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CNN | ORC POLL

Interviews with 1,018 adult Americans conducted by telephone by ORC International on October 24-26, 2014. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points.

The sample also includes 921 interviews among registered voters (plus or minus 3 percentage points) and 540 interviews among likely voters (plus or minus 4 percentage points).

The sample includes 662 interviews among landline respondents and 356 interviews among cell phone respondents.

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1. 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>
Oct. 24-26, 2014	45%	53%	3%	Aug. 1, 2011	45%	52%	2%
Sept. 25-28, 2014	44%	52%	4%	June 3-7, 2011	48%	48%	5%
Sept. 5-7, 2014	43%	55%	2%	May 24-26, 2011	54%	45%	2%
July 18-20, 2014	42%	55%	3%	May 2, 2011	52%	43%	5%
May 29-June 1, 2014	43%	55%	2%	Apr. 29-May 1, 2011	51%	46%	3%
May 2-4, 2014	43%	55%	2%	Apr. 9-10, 2011	48%	50%	2%
March 7-9, 2014	43%	53%	4%	March 18-20, 2011	51%	47%	2%
Jan. 31-Feb 2, 2014	45%	50%	5%	March 11-13, 2011	50%	47%	3%
Dec. 16-19, 2013	41%	56%	3%	Jan. 21-23, 2011	55%	44%	1%
Nov. 18-20, 2013	41%	56%	3%	Jan. 14-16, 2011	53%	45%	2%
Oct. 18-20, 2013	44%	52%	4%	Dec. 17-19, 2010	48%	48%	4%
Sept. 27-29, 2013	44%	53%	4%	Nov. 11-14, 2010	48%	50%	3%
Sept. 6-8, 2013	45%	52%	3%	Oct. 27-30, 2010	46%	51%	4%
June 11-13, 2013	45%	54%	1%	Oct. 5-7, 2010	45%	52%	3%
May 17-18, 2013	53%	45%	2%	Sept. 21-23, 2010	42%	54%	4%
April 5-7, 2013	51%	47%	3%	Sept. 1-2, 2010	50%	49%	1%
March 15-17, 2013	47%	50%	3%	Aug. 6-10, 2010	47%	51%	2%
Jan. 14-15, 2013	55%	43%	2%	July 16-21, 2010	47%	50%	2%
Dec. 17-18, 2012	52%	43%	4%	June 16, 2010	50%	48%	2%
Nov. 16-18, 2012	52%	43%	5%	May 21-23, 2010	51%	46%	3%
Nov. 2-4, 2012	51%	45%	4%	Apr. 9-11, 2010	51%	47%	2%
Sept. 28-30, 2012	49%	48%	3%	March 25-28, 2010	51%	48%	1%
Sept. 7-9, 2012	51%	44%	5%	March 19-21, 2010	46%	51%	3%
Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2012	48%	45%	7%	Feb. 12-15, 2010	49%	50%	1%
Aug. 22-23, 2012	50%	44%	6%	Jan. 22-24, 2010	49%	50%	*
Aug. 7-8, 2012	50%	47%	3%	Jan. 8-10, 2010	51%	48%	1%
June 28-July 1, 2012	51%	47%	2%	Dec. 16-20, 2009	54%	44%	2%
May 29-31, 2012	52%	47%	1%	Dec. 2-3, 2009	48%	50%	2%
Apr. 13-15, 2012	49%	48%	3%	Nov. 13-15, 2009	55%	42%	3%
March 24-25, 2012	51%	45%	4%	Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	54%	45%	1%
Feb. 10-13, 2012	50%	48%	2%	Oct. 16-18, 2009	55%	43%	2%
Jan. 11-12, 2012	47%	51%	3%	Sept. 11-13, 2009	58%	40%	2%
Dec. 16-18, 2011	49%	48%	3%	Aug. 28-31, 2009	53%	45%	2%
Nov. 18-20, 2011	44%	54%	3%	July 31-Aug. 3, 2009	56%	40%	4%
Nov. 11-13, 2011	46%	52%	2%	June 26-28, 2009	61%	37%	3%
Oct. 14-16, 2011	46%	50%	3%	May 14-17, 2009	62%	35%	3%
Sept. 23-25, 2011	45%	52%	3%	Apr. 23-26, 2009	63%	33%	5%
Sept. 9-11, 2011	43%	55%	2%	Apr. 3-5, 2009	66%	30%	3%
Aug. 24-25, 2011	45%	54%	1%	March 12-15, 2009	64%	34%	2%
Aug. 5-7, 2011	44%	54%	2%	Feb. 18-19, 2009	67%	29%	4%
				Feb. 7-8, 2009	76%	23%	1%

*ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE

2. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree that Barack Obama has the personality and leadership qualities a President should have.

	<u>Oct. 24-26 2014</u>	<u>May 2-4 2014</u>	<u>Sept. 27-29 2013</u>	<u>March 15-17 2013</u>	
Agree	52%	53%	51%	57%	
Disagree	47%	46%	48%	42%	
No opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	
	<u>Sept. 23-25 2011</u>	<u>Oct. 5-7 2010</u>	<u>May 21-23 2010</u>	<u>Jan. 8-10 2010</u>	<u>Oct. 16-18 2009</u>
Agree	58%	59%	65%	64%	66%
Disagree	41%	40%	35%	35%	33%
No opinion	1%	1%	*	*	1%
	<u>Apr. 23-26 2009</u>	<u>Oct. 30-Nov. 1 2008</u>	<u>Sept. 19-21 2008*</u>	<u>June 4-5 2008</u>	<u>Jan 14-17 2008</u>
Agree	75%	66%	64%	63%	59%
Disagree	24%	34%	36%	36%	38%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	1%	3%

*Asked of a half sample.

3. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with Barack Obama on the issues that matter most to you.

	<u>Oct. 24-26 2014</u>	<u>May 2-4 2014</u>	<u>Sept. 27-29 2013</u>	<u>March 15-17 2013</u>	
Agree	42%	44%	42%	44%	
Disagree	55%	55%	54%	54%	
No opinion	3%	1%	4%	2%	
	<u>Sept. 23-25 2011</u>	<u>Oct. 5-7 2010</u>	<u>May 21-23 2010</u>	<u>Jan. 8-10 2010</u>	<u>Oct. 16-18 2009</u>
Agree	46%	42%	48%	49%	48%
Disagree	52%	55%	50%	50%	51%
No opinion	1%	3%	2%	1%	2%
	<u>Sept. 23-25 2009</u>	<u>Oct. 30-Nov. 1 2008</u>	<u>Sept. 19-21 2008*</u>	<u>June 4-5 2008</u>	<u>Jan 14-17 2008</u>
Agree	57%	60%	56%	56%	54%
Disagree	41%	40%	43%	43%	43%
No opinion	2%	*	1%	1%	3%

*Asked of a half sample.

4. In general, would you say that President Obama's views and proposed programs for the country are too liberal, not liberal enough, or just about right for the country?

	Oct. 24-26 <u>2014</u>	Jan. 31-Feb 2 <u>2014</u>	Mar. 11-13 <u>2011</u>	Oct. 27-30 <u>2010</u>	
Too liberal	40%	41%	46%	46%	
Not liberal enough	17%	14%	12%	13%	
Just about right	40%	41%	39%	37%	
No opinion	3%	4%	3%	4%	
	Aug. 6-10 <u>2010</u>	Jan. 8-10 <u>2010</u>	Oct. 30–Nov. 1 <u>2009</u>	July 31-Aug 3 <u>2009</u>	Mar. 12-15 <u>2009</u>
Too liberal	46%	46%	42%	40%	36%
Not liberal enough	13%	10%	14%	8%	5%
Just about right	39%	42%	44%	50%	58%
No opinion	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%

5. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Congress is handling its job?

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Oct. 24-26, 2014	13%	85%	2%
Sept. 5-7, 2014	14%	83%	3%
October 18-20, 2013	12%	86%	2%
September 27-29, 2013	10%	87%	4%
September 6-8, 2013	20%	78%	3%
June 11-13, 2013	16%	83%	1%
January 14-15, 2013	21%	79%	1%
November 2-4, 2012*	17%	74%	9%
January 11-12, 2012	11%	86%	2%
December 16-18, 2011	16%	83%	1%
September 9-11, 2011	15%	84%	1%
August 1, 2011	14%	84%	2%
January 21-23, 2011	26%	72%	2%
January 8-10, 2010	27%	72%	1%
October 16-18, 2009	29%	69%	2%
April 3-5, 2009	35%	63%	2%
February 7-8, 2009	29%	71%	*
October 3-5, 2008	23%	76%	1%
September 19-21, 2008	22%	78%	1%

