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Interviews with 1,013 adult Americans conducted by telephone by ORC International on September 28-30, 2012. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points.

The sample also includes 883 interviews among registered voters (plus or minus 3.5 percentage points) and 783 interviews among likely voters (plus or minus 3.5 percentage points).

The sample includes 756 interviews among landline respondents and 257 interviews among cell phone respondents.

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1. Suppose that the presidential election were being held today and you had to choose between Barack Obama and Joe Biden as the Democratic Party's candidates, and Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan as the Republican Party's candidates. Who would you be more likely to vote for -- Barack Obama and Joe Biden, the Democrats, or Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan, the Republicans? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward?

	<u>Obama/ Biden</u>	<u>Romney/ Ryan</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>Other (vol.)</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
Likely Voters					
Sept. 28-30, 2012	50%	47%	3%	*	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	52%	46%	2%	*	1%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	48%	48%	2%	*	1%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	49%	47%	2%	*	2%
Registered Voters					
Sept. 28-30, 2012	50%	46%	3%	*	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	53%	45%	2%	*	1%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	52%	45%	2%	1%	1%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	52%	43%	3%	1%	1%
Aug. 7-8, 2012	52%	45%	3%	*	1%
June 28-July 1, 2012	49%	46%	3%	1%	*
May 29-31, 2012	49%	46%	4%	1%	*
April 13-15, 2012	52%	43%	5%	1%	1%
March 24-25, 2012	54%	43%	3%	*	*
February 10-13, 2012	51%	46%	2%	*	*
January 11-12, 2012	47%	48%	3%	1%	1%
December 16-18, 2011	52%	45%	2%	1%	*
Nov. 11-13, 2011	47%	51%	2%	*	*
Sept. 23-25, 2011	49%	48%	2%	1%	*
Aug. 5-7, 2011	49%	48%	2%	*	*
Apr. 29-May 1, 2011	54%	43%	2%	1%	*
Oct. 27-30, 2010	45%	50%	3%	*	1%
Apr. 9-11, 2010	53%	45%	1%	*	*

QUESTION WORDING BEFORE APRIL, 2012: "If Barack Obama were the Democratic Party's candidate and Mitt Romney were the Republican Party's candidate, who would you be more likely to vote for -- Obama, the Democrat, or Romney, the Republican? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward?"

QUESTION WORDING APRIL, 2012 TO AUGUST 8, 2012: "Suppose that the presidential election were being held today and you had to choose between Barack Obama as the Democratic Party's candidate, and Mitt Romney as the Republican Party's candidate. Who would you be more likely to vote for -- Barack Obama, the Democrat, or Mitt Romney, the Republican? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward?"

1. Suppose that the presidential election were being held today and you had to choose between Barack Obama and Joe Biden as the Democratic Party's candidates, and Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan as the Republican Party's candidates. Who would you be more likely to vote for -- Barack Obama and Joe Biden, the Democrats, or Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan, the Republicans? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward?
2. Do you support that candidate strongly, or only moderately?

QUESTIONS 1 AND 2 COMBINED

	<u>Strongly</u>	<u>Only moderately</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
<u>ALL RESPONDENTS</u>			
Likely Voters Sept. 28-30, 2012	70%	26%	4%
Registered Voters Sept. 28-30, 2012	65%	31%	4%
Aug. 7-8, 2012	62%	36%	1%
May 29-31, 2012	60%	40%	*
<u>OBAMA VOTERS</u>			
Likely Voters Sept. 28-30, 2012	74%	26%	*
Registered Voters Sept. 28-30, 2012	70%	30%	*
Aug. 7-8, 2012	65%	34%	1%
May 29-31, 2012	67%	33%	*
<u>ROMNEY VOTERS</u>			
Likely Voters Sept. 28-30, 2012	72%	28%	*
Registered Voters Sept. 28-30, 2012	65%	35%	*
Aug. 7-8, 2012	60%	40%	*
May 29-31, 2012	51%	49%	*

No opinion includes respondents with no preference in Question 1.

QUESTION WORDING APRIL, 2012 TO AUGUST 8, 2012: "Suppose that the presidential election were being held today and you had to choose between Barack Obama as the Democratic Party's candidate, and Mitt Romney as the Republican Party's candidate. Who would you be more likely to vote for -- Barack Obama, the Democrat, or Mitt Romney, the Republican? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward?"

3. How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting for president in November -- extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic?

	<u>Extremely enthusiastic</u>	<u>Very enthusiastic</u>	<u>Somewhat enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not too enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not at all enthusiastic</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Registered Voters						
Sept. 28-30, 2012	37%	25%	20%	9%	9%	*
Sept. 7-9, 2012	30%	27%	22%	15%	6%	*
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	32%	25%	20%	11%	11%	*
Aug. 22-23, 2012	31%	27%	23%	10%	9%	1%
June 28-July 1, 2012	28%	25%	25%	13%	9%	*
Mar. 24-25, 2012	24%	23%	29%	11%	12%	*
Feb. 10-13, 2012	22%	26%	26%	13%	13%	*
Jan. 11-12, 2012	24%	27%	27%	10%	12%	*
Oct. 14-16, 2011	28%	23%	28%	9%	12%	*
June 3-7, 2011	29%	25%	25%	10%	10%	1%
March 11-13, 2011	28%	30%	24%	11%	7%	*
Oct. 5-7, 2010*	20%	22%	30%	16%	12%	*
Sept. 21-23, 2010*	23%	17%	31%	17%	12%	*
Oct. 30 - Nov. 1, 2008	37%	32%	16%	7%	8%	*
Oct. 17-19, 2008	34%	24%	23%	11%	8%	*
Sept. 5-7, 2008	30%	30%	23%	11%	6%	*
June 23-24, 2007	26%	28%	27%	13%	6%	*
Oct. 14-16 2004	36%	34%	17%	8%	4%	1%
Sept. 3-5 2004	32%	32%	23%	9%	4%	*
Oct. 24-26 2003	19%	34%	31%	11%	4%	1%

BASED ON 305 REGISTERED VOTERS WHO DESCRIBE THEMSELVES AS DEMOCRATS AND 107 REGISTERED VOTERS WHO DESCRIBED THEMSELVES AS INDEPENDENTS WHO LEAN DEMOCRATIC, FOR A TOTAL OF 412 REGISTERED DEMOCRATS-- (SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.);
 BASED ON 270 REGISTERED VOTERS WHO DESCRIBE THEMSELVES AS REPUBLICANS AND 143 REGISTERED VOTERS WHO DESCRIBE THEMSELVES AS INDEPENDENTS WHO LEAN REPUBLICAN, FOR A TOTAL OF 413 REGISTERED REPUBLICANS -- (SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.)

