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N= 1,133

Registered Voters= 1,004

All trends are from New York Times/CBS News polls unless otherwise noted. An asterisk indicates registered respondents only.

Some people are registered to vote and others are not. Are you registered to vote in the precinct or election district where you now live, or aren't you?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	83	16	1

1. How much attention have you been able to pay to the 2008 presidential campaign – a lot, some, not much, or no attention so far?

	A lot	Some	Not much	None at all	DK/NA
2/8-11/07 CBS	26	42	22	10	
3/7-11/07	23	50	20	7	-
3/26-27/07 CBS	21	51	21	8	
4/9-12/07 CBS	23	48	22	7	
5/18-23/07	20	46	23	11	-
6/26-28/07* CBS	25	46	23	6	-
7/9-17/07	22	46	22	10	-
8/8-12/07 CBS	19	44	27	9	1
9/4-9/07	19	42	28	10	-
10/12-16/07 CBS	22	48	21	9	-
12/5-9/07	30	42	21	7	-
1/9-12/08	33	44	19	4	-
1/30-2/2/08* CBS	36	44	12	4	
2/20-24/08*	47	35	15	3	
3/15-18/08* CBS	52	35	10	2	-
3/28-4/2/08*	60	30	6	4	-
4/25-29/08*	55	37	6	2	
5/1-3/08*	55	34	7	4	-
5/30-6/3/08* CBS	53	39	6	2	
7/7-14/08*	53	37	8	2	-
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	53	36	9	2	
8/15-19/08*	51	36	10	2	-
9/12-16/08*	63	30	6	1	

2. Is your opinion of Barack Obama favorable, not favorable, undecided, or haven't you heard enough about Barack Obama yet to have an opinion? *QUESTIONS 2-3 WERE ROTATED*

	Favorable	Not Fav	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
1/1-3/07 CBS	28	10	14	47	1
1/18-21/07* CBS	29	9	20	41	
3/7-11/07	39	18	20	23	-
3/26-27/07 CBS	31	17	21	30	
4/9-12/07* CBS	36	18	25	21	-
5/18-23/07*	34	21	25	20	-
6/26-28/07* CBS	40	22	22	15	1
7/9-17/07	36	20	25	19	
7/9-17/07*	37	21	24	18	
8/8-12/07* CBS	36	20	27	17	
9/4-9/07*	35	21	29	14	
2/20-24/08*	45	23	23	9	1
3/15-18/08* CBS	44	28	20	8	
3/28-4/2/08*	43	24	25	8	1
4/25-29/08*	39	34	21	5	1
5/1-3/08*	44	30	20	6	1
5/30-6/3/08* CBS	41	31	22	5	1
7/7-14/08*	39	31	24	4	1
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	37	32	25	5	1
8/15-19/08*	39	32	25	4	1
9/12-16/08*	45	35	16	3	1

3. Is your opinion of John McCain favorable, not favorable, undecided, or haven't you heard enough about John McCain yet to have an opinion? *QUESTIONS 2-3 WERE ROTATED* .

	Favorable	Not Favorable	Undecided	Don't know enough	Refused
4/99	11	6	14	69	
6/99* CBS	11	7	15	66	1
10/99*CBS	13	8	16	62	
11/99*	16	11	16	57	-
12/99*CBS	22	11	22	45	-
2/00*	36	14	24	26	1
3/00* CBS	38	26	19	15	2
5/00*	46	14	17	22	1
6/14-18/01	36	12	23	28	-
5/20-23/03 CBS	46	9	22	22	1
1/20-25/06	34	12	24	29	-
5/4-8/06	31	15	25	28	1
7/21-25/06	28	13	29	29	1
9/15-18/06	28	14	28	28	1
1/1-3/07 CBS	39	20	28	13	
2/8-11/07* CBS	31	20	28	21	-
3/7-11/07	24	21	26	29	-
4/9-12/07* CBS	28	29	27	16	-
5/18-23/07*	23	30	26	20	1
6/26-28/07* CBS	27	29	25	19	-
7/9-17/07	28	30	24	17	-
7/9-17/07*	29	33	24	14	-
8/8-12/07* CBS	26	31	25	17	1
9/4-9/07*	26	28	29	16	1
2/20-24/08*	36	32	22	9	1
3/15-18/08* CBS	38	31	21	10	
3/28-4/2/08*	35	29	24	11	1
4/25-29/08*	33	34	20	12	1
5/1-3/08*	32	35	19	14	-
5/30-6/3/08* CBS	34	37	21	8	
7/7-14/08*	31	32	27	10	1
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	33	34	26	7	
8/15-19/08*	34	33	28	4	1
9/12-16/08*	44	37	16	3	1

4. How likely is it that you will vote in the 2008 election for President this November - would you say you will definitely vote, probably vote, probably not vote, or definitely not vote in the election for President?