*Asked of half sample

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	<u>App</u>	<u>Dis</u>	<u>DK</u>		<u>App</u>	<u>Dis</u>	<u>DK</u>		<u>App</u>	<u>Dis</u>	<u>DK</u>		<u>App</u>	<u>Dis</u>	<u>DK</u>
2008 July 27-29	22	77	1	2003 Mar 3-5	48	44	8	1998 Dec 15-16	42	52	6	1993 Nov 2-4	24	69	8
2007				2003 Feb 3-6	50	39	11	1998 Nov 13-15	41	54	5	1993 Aug 8-10	23	69	8
2007 Oct 12-14	22	75	3	2003 Jan 13-16	49	40	11	1998 Oct 29-Nov 1	44	47	9	1993 Jul 19-21	24	65	11
2006				2002				1998 Oct 9-12	47	46	7	1992			
2006 Oct 6-8	28	63	9	2002 Dec 5-8	50	40	10	1998 Oct 6-7	44	48	8	1992 Mar 3 *	18	78	3
2006 Mar 13-16	27	65	8	2002 Nov 11-14	47	39	14	1998 Sep 11-12	55	36	9	1991			
2006 Feb 6-9	25	65	10	2002 Oct 3-6	50	40	10	1998 May 8-10	44	48	8	1991 Oct 10-13	40	54	6
2006 Jan 9-12	27	67	7	2002 Sep 5-8	52	40	8	1998 Apr 17-19	49	40	11	1991 Jul 25-28	32	53	15
2005				2002 Aug 5-8	46	43	11	1998 Feb 13-15	57	33	10	1990			
2005 Dec 5-8	29	63	8	2002 Jul 26-28	53	36	11	1998 Jan 30-Feb 1	56	35	9	1990 Nov 2-4	26	63	11
2005 Nov 7-10	29	63	8	2002 Jul 9-11	54	36	10	1998 Jan 16-18	42	47	11	1990 Oct 11-14	24	68	8
2005 Oct 13-16	29	64	7	2002 Jun 3-6	52	38	10	1997				1990 Oct 25-28	23	64	13
2005 Sep 12-15	35	59	6	2002 May 6-9	57	33	10	1997 Dec 18-21	39	52	9	1990 Oct 18-21	23	64	13
2005 Aug 8-11	36	58	6	2002 Apr 8-11	57	34	9	1997 Oct 27-29	36	53	11	1990 Oct 11-14	28	65	7
2005 Jul 7-10	36	58	6	2002 Mar 4-7	63	28	9	1997 Aug 22-25	41	48	11	1988			
2005 Jun 6-8	34	59	7	2002 Feb 4-6	62	28	10	1997 Jul 25-27	34	57	9	1988 Sep 9-11	42	42	16
2005 May 2-5	35	57	8	2002 Jan 7-9	62	29	9	1997 May 6-7	32	58	10	1987			
2005 Apr 4-7	38	54	8	2001				1997 Apr 18-20	30	59	11	1987 Aug 24-Sep 2	42	49	9
2005 Mar 7-10	37	53	10	2001 Dec 6-9	72	19	9	1997 Feb 24-26	37	48	15	1986			
2005 Feb 7-10	45	48	7	2001 Nov 8-11	73	19	8	1997 Jan 31-Feb 2	36	51	13	1986 Apr 11-14	42	37	21
2005 Jan 3-5	43	48	9	2001 Oct 11-14	84	10	6	1997 Jan 10-13	41	49	10	1983			
2004				2001 Sep 7-10	42	44	14	1996				1983 Apr 29-May 2	33	43	24
2004 Dec 5-8	41	50	9	2001 Aug 16-19	50	37	13	1996 Oct 26-29	34	51	15	1982			
2004 Nov 7-10	41	52	7	2001 Aug 3-5	47	42	11	1996 Aug 5-7	39	49	12	1982 Jun 11-14	29	54	17
2004 Oct 11-14	40	51	9	2001 Jul 19-22	49	37	14	1996 May 9-12	30	65	5	1981			
2004 Sep 13-15	41	52	7	2001 Jun 11-17	51	34	15	1996 Apr 9-10	35	57	8	1981 Jun 19-22	38	40	22
2004 Aug 9-11	40	52	8	2001 May 10-14	49	34	17	1995				1980			
2004 Jul 8-11	40	53	7	2001 Apr 6-8	55	32	13	1995 Sep 22-24	30	61	9	1980 Jun 13-16	25	56	19
2004 Jun 3-6	41	52	7	2001 Mar 5-7	55	28	17	1995 Aug 28-30	30	60	10	1979			
2004 May 2-4	41	52	7	2001 Feb 1-4	53	32	15	1995 Jul 7-9	35	55	10	1979 Jun 1-4	19	61	20
2004 Apr 5-8	43	51	6	2001 Jan 10-14	50	40	10	1995 May 11-14	34	57	9	1978			
2004 Mar 8-11	42	51	7	2000				1995 Apr 17-19	37	54	9	1978 Sep 8-11	29	49	22
2004 Feb 9-12	41	51	8	2000 Dec 2-4	56	34	10	1995 Mar 27-29	31	61	8	1977			
2004 Jan 12-15	48	45	7	2000 Oct 6-9	49	42	9	1995 Mar 17-19	32	59	9	1977 Sep 9-12	35	44	21
2003				2000 Aug 29-Sep 5	48	42	10	1995 Feb 24-26	35	53	12	1977 Aug 5-8	36	44	20
2003 Dec 11-14	43	50	7	2000 May 18-21	39	52	9	1995 Feb 3-5	38	53	9	1977 Jun 3-6	34	42	24
2003 Nov 3-5	43	51	6	2000 Jan 7-10	51	42	7	1995 Jan 16-18	33	52	15	1977 May 20-23	40	40	20
2003 Oct 6-8	41	51	8	1999				1994				1977 Mar 25-28	36	42	22
2003 Sep 8-10	40	53	7	1999 Sep 23-26	37	56	7	1994 Dec 28-30	23	66	11	1976			
2003 Aug 4-6	45	46	9	1999 Jul 13-14	39	51	10	1994 Oct 22-25	23	70	7	1976 Jan 23-26	24	58	18
2003 Jul 7-9	49	45	6	1999 Jun 11-13	41	53	6	1994 Oct 7-9	21	73	6	1975			
2003 Jun 12-15	50	41	9	1999 Apr 13-14	45	47	8	1994 Jul 15-17	27	65	8	1975 Oct 31-Nov 3	28	54	18
2003 May 5-7	49	44	7	1999 Feb 12-13	41	54	5	1994 Mar 25-27	29	63	8	1975 Jun 27-30	29	54	17
2003 Apr 7-9	58	33	9	1999 Jan 15-17	50	46	4	1994 Feb 26-28	28	66	6	1975 Apr 18-21	38	48	14
												1975 Feb 28-Mar 3	32	50	18

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

QUESTIONS 6 AND 7 COMBINED

	<u>Democratic candidate</u>	<u>Republican candidate</u>	<u>Neither/ other (vol.)</u>	<u>Don't plan to vote (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters					
Oct. 24-26, 2014	47%	46%	4%	*	2%
Sept. 25-28, 2014	47%	45%	4%	*	3%
Sept. 5-7, 2014	45%	49%	4%	1%	1%
Registered Voters					
Oct. 24-26, 2014	49%	43%	5%	1%	2%
Sept. 25-28, 2014	49%	42%	5%	2%	3%
Sept. 5-7, 2014	47%	45%	5%	2%	1%
July 18-20, 2014	48%	44%	5%	1%	2%
May 2-4, 2014	45%	46%	5%	3%	1%
All Respondents					
Oct. 24-26, 2014	48%	41%	5%	3%	2%
Sept. 25-28, 2014	49%	41%	5%	3%	3%
Sept. 5-7, 2014	47%	44%	5%	4%	1%
July 18-20, 2014	48%	42%	6%	3%	2%
May 2-4, 2014	46%	44%	5%	4%	2%

