\% | 35\% | 18\% | 12\% |  |  |  |  |
| No opinion | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% |  |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-3.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-5.0 | +/-5.5 |  |  |  |  |

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 24
Do you believe that the theory of evolution is definitely true, probably true, probably false, or definitely false?

Base $=$ Total Sample
Definitely true
Probably true
Probably false
Definitely false
No opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -------- |
| $21 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $21 \%$ |
| $36 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $37 \%$ |
| $16 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| $25 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $18 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-3.5$ | $+/-7.0$ |


| Definitely true | 21\% | 24\% | 20\% | 21\% | 16\% | 22\% | 19\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Probably true | 36\% | 41\% | 35\% | 35\% | 30\% | 38\% | 33\% |
| Probably false | 16\% | 15\% | 18\% | 13\% | 19\% | 17\% | 15\% |
| Definitely false | 25\% | 20\% | 22\% | 29\% | 29\% | 21\% | 29\% |
| No opinion | 3\% | * | 4\% | 2\% | 7\% | 2\% | 4\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-3.0 | +/-8.0 | +/-6.5 | +/-5.0 | +/-5.5 | +/-5.0 | +/-4.0 |
|  |  | Under | \$50K | No | Attended |  |  |
|  | Total | \$50K | or more | College | Colleg |  |  |
| Definitely true | 21\% | 17\% | 25\% | 9\% | 29 |  |  |
| Probably true | 36\% | 39\% | 34\% | 37\% | 35 |  |  |
| Probably false | 16\% | 17\% | 16\% | 20\% | 14 |  |  |
| Definitely false | 25\% | 25\% | 23\% | 31\% | 21 |  |  |
| No opinion | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% | 4\% | 2 |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-3.0 | +/-5.0 | +/-4.5 | +/-5.5 | +/-3. |  |  |
|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Conservative |
| Definitely true | 21\% | 32\% | 20\% | 6\% | 43\% | 18\% | 10\% |
| Probably true | 36\% | 35\% | 40\% | 29\% | 31\% | 44\% | 30\% |
| Probably false | 16\% | 14\% | 13\% | 23\% | 11\% | 16\% | 19\% |
| Definitely false | 25\% | 16\% | 25\% | 36\% | 12\% | 20\% | 37\% |
| No opinion | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% | 4\% | 2\% | 2\% | 4\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-3.0 | +/-5.5 | +/-4.5 | +/-6.0 | +/-6.5 | +/-5.0 | +/-5.0 |

Sampling Error

Definitely true

|  | $18-$ | $35-$ | $50-$ |  | Under | 50 and |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
| ----- | ----- | ---- | ----- | ---- | ----- | ----- |
| $21 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| $36 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $30 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $33 \%$ |
| $16 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $15 \%$ |
| $25 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $29 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $\star$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-4.0$ |

Probably true
Probably false
Definitely false
No opinion
Sampling Error

Definitely true
Probably true
Probably false
Definitely false
No opinion

| Total | North east | Midwest | South |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 21\% | 23\% | 17\% | 20\% |
| 36\% | 43\% | 36\% | 29\% |
| 16\% | 16\% | 17\% | 15\% |
| 25\% | 16\% | 27\% | 32\% |
| 3\% | 2\% | 2\% | 4\% |
| +/-3.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-6.5 | +/-5.5 |
|  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
| Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |
| 21\% | 11\% | 12\% | 45\% |
| 36\% | 28\% | 46\% | 27\% |
| 16\% | 20\% | 16\% | 11\% |
| 25\% | 38\% | 23\% | 14\% |
| 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | 4\% |
| +/-3.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-5.0 | +/-5.5 |

Sampling Error

* percentage less than 1\%

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* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 26
In your view, is homosexuality something a person is born with, or is homosexuality due to factors such as upbringing and environment?

Base $=$ Total Sample
Born with
Upbringing and environment
Both
Neither
No opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -------- |
| $45 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $48 \%$ | $48 \%$ | $40 \%$ |
| $39 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $43 \%$ |
| $9 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $14 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $*$ |
| $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-3.5$ | $+/-7.0$ |