	Definitely vote	Probably vote	Probably not vote	Definitely not vote	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	92	6	2	-	-

5. If the 2008 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were Barack Obama for President and Joe Biden for Vice President, the Democrats, and John McCain for President and Sarah Palin for Vice President, the Republicans, would you vote for Barack Obama and Joe Biden or John McCain and Sarah Palin? *CANDIDATE NAMES WERE ROTATED.*

	Obama/ Biden	McCain/ Palin	Other (vol.)	Won't vote(vol.)	Depends(vol.)/ Undecided	Refused
9/12-16/08*	48	43	1	1	7	1
Probable electorate	49	44	1	-	6	1

VARIED WORDING: If the 2008 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were Barack Obama, the Democrat, and John McCain, the Republican, would you vote for Barack Obama or John McCain? *CANDIDATE NAMES WERE ROTATED.*

	Obama	McCain	Other(vol.)	Won't vote(vol.)	Depends(vol.)	DK/NA
2/20-24/08*	50	38	1	2	2	7
3/28-4/2/08*	47	42	1	3	2	5
4/25-29/08*	45	45	1	3	1	4
5/1-3/08*	51	40	-	4	1	3
5/30-6/3/08* CBS	48	42	1	3	2	4
7/7-14/08*	45	39	2	2	3	9
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	45	39	1	2	4	9
8/15-19/08*	45	42	1	2	6	5

6. IF DEPENDS/UNDECIDED IN Q.5: Well as of today, do you lean more toward Barack Obama and Joe Biden or more toward John McCain and Sarah Palin? *RESULTS FOR QUESTION 6 INCLUDE RESPONSES FROM QUESTION 5*

	Obama/ Biden	McCain/ Palin	Other (vol.)	Won't vote(vol.)	Refused
9/12-16/08*	50	45	1	1	4
Probable electorate	50	46	-	1	3

VARIED WORDING: Well as of today, do you lean more toward Barack Obama or more toward John McCain?

	Obama	McCain	Other	Won't vote	DK/NA
8/15-19/08*	47	45	1	2	4

7. IF MADE A CHOICE IN Q.5: Is your mind made up or is it still too early to say for sure?

	Mind made up	Too early to say for sure	DK/NA
7/7-14/08*	72	28	1
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	70	29	1
8/15-19/08*	72	27	-
9/12-16/08*	80	19	2
Obama supporters*	79	18	3
McCain supporters*	81	19	-

8. IF OBAMA OR McCAIN IN Q.5: How would you describe your feelings about (Barack Obama/John McCain) as the (Democratic/Republican) nominee - would you say you enthusiastically support him; support him but have reservations about him; support him only because he is the likely party nominee; or support him because you dislike the (John McCain/Barack Obama)?

	Enthusiastic	Reservations	Party nominee	Dislike other	DK/NA
8/15-19/08*	37	42	11	9	1
Obama supporters*	48	38	9	4	1
McCain supporters*	24	47	14	14	1
9/12-16/08*	54	30	7	7	2
Obama supporters*	60	23	8	5	3
McCain supporters*	47	37	6	10	1

9. If the 2008 Presidential election were being held today, and the candidates were Barack Obama for President and Joe Biden for Vice-President, the Democrats, John McCain for President and Sarah Palin for Vice-President, the Republicans, Bob Barr for President and Wayne Allyn Root for Vice-President, the Libertarians, and Ralph Nader for President and Matt Gonzalez for Vice President, would you vote for Barack Obama and Joe Biden, John McCain and Sarah Palin, Bob Barr and Wayne Allyn Root, or Ralph Nader and Matt Gonzalez?

	9/12-16/08*	9/12-16/08* Probable Electorate
Obama/Biden	48	49
McCain/Palin	42	43
Barr/Root	1	1
Nader/Gonzalez	2	2
Other (vol.)	-	-
Won't vote (vol.)	-	-
Depends (vol.)/Undecided	5	4
Refused	1	1

10. Regardless of how you intend to vote for President in 2008, who do you expect to finally win the 2008 presidential election - John McCain or Barack Obama? *CANDIDATE NAMES WERE ROTATED.*

	McCain	Obama	Depends(vol.)	DK/NA
7/7-14/08*	30	53	4	13
8/15-19/08*	34	48	2	16
9/12-16/08*	38	45	3	14

11. If the 2008 election for U.S. House of Representatives were being held today, would you vote for the Republican candidate or the Democratic candidate in your district?

	Republican	Democratic	Other(vol.)	Won't vote(vol.)	Depends(vol.)	DK/NA
4/25-29/08*	32	50	-	-	7	10
9/12-16/08*	31	51	-	-	10	7

12. In deciding who you would like to see elected President this year, which one of the following issues will be most important to you - 1. terrorism and national security, 2. the economy and jobs, 3. health care, 4. the war in Iraq, 5. gas prices and energy policy, 6. illegal immigration, or 7. something else? *ISSUES WERE ROTATED.*

	8/15-19/08*	9/12-16/08*
Terrorism and national security	9	14
The economy and jobs	40	48
Health care	9	10
The war in Iraq	15	8
Gas prices and energy policy	15	10
Illegal immigration	6	3
Something else	4	5
DK/NA	2	2

13. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as President?