8. (IF VOTING DEMOCRATIC) Is that more a vote for the Democratic candidate or against the Republican candidate? (BASED ON 453 INTERVIEWS WITH RESPONDENTS WHO PLAN TO VOTE FOR THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

	<u>For the Democrat</u>	<u>Against the Republican</u>	<u>Both equally (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters				
Oct. 24-26, 2014	62%	28%	8%	2%
Oct. 27-30, 2010	68%	24%	7%	*
Registered Voters				
Oct. 24-26, 2014	59%	34%	5%	2%
Oct. 27-30, 2010	65%	26%	8%	1%
All Respondents				
Oct. 24-26, 2014	63%	30%	5%	1%
Oct. 27-30, 2010	62%	28%	8%	1%

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	<u>For the Democrat</u>	<u>Against the Republican</u>	<u>Both equally (vol.)</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
1994 Oct 18-19	66	27	5	2

9. (IF VOTING REPUBLICAN) Is that more a vote for the Republican candidate or against the Democratic candidate? (BASED ON 483 INTERVIEWS WITH RESPONDENTS WHO PLAN TO VOTE FOR THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

	<u>For the Republican</u>	<u>Against the Democrat</u>	<u>Both equally (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Likely Voters				
Oct. 24-26, 2014	49%	38%	12%	*
Oct. 27-30, 2010	50%	37%	11%	2%
Registered Voters				
Oct. 24-26, 2014	52%	36%	10%	2%
Oct. 27-30, 2010	52%	36%	10%	2%
All Respondents				
Oct. 24-26, 2014	52%	36%	9%	3%
Oct. 27-30, 2010	52%	36%	10%	2%

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	<u>For the Republican</u>	<u>Against the Democrat</u>	<u>Both equally (vol.)</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
1994 Oct 18-19	59	34	6	1

BASED ON 403 REGISTERED DEMOCRATS AND INDEPENDENTS WHO LEAN DEMOCRATIC --
 SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.

BASED ON 457 REGISTERED REPUBLICANS AND INDEPENDENTS WHO LEAN REPUBLICAN --
 SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5% PTS.

10. 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?

	<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						
Oct. 24-26, 2014	13%	17%	30%	17%	23%	*
Sept. 5-7, 2014	15%	16%	30%	18%	21%	*
Dec. 16-19, 2013	13%	17%	27%	23%	20%	*
Oct. 5-7, 2010	20%	22%	30%	16%	12%	*
Sept. 21-23, 2010	23%	17%	31%	17%	12%	*
July 16-21, 2010	15%	19%	37%	17%	11%	1%
May 21-23, 2010	17%	25%	29%	15%	14%	*
March 25-28, 2010	24%	21%	32%	12%	11%	1%
January 8-10, 2010	20%	20%	35%	16%	10%	*
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	22%	20%	32%	16%	9%	*
Registered Democrats						
Oct. 24-26, 2014	10%	16%	33%	18%	23%	*
Sept. 5-7, 2014	13%	15%	32%	18%	22%	*
Dec. 16-19, 2013	11%	11%	32%	26%	21%	*
Oct. 5-7, 2010	13%	21%	35%	18%	12%	*
Sept. 21-23, 2010	16%	14%	36%	19%	15%	*
July 16-21, 2010	11%	16%	41%	19%	12%	*
May 21-23, 2010	10%	22%	35%	18%	15%	*
March 25-28, 2010	17%	19%	40%	14%	9%	1%
January 8-10, 2010	13%	18%	42%	17%	10%	*
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	17%	25%	34%	17%	6%	1%
Registered Republicans						
Oct. 24-26, 2014	17%	19%	28%	17%	20%	*
Sept. 5-7, 2014	19%	18%	28%	18%	17%	*
Dec. 16-19, 2013	14%	22%	24%	20%	19%	*
Oct. 5-7, 2010	29%	25%	25%	13%	8%	*
Sept. 21-23, 2010	31%	22%	27%	13%	7%	*
July 16-21, 2010	19%	23%	34%	14%	10%	*
May 21-23, 2010	25%	29%	24%	12%	10%	*
March 25-28, 2010	32%	23%	24%	10%	11%	1%
January 8-10, 2010	25%	24%	30%	14%	7%	*
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	26%	17%	33%	16%	8%	*

11. Will your vote for a congressional candidate be made in order to send a message that you SUPPORT Barack Obama, be made in order to send a message that you OPPOSE Barack Obama, or will you NOT be sending a message about Barack Obama with your vote?

REGISTERED VOTERS ONLY

	<u>Oct. 24-26</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>May 2-4</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>Sept. 1-2</u> <u>2010</u>
Support Obama	17%	20%	19%
Oppose Obama	28%	25%	26%
Not sending a message	54%	53%	54%
Don't plan to vote (vol.)	1%	1%	1%
No opinion	1%	1%	1%

12. As you may know, the Republicans currently control the U.S. House of Representatives and the Democrats currently control the U.S. Senate. If the Republicans continue to control the U.S. House after the congressional elections this November, do you think the country would be better off if the Republicans controlled the U.S. Senate or if the Democrats controlled the U.S. Senate?