3. How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting for president in November -- extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic?

	<u>Extremely enthusiastic</u>	<u>Very enthusiastic</u>	<u>Somewhat enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not too enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not at all enthusiastic</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Registered Democrats						
Sept. 28-30, 2012	39%	25%	21%	8%	7%	*
Sept. 7-9, 2012	30%	29%	23%	13%	6%	*
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	32%	24%	23%	9%	12%	*
Aug. 22-23, 2012	29%	29%	24%	11%	6%	1%
June 28-July 1, 2012	27%	32%	26%	9%	6%	*
Mar. 24-25, 2012	25%	21%	33%	10%	10%	*
Feb. 10-13, 2012	20%	29%	27%	11%	12%	*
Jan. 11-12, 2012	21%	28%	31%	10%	9%	1%
Oct. 14-16, 2011	21%	22%	34%	10%	12%	*
June 3-7, 2011	26%	29%	29%	9%	6%	2%
March 11-13, 2011	26%	30%	27%	12%	5%	*
Oct. 5-7, 2010*	13%	21%	35%	18%	12%	*
Sept. 21-23, 2010*	16%	14%	36%	19%	15%	*
Oct. 30 - Nov. 1, 2008	45%	34%	13%	4%	3%	*
Oct. 17-19, 2008	45%	23%	20%	7%	5%	*
Sept. 5-7, 2008	36%	30%	21%	6%	6%	*
June 23-24, 2007	28%	32%	27%	9%	4%	*
Oct. 14-16 2004	38%	27%	19%	8%	7%	1%
Sept. 3-5 2004	31%	26%	23%	10%	10%	*
Oct. 24-26 2003	19%	29%	31%	16%	5%	*
Registered Republicans						
Sept. 28-30, 2012	38%	27%	17%	11%	7%	*
Sept. 7-9, 2012	32%	25%	19%	17%	7%	*
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	35%	27%	17%	12%	8%	1%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	35%	26%	22%	8%	10%	*
June 28-July 1, 2012	31%	20%	24%	15%	9%	1%
Mar. 24-25, 2012	25%	27%	25%	13%	11%	*
Feb. 10-13, 2012	26%	25%	25%	15%	10%	*
Jan. 11-12, 2012	26%	28%	25%	12%	9%	*
Oct. 14-16, 2011	38%	26%	20%	7%	9%	*
June 3-7, 2011	38%	23%	18%	10%	10%	*
March 11-13, 2011	33%	31%	19%	10%	6%	*
Oct. 5-7, 2010*	29%	25%	25%	13%	8%	*
Sept. 21-23, 2010*	31%	22%	27%	13%	7%	*
Oct. 30 - Nov. 1, 2008	28%	32%	19%	9%	12%	*
Oct. 17-19, 2008	24%	26%	27%	12%	10%	*
Sept. 5-7, 2008	26%	28%	26%	15%	4%	*
June 23-24, 2007	27%	25%	27%	16%	6%	*
Oct. 14-16 2004	35%	42%	15%	6%	2%	*
Sept. 3-5 2004	31%	39%	21%	6%	3%	*
Oct. 24-26 2003	19%	39%	32%	7%	2%	1%

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

4. Now suppose that the presidential candidates on the ballot in your state included Barack Obama as the Democratic Party's candidate, Mitt Romney as the Republican candidate, Gary Johnson as the Libertarian party candidate, and Jill Stein as the Green party candidate, who would you be more likely to vote for? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward? (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Obama</u>	<u>Romney</u>	<u>Johnson</u>	<u>Stein</u>	<u>None</u> <u>(vol.)</u>	<u>Other</u> <u>(vol.)</u>	<u>No</u> <u>Opinion</u>
Likely Voters							
Sept. 28-30, 2012	47%	44%	4%	3%	1%	*	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	51%	43%	3%	1%	1%	*	1%
Registered Voters							
Sept. 28-30, 2012	47%	43%	4%	3%	2%	*	*
Sept. 7-9, 2012	50%	41%	4%	2%	1%	*	*

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

	<u>App- rove</u>	<u>Disapp- rove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>		<u>App- rove</u>	<u>Disapp- rove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Sept. 28-30, 2012	49%	48%	3%	Dec. 17-19, 2010	48%	48%	4%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	51%	44%	5%	Nov. 11-14, 2010	48%	50%	3%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	48%	45%	7%	Oct. 27-30, 2010	46%	51%	4%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	50%	44%	6%	Oct. 5-7, 2010	45%	52%	3%
Aug. 7-8, 2012	50%	47%	3%	Sept. 21-23, 2010	42%	54%	4%
June 28-July 1, 2012	51%	47%	2%	Sept. 1-2, 2010	50%	49%	1%
May 29-31, 2012	52%	47%	1%	Aug. 6-10, 2010	47%	51%	2%
Apr. 13-15, 2012	49%	48%	3%	July 16-21, 2010	47%	50%	2%
Mar. 24-25, 2012	51%	45%	4%	June 16, 2010	50%	48%	2%
Feb. 10-13, 2012	50%	48%	2%	May 21-23, 2010	51%	46%	3%
Jan. 11-12, 2012	47%	51%	3%	Apr. 9-11, 2010	51%	47%	2%
Dec. 16-18, 2011	49%	48%	3%	Mar. 25-28, 2010	51%	48%	1%
Nov. 18-20, 2011	44%	54%	3%	Mar. 19-21, 2010	46%	51%	3%
Nov. 11-13, 2011	46%	52%	2%	Feb. 12-15, 2010	49%	50%	1%
Oct. 14-16, 2011	46%	50%	3%	Jan. 22-24, 2010	49%	50%	*
Sept. 23-25, 2011	45%	52%	3%	Jan. 8-10, 2010	51%	48%	1%
Sept. 9-11, 2011	43%	55%	2%	Dec. 16-20, 2009	54%	44%	2%
Aug. 24-25, 2011	45%	54%	1%	Dec. 2-3, 2009	48%	50%	2%
Aug. 5-7, 2011	44%	54%	2%	Nov. 13-15, 2009	55%	42%	3%
Aug. 1, 2011	45%	52%	2%	Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	54%	45%	1%
July 18-20, 2011	45%	54%	2%	Oct. 16-18, 2009	55%	43%	2%
June 3-7, 2011	48%	48%	5%	Sept. 11-13, 2009	58%	40%	2%
May 24-26, 2011	54%	45%	2%	Aug. 28-31, 2009	53%	45%	2%
May 2, 2011	52%	43%	5%	July 31-Aug. 3, 2009	56%	40%	4%
Apr. 29-May 1, 2011	51%	46%	3%	June 26-28, 2009	61%	37%	3%
Apr. 9-10, 2011	48%	50%	2%	May 14-17, 2009	62%	35%	3%
Mar. 18-20, 2011	51%	47%	2%	Apr. 23-26, 2009	63%	33%	5%
Mar. 11-13, 2011	50%	47%	3%	Apr. 3-5, 2009	66%	30%	3%
Jan. 21-23, 2011	55%	44%	1%	March 12-15, 2009	64%	34%	2%
Jan. 14-16, 2011	53%	45%	2%	Feb. 18-19, 2009	67%	29%	4%
				Feb. 7-8, 2009	76%	23%	1%