	Approve	Dis- approve	DK/NA		Approve	Dis- approve	DK/NA
2/10-12/01 CBS	53	21	26	9/12-16/04	50	42	8
3/8-12/01	60	22	18	9/20-22/04 CBS	48	44	8
4/4-5/01 CBS	53	35	12	10/1-3/04	47	43	10
5/10-12/01 CBS	57	30	13	10/14-17/04	44	48	8
6/14-18/01	53	34	13	10/28-30/04	49	44	7
8/28-31/01 CBS	50	38	12	11/18-21/04	51	44	5
9/11-12/01 CBS	72	15	13	1/14-18/05	49	46	5
9/13-14/01	84	9	8	2/24-28/05	49	44	7
9/20-23/01	89	7	5	3/9-14/05 NYT	46	45	10
10/25-28/01	87	8	5	4/13-16/05 CBS	44	51	5
12/7-10/01	86	9	4	5/20-24/05 CBS	46	48	6
1/5-6/02 CBS	84	10	6	6/10-15/05	42	51	7
1/15-17/02 CBS	82	11	7	7/13-14/05 CBS	45	50	5
1/21-24/02	82	12	6	7/29-8/2/05 CBS	45	46	9
2/24-26/02 CBS	78	14	8	8/29-31/05 CBS	41	51	8
4/1-2/02 CBS	77	17	6	9/6-7/05 CBS	42	52	6
4/28-5/1/02	73	18	9	9/9-13/05	41	53	6
5/13-14/02 CBS	77	16	7	10/3-5/05 CBS	37	58	5
5/19-20/02 CBS	71	18	11	10/30-11/1/05 CBS	35	57	8
6/18-20/02 CBS	70	20	10	12/2-6/05	40	53	7
7/8-9/02 CBS	74	19	6	1/5-8/06 CBS	41	52	7
7/13-16/02	70	20	9	1/20-25/06	42	51	7
7/22-23/02 CBS	65	27	8	2/22-26/06 CBS	34	59	7
8/6-7/02 CBS	66	25	9	3/9-12/06 CBS	34	57	9
9/2-5/02	63	28	9	4/6-9/06 CBS	37	56	7
9/22-23/02 CBS	66	27	7	4/28-30/06 CBS	33	58	2
10/3-6/02	63	29	8	5/4-8/06	31	63	6
10/27-31/02	62	28	10	6/10-11/06 CBS	33	60	7
11/20-24/02	65	27	9	7/21-25/06	36	55	9
1/4-6/03 CBS	64	28	8	8/11-13/06 CBS	36	57	7
1/19-22/03	59	35	6	8/17-21/06	36	57	7
2/5-6/03 CBS	63	28	9	9/15-19/06	37	56	7
2/10-12/03	54	38	8	10/5-8/06	34	60	5
2/24-25/03 CBS	56	35	9	10/27-31/06	34	58	7
3/4-5/03 CBS	58	32	10	11/12-13/06 CBS	34	61	5
3/7-9/03	56	37	6	12/8-10/06 CBS	31	63	6
3/15-16/03 CBS	59	34	7	1/1-3/07 CBS	30	63	7
3/17/03 CBS	64	31	5	1/18-21/07 CBS	28	64	8
3/20/03 <i>PANEL</i>	67	31	2	2/8-11/07 CBS	32	59	9
3/20-21/03	67	26	7	2/23-27/07	29	61	10
3/22/03	68	26	6	3/7-11/07	34	58	8
3/23/03	71	23	6	3/26-27/07 CBS	30	64	6
3/24/03	70	26	5	4/9-12/07 CBS	31	61	8
3/20-24/03	69	25	6	4/20-24/07	32	61	7
3/26-27/03 CBS	68	26	6	5/18-23/07	30	63	7
4/2-3/03 CBS	67	26	7	6/26-28/07 CBS	27	65	8
4/11-13/03	73	21	6	7/9-17/07	29	64	8
4/26-27/03 CBS	67	24	9	7/20-22/07	30	62	8
5/9-12/03	67	26	7	8/8-12/07 CBS	29	65	6
7/13-27/03	54	41	5	9/4-8/07	30	64	6
8/26-28/03 CBS	55	37	8	10/12-16/07 CBS	30	61	9
9/15-16/03 CBS	52	39	9	12/5-9/07	28	65	8
9/28-10/1/03	51	42	7	1/9-12/08	29	62	8
10/20-21/03 CBS	54	36	10	1/30-2/2/08 CBS	27	65	8
11/10-12/03 CBS	50	42	8	2/20-24/08	30	64	6
12/14-15/03	58	33	9	3/15-18/08 CBS	29	64	7
1/12-15/04	50	45	5	3/28-4/2/08	28	64	8
2/12-15/04 CBS	50	42	8	4/25-4/29/08	28	65	8
2/24-27/04 CBS	47	44	9	5/1-3/08	28	63	9
3/10-14/04	51	42	6	5/30-6/3/08 CBS	25	67	
3/30-4/1/04 CBS	49	44	7	7/7-14/08	28	65	8
4/23-27/04	46	47	8	7/31-8/5/08 CBS	25	66	7
5/20-23/04 CBS	41	52	7	8/15-20/08	28	65	9
6/23-27/04	42	51	7	9/12-16/08	27	68	5
7/11-15/04	45	48	7				
8/15-18/04 CBS	46	45	9				

14. Do you feel things in this country are generally going in the right direction or do you feel things have pretty seriously gotten off on the wrong track?