	<u>Oct. 24-26</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>Sept. 5-7</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>May 2-4</u> <u>2014</u>
Republicans control Senate	41%	42%	42%
Democrats control Senate	46%	46%	45%
Neither (vol.)	7%	6%	6%
Both the same (vol.)	3%	3%	3%
No opinion	3%	3%	4%

14. On the whole, would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way the nation is being governed?

	Oct. 24-26 <u>2014</u>	Oct. 18-20 <u>2013</u>	March 15-17 <u>2013</u>
Satisfied	25%	14%	25%
Dissatisfied	74%	83%	74%
No opinion	1%	2%	1%

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	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2005 Sep 12-15	44	55	1
2004 Sep 13-15	49	49	2
2003 Sep 8-10	56	43	1
2002 Sep 5-8	59	39	2
2001 Sep 7-10	57	39	4
1991 May 23-26	58	39	3
1984 Dec 7-10	55	37	8
1973 Sep 21-24	26	66	8
1971 Dec 10-13	37	54	9

QUESTION WORDING IN 1971 AND 1973: "Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way the nation is governed?"

QUESTION WORDING IN 1971 AND 1973: "Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way this nation is being governed?"

15. 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?

	<u>Very angry</u>	<u>Somewhat angry</u>	<u>Not very angry</u>	<u>Not angry at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Oct. 24-26, 2014	30%	38%	17%	14%	1%
Feb. 10-13, 2012	22%	45%	19%	14%	1%
Sept. 9-11, 2011	27%	45%	14%	13%	1%
Aug. 6-10, 2010	31%	39%	17%	13%	*
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009*	23%	41%	19%	16%	*
Feb. 18-19, 2009	31%	40%	16%	13%	*
Oct. 17-19, 2008	35%	40%	14%	11%	*

16. Would you say you are very scared, somewhat scared, not very scared or not scared at all about the way things are going in the country today?

	<u>Oct. 24-26 2014</u>	<u>Sept. 9-11 2011</u>	<u>Oct. 30-Nov. 1 2009*</u>	<u>Feb. 18-19 2009</u>	<u>Oct. 17-19 2008</u>
Very scared	26%	27%	23%	31%	24%
Somewhat scared	34%	44%	42%	42%	43%
Not very scared	19%	13%	17%	16%	16%
Not scared at all	20%	15%	18%	11%	17%
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*

*Asked of a half sample.

17. And would you say you are very confused, somewhat confused, not very confused or not confused at all about the way things are going in the country today?

	<u>Oct. 24-26 2014</u>
Very confused	15%
Somewhat confused	25%
Not very confused	19%
Not confused at all	40%
No opinion	*

METHODOLOGY

A total of 1,018 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, and telephone usage. Among the entire sample, 31% described themselves as Democrats, 21% described themselves as Republicans, and 48% 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".

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Question 1

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
Approve	45%	40%	49%	32%	72%
Disapprove	53%	57%	48%	65%	25%
No opinion	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Approve	45%	49%	51%	39%	41%	50%	40%
Disapprove	53%	44%	48%	60%	58%	46%	59%
No opinion	3%	7%	2%	1%	1%	5%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Approve	45%	45%	46%	43%	46%
Disapprove	53%	52%	52%	53%	52%
No opinion	3%	3%	2%	4%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep- endent	Repub- lican	Lib- eral	Mod- erate	Conser- vative
Approve	45%	81%	37%	10%	73%	45%	24%
Disapprove	53%	18%	59%	88%	23%	52%	75%
No opinion	3%	2%	4%	2%	4%	3%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid- west	South	West	Urban	Sub- urban	Rural
Approve	45%	51%	42%	44%	43%	60%	43%	27%
Disapprove	53%	47%	56%	52%	55%	37%	55%	70%
No opinion	3%	3%	2%	4%	1%	3%	3%	3%
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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Question 2

Please tell me whether you agree or disagree that Barack Obama has the personality and leadership qualities a President should have.

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Agree, has qualities	52%	47%	56%	41%	76%
Disagree, does not	47%	52%	42%	58%	23%
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Agree, has qualities	52%	59%	58%	45%	44%	58%	45%
Disagree, does not	47%	40%	40%	54%	56%	40%	55%
No opinion	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Agree, has qualities	52%	52%	53%	46%	56%
Disagree, does not	47%	47%	46%	51%	43%
No opinion	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Agree, has qualities	52%	85%	45%	18%	80%	55%	28%
Disagree, does not	47%	14%	53%	82%	19%	45%	70%
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	*	1%	*	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Agree, has qualities	52%	55%	52%	50%	50%	67%	50%	34%
Disagree, does not	47%	44%	48%	47%	49%	32%	49%	63%
No opinion	1%	*	*	3%	*	*	1%	3%
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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Question 3

Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with Barack Obama on the issues that matter most to you.