Born with
Upbringing and environment Both
Neither
No opinion
Sampling Error
Born with
Upbringing and environment
Both
Neither
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 50 | 50 and Older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 45\% | 39\% | 50\% | 46\% | 50\% | 44\% | 47\% |
| 39\% | 41\% | 39\% | 39\% | 35\% | 40\% | 38\% |
| 9\% | 13\% | 7\% | 10\% | 4\% | 11\% | 8\% |
| 3\% | 3\% | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% |
| 4\% | 4\% | 1\% | 4\% | 8\% | 3\% | 6\% |
| +/-3.0 | +/-8.0 | +/-6.5 | +/-5.0 | +/-5.5 | +/-5.0 | +/-4.0 |


|  | Under | \$50K | No | Attended |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ------ | ------- |
| $45 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $51 \%$ |
| $39 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $31 \%$ |
| $9 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $12 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-3.5$ |


| Total | Demo- <br> crat | Indep- <br> endent | Repub- <br> lican | Lib- <br> eral | Mod- <br> erate | Conser- <br> vative |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ---- | ----- | ------ | ------ | ----- | ----- | ------ |
| $45 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $64 \%$ | $47 \%$ | $33 \%$ |
| $39 \%$ | $30 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $53 \%$ |
| $9 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $\star$ | $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.0$ |


| Total | North <br> east | Mid- <br> west | South |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| $45 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $48 \%$ | $38 \%$ |
| $39 \%$ | $30 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $44 \%$ |
| $9 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $10 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $5 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.5$ |
|  |  |  |  |
| Total | Support |  |  |
| ----- | ------ | ------- | ------- |
| $45 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $59 \%$ |
| $39 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $23 \%$ |
| $9 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $12 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.5$ |

Born with
Upbringing and environment
Both
Neither
No opinion
Sampling Error

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 27
Would you like to see the number of illegal immigrants currently in this country increased, decreased, or remain the same?

Base $=$ Total Sample
Increased number
Decreased number
Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

Increased number Decreased number Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

Increased number
Decreased number Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error
ncreased number
Decreased number
Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error
ncreased number
Decreased number
Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

Increased number
Decreased number
Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 27/28
Q27. Would you like to see the number of illegal immigrants currently in this country increased, decreased, or remain the same?
Q28. Would you like to see the number of illegal immigrants decreased only a little, decreased a lot or would you like to see all illegal immigrants who are currently in the country removed from the U.S.?

Base = Total Sample
Increased number
Decreased only a little
Decreased a lot
Removed from the US
Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

Increased number
Decreased only a little Decreased a lot
Removed from the US
Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

Increased number
Decreased only a little
Decreased a lot
Removed from the US
Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

Increased number
Decreased only a little Decreased a lot
Removed from the US
Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

Increased number
Decreased only a little
Decreased a lot
Removed from the US
Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

Increased number
Decreased only a little
Decreased a lot
Removed from the US
Remain the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ---- | ---- | ---- | ---- | ----- |
| $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| $17 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $20 \%$ |
| $21 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $13 \%$ |
| $36 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
| $22 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $36 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-3.5$ | $+/-7.0$ |


|  | $18-$ | $35-$ | $50-$ |  | Under | 50 and |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
| ----- | ---- | ----- | ----- | ---- | ----- | ----- |
| $4 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| $17 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $13 \%$ |
| $21 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
| $36 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $31 \%$ | $42 \%$ |
| $22 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $18 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ |
| $/-3.0$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-4.0$ |


|  | Under | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | No | Attended |
| ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ------ | ------ |
| $4 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $17 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $18 \%$ |
| $21 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $21 \%$ |
| $36 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $32 \%$ |
| $22 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $23 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-3.5$ |