	Right	Wrong	DK/NA		Right	Wrong	DK/NA
1/27-28/91 CBS	51	39	10	9/20-22/04 CBS	41	54	5
3/4-6/91	51	42	7	10/1-3/04	40	51	9
10/15-18/91	33	60	7	10/14-17/04	37	59	4
11/27-28/94 CBS	30	65	5	10/28-30/04	43	55	2
12/3-6/95 NYT	25	64	10	11/18-21/04	40	54	6
12/8-11/96 NYT	39	51	11	1/14-18/05	39	56	5
9/16-18/96 CBS	41	48	11	2/24-28/05	42	52	6
2/19-21/98	54	36	9	3/9-14/05 NYT	37	56	7
9/8-10/98	49	42	10	1/5-8/06 CBS	31	62	7
10/12-13/98	46	47	7	4/13-16/05 CBS	32	62	6
10/26-28/98	52	42	7	5/20-24/05 CBS	34	60	6
5/10-13/00	48	44	7	6/10-15/05	33	61	6
3/8-12/01	40	54	6	7/29-8/2/05 CBS	37	57	6
4/23-25/01 CBS	37	58	5	9/9-13/05	31	63	6
6/14-18/01	42	53	5	5/4-8/06	23	70	7
10/25-28/01	61	29	10	10/3-5/05 CBS	37	58	5
12/7-10/01	64	27	10	10/30-11/1/05 CBS	27	68	5
1/24-27/02	52	35	12	12/2-6/05	31	60	9
7/13-16/02	42	48	10	1/20-25/06	32	61	7
7/22-23/02 CBS	39	53	8	3/9-12/06 CBS	28	66	9
8/6-7/02 CBS	41	51	8	4/28-30/06 CBS	24	71	5
9/2-5/02	43	49	8	6/10-11/06 CBS	27	69	4
10/3-6/02	42	48	10	7/21-25/06	28	66	6
10/27-31/02	41	52	8	8/17-21/06	29	67	4
11/20-24/02	41	49	10	10/27-31/06	29	64	7
2/10-12/03	35	56	9	12/8-10/06 CBS	24	70	6
3/22/03	50	40	10	1/1-3/07 CBS	27	68	5
4/11-13/03	56	36	9	1/18-21/07 CBS	26	69	5
9/28-10/1/03	37	56	7	2/8-11/07 CBS	26	68	6
7/13-27/03	46	49	5	2/23-27/07	23	68	9
11/10-12/03 CBS	39	53	8	3/7-11/07	25	69	6
12/10-13/03	39	56	5	5/18-23/07	24	72	4
12/14-15/03	49	43	8	6/26-28/07 CBS	19	75	6
1/12-15/04	42	53	5	7/9-17/07	22	72	6
2/12-15/04 CBS	41	51	8	9/4-8/07	24	71	4
3/10-14/04	38	54	8	12/5-9/07	21	71	8
3/30-4/1/04 CBS	36	57	7	1/9-12/08	18	76	6
4/23-27/04	36	55	9	3/28-4/2/08	14	81	5
5/20-23/04 CBS	30	65	5	5/30-6/3/08 CBS	14	83	3
6/23-27/04	36	57	6	7/7-14/08	14	81	5
7/11-15/04	36	56	8	9/12-16/08	14	81	5
8/15-18/04 CBS	39	55	6				
9/12-16/04	41	51	7				

20. How would you rate the condition of the national economy these days? Is it very good, fairly good, fairly bad or very bad?