6. We'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of these people -- or if you have never heard of them. (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Favor- able</u>	<u>Unfavor- able</u>	<u>Never heard of</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Barack Obama				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	52%	48%	*	*
Sept. 7-9, 2012	57%	42%	*	1%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	51%	48%	*	1%
August 22-23, 2012	52%	47%	*	1%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	53%	47%	*	*
Sept. 7-9, 2012	57%	41%	*	1%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	54%	44%	*	2%
August 22-23, 2012	54%	44%	*	2%
August 7-8, 2012	55%	44%	*	2%
June 28-July 1, 2012	54%	45%	*	1%
May 29-31, 2012	53%	46%	*	2%
April 13-15, 2012	55%	43%	*	1%
March 24-25, 2012	55%	44%	*	1%
February 10-13, 2012	51%	47%	*	1%
January 11-12, 2012	48%	50%	*	1%
Mitt Romney				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	49%	50%	*	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	48%	47%	*	4%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	53%	43%	1%	4%
August 22-23, 2012	50%	46%	1%	2%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	48%	50%	1%	2%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	47%	48%	*	4%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	49%	43%	1%	8%
August 22-23, 2012	48%	46%	2%	4%
August 7-8, 2012	48%	47%	1%	4%
June 28-July 1, 2012	49%	42%	3%	5%
May 29-31, 2012	51%	41%	2%	5%
April 13-15, 2012	46%	44%	5%	5%
March 24-25, 2012	39%	49%	3%	9%
February 10-13, 2012	36%	54%	4%	7%
January 11-12, 2012	44%	43%	6%	7%

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	Favor- able	Unfavor- able	Never heard of	No opinion
Barack Obama				
All Americans				
August 7-8, 2012	56%	42%	*	2%
June 28-July 1, 2012	55%	44%	*	1%
May 29-31, 2012	56%	42%	*	2%
April 13-15, 2012	56%	42%	*	2%
March 24-25, 2012	56%	42%	*	2%
February 10-13, 2012	53%	45%	*	1%
January 11-12, 2012	49%	49%	*	2%
September 23-25, 2011	53%	45%	*	2%
January 14-16, 2011	56%	42%	*	2%
October 27-30, 2010	48%	48%	*	3%
September 1-2, 2010	53%	45%	*	1%
April 9-11, 2010	57%	41%	*	2%
December 16-20, 2009	58%	40%	*	3%
October 16-18, 2009	60%	39%	*	1%
July 31-Aug. 3, 2009	64%	34%	*	2%
April 23-26, 2009	69%	29%	*	2%
January 12-15, 2009	78%	17%	1%	4%
December 1-2, 2008	76%	21%	*	3%
November 6-9, 2008	75%	22%	*	3%
October 17-19, 2008 (RV)	63%	33%	*	3%
October 3-5, 2008 (RV)	62%	36%	*	2%
Sept. 19-21, 2008 (RV)	63%	34%	*	3%
Sept. 5-7, 2008 (RV)	60%	34%	*	6%
Aug. 29-31, 2008 (RV)	64%	33%	*	2%
Aug. 23-24, 2008 (RV)	60%	36%	*	3%
July 27-29, 2008 (RV)	63%	33%	*	4%
June 26-29, 2008 (RV)	63%	32%	*	4%
April 28-30, 2008	56%	38%	*	5%
February 1-3, 2008	58%	31%	2%	8%
January 9-10, 2008	55%	28%	6%	11%
September 7-9, 2007	49%	27%	10%	13%
June 23-24, 2007	47%	24%	14%	15%
March 9-11, 2007	44%	21%	19%	16%
November 3-5, 2006	36%	11%	37%	16%
Mitt Romney				
All Americans				
August 7-8, 2012	47%	48%	2%	4%
June 28-July 1, 2012	48%	42%	5%	6%
May 29-31, 2012	48%	42%	4%	7%
April 13-15, 2012	44%	43%	7%	6%
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June 3-7, 2011	39%	29%	17%	15%
April 29-May 1, 2011	40%	30%	19%	11%
October 27-30, 2010	36%	29%	18%	17%
April 9-11, 2010	40%	34%	12%	14%
October 16-18, 2009	36%	26%	17%	20%
May 14-17, 2009	42%	29%	12%	17%
July 27-29, 2008	41%	32%	13%	13%
February 1-3, 2008	38%	38%	9%	14%
January 9-10, 2008	31%	39%	11%	19%
September 7-9, 2007	28%	28%	24%	19%
June 22-24, 2007	27%	23%	26%	24%
March 9-11, 2007	18%	18%	42%	22%

*Wording Prior to Jan 2012: Former Massachusetts Governor Mitt Romney
(RV) BASED ON REGISTERED VOTERS

