Interviews with 843 adult Americans, including 749 registered voters, conducted by telephone by ORC International on November 18-20, 2013. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3.5 percentage points.

The sample includes 595 interviews among landline respondents and 248 interviews among cell phone respondents.

7/8.   If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward?

	Democratic candidate	Republican candidate	Neither/ Other (vol.)	Don't plan to vote	No opinion
All Americans					
Nov. 18-20, 2013	47%	48%	3%	2%	1%
Oct. 18-20, 2013	50%	41%	4%	4%	1%
Registered Voters					
Nov. 18-20, 2013	47%	49%	2%	1%	2%
Oct. 18-20, 2013	50%	42%	4%	2%	1%

SELECTED TRENDS FOR REGISTERED VOTERS			
	Democratic Candidate	Republican Candidate	Neither/No Opinion
Nov. 2-4, 2012	50%	46%	3%
May 29-31, 2011	48%	45%	7%
Oct. 27-30, 2010	43%	49%	7%
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	50%	44%	7%
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2008	53%	45%	2%
November 2-4, 2007	53%	42%	5%
November 3-5, 2006	58%	38%	4%
October 21-23, 2005*	50%	42%	8%
October 29-31, 2004*	49%	45%	6%
November 14-16, 2003*	46%	47%	7%
Oct. 31-Nov. 3, 2002*	49%	44%	7%
November 2-4, 2001*	45%	45%	10%
November 4-5, 2000*	50%	43%	7%
November 18-21, 1999*	47%	43%	10%
Oct. 29-Nov. 1, 1998*	50%	41%	9%
January 16-18, 1998*	51%	40%	9%
November 3-4, 1996*	48%	45%	7%
November 2-6, 1995*	46%	46%	8%
November 2-6, 1994*	47%	44%	9%
November 2-4, 1993*	49%	44%	7%

*CNN/USA Today/Gallup polls

METHODOLOGY

A total of 843 adults, including 749 registered voters, 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, and telephone usage. Among the entire sample, 31% described themselves as Democrats, 23% described themselves as Republicans, and 46% described themselves as Independents or members of another party

Crosstabs on the following pages only include results for subgroups with enough unweighted cases to produce a sampling error of +/- 8.5 percentage points or less. Some subgroups represent too small a share of the national population to produce crosstabs with an acceptable sampling error. Interviews were conducted among these subgroups, but results for groups with a sampling error larger than +/-8.5 percentage points are not displayed and instead are denoted with "N/A".

Question 7/8
Q7. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for
    in your Congressional district -

Q8. As of today, do you lean more toward -

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White	Reg. Voters
Democrat	47%	43%	51%	37%	68%	47%
Republican	48%	52%	43%	58%	25%	49%
Neither/Other	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%
Don't plan to vote	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	2%	*	2%

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Democrat	47%	54%	42%	43%	48%	49%	45%
Republican	48%	41%	51%	52%	49%	45%	51%
Neither/Other	3%	1%	3%	4%	2%	2%	3%
Don't plan to vote	2%	2%	3%	1%	*	3%	1%
No opinion	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%

	Total	Under $50K	$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Democrat	47%	55%	39%	46%	47%
Republican	48%	41%	55%	49%	47%
Neither/Other	3%	1%	3%	2%	3%
Don't plan to vote	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep-endent	Repub-lican	Lib-eral	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Democrat	47%	95%	36%	3%	80%	50%	20%
Republican	48%	3%	53%	96%	16%	43%	77%
Neither/Other	3%	1%	5%	*	2%	3%	2%
Don't plan to vote	2%	*	4%	*	2%	2%	*
No opinion	1%	*	3%	*	*	2%	2%

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Democrat	47%	50%	43%	43%	53%	58%	48%	31%
Republican	48%	46%	50%	52%	41%	37%	48%	60%
Neither/Other	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	4%
Don't plan to vote	2%	*	*	3%	3%	3%	1%	2%
No opinion	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%

 * percentage less than 1%