	Very Good	Fairly good	Fairly bad	Very bad	DK/NA		Very good	Fairly good	Fairly bad	Very bad	DK/NA
1/92A	-	17	47	35	1	1/15-17/02 CBS	2	49	36	11	2
1/92B	1	20	46	32	1	1/21-24/02	2	50	36	10	1
2/92A	1	16	38	42	2	2/24-26/02 CBS	1	52	38	7	2
2/92B	1	16	40	41	1	5/13-14/02 CBS	4	62	27	7	-
3/92	1	18	39	40	1	6/18-20/02 CBS	3	56	30	9	2
4/92	1	23	40	34	1	7/13-16/02	2	47	36	13	2
7/92	-	21	41	37	1	7/22-23/02 CBS	3	42	39	14	2
8/92A	1	20	40	38	1	8/6-7/02 CBS	2	45	38	13	2
9/92A	1	19	37	39	3	9/2-5/02	3	47	36	14	1
10/92A	1	18	42	37	2	10/3-6/02	4	39	42	14	2
10/92C	2	21	40	37	1	10/27-31/02	1	44	38	15	1
10/92D	2	21	40	36	2	11/20-24/02	2	46	37	13	2
10/92E	1	22	39	36	2	1/4-6/03 CBS	1	40	43	14	2
12/92	1	31	39	28	2	1/19-22/03	1	42	43	12	1
1/93	1	34	41	22	2	2/10-12/03	2	37	42	18	2
2/93	2	33	36	26	3	3/20-24/03	3	47	33	15	2
3/93	1	33	41	22	2	4/11-13/03	2	48	36	10	3
6/93A	1	29	43	25	2	5/9-12/03	2	42	41	14	1
6/93B	1	33	40	23	2	9/28-10/1/03	4	39	37	19	1
8/93	3	28	45	23	1	10/20-21/03 CBS	3	42	36	18	1
9/93	1	31	44	23	1	12/10-13/03	4	52	30	13	1
11/93	2	40	38	18	2	12/14-15/03	5	50	28	13	4
12/93	1	43	39	15	2	1/12-15/04	3	51	34	11	1
12/93	1	43	39	15	2	3/10-14/04	2	47	34	15	2
1/94	2	45	38	14	1	4/23-27/04	4	51	30	15	1
1/94	1	49	34	14	1	5/20-23/04 CBS	5	47	31	16	1
2/94	2	50	34	12	2	6/23-27/04	4	54	30	11	1
4/94	3	51	33	11	2	8/15-18/04 CBS	5	47	32	15	1
6/94	3	51	32	11	3	9/12-16/04	3	51	31	12	2
7/94	3	50	35	11	1	10/1-3/04	6	49	29	16	1
9/94	2	51	33	13	2	10/14-17/04	3	49	32	13	2
9/94	3	50	34	11	2	11/18-21/04	4	50	30	14	1
11/94	2	53	33	10	1	2/24-28/05	4	53	29	13	1
1/95	3	57	28	11	1	6/10-15/05	4	50	32	13	1
2/95	5	53	29	12	2	7/29-8/2/05 CBS	7	50	31	11	1
3/95	3	52	29	13	3	9/9-13/05	4	45	33	17	1
7/95	3	58	26	11	2	10/30-11/1/05 CBS	3	44	35	16	2
10/95	3	54	32	10	1	12/2-6/05	6	49	29	14	1
12/95	4	54	27	13	2	1/5-8/06 CBS	6	48	32	13	1
1/96	2	49	33	14	2	1/20-25/06	6	51	29	13	1
2/96	3	50	30	15	3	2/22-26/06 CBS	5	45	33	15	2
6/96	2	53	32	11	2	3/9-12/06 CBS	4	51	29	14	2
6/96B	4	56	30	9	1	4/6-9/06 CBS	7	45	30	17	1
7/96	5	56	27	10		4/28-30/06 CBS	8	49	27	14	2
8/96	5	58	23	10	3	5/4-8/06	6	47	31	15	1
9/96	5	64	23	7	1	7/21-25/06	5	46	34	13	1
10/96	6	66	19	6	2	8/17-21/06	5	47	32	15	1
10/96C	6	61	21	10	3	9/15-19/06	5	51	30	13	1
11/96	6	64	21	6	2	10/5-8/06	7	53	28	11	1
12/96	6	61	22	8	3	10/27-31/06	9	50	26	13	3
1/97	7	64	23	5	1	12/8-10/06 CBS	8	50	26	13	3
4/97	6	62	24	7	1	1/1-3/07 CBS	8	50	26	14	2
7/97	11	62	18	8	1	1/18-21/07 CBS	7	51	31	10	1
11/97	14	63	16	5	2	2/8-11/07 CBS	8	52	27	12	1
12/97	17	63	15	4	2	2/23-27/07	7	55	25	10	3
1/98	16	67	13	3	1	3/7-11/07	8	47	33	11	1
2/98	21	67	9	3	1	4/9-12/07 CBS	8	51	28	11	2
8/11-13/98	21	66	8	3	2	5/18-23/07	7	48	29	14	1
8/19-20/98	25	61	9	3	2	7/9-17/07	9	46	30	13	2
10/98A	16	65	15	3	2	8/8-12/07 CBS	7	45	32	14	2
10/98B	16	68	11	3	2	9/4-8/07	4	51	30	15	1
2/00	28	60	8	3	1	10/12-16/07 CBS	5	45	33	16	1
5/00	29	58	7	4	2	12/5-9/07	3	39	39	18	1
9/00D*	26	64	7	2	1	1/9-12/08	3	35	42	19	2
10/00	25	60	9	4	3	1/30-2/2/08 CBS	2	26	44	27	1
11/00	26	63	7	3	2	2/20-24/08	2	27	45	25	1
12/00 CBS	21	65	10	3	1	3/15-18/08 CBS	1	24	42	34	
1/01 CBS	14	70	11	4	1	3/28-4/2/08	1	20	48	30	1
3/8-12/01	6	68	19	5		4/25-29/08	-	22	41	36	1
4/01B CBS	3	58	29	7	3	5/1-3/08	1	15	40	43	1
5/01 CBS	4	64	23	7	2	5/30-6/3/08 CBS	1	19	45	33	2
6/14-18/01	3	67	22	6	2	7/7-14/08	1	18	45	35	1
9/20-23/01	3	50	33	11	2	7/31-8/5/08 CBS	1	16	40	43	
10/25-28/01	3	53	33	9	2	8/15-19/08	1	17	41	41	-
12/07-10/01	3	52	35	8	2	9/12-16/08	2	20	39	39	-
1/5-6/02 CBS3		49	36	8	4						