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 29
Thinking specifically about the role that religion plays in government, which of the following
statements comes closest to your views:
    Religion should be the only factor the government uses to decide its policies
    Religion should be a major factor in the government's decisions but not the only one
    Religion should have some influence on the government's decisions but should not be a major
        factor in those decisions
    Religion should have no influence at all on the government's decisions
```

Base $=$ Total Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Only factor in govt policy | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% | 2\% | 3\% |
| Major factor in govt policy | 15\% | 13\% | 17\% | 14\% | 16\% |
| Some influence in govt policy | 36\% | 37\% | 35\% | 37\% | 32\% |
| No influence in govt | 47\% | 48\% | 46\% | 46\% | 49\% |
| No opinion | * | * | * | * | * |
| Sampling Error | +/-3.0 | +/-4.5 | +/-4.5 | +/-3.5 | +/-7.0 |

Only factor in govt policy
Major factor in govt policy

|  | $18-$ | $35-$ | $50-$ |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ |
| ----- | ----- | ---- | ----- | ----- |
| $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| $15 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $15 \%$ |
| $36 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $31 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $34 \%$ |
| $47 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $48 \%$ |
| $*$ | $*$ | $1 \%$ | $*$ | $*$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.5$ |


| Under | 50 and <br> 50 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Older |  |

Only factor in govt policy
Major factor in govt policy
Some influence in govt policy
No influence in govt
No opinion
Sampling Error

|  | Under | \$50K | No | Attended |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | or more | College | College |
| ----- | ----- | ------ | ------ | -------- |
| $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| $15 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $11 \%$ |
| $36 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $36 \%$ |
| $47 \%$ | $46 \%$ | $49 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $52 \%$ |
| $\star$ | $\star$ | $\star$ | $\star$ | $\star$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-3.5$ |


|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | Repub- <br> lican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Conser- <br> vative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Only factor in govt policy | 2\% | 3\% | 1\% | 3\% | 2\% | 1\% | 4\% |
| Major factor in govt policy | 15\% | 11\% | 15\% | 20\% | 6\% | 14\% | 20\% |
| Some influence in govt policy | 36\% | 31\% | 36\% | 42\% | 21\% | 36\% | 44\% |
| No influence in govt | 47\% | 54\% | 47\% | 36\% | 70\% | 49\% | 31\% |
| No opinion | * | * | 1\% | * | * | * | 1\% |
| Sampling Error | +/-3.0 | +/-5.5 | +/-4.5 | +/-6.0 | +/-6.5 | +/-5.0 | +/-5.0 |

Sampling Error
Only factor in govt policy
Major factor in govt policy
Some influence in govt policy
No influence in govt
No opinion
Sampling Error
To
-

1
3
4
+
+

Only factor in govt policy Major factor in govt policy Some influence in govt policy No influence in govt
No opinion
Sampling Error
Total
-----
$2 \%$
$15 \%$
$36 \%$
$47 \%$
$*$
$+/-3.0$

* percentage less than 1\%

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Question 31A
Which of the following statements comes closest to your view of global warming: Global warming is a proven fact and is mostly caused by emissions from cars and industrial facilities such as power plants and factories
Global warming is a proven fact and is mostly caused by natural changes that have nothing to do with emissions from cars and industrial facilities
Global warming is a theory that has not yet been proven
Base = Total Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Proven, caused by emissions | ---- | ---- | ----- | ---- | $------1 \%$ |
| Proven, caused by nature | $48 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $56 \%$ |
| Not proven, theory only | $22 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $22 \%$ |
| No opinion | $29 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $20 \%$ |
| Sampling Error | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
|  | $+/-3.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-3.5$ | $+/-7.0$ |

Proven, caused by emissions
Proven, caused by nature
Not proven, theory only
No opinion
Sampling Error

|  | $18-$ | $35-$ | $50-$ |  | Under | 50 and |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
| ---- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ---- | ------ |
| $48 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $56 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $40 \%$ |
| $22 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $23 \%$ |
| $29 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $35 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | $*$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $*$ | $2 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-4.0$ |

Proven, caused by emissions
Proven, caused by nature
Not proven, theory only
No opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | Under \$50K | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 50 \mathrm{~K} \\ & \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | No College | Attended College |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 48\% | 51\% | 48\% | 46\% | 49\% |