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Agree	42%	38%	46%	33%	62%
Disagree	55%	59%	52%	65%	35%
No opinion	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Agree	42%	45%	44%	40%	40%	45%	40%
Disagree	55%	51%	52%	59%	59%	52%	59%
No opinion	3%	3%	4%	1%	1%	4%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Agree	42%	42%	42%	41%	44%
Disagree	55%	55%	56%	57%	54%
No opinion	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Agree	42%	82%	32%	7%	72%	42%	20%
Disagree	55%	16%	64%	92%	25%	55%	78%
No opinion	3%	1%	4%	1%	3%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Agree	42%	49%	38%	41%	44%	55%	40%	29%
Disagree	55%	49%	61%	55%	55%	43%	56%	69%
No opinion	3%	2%	1%	4%	2%	2%	3%	2%
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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Question 4

In general, would you say that President Obama's views and proposed programs for the country are too liberal, not liberal enough, or just about right for the country?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Too liberal	40%	47%	33%	48%	21%
Not liberal enough	17%	18%	17%	17%	18%
Just about right	40%	33%	46%	31%	59%
No opinion	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Too liberal	40%	27%	41%	48%	44%	34%	47%
Not liberal enough	17%	25%	20%	13%	10%	22%	12%
Just about right	40%	44%	38%	36%	42%	41%	38%
No opinion	3%	4%	1%	3%	4%	3%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Too liberal	40%	33%	47%	36%	43%
Not liberal enough	17%	21%	14%	20%	16%
Just about right	40%	42%	37%	41%	39%
No opinion	3%	4%	1%	3%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Too liberal	40%	14%	43%	72%	13%	38%	65%
Not liberal enough	17%	14%	21%	13%	25%	19%	11%
Just about right	40%	72%	32%	11%	62%	41%	21%
No opinion	3%	*	4%	5%	*	2%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Too liberal	40%	32%	41%	42%	43%	32%	42%	45%
Not liberal enough	17%	20%	19%	13%	21%	17%	17%	21%
Just about right	40%	45%	36%	42%	35%	49%	39%	27%
No opinion	3%	3%	4%	2%	1%	2%	2%	7%
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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Question 5

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Congress is handling its job?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Approve	13%	15%	11%	10%	19%
Disapprove	85%	82%	87%	88%	78%
No opinion	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Approve	13%	19%	10%	12%	9%	15%	11%
Disapprove	85%	78%	87%	86%	88%	82%	87%
No opinion	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Approve	13%	15%	10%	17%	10%
Disapprove	85%	83%	88%	81%	88%
No opinion	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep- endent	Repub- lican	Lib- eral	Mod- erate	Conser- vative
Approve	13%	15%	13%	11%	10%	16%	12%
Disapprove	85%	83%	84%	88%	88%	83%	85%
No opinion	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid- west	South	West	Urban	Sub- urban	Rural
Approve	13%	16%	13%	14%	8%	17%	13%	7%
Disapprove	85%	81%	84%	84%	89%	81%	84%	90%
No opinion	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	3%	3%
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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Question 6/7

Q6. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district -

Q7. As of today, do you lean more toward -

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Dem, lean Dem	47%	42%	53%	38%	N/A
Rep, lean Rep	46%	53%	40%	55%	N/A
Other/Neither	4%	4%	4%	4%	N/A
Don't plan to vote	*	*	1%	1%	N/A
No opinion	2%	1%	3%	2%	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-4.0	+/-6.0	+/-6.0	+/-4.5	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Dem, lean Dem	47%	N/A	N/A	45%	46%	N/A	45%
Rep, lean Rep	46%	N/A	N/A	51%	51%	N/A	51%
Other/Neither	4%	N/A	N/A	3%	2%	N/A	2%
Don't plan to vote	*	N/A	N/A	1%	*	N/A	1%
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	*	1%	N/A	*
Sampling Error	+/-4.0			+/-7.0	+/-6.5		+/-4.5

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Dem, lean Dem	47%	59%	40%	51%	46%
Rep, lean Rep	46%	32%	57%	42%	48%
Other/Neither	4%	7%	2%	4%	4%
Don't plan to vote	*	*	*	1%	*
No opinion	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-4.0	+/-7.0	+/-6.0	+/-8.0	+/-5.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Dem, lean Dem	47%	96%	36%	9%	N/A	53%	21%
Rep, lean Rep	46%	4%	53%	85%	N/A	38%	76%
Other/Neither	4%	*	6%	6%	N/A	7%	2%
Don't plan to vote	*	*	1%	*	N/A	*	1%
No opinion	2%	*	4%	*	N/A	2%	*
Sampling Error	+/-4.0	+/-8.0	+/-7.0	+/-7.0		+/-7.5	+/-6.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Dem, lean Dem	47%	N/A	N/A	45%	N/A	56%	50%	33%
Rep, lean Rep	46%	N/A	N/A	50%	N/A	38%	46%	57%
Other/Neither	4%	N/A	N/A	3%	N/A	4%	3%	7%
Don't plan to vote	*	N/A	N/A	1%	N/A	*	1%	*
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	1%	N/A	2%	1%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-4.0			+/-7.0		+/-7.5	+/-6.5	+/-8.5

* percentage less than 1%

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Likely Voters

Question 8

Is that more a vote for the Democratic candidate or against the Republican candidate?

Base = Respondents who would vote for the Democratic Party's candidate

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
For Dems	62%	N/A	68%	59%	N/A
Against GOP	28%	N/A	23%	30%	N/A
Both equally	8%	N/A	8%	10%	N/A
No opinion	2%	N/A	1%	*	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.5		+/-8.5	+/-7.5	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
For Dems	62%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	61%
Against GOP	28%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	28%
Both equally	8%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	8%
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3%
Sampling Error	+/-6.5						+/-7.5

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
For Dems	62%	N/A	N/A	N/A	60%
Against GOP	28%	N/A	N/A	N/A	29%
Both equally	8%	N/A	N/A	N/A	10%
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	N/A	1%
Sampling Error	+/-6.5				+/-8.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
For Dems	62%	62%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Against GOP	28%	28%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Both equally	8%	7%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
No opinion	2%	3%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.5	+/-8.0					

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
For Dems	62%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Against GOP	28%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Both equally	8%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
No opinion	2%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.5							

* percentage less than 1%

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Likely Voters

Question 9

Is that more a vote for the Republican candidate or against the Democratic candidate?