15. Do you think the economy is getting better, getting worse, or staying about the same?

	Better	Worse	Same	DK/NA		Better	Worse	Same	DK/NA
1/92A	8	47	44	1	12/07-10/01	19	34	45	2
1/92B	9	45	44	1	1/5-6/02 CBS	26	27	44	3
2/92B	13	38	48	1	1/21-24/02	18	33	48	1
3/92	20	26	53	1	5/13-14/02 CBS	31	18	51	-
4/92	18	31	50	1	7/13-16/02	14	41	44	2
7/92	12	33	54	1	10/3-5/02	13	39	46	2
8/92A	10	36	53	1	10/27-31/02	17	34	48	1
9/92A	10	33	55	2	11/20-24/02	19	30	50	2
10/92A	9	38	51	1	1/19-22/03	17	39	44	1
10/92C	12	37	49	2	4/11-13/03	17	31	49	2
10/92D	17	33	48	2	5/9-12/03	22	28	49	1
10/92E	17	32	49	2	7/13-27/03	22	31	46	1
12/92	29	17	51	3	8/26-28/03 CBS	25	31	43	1
1/93	26	18	55	1	9/28-10/1/03	24	29	46	1
2/93	32	15	51	2	12/10-13/03	34	24	41	1
3/93	21	19	58	2	12/14-15/03	39	19	39	2
6/93A	13	26	60	1	1/12-15/04	34	26	39	1
8/93 CBS	12	30	56	2	2/12-15/04 CBS	33	27	39	1
9/93	14	26	58	1	3/10-14/04	28	27	43	2
11/93	19	24	57	1	4/23-27/04	30	26	44	1
1/94	31	17	57	1	5/20-23/04 CBS	23	32	43	2
4/94	24	25	50	1	6/23-27/04	28	23	47	1
7/94	22	21	56	1	9/12-16/04	26	27	45	2
9/94	23	27	50	1	9/12-16/04	26	27	45	2
11/94	20	26	53	1	10/14-17/04	24	33	42	1
1/95 CBS	24	22	53	1	11/18-21/04	26	29	44	1
2/95	27	20	53	1	1/14-18/05	25	29	45	1
3/95	18	27	53	2	2/24-28/05	23	30	46	1
8/95	14	27	58	1	6/10-15/05	18	36	45	2
10/95	13	27	57	2	7/29-8/2/05 CBS	20	32	47	1
2/95	16	26	56	2	9/9-13/05	13	47	38	2
1/96	13	31	54	2	10/30-11/1/05 CBS	16	40	44	
2/96	14	29	55	2	12/2-6/05	19	35	45	1
4/96	14	32	53	2	1/5-8/06 CBS	20	37	43	
6/96	13	29	57	1	1/20-25/06	17	38	44	1
6/96 NYT	18	22	58	1	3/9-12/06	13	39	47	1
9/96	23	21	54	2	5/4-8/06	14	47	39	1
7/96	16	27	55	2	7/21-25/06	12	47	41	1
8/96C	17	23	57	3	9/15-19/06	17	36	46	1
10/96	26	19	53	2	10/5-8/06	19	31	49	1
11/96	24	19	55	2	10/27-31/06	16	38	44	
12/96	19	21	57	2	2/8-11/07 CBS	15	34	49	2
1/97	24	19	56	1	2/23-27/07	11	35	51	2
4/97	16	25	57	1	4/9-12/07 CBS	11	44	44	1
11/97 CBS	23	19	55	3	5/18-23/07	11	43	44	2
12/97	29	18	51	2	7/9-17/07	12	41	45	2
1/98	32	13	55	1	9/4-8/07	8	49	43	1
10/98A	20	26	53	2	10/12-16/07 CBS	9	45	44	2
10/98B	23	21	53	2	12/5-9/07	5	53	40	2
2/00	30	15	52	2	1/9-12/08	4	62	33	1
1/01 CBS	11	39	49	1	1/30-2/2/08 CBS	6	67	26	1
2/01 CBS	8	46	44	2	2/20-24/08	3	63	32	1
3/8-12/01	7	41	49	2	3/15-18/08 CBS	2	75	21	2
4/01 CBS	9	48	41	2	3/28-4/2/08	4	70	25	1
5/01 CBS	10	44	44	2	4/25-29/08	4	70	24	1
6/14-18/01	9	40	50	1	5/30-6/3/08 CBS	3	69	27	1
9/20-23/01	8	55	35	2	7/7-14/08	3	67	29	1
10/25-28/01	14	37	46	2	9/12-16/08	6	61	32	1

17. What do you want the next President's goals to be in Iraq: end the fighting in Iraq within the next year or two, or continue fighting in Iraq as long as he felt it was necessary?

	End war	Continue fighting	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	59	37	4

18. Do you think of the war with Iraq as part of the war on terrorism, or do you think of it as separate from the war on terrorism? IF ANSWERED "PART OF WAR ON TERRORISM", ASK: Is it a major part of the war on terrorism, or a minor part of the war on terrorism?

	Major part	Minor part	Not part	DK/NA
4/2-3/03 CBS	51	11	31	7
4/11-13/03	53	13	30	4
5/9-12/03	51	14	32	3
9/15-16/03 CBS	43	9	43	5
9/28-10/1/03	47	10	37	5
11/10-13/03 CBS	46	14	35	5
10/21-22/03 CBS	46	15	33	6
2/12-15/04 CBS	44	12	40	4
3/30-4/1/04 CBS	34	16	44	6
12/2-6/05	41	12	43	4
3/9-12/06 CBS	35	11	49	5
6/10-11/06 CBS	41	13	41	5
8/11-13/06 CBS	35	15	46	4
8/17-21/06	32	12	51	5
9/15-19/06	36	13	46	4
10/5-8/06	31	12	52	4
7/20-22/07	32	14	46	8
9/4-8/07	38	13	47	3
10/12-16/07	35	11	48	6
9/12-16/08	26	13	53	7

19. Many of the tax cuts passed in 2001 were temporary and are set to expire in a few years. Should those tax cuts be made permanent or should they be allowed to expire?

	Made permanent	Allowed to expire	Depends(vol.)	DK/NA
1/18-21/07 CBS	39	39	7	15
3/7-11/07	43	40	5	12
8/15-20/08	47	34	3	16
9/12-16/08	42	36	5	18

20. Which of the following three statements comes closest to expressing your overall view of the health care system in the United States: 1. On the whole, the health care system works pretty well and only minor changes are necessary to make it work better. 2. There are some good things in our health care system, but fundamental changes are needed. 3. Our health care system has so much wrong with it that we need to completely rebuild it.

	Minor changes	Fundamental changes	Completely rebuild	DK/NA
8/18-22/91	7	50	40	3
9/16-19/93	7	48	42	2
1/15-17/94	9	52	38	1
9/8-11/94	19	48	31	2
7/13-14/99 CBS	12	61	25	2
1/21-24/02	13	57	30	1
7/13-16/02	10	55	33	2
5/9-12/03	11	57	31	2
7/13-27/03	13	56	30	1
2/24-28/05	13	59	27	1
1/20-25/06	8	56	34	2
2/23-27/07	8	54	36	1
7/9-17/07	11	50	38	1
9/12-16/08	14	50	35	1

21. How important is it that a President be someone you can relate to - is it very important, somewhat important, not very important, or not at all important?