| 22\% | 21\% | 21\% | 23\% | 21\% |
| 29\% | 28\% | 30\% | 30\% | 29\% |
| 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| /-3.0 | +/-5.0 | +/-4.5 | +/-5.5 | +/-3.5 |


|  | Total | crat | endent | lican | eral | erate | vative |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Proven, caused by emissions | 48\% | 77\% | 38\% | 26\% | 77\% | 52\% | 26\% |
| Proven, caused by nature | 22\% | 13\% | 27\% | 24\% | 13\% | 21\% | 29\% |
| Not proven, theory only | 29\% | 10\% | 34\% | 49\% | 8\% | 26\% | 45\% |
| No opinion | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | * | 2\% | 1\% | * |

Sampling Error
+/-3

| Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 48\% | 57\% | 44\% | 45\% | 47\% | 51\% | 47\% | 44\% |
| 22\% | 20\% | 20\% | 23\% | 23\% | 23\% | 21\% | 19\% |
| 29\% | 23\% | 34\% | 31\% | 29\% | 23\% | 31\% | 36\% |
| 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% |

Proven, caused by emissions
Proven, caused by nature Not proven, theory only No opinion
Sampling Error

| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-6.5$ | $+/-5.5$ |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Tea Pty | Tea Pty | Tea Pty |
| Total | Support | Neutral | Oppose |
| ----- | ------- | ------ | ------ |
| $48 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $48 \%$ | $77 \%$ |
| $22 \%$ | $31 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $10 \%$ |
| $29 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $11 \%$ |
| $1 \%$ | $\star$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-6.0$ | $+/-5.0$ | $+/-5.5$ |

* percentage less than 1\%

CNN/ORC International Poll -- September 9 to 11, 2011
Question 32
Should the United States give up its membership to the United Nations, or not?

Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Should | 15\% | 23\% | 8\% | 17\% | N/A |
| Should not | 82\% | 75\% | 89\% | 80\% | N/A |
| No opinion | 2\% | 2\% | 3\% | 3\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | -6.0 | -6.0 | -5.0 |  |

Should
Should not
No opinion
Sampling Error

Should
Should not
No opinion
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Should not
No opinion
Sampling Error

## Should

Should not
No opinion
Sampling Error

* percentage less than 1\%

CNN/ORC International Poll -- September 9 to 11, 2011
Question 33
In your view, does the United Nations play a necessary role in the world today, or not?

Base = Half Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women W | White Non | n-White |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Yes, necessary role | 64\% | 60\% | 69\% | 64\% | N/A |  |  |  |
| No, not necessary | 34\% | 39\% | 29\% | 35\% | N/A |  |  |  |
| No opinion | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | N/A |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | $+/-6.0$ | +/-6.0 +/- | -5.0 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | 18- | $\begin{aligned} & 35- \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $50-$ | 65+ | Under 50 | 50 and Older |  |
| Yes, necessary role | 64\% | N/A | N/A | 57\% | 51\% | 74\% | 54\% |  |
| No, not necessary | 34\% | N/A | N/A | 41\% | 47\% | 26\% | 44\% |  |
| No opinion | 1\% | N/A | N/A | 2\% | 2\% | * | 2\% |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 |  |  | +/-7.0 | +/-8.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-5.0 |  |
|  |  | Under | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | No | Attende |  |  |  |
|  | Total | \$50K | or more | College | College |  |  |  |
| Yes, necessary role | 64\% | 66\% | 64\% | 63\% | 66\% |  |  |  |
| No, not necessary | 34\% | 33\% | 35\% | 35\% | 34\% |  |  |  |
| No opinion | 1\% | 1\% | * | 2\% | * |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.0 | +/-6.0 | +/-7.5 | +/-5.0 |  |  |  |
|  | Total | Democrat | Independent | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Repub- } \\ & \text { lican } \end{aligned}$ | Lib- <br> eral | Moderate | Conser vative |  |
| Yes, necessary role | 64\% | 75\% | 65\% | 47\% | N/A | 72\% | 50\% |  |
| No, not necessary | 34\% | 24\% | 33\% | 52\% | N/A | 28\% | 50\% |  |
| No opinion | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | N/A | 1\% | * |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-7.5 | +/-6.5 | +/-8.5 |  | +/-7.0 | +/-7.0 |  |
|  | Total | North east | Midwest | South | West | Urban | Suburban | Rural |
| Yes, necessary role | 64\% | 77\% | N/A | 59\% | 59\% | 70\% | 64\% | N/A |
| No, not necessary | 34\% | 22\% | N/A | 41\% | 40\% | 28\% | 34\% | N/A |
| No opinion | 1\% | 1\% | N/A | * | * | 1\% | 1\% | N/A |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-8.5 |  | +/-7.5 | +/-8.5 | +/-7.5 | +/-6.0 |  |
|  | Total | Tea Pty Support | Tea Pty Neutral | Tea Pty Oppose |  |  |  |  |
| Yes, necessary role | 64\% | 37\% | 72\% | 77\% |  |  |  |  |
| No, not necessary | 34\% | 63\% | 26\% | 22\% |  |  |  |  |
| No opinion | 1\% | * | 1\% | 2\% |  |  |  |  |
| Sampling Error | +/-4.5 | +/-8.0 | +/-7.0 | +/-7.5 |  |  |  |  |

* percentage less than 1\%

CNN/ORC International Poll -- September 9 to 11, 2011
Base $=$ Republicans and Independents Who Lean Republican
Question 6
If you had to choose, would you rather see Barack Obama and Congress pay more attention to reducing the budget deficit, or more attention to creating more jobs?