6. We'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of these people -- or if you have never heard of them. (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Never heard of</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Joe Biden				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	47%	44%	2%	7%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	46%	47%	2%	5%
August 22-23, 2012	46%	47%	2%	6%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	47%	42%	5%	6%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	46%	43%	3%	8%
August 22-23, 2012	44%	47%	3%	6%
May 29-31, 2012	41%	46%	4%	9%
All Americans				
May 29-31, 2012	41%	44%	6%	9%
September 23-25, 2011	42%	41%	7%	10%
July 18-20, 2011	43%	43%	6%	8%
January 14-16, 2011	47%	38%	8%	7%
September 1-2, 2010	43%	43%	7%	8%
January 22-24, 2010	44%	39%	7%	9%
December 2-3, 2009	47%	36%	6%	10%
October 16-18, 2009	45%	40%	7%	8%
July 31-Aug. 3, 2009	47%	33%	7%	13%
April 23-26, 2009	51%	34%	6%	9%
February 18-19, 2009	57%	29%	5%	9%
January 12-15, 2009	52%	26%	8%	13%
December 1-2, 2008	56%	28%	6%	10%
November 6-9, 2008	64%	25%	3%	8%
October 17-19, 2008 (RV)	56%	31%	4%	9%
October 3-5, 2008 (RV)	56%	32%	6%	7%
Sept. 19-21, 2008 (RV)	52%	31%	6%	11%
Sept. 5-7, 2008 (RV)	51%	28%	7%	14%
Aug. 29-31, 2008 (RV)	53%	25%	7%	15%
Aug. 23-24, 2008 (RV)	38%	25%	12%	25%
July 27-29, 2008* (RV)	27%	22%	35%	16%

*QUESTION WORDING: "Delaware Senator Joe Biden"

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	<u>Favor- able</u>	<u>Unfavor- able</u>	<u>Never heard of</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Paul Ryan				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	46%	40%	6%	8%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	49%	38%	4%	9%
August 22-23, 2012	45%	39%	6%	10%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	45%	38%	8%	9%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	42%	38%	8%	13%
August 22-23, 2012	41%	38%	10%	10%
August 7-8, 2012	29%	20%	34%	16%
June 28-July 1, 2012	25%	22%	37%	17%
All Americans				
August 7-8, 2012	27%	19%	38%	16%
June 28-July 1, 2012	24%	20%	40%	16%

**QUESTION WORDING BEFORE AUGUST, 2012: "Wisconsin Congressman Paul Ryan"*
(RV) BASED ON REGISTERED VOTERS

9. Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President. (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Obama</u>	<u>Romney</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
The economy				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	49%	48%	3%	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	50%	49%	1%	*
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	45%	51%	3%	1%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	46%	50%	3%	1%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	49%	48%	3%	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	49%	48%	2%	*
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	46%	48%	4%	1%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	46%	49%	4%	2%
June 28-July 1, 2012	47%	48%	5%	1%
Foreign policy				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	52%	45%	2%	2%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	54%	42%	3%	2%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	49%	46%	2%	2%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	51%	44%	3%	1%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	53%	43%	2%	2%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	54%	41%	4%	1%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	53%	41%	4%	2%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	55%	40%	3%	2%
June 28-July 1, 2012	53%	41%	4%	1%
Medicare				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	52%	44%	2%	2%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	54%	43%	2%	1%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	49%	46%	2%	3%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	49%	48%	3%	1%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	52%	43%	3%	2%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	55%	42%	2%	1%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	50%	43%	3%	3%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	50%	45%	4%	1%

BASED ON 392 LIKELY VOTERS IN VERSION A -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.
 BASED ON 437 REGISTERED VOTERS IN VERSION A -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5% PTS.

9. Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President. (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Obama</u>	<u>Romney</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
The federal budget deficit				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	43%	51%	4%	3%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	47%	50%	3%	*
Aug. 22-23, 2012	42%	52%	6%	*
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	42%	53%	3%	2%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	45%	51%	4%	*
Aug. 22-23, 2012	42%	50%	6%	1%
June 28-July 1, 2012	42%	52%	5%	1%
Taxes				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	52%	44%	2%	2%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	51%	46%	2%	1%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	50%	46%	3%	*
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	51%	45%	3%	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	50%	46%	3%	1%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	52%	42%	4%	2%
Health care				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	50%	45%	3%	2%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	54%	45%	2%	*
Aug. 22-23, 2012	49%	48%	1%	1%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	50%	46%	3%	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	53%	44%	3%	*
Aug. 22-23, 2012	50%	46%	2%	2%
June 28-July 1, 2012	51%	44%	4%	1%

BASED ON 391 LIKELY VOTERS IN VERSION B -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.
 BASED ON 446 REGISTERED VOTERS IN VERSION B -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5% PTS.

9. Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President. (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Obama</u>	<u>Romney</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Immigration policy				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	51%	47%	1%	1%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	49%	46%	3%	2%
Education				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	54%	42%	1%	2%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	59%	38%	1%	2%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	57%	39%	2%	2%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	63%	34%	2%	1%
Unemployment				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	45%	51%	2%	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	51%	47%	1%	1%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	46%	49%	4%	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	52%	46%	1%	1%
Mortgage and housing issues				
Likely Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	49%	48%	1%	1%
Registered Voters				
Sept. 28-30, 2012	50%	46%	2%	1%

*WORDING PRIOR TO SEPTEMBER 2012: "Illegal immigration"

METHODOLOGY

A total of 1,013 adults were interviewed by telephone nationwide by live interviewers calling both landline and cell phones. All respondents were asked questions concerning basic demographics, and the entire sample was weighted to reflect national Census figures for gender, race, age, education, region of country, telephone usage and whether respondents own or rent their homes. Registered voters were asked questions about their likelihood of voting, past voting behavior, and interest in the campaign; based on answers to those questions, 783 respondents were classified as likely voters. Respondents who reported that they had already cast an absentee ballot or voted early were automatically classified as likely voters. Among those likely voters, 37% described themselves as Democrats, 34% described themselves as Independents, and 29% described themselves as Republicans.

Likely Voters

Question 1/1A

Q1. Suppose that the presidential election were being held today and you had to choose between Barack Obama and Joe Biden as the Democratic Party's candidates, and Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan as the Republican Party's candidates. Who would you be more likely to vote for -- ?

Q1A. As of today, do you lean more toward -- ?