Base = Respondents who would vote for the Republican Party's candidate

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
For GOP	49%	44%	N/A	53%	N/A
Against Dems	38%	42%	N/A	35%	N/A
Both equally	12%	13%	N/A	12%	N/A
No opinion	*	*	N/A	*	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.0	+/-7.5		+/-6.0	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
For GOP	49%	N/A	N/A	N/A	64%	N/A	54%
Against Dems	38%	N/A	N/A	N/A	24%	N/A	34%
Both equally	12%	N/A	N/A	N/A	11%	N/A	11%
No opinion	*	N/A	N/A	N/A	1%	N/A	*
Sampling Error	+/-6.0				+/-8.5		+/-6.5

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
For GOP	49%	N/A	50%	N/A	53%
Against Dems	38%	N/A	37%	N/A	35%
Both equally	12%	N/A	13%	N/A	12%
No opinion	*	N/A	*	N/A	*
Sampling Error	+/-6.0		+/-8.0		+/-7.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
For GOP	49%	N/A	N/A	55%	N/A	N/A	51%
Against Dems	38%	N/A	N/A	30%	N/A	N/A	32%
Both equally	12%	N/A	N/A	15%	N/A	N/A	17%
No opinion	*	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	N/A	*
Sampling Error	+/-6.0			+/-7.5			+/-7.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
For GOP	49%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Against Dems	38%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Both equally	12%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
No opinion	*	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sampling Error	+/-6.0							

* percentage less than 1%

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Question 11

Will your vote for a congressional candidate be made in order to send a message that you support Barack Obama, be made in order to send a message that you oppose Barack Obama, or will you not be sending a message about Barack Obama with your vote?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Support Obama	17%	14%	21%	12%	31%
Oppose Obama	28%	30%	26%	35%	12%
Not sending a message	54%	54%	53%	53%	55%
Don't plan to vote	1%	1%	*	*	2%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-7.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Support Obama	17%	N/A	15%	17%	21%	17%	18%
Oppose Obama	28%	N/A	19%	36%	36%	20%	36%
Not sending a message	54%	N/A	63%	47%	43%	62%	45%
Don't plan to vote	1%	N/A	2%	*	*	1%	*
No opinion	1%	N/A	1%	1%	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0		+/-8.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-6.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Support Obama	17%	20%	15%	23%	14%
Oppose Obama	28%	26%	29%	31%	26%
Not sending a message	54%	52%	56%	45%	59%
Don't plan to vote	1%	1%	*	1%	*
No opinion	1%	1%	*	*	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Support Obama	17%	38%	10%	3%	33%	15%	10%
Oppose Obama	28%	7%	29%	55%	6%	22%	50%
Not sending a message	54%	54%	59%	42%	61%	62%	39%
Don't plan to vote	1%	*	1%	*	*	*	1%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	*	*	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Support Obama	17%	21%	15%	18%	16%	25%	15%	12%
Oppose Obama	28%	22%	30%	33%	23%	20%	28%	39%
Not sending a message	54%	54%	55%	48%	61%	55%	55%	49%
Don't plan to vote	1%	3%	*	*	*	*	1%	*
No opinion	1%	*	*	1%	*	*	1%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.5	+/-7.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.0	+/-6.5

* percentage less than 1%

Question 12

As you may know, the Republicans currently control the U.S. House of Representatives and the Democrats currently control the U.S. Senate. If the Republicans continue to control the U.S. House after the congressional elections this November, do you think the country would be better off if the Republicans controlled the U.S. Senate or if the Democrats controlled the U.S. Senate?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
GOPs control Senate	41%	47%	35%	49%	23%
Dems control Senate	46%	41%	52%	38%	64%
Neither	7%	8%	6%	7%	7%
Both the same	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%
No opinion	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
GOPs control Senate	41%	29%	40%	50%	47%	34%	49%
Dems control Senate	46%	57%	46%	41%	39%	52%	40%
Neither	7%	8%	9%	5%	8%	8%	6%
Both the same	3%	3%	4%	1%	4%	4%	2%
No opinion	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
GOPs control Senate	41%	32%	49%	41%	40%
Dems control Senate	46%	52%	41%	44%	48%
Neither	7%	8%	5%	7%	7%
Both the same	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%
No opinion	3%	4%	2%	4%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
GOPs control Senate	41%	4%	43%	89%	12%	38%	68%
Dems control Senate	46%	90%	37%	4%	75%	48%	22%
Neither	7%	4%	11%	4%	9%	7%	7%
Both the same	3%	2%	4%	1%	2%	4%	1%
No opinion	3%	1%	5%	1%	3%	2%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
GOPs control Senate	41%	29%	41%	49%	37%	31%	41%	50%
Dems control Senate	46%	58%	41%	43%	48%	52%	49%	36%
Neither	7%	8%	11%	5%	7%	8%	6%	8%
Both the same	3%	1%	3%	2%	6%	5%	1%	3%
No opinion	3%	4%	4%	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%
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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Question 14