|  | Tea Pty <br> Support | All Other |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| GOP |  |  |

Question 11
Would you say you are very angry, somewhat angry, not very angry or not angry at all about the way things are going in the country today?

|  | Tea Pty Support | All Other GOP |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Very angry | 50\% | 29\% |
| Somewhat angry | 39\% | 47\% |
| Not very angry | 5\% | 14\% |
| Not angry at all | 5\% | 9\% |

Question 19
How much do you blame the Federal Reserve Bank for the economic conditions today -- almost completely, very much, some, not very much, or hardly at all?

|  | Tea Pty Support | All Other GOP |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Almost completely | 13\% | 10\% |
| Very much | 34\% | 25\% |
| Some | 36\% | 46\% |
| Not very much | 11\% | 8\% |
| Hardly at all | 6\% | 10\% |

Question 20
Do you think the federal government's Department of Education should continue to exist, or do you think it should be eliminated completely?

|  | Tea Pty <br> Support | All Other |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| GOP |  |  |

Question 21/22
Q21. Do you think abortion should be legal under any circumstances, legal under only certain circumstances, or illegal in all circumstances?
Q22. Do you think abortion should be legal in most circumstances or only a few circumstances?

Any circumstances
Most circumstances

| Tea Pty | All Other |
| :---: | :---: |
| Support | GOP |
| $--------------13 \%$ |  |
| $13 \%$ | $21 \%$ |
| $8 \%$ | $7 \%$ |
| $44 \%$ | $54 \%$ |
| $35 \%$ | $16 \%$ |

Base $=$ Republicans and Independents Who Lean Republican

Question 24
Do you believe that the theory of evolution is definitely true, probably true, probably false, or definitely false?

|  | Tea P Suppo | $\begin{array}{r} \text { All O } \\ \text { GOP } \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Definitely true | 11\% | 10\% |
| Probably true | 27\% | 37\% |
| Probably false | 18\% | 20\% |
| Definitely false | 41\% | 28\% |

Question 25
Do you think marriages between gay and lesbian couples should or should not be recognized by the law as valid, with the same rights as traditional marriages?

|  | Tea Pty <br> Support | All Other |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| GOP |  |  |

Question 26
In your view, is homosexuality something a person is born with, or is homosexuality due to factors such as upbringing and environment?

|  | Tea Pty <br> Support | All Other |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| GOP |  |  |

Question 29
Thinking specifically about the role that religion plays in government, which of the following
statements comes closest to your views:
Religion should be the only factor the government uses to decide its policies
Religion should be a major factor in the government's decisions but not the only one
Religion should have some influence on the government's decisions but should not be a major factor in those decisions
Religion should have no influence at all on the government's decisions

|  | Tea Pty <br> Support | All Other <br> GOP |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| ------- | $--------1 \%$ |  |
| Only factor | $2 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| Major factor | $19 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| Some influence | $44 \%$ | $39 \%$ |
| No influence | $34 \%$ | $42 \%$ |

## Question 30

Please tell me which of the following statements comes closest to your opinion about the Social
Security program:
Social Security program has no serious problems, certainly none that require chang'g cur systm
Social Security has minor problems that can be fixed with minor changes to the current system
Social Security's problems are serious/can be fixed only w/major changes to the current system Social Security's problems are so bad that the system should be replaced

No problems
Minor problems

| Tea Pty | All Other |
| :---: | :---: |
| Support | GOP |
| $--------------1 \%$ |  |
| $1 \%$ | $32 \%$ |
| $20 \%$ | $22 \%$ |
| $59 \%$ | $64 \%$ |
| $20 \%$ | $8 \%$ |

Base $=$ Republicans and Independents Who Lean Republican
Question 31
The Social Security system has been described as a "monstrous lie" and as a failure. Do you think those phrases are an accurate description of the Social Security system, or don't you think so?

| Tea Pty All Other |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Support | GOP |

Question 31A
Which of the following statements comes closest to your vi
Global warming is a proven fact and is mostly caused by
industrial facilities such as power plants and factori
Global warming is a proven fact and is mostly caused by
nothing to do with emissions from cars and industrial
Global warming is a theory that has not yet been proven

Proven, caused by emissions
Proven, caused by nature
Not proven, theory only

Question 48
How likely is it that you would consider voting for an independent candidate for president in 2012 rather than the Democratic or Republican candidate -- very likely, fairly likely, only somewhat likely, or not very likely?

|  | Tea Pty Support | All Other GOP |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Very likely | 12\% | 11\% |
| Fairly likely | 15\% | 16\% |
| Only somewhat likely | 27\% | 42\% |
| Not very likely | 46\% | 30\% |


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