Base = Likely voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters
Obama,Biden, lean	50%	47%	53%	41%	73%	50%
Romney,Ryan, lean	47%	50%	44%	56%	22%	47%
Other	*	*	*	*	*	*
Neither	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%
No opinion	1%	1%	1%	*	3%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama,Biden, lean	50%	N/A	N/A	46%	40%	57%	44%
Romney,Ryan, lean	47%	N/A	N/A	49%	58%	39%	53%
Other	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	*	*
Neither	3%	N/A	N/A	3%	2%	3%	3%
No opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	*	1%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5			+/-6.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama,Biden, lean	50%	53%	51%	49%	50%
Romney,Ryan, lean	47%	43%	48%	45%	47%
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Neither	3%	4%	1%	6%	1%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	1%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Obama,Biden, lean	50%	93%	41%	4%	92%	61%	17%
Romney,Ryan, lean	47%	6%	49%	96%	5%	32%	82%
Other	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Neither	3%	1%	7%	1%	*	6%	1%
No opinion	1%	*	3%	*	2%	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama,Biden, lean	50%	52%	52%	44%	54%	64%	46%	37%
Romney,Ryan, lean	47%	42%	43%	53%	44%	33%	50%	59%
Other	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Neither	3%	4%	5%	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%
No opinion	1%	3%	*	1%	*	*	2%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.5

* percentage less than 1%

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 Likely Voters
 Question 2
 Do you support that candidate strongly, or only moderately?

Base = Likely voters (includes no preference in Q1/Q1A)

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters		
Strongly	70%	68%	73%	70%	69%	70%		
Only Moderately	26%	29%	23%	26%	26%	26%		
No opinion	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%		
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-3.5		

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Strongly	70%	N/A	N/A	77%	74%	64%	76%
Only Moderately	26%	N/A	N/A	19%	23%	32%	21%
No opinion	4%	N/A	N/A	4%	2%	4%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5			+/-6.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Strongly	70%	67%	72%	69%	71%
Only Moderately	26%	29%	26%	25%	27%
No opinion	4%	4%	2%	6%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep-endent	Repub-lican	Lib-eral	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Strongly	70%	82%	54%	75%	77%	56%	81%
Only Moderately	26%	18%	36%	24%	21%	37%	18%
No opinion	4%	1%	10%	1%	3%	7%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Strongly	70%	66%	76%	71%	67%	76%	67%	66%
Only Moderately	26%	28%	19%	26%	32%	20%	29%	30%
No opinion	4%	7%	5%	3%	1%	3%	4%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.5

* percentage less than 1%

Likely Voters

Question 4/4A

Q4. Now suppose that the presidential candidates on the ballot in your state included Barack Obama as the Democratic Party's candidate, Mitt Romney as the Republican candidate, Gary Johnson as the Libertarian party candidate, and Jill Stein as the Green party candidate, who would you be more likely to vote for --

Q4A. As of today, do you lean more toward -- ?

Base = Likely voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters		
Obama, lean Obama	47%	43%	52%	37%	74%	47%		
Romney, lean Romney	44%	46%	41%	53%	19%	44%		
Johnson, lean Johnson	4%	7%	1%	5%	2%	4%		
Stein, lean Stein	3%	3%	4%	4%	2%	3%		
None of the above	1%	1%	*	*	2%	1%		
Other	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Don't know	1%	*	1%	1%	*	1%		
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-3.5		

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama, lean Obama	47%	N/A	N/A	45%	40%	53%	43%
Romney, lean Romney	44%	N/A	N/A	46%	56%	36%	50%
Johnson, lean Johnson	4%	N/A	N/A	3%	1%	6%	2%
Stein, lean Stein	3%	N/A	N/A	4%	1%	4%	3%
None of the above	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	1%	1%	1%
Other	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	*	*
Don't know	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	*	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5			+/-6.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama, lean Obama	47%	51%	47%	46%	48%
Romney, lean Romney	44%	38%	46%	41%	45%
Johnson, lean Johnson	4%	4%	3%	6%	3%
Stein, lean Stein	3%	6%	2%	6%	2%
None of the above	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Other	*	1%	*	*	*
Don't know	1%	*	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Obama, lean Obama	47%	91%	37%	3%	88%	58%	17%
Romney, lean Romney	44%	6%	44%	92%	3%	28%	79%
Johnson, lean Johnson	4%	1%	10%	1%	5%	5%	2%
Stein, lean Stein	3%	1%	7%	3%	3%	6%	1%
None of the above	1%	*	2%	*	*	1%	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Don't know	1%	1%	*	*	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama, lean Obama	47%	51%	47%	43%	51%	62%	43%	36%
Romney, lean Romney	44%	38%	42%	49%	42%	33%	47%	53%
Johnson, lean Johnson	4%	6%	4%	2%	4%	4%	4%	4%
Stein, lean Stein	3%	3%	6%	3%	1%	1%	4%	5%
None of the above	1%	1%	*	2%	*	1%	1%	1%
Other	*	1%	*	*	*	*	*	*
Don't know	1%	*	2%	*	1%	*	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.5

* percentage less than 1%

Question 5

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

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters	
Approve	49%	47%	51%	40%	71%	50%	
Disapprove	48%	50%	45%	57%	26%	49%	
No opinion	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%	1%	
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-7.0	+/-3.5	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Approve	49%	54%	52%	48%	39%	53%	44%
Disapprove	48%	42%	45%	50%	57%	44%	53%
No opinion	3%	3%	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-8.0	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Approve	49%	48%	51%	47%	51%
Disapprove	48%	50%	47%	50%	47%
No opinion	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	49%	88%	42%	7%	81%	61%	23%
Disapprove	48%	11%	52%	92%	16%	37%	75%
No opinion	3%	1%	6%	1%	3%	2%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Approve	49%	50%	46%	45%	58%	62%	47%	36%
Disapprove	48%	46%	53%	52%	38%	36%	49%	60%
No opinion	3%	4%	1%	3%	4%	2%	4%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

* percentage less than 1%

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Likely Voters

Question 6A

We'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of these people -- or if you have never heard of them.