	Very important	Somewhat	Not very	Not at all	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	44	38	12	6	1

22. Is your opinion of Joe Biden favorable, not favorable, undecided, or haven't you heard enough about Joe Biden yet to have an opinion? *QUESTIONS 22-23 WERE ROTATED*

	Favorable	Not Fav	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
5/5-6/87	3	3	14	84	
9/21-22/87	3	16	14	67	
10/18-22/87	8	15	13	62	2
1/1-3/07 CBS	9	14	20	57	
9/14-16/07 CBS	9	15	19	56	1
8/15-20/08	13	12	18	54	2
9/12-16/08*	38	17	17	28	-

23. Is your opinion of Sarah Palin favorable, not favorable, undecided, or haven't you heard enough about Sarah Palin yet to have an opinion? *QUESTIONS 22-23 WERE ROTATED*

	Favorable	Not Fav	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
9/12-16/08*	40	30	15	15	-

QUESTIONS 24-30 WERE ROTATED WITH QUESTIONS 31-37

24. Do you think Barack Obama understands the needs and problems of people like yourself?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	60	33	6

25. How confident are you in Barack Obama's ability to make the right decisions about the economy – are you very confident, somewhat confident, not too confident, or not at all confident?

	Very Confident	Somewhat confident	Not too confident	Not at all confident	DK/NA
2/20-24/08*	20	46	19	12	3
3/28-4/2/08*	17	45	21	15	2
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	12	40	24	21	3
8/15-19/08*	23	42	16	18	1
9/12-16/08*	23	37	22	17	1

26. How confident are you in Barack Obama's ability to make the right decisions about the war in Iraq – are you very confident, somewhat confident, not too confident, or not at all confident?

	Very Confident	Somewhat confident	Not too confident	Not at all confident	DK/NA
2/20-24/08*	20	37	21	19	3
9/12-16/08*	26	26	19	27	1

27. Do you think Barack Obama has made it clear what he would do as president, or hasn't he done that yet?

	Has made it clear	Hasn't made it clear	DK/NA
8/15-19/08*	41	55	4
9/12-16/08*	52	44	4

28. Do you think Barack Obama shares the values most Americans try to live by, or doesn't he?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
7/9-17/07	64	12	24
3/28-4/2/08*	70	21	10
4/25-29/08*	64	26	9
5/1-3/08*	60	33	7
5/30-6/3/08* CBS	62	30	8
8/15-19/08*	63	31	6
9/12-16/08*	66	27	7

29. Do you think Barack Obama has prepared himself well enough for the job of President, or hasn't he?

	Has prepared	Has not prepared	DK/NA
8/15-19/08*	44	49	8
9/12-14/08*	48	46	6

30. Do you think Barack Obama says what he believes most of the time, or does he say what he thinks people want to hear?

	Says what he believes	Says what people want	DK/NA
7/9-17/07	46	32	22
5/1-3/08*	53	43	4
7/7-14/08*	43	51	6
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	42	51	7
8/15-19/08*	46	51	3
9/12-16/08*	51	46	3

31. Do you think John McCain understands the needs and problems of people like yourself?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	48	47	5

32. How confident are you in John McCain's ability to make the right decisions about the economy - are you very confident, somewhat confident, not too confident, or not at all confident?

	Very confident	Somewhat confident	Not too confident	Not at all confident	DK/NA
2/20-24/08*	11	47	24	14	4
3/28-4/2/08*	11	43	21	21	4
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	9	41	29	18	3
8/15-19/08*	11	43	28	16	1
9/12-16/08*	18	35	22	24	1

33. How confident are you in John McCain's ability to make the right decisions about the war in Iraq - are you very confident, somewhat confident, not too confident, or not at all confident?

	Very confident	Somewhat confident	Not too confident	Not at all confident	DK/NA
2/20-24/08*	27	31	18	22	2
9/12-16/08*	36	20	17	26	1

34. Do you think John McCain has made it clear what he would do as president, or hasn't he done that yet?

	Has made it clear	Hasn't made it clear	DK/NA
8/15-19/08*	43	51	6
9/12-16/08*	52	42	6

35. Do you think John McCain shares the values most Americans try to live by, or doesn't he?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
3/28-4/2/08*	66	27	7
4/25-29/08*	67	26	7
5/1-3/08*	58	32	10
5/30-6/3/08* CBS	63	28	9
8/15-19/08*	63	30	7
9/12-16/08*	61	33	7

36. Do you think John McCain has prepared himself well enough for the job of President, or hasn't he?

	Has prepared	Has not prepared	DK/NA
8/15-19/08*	68	25	6
9/8/15-19/08*	71	24	6

37. Do you think John McCain says what he believes most of the time, or does he say what he thinks people want to hear?

	What he believes	What people want to hear	DK/NA
5/1-3/08*	51	41	8
7/7-14/08*	46	49	6
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	49	44	7
8/15-19/08*	51	45	4
9/12-16/08	52	45	3

QUESTIONS 38-43 WERE ROTATED WITH QUESTIONS 44-49

38. Regardless of how you intend to vote for president in 2008, how likely do you think it is that Barack Obama would be an effective commander-in-chief of the nation's military – would you say it is very likely, somewhat likely, not very likely, or not likely at all?

	Very likely	Somewhat likely	Not too likely	Not at all likely	DK/NA
2/20-24/08*	23	46	15	13	3
5/30-6/3/08* CBS	25	37	17	18	3
7/7-14/08*	24	38	21	15	3
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	20	39	20	19	2
8/15-19/08*	21	37	20	20	2
9/12-16/08*	26	35	20	17	1

39. Do you think Barack Obama is someone you can relate to, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
8/15-19/08*	55	42	3
9/12-16/08*	57	40	3

40. If he were elected President, do you think Barack Obama would bring about real change in the way things are done in Washington, or wouldn't he do that?