On the whole, would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way the nation is being governed?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Satisfied	25%	23%	26%	17%	41%
Dissatisfied	74%	76%	72%	83%	55%
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	*	4%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Satisfied	25%	32%	23%	22%	20%	28%	21%
Dissatisfied	74%	67%	74%	77%	79%	70%	78%
No opinion	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Satisfied	25%	25%	24%	31%	20%
Dissatisfied	74%	74%	74%	69%	78%
No opinion	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Satisfied	25%	43%	21%	7%	36%	24%	17%
Dissatisfied	74%	54%	78%	93%	61%	75%	83%
No opinion	1%	3%	1%	*	3%	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Satisfied	25%	26%	21%	26%	26%	29%	24%	18%
Dissatisfied	74%	72%	79%	72%	72%	69%	75%	81%
No opinion	1%	2%	*	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

* percentage less than 1%

Question 15

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?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Very angry	30%	31%	30%	34%	21%
Somewhat angry	38%	37%	40%	41%	34%
Not very angry	17%	18%	16%	14%	22%
Not angry at all	14%	14%	14%	10%	23%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Very angry	30%	21%	29%	36%	37%	25%	36%
Somewhat angry	38%	39%	42%	36%	36%	40%	36%
Not very angry	17%	24%	13%	14%	13%	19%	14%
Not angry at all	14%	16%	15%	13%	13%	15%	13%
No opinion	1%	*	*	1%	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Very angry	30%	31%	28%	30%	30%
Somewhat angry	38%	39%	39%	38%	39%
Not very angry	17%	14%	20%	16%	17%
Not angry at all	14%	16%	12%	16%	13%
No opinion	1%	*	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very angry	30%	17%	33%	43%	29%	26%	37%
Somewhat angry	38%	36%	40%	39%	36%	40%	39%
Not very angry	17%	28%	13%	7%	21%	16%	12%
Not angry at all	14%	19%	13%	9%	14%	18%	11%
No opinion	1%	*	*	1%	*	*	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Very angry	30%	33%	25%	34%	28%	25%	30%	40%
Somewhat angry	38%	36%	44%	36%	38%	37%	41%	35%
Not very angry	17%	19%	11%	15%	22%	24%	14%	14%
Not angry at all	14%	10%	20%	14%	12%	14%	15%	10%
No opinion	1%	1%	*	*	1%	*	1%	1%
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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Question 16

And would you say you are very scared, somewhat scared, not very scared or not scared at all about the way things are going in the country today?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Very scared	26%	24%	28%	29%	20%
Somewhat scared	34%	33%	36%	35%	34%
Not very scared	19%	21%	17%	19%	18%
Not scared at all	20%	22%	19%	17%	29%
No opinion	*	1%	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Very scared	26%	18%	26%	30%	32%	21%	31%
Somewhat scared	34%	36%	34%	35%	32%	35%	34%
Not very scared	19%	21%	15%	20%	18%	18%	19%
Not scared at all	20%	25%	24%	15%	17%	25%	16%
No opinion	*	*	1%	*	1%	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Very scared	26%	26%	24%	31%	22%
Somewhat scared	34%	40%	30%	31%	37%
Not very scared	19%	15%	22%	17%	19%
Not scared at all	20%	19%	23%	20%	21%
No opinion	*	*	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very scared	26%	13%	30%	37%	20%	21%	37%
Somewhat scared	34%	33%	34%	38%	34%	38%	32%
Not very scared	19%	23%	17%	14%	22%	21%	15%
Not scared at all	20%	30%	19%	10%	24%	20%	15%
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Very scared	26%	28%	20%	29%	26%	19%	27%	34%
Somewhat scared	34%	33%	43%	32%	31%	31%	38%	35%
Not very scared	19%	15%	15%	22%	20%	21%	17%	18%
Not scared at all	20%	23%	22%	17%	22%	29%	17%	13%
No opinion	*	*	*	1%	*	1%	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

* percentage less than 1%

Question 17

And would you say you are very confused, somewhat confused, not very confused or not confused at all about the way things are going in the country today?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Very confused	15%	15%	16%	16%	13%
Somewhat confused	25%	22%	28%	26%	23%
Not very confused	19%	18%	20%	16%	24%
Not confused at all	40%	45%	36%	41%	40%
No opinion	*	*	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Very confused	15%	9%	16%	17%	21%	12%	18%
Somewhat confused	25%	33%	23%	20%	25%	28%	22%
Not very confused	19%	21%	11%	22%	20%	17%	21%
Not confused at all	40%	35%	50%	41%	33%	42%	38%
No opinion	*	1%	*	*	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-7.5	+/-7.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Very confused	15%	16%	13%	19%	12%
Somewhat confused	25%	29%	22%	27%	24%
Not very confused	19%	20%	20%	18%	19%
Not confused at all	40%	35%	45%	35%	44%
No opinion	*	1%	*	*	1%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.0

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative
Very confused	15%	11%	17%	19%	10%	15%	19%
Somewhat confused	25%	23%	25%	29%	26%	25%	26%
Not very confused	19%	25%	17%	15%	23%	20%	16%
Not confused at all	40%	41%	41%	37%	41%	40%	39%
No opinion	*	*	1%	1%	1%	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Very confused	15%	16%	16%	17%	11%	10%	16%	21%
Somewhat confused	25%	30%	26%	20%	28%	21%	27%	27%
Not very confused	19%	16%	17%	21%	21%	18%	23%	14%
Not confused at all	40%	38%	40%	41%	41%	50%	34%	38%
No opinion	*	*	*	1%	*	1%	*	*
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

* percentage less than 1%