A. Barack Obama

Base = Likely voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters
Favorable Opinion	52%	48%	56%	43%	76%	52%
Unfavorable Opinion	48%	52%	43%	57%	23%	48%
Heard of, no Opinion	*	*	1%	*	1%	*
Never heard of	*	*	*	*	*	*
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Favorable Opinion	52%	N/A	N/A	47%	41%	61%	45%
Unfavorable Opinion	48%	N/A	N/A	52%	58%	39%	54%
Heard of, no Opinion	*	N/A	N/A	1%	*	*	1%
Never heard of	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	*	*
No opinion	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5			+/-6.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Favorable Opinion	52%	53%	53%	50%	53%
Unfavorable Opinion	48%	47%	46%	50%	47%
Heard of, no Opinion	*	*	1%	*	1%
Never heard of	*	*	*	*	*
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favorable Opinion	52%	93%	45%	7%	94%	66%	17%
Unfavorable Opinion	48%	6%	55%	93%	6%	33%	83%
Heard of, no Opinion	*	*	1%	*	*	1%	*
Never heard of	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Favorable Opinion	52%	55%	54%	47%	55%	66%	49%	39%
Unfavorable Opinion	48%	45%	46%	52%	44%	34%	50%	61%
Heard of, no Opinion	*	*	*	*	1%	*	1%	*
Never heard of	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.5

* percentage less than 1%

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Likely Voters

Question 6B

We'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of these people -- or if you have never heard of them.

B. Mitt Romney

Base = Likely voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters	
Favorable Opinion	49%	52%	45%	56%	28%	49%	
Unfavorable Opinion	50%	47%	54%	43%	70%	50%	
Heard of, no Opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	
Never heard of	*	*	*	*	*	*	
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-3.5	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Favorable Opinion	49%	N/A	N/A	51%	59%	42%	54%
Unfavorable Opinion	50%	N/A	N/A	49%	40%	57%	45%
Heard of, no Opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	2%	1%	1%
Never heard of	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	*	*
No opinion	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5			+/-6.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Favorable Opinion	49%	42%	51%	48%	49%
Unfavorable Opinion	50%	56%	48%	52%	50%
Heard of, no Opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Never heard of	*	*	*	*	*
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favorable Opinion	49%	10%	52%	95%	5%	36%	82%
Unfavorable Opinion	50%	89%	47%	4%	95%	62%	17%
Heard of, no Opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	2%	1%
Never heard of	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Favorable Opinion	49%	46%	43%	56%	44%	37%	52%	59%
Unfavorable Opinion	50%	53%	55%	42%	55%	62%	47%	40%
Heard of, no Opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Never heard of	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.5

* percentage less than 1%

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Likely Voters

Question 6C

We'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of these people -- or if you have never heard of them.

C. Joe Biden

Base = Likely voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters	
Favorable Opinion	47%	43%	51%	42%	58%	47%	
Unfavorable Opinion	44%	49%	40%	51%	28%	44%	
Heard of, no Opinion	6%	6%	6%	5%	11%	6%	
Never heard of	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-3.5	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Favorable Opinion	47%	N/A	N/A	45%	40%	51%	43%
Unfavorable Opinion	44%	N/A	N/A	46%	54%	39%	49%
Heard of, no Opinion	6%	N/A	N/A	5%	5%	8%	5%
Never heard of	2%	N/A	N/A	4%	*	2%	2%
No opinion	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5			+/-6.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Favorable Opinion	47%	51%	46%	46%	47%
Unfavorable Opinion	44%	41%	44%	44%	45%
Heard of, no Opinion	6%	3%	9%	5%	7%
Never heard of	2%	4%	1%	5%	*
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favorable Opinion	47%	81%	39%	12%	73%	60%	22%
Unfavorable Opinion	44%	8%	53%	81%	15%	31%	71%
Heard of, no Opinion	6%	9%	3%	7%	9%	5%	6%
Never heard of	2%	1%	5%	*	2%	3%	1%
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Favorable Opinion	47%	40%	54%	45%	49%	57%	44%	37%
Unfavorable Opinion	44%	54%	36%	48%	39%	31%	51%	54%
Heard of, no Opinion	6%	4%	5%	5%	11%	10%	4%	6%
Never heard of	2%	1%	4%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.5

* percentage less than 1%

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Likely Voters

Question 6D

We'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of these people -- or if you have never heard of them.

D. Paul Ryan

Base = Likely voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters	
Favorable Opinion	46%	49%	43%	54%	26%	46%	
Unfavorable Opinion	40%	39%	42%	36%	52%	40%	
Heard of, no Opinion	8%	7%	9%	6%	13%	8%	
Never heard of	6%	6%	6%	5%	9%	6%	
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-3.5	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Favorable Opinion	46%	N/A	N/A	48%	57%	39%	52%
Unfavorable Opinion	40%	N/A	N/A	40%	33%	44%	37%
Heard of, no Opinion	8%	N/A	N/A	5%	6%	11%	5%
Never heard of	6%	N/A	N/A	7%	4%	6%	6%
No opinion	*	N/A	N/A	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5			+/-6.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Favorable Opinion	46%	41%	48%	44%	47%
Unfavorable Opinion	40%	47%	36%	38%	42%
Heard of, no Opinion	8%	4%	11%	7%	9%
Never heard of	6%	9%	5%	11%	3%
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favorable Opinion	46%	9%	53%	86%	6%	35%	76%
Unfavorable Opinion	40%	74%	34%	3%	79%	49%	12%
Heard of, no Opinion	8%	9%	5%	10%	5%	8%	10%
Never heard of	6%	8%	8%	1%	9%	9%	2%
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Favorable Opinion	46%	43%	44%	52%	41%	34%	49%	56%
Unfavorable Opinion	40%	47%	44%	33%	41%	47%	41%	31%
Heard of, no Opinion	8%	8%	4%	9%	11%	14%	5%	5%
Never heard of	6%	2%	8%	7%	7%	5%	5%	8%
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.5

* percentage less than 1%

Likely Voters

Question 9A

Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President.

A. The economy

Base = Likely voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters
Obama	49%	45%	53%	39%	76%	49%
Romney	48%	53%	43%	58%	21%	48%
Neither	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	*	2%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama	49%	N/A	N/A	47%	38%	56%	43%
Romney	48%	N/A	N/A	50%	58%	41%	53%
Neither	3%	N/A	N/A	3%	3%	2%	3%
No opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	*	*	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5			+/-6.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama	49%	54%	48%	48%	50%
Romney	48%	42%	50%	46%	49%
Neither	3%	3%	1%	6%	1%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Obama	49%	90%	41%	5%	90%	62%	16%
Romney	48%	9%	51%	93%	10%	32%	82%
Neither	3%	*	5%	2%	1%	5%	1%
No opinion	1%	*	2%	*	*	2%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama	49%	51%	52%	45%	50%	62%	44%	40%
Romney	48%	45%	46%	51%	47%	35%	52%	58%
Neither	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
No opinion	1%	*	*	1%	1%	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.5

* percentage less than 1%

Likely Voters

Question 9B

Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President.

B. Foreign policy

Base = Likely voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters
Obama	52%	47%	57%	44%	72%	52%
Romney	45%	50%	40%	53%	25%	45%
Neither	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%
No opinion	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama	52%	N/A	N/A	49%	39%	61%	45%
Romney	45%	N/A	N/A	50%	55%	36%	52%
Neither	2%	N/A	N/A	1%	1%	2%	1%
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	*	5%	1%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5			+/-6.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama	52%	55%	53%	49%	54%
Romney	45%	42%	45%	46%	44%
Neither	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
No opinion	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Obama	52%	90%	46%	9%	91%	65%	20%
Romney	45%	6%	50%	89%	7%	30%	78%
Neither	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	3%	1%
No opinion	2%	2%	1%	1%	*	3%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama	52%	54%	59%	46%	53%	66%	50%	38%
Romney	45%	40%	40%	52%	43%	31%	48%	57%
Neither	2%	5%	*	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%
No opinion	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.5

* percentage less than 1%

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Question 9C

Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President.

C. Medicare

Base = Likely voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters
Obama	52%	50%	54%	43%	76%	52%
Romney	44%	47%	42%	53%	20%	44%
Neither	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	2%
No opinion	2%	*	3%	1%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama	52%	N/A	N/A	50%	39%	60%	46%
Romney	44%	N/A	N/A	47%	55%	36%	50%
Neither	2%	N/A	N/A	1%	1%	3%	1%
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	2%	5%	*	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5			+/-6.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama	52%	56%	52%	50%	53%
Romney	44%	41%	45%	45%	44%
Neither	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%
No opinion	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Obama	52%	92%	47%	6%	93%	64%	20%
Romney	44%	4%	48%	92%	4%	29%	78%
Neither	2%	1%	4%	1%	2%	3%	1%
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	1%	*	4%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama	52%	55%	57%	48%	51%	64%	52%	36%
Romney	44%	40%	40%	51%	42%	31%	46%	57%
Neither	2%	4%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	3%
No opinion	2%	1%	2%	1%	5%	2%	1%	4%
Sampling Error	+/-3.5	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-7.5

* percentage less than 1%

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Question 9D

Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President.

D. The federal budget deficit

Base = Likely voters, half sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters
Obama	43%	41%	45%	33%	N/A	43%
Romney	51%	53%	49%	60%	N/A	51%
Neither	4%	6%	2%	5%	N/A	4%
No opinion	3%	1%	4%	2%	N/A	3%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.5		+/-5.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama	43%	N/A	N/A	N/A	33%	N/A	39%
Romney	51%	N/A	N/A	N/A	57%	N/A	56%
Neither	4%	N/A	N/A	N/A	2%	N/A	1%
No opinion	3%	N/A	N/A	N/A	8%	N/A	4%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0				+/-7.5		+/-6.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama	43%	N/A	42%	N/A	46%
Romney	51%	N/A	54%	N/A	50%
Neither	4%	N/A	2%	N/A	3%
No opinion	3%	N/A	1%	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0		+/-6.5		+/-5.5

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Obama	43%	83%	N/A	2%	N/A	54%	15%
Romney	51%	10%	N/A	95%	N/A	36%	82%
Neither	4%	2%	N/A	2%	N/A	6%	2%
No opinion	3%	5%	N/A	2%	N/A	4%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5		+/-8.5		+/-8.5	+/-7.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama	43%	N/A	N/A	35%	N/A	55%	41%	N/A
Romney	51%	N/A	N/A	61%	N/A	38%	54%	N/A
Neither	4%	N/A	N/A	2%	N/A	5%	3%	N/A
No opinion	3%	N/A	N/A	2%	N/A	1%	1%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5		+/-8.5	+/-7.5	

* percentage less than 1%

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Question 9E

Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President.

E. Taxes

Base = Likely voters, half sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters
Obama	52%	50%	53%	45%	N/A	52%
Romney	44%	46%	43%	51%	N/A	44%
Neither	2%	4%	1%	3%	N/A	2%
No opinion	2%	*	3%	1%	N/A	2%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.5		+/-5.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama	52%	N/A	N/A	N/A	39%	N/A	45%
Romney	44%	N/A	N/A	N/A	54%	N/A	51%
Neither	2%	N/A	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	1%
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	N/A	6%	N/A	3%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0				+/-7.5		+/-6.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama	52%	N/A	53%	N/A	54%
Romney	44%	N/A	46%	N/A	45%
Neither	2%	N/A	1%	N/A	1%
No opinion	2%	N/A	*	N/A	*
Sampling Error	+/-5.0		+/-6.5		+/-5.5

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Obama	52%	88%	N/A	11%	N/A	65%	18%
Romney	44%	9%	N/A	87%	N/A	28%	79%
Neither	2%	*	N/A	*	N/A	4%	2%
No opinion	2%	3%	N/A	1%	N/A	3%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5		+/-8.5		+/-8.5	+/-7.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama	52%	N/A	N/A	42%	N/A	61%	50%	N/A
Romney	44%	N/A	N/A	56%	N/A	34%	49%	N/A
Neither	2%	N/A	N/A	1%	N/A	5%	1%	N/A
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	1%	N/A	*	1%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5		+/-8.5	+/-7.5	

* percentage less than 1%

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Question 9F

Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President.

F. Health care

Base = Likely voters, half sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters
Obama	50%	50%	50%	44%	N/A	50%
Romney	45%	45%	45%	52%	N/A	45%
Neither	3%	5%	1%	3%	N/A	3%
No opinion	2%	*	3%	*	N/A	2%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.5		+/-5.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama	50%	N/A	N/A	N/A	45%	N/A	48%
Romney	45%	N/A	N/A	N/A	52%	N/A	51%
Neither	3%	N/A	N/A	N/A	2%	N/A	2%
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	*
Sampling Error	+/-5.0				+/-7.5		+/-6.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama	50%	N/A	49%	N/A	50%
Romney	45%	N/A	50%	N/A	46%
Neither	3%	N/A	1%	N/A	1%
No opinion	2%	N/A	*	N/A	2%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0		+/-6.5		+/-5.5

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Obama	50%	88%	N/A	3%	N/A	62%	20%
Romney	45%	7%	N/A	96%	N/A	29%	78%
Neither	3%	1%	N/A	1%	N/A	5%	2%
No opinion	2%	3%	N/A	*	N/A	3%	*
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5		+/-8.5		+/-8.5	+/-7.5

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama	50%	N/A	N/A	40%	N/A	57%	49%	N/A
Romney	45%	N/A	N/A	56%	N/A	37%	46%	N/A
Neither	3%	N/A	N/A	4%	N/A	6%	1%	N/A
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	*	4%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5		+/-8.5	+/-7.5	

* percentage less than 1%

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Question 9G

Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President.

G. Immigration policy

Base = Likely voters, half sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters
Obama	51%	46%	56%	40%	N/A	51%
Romney	47%	51%	43%	57%	N/A	47%
Neither	1%	2%	*	2%	N/A	1%
No opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.5		+/-5.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama	51%	N/A	N/A	42%	34%	N/A	39%
Romney	47%	N/A	N/A	57%	60%	N/A	58%
Neither	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	3%	N/A	1%
No opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	*	3%	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5	+/-8.0		+/-6.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama	51%	48%	55%	N/A	52%
Romney	47%	50%	43%	N/A	46%
Neither	1%	1%	1%	N/A	1%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5	+/-7.0		+/-6.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Obama	51%	89%	40%	N/A	N/A	N/A	21%
Romney	47%	9%	58%	N/A	N/A	N/A	76%
Neither	1%	1%	*	N/A	N/A	N/A	2%
No opinion	1%	1%	1%	N/A	N/A	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5	+/-8.5				+/-7.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama	51%	N/A	N/A	51%	N/A	N/A	45%	N/A
Romney	47%	N/A	N/A	48%	N/A	N/A	53%	N/A
Neither	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	N/A	N/A	2%	N/A
No opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	N/A	1%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5			+/-7.0	

* percentage less than 1%

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Question 9H

Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President.

H. Education

Base = Likely voters, half sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters	
Obama	54%	51%	57%	45%	N/A	54%	
Romney	42%	46%	39%	51%	N/A	42%	
Neither	1%	2%	1%	1%	N/A	1%	
No opinion	2%	1%	3%	3%	N/A	2%	
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.5		+/-5.0	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama	54%	N/A	N/A	50%	38%	N/A	46%
Romney	42%	N/A	N/A	47%	59%	N/A	51%
Neither	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	2%	N/A	1%
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	2%	2%	N/A	2%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5	+/-8.0		+/-6.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama	54%	55%	56%	N/A	56%
Romney	42%	41%	41%	N/A	40%
Neither	1%	1%	1%	N/A	1%
No opinion	2%	3%	2%	N/A	3%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5	+/-7.0		+/-6.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Obama	54%	94%	45%	N/A	N/A	N/A	22%
Romney	42%	5%	49%	N/A	N/A	N/A	73%
Neither	1%	*	1%	N/A	N/A	N/A	2%
No opinion	2%	1%	5%	N/A	N/A	N/A	3%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5	+/-8.5				+/-7.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama	54%	N/A	N/A	56%	N/A	N/A	50%	N/A
Romney	42%	N/A	N/A	40%	N/A	N/A	49%	N/A
Neither	1%	N/A	N/A	2%	N/A	N/A	*	N/A
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	2%	N/A	N/A	1%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5			+/-7.0	

* percentage less than 1%

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Likely Voters

Question 9I

Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President.

I. Unemployment

Base = Likely voters, half sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters		
Obama	45%	42%	49%	35%	N/A	45%		
Romney	51%	55%	47%	63%	N/A	51%		
Neither	2%	3%	1%	2%	N/A	2%		
No opinion	1%	*	3%	1%	N/A	1%		
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.5		+/-5.0		

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama	45%	N/A	N/A	43%	34%	N/A	40%
Romney	51%	N/A	N/A	55%	64%	N/A	58%
Neither	2%	N/A	N/A	1%	1%	N/A	1%
No opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	*	1%	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5	+/-8.0		+/-6.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama	45%	45%	46%	N/A	44%
Romney	51%	53%	49%	N/A	51%
Neither	2%	2%	3%	N/A	2%
No opinion	1%	*	2%	N/A	2%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5	+/-7.0		+/-6.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Obama	45%	87%	32%	N/A	N/A	N/A	17%
Romney	51%	11%	61%	N/A	N/A	N/A	82%
Neither	2%	1%	3%	N/A	N/A	N/A	1%
No opinion	1%	*	3%	N/A	N/A	N/A	*
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5	+/-8.5				+/-7.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama	45%	N/A	N/A	46%	N/A	N/A	37%	N/A
Romney	51%	N/A	N/A	47%	N/A	N/A	58%	N/A
Neither	2%	N/A	N/A	3%	N/A	N/A	3%	N/A
No opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	3%	N/A	N/A	2%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5			+/-7.0	

* percentage less than 1%

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Likely Voters

Question 9J

Now I'm going to mention a few issues and for each one, please tell me if you think Barack Obama or Mitt Romney would better handle that issue if they were elected President.

J. Mortgage and housing issues

Base = Likely voters, half sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters	
Obama	49%	45%	53%	40%	N/A	49%	
Romney	48%	52%	45%	57%	N/A	48%	
Neither	1%	2%	1%	1%	N/A	1%	
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	1%	N/A	1%	
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-7.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.5		+/-5.0	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Obama	49%	N/A	N/A	51%	34%	N/A	45%
Romney	48%	N/A	N/A	48%	62%	N/A	53%
Neither	1%	N/A	N/A	*	2%	N/A	1%
No opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	2%	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5	+/-8.0		+/-6.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Obama	49%	51%	49%	N/A	48%
Romney	48%	48%	48%	N/A	49%
Neither	1%	*	2%	N/A	2%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5	+/-7.0		+/-6.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Obama	49%	88%	42%	N/A	N/A	N/A	20%
Romney	48%	11%	54%	N/A	N/A	N/A	78%
Neither	1%	1%	2%	N/A	N/A	N/A	1%
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	N/A	N/A	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-5.0	+/-8.5	+/-8.5				+/-7.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Obama	49%	N/A	N/A	56%	N/A	N/A	44%	N/A
Romney	48%	N/A	N/A	43%	N/A	N/A	55%	N/A
Neither	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	N/A	N/A	1%	N/A
No opinion	1%	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	N/A	*	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-5.0			+/-8.5			+/-7.0	

* percentage less than 1%