	Would	Would not	DK/NA
7/7-14/08*	58	35	8
9/12-16/08*	65	29	6

41. If Barack Obama is elected president, do you think that will make the United States' image in the world better, make it worse, or will it have no effect on the United States' image in the world?

	Better	Worse	No effect	DK/NA
7/7-14/08*	48	14	32	6
8/15-19/08*	52	17	25	6
9/12-16/08*	55	15	26	5

42. If Barack Obama is elected President in November, do you think your taxes will go up, go down, or stay about the same?

	Go up	Go down	Stay same	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	49	15	33	3

43. Do you think Barack Obama is a different kind of Democrat, or do you think he is a typical Democrat?

	Different	Typical	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	47	48	5

44. Regardless of how you intend to vote for president in 2008, how likely do you think it is that John McCain would be an effective commander-in-chief of the nation's military – would you say it is very likely, somewhat likely, not very likely, or not likely at all?

	Very likely	Somewhat likely	Not too likely	Not at all likely	DK/NA
2/20-24/08*	48	32	9	9	3
5/30-6/3/08* CBS	39	38	10	10	3
7/7-14/08*	46	36	9	7	3
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	38	34	15	10	3
8/15-19/08*	44	36	12	7	1
9/12-16/08*	52	27	10	10	1

45. Do you think John McCain is someone you can relate to, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
8/15-19/08*	41	56	3
9/12-16/08*	47	51	3

46. If he were elected President, do you think John McCain would bring about real change in the way things are done in Washington, or wouldn't he do that?

	Would	Would not	DK/NA
7/7-14/08*	28	65	8
9/12-16/08*	37	59	5

47. If John McCain is elected president, do you think that will make the United States' image in the world better, make it worse, or will it have no effect on the United States' image in the world?

	Better	Worse	No effect	DK/NA
7/7-14/08*	18	18	59	5
8/15-19/08*	26	25	46	3

48. If John McCain is elected President in November, do you think your taxes will go up, go down, or stay about the same?

	Go up	Go down	Stay same	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	34	8	55	4

49. Do you think John McCain is a different kind of Republican, or do you think he is a typical Republican?

	Different	Typical	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	40	57	3

QUESTIONS 50-51 WERE ROTATED WITH QUESTIONS 52-53

50. Regardless of how you intend to vote, what do you like MOST about Joe Biden?

	9/12-16/08*
Experience	15
Honest	6
Foreign Policy	5
Outspoken	5
Easy to relate to	2
Understands/cares	2
Family	2
Everything	-
Nothing	14
Other	12
DK/NA	37

51. Regardless of how you intend to vote, what do you like LEAST about Joe Biden?

	9/12-16/08*
Too many gaffes	8
Washington insider	5
Stance on issues	3
Can't relate to	2
Democrat	2
Liberal	2
Dishonest	2
Everything	-
Nothing	17
Other	12
DK/NA	47

52. Regardless of how you intend to vote, what do you like MOST about Sarah Palin?

	9/12-16/08*
Outspoken	7
Female	7
Fighter/tough	5
Fresh face	5
Easy to relate to	4
Understands/cares	4
Honest	4
Like her	3
Intelligent	2
Working mom	2
Family	2
Everything	1
Nothing	21
Other	15
DK/NA	18

53. Regardless of how you intend to vote, what do you like LEAST about Sarah Palin?

	9/12-16/08*
Not experienced	15
Abortion stance	4
Too conservative	4
Family	3
Record as Governor	3
Dishonest	3
No foreign policy	2
Too religious	2
Moving too fast	2
Stance on issues	2
Everything	2
Nothing	23
Other	12
DK/NA	23

QUESTIONS 54-57 WERE ROTATED WITH QUESTIONS 58-61

54. Which best describes your feelings about Barack Obama's selection of Joe Biden as his Vice-Presidential nominee – enthusiastic, or satisfied but not enthusiastic, or dissatisfied but not angry, or angry?

	Enthusiastic	Satisfied	Dissatisfied	Angry	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	16	48	21	1	13
Obama supporters*	27	58	8	1	6
McCain supporters*	6	38	33	2	21

55. When Barack Obama chose Joe Biden as his running mate, do you think it was MORE because he thinks Joe Biden is well-qualified for the job, or MORE because he thinks Joe Biden would help him win the election?

	Well-qualified	Help win the election	Both equally(vol.)	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	57	31	5	6

56. Do you think Joe Biden is prepared for the job of Vice President, or isn't he?

	Is prepared	Has not prepared	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	74	11	15

57. Do you think Joe Biden is someone you can relate to, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	43	42	15

58. Which best describes your feelings about John McCain's selection of Sarah Palin as his Vice-Presidential nominee – enthusiastic, or satisfied but not enthusiastic, or dissatisfied but not angry, or angry?

	Enthusiastic	Satisfied	Dissatisfied	Angry	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	33	21	29	10	6
Obama supporters*	5	12	52	20	11
McCain supporters*	69	27	4	-	-

59. When John McCain chose Sarah Palin as his running mate, do you think it was MORE because he thinks Sarah Palin is well-qualified for the job, or MORE because he thinks Sarah Palin would help him win the election?

	Well-qualified	Help win the election	Both equally(vol.)	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	17	75	6	1

60. Do you think Sarah Palin is prepared for the job of Vice President, or isn't she?

	Is prepared	Has not prepared	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	42	52	6

61. Do you think Sarah Palin is someone you can relate to, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	55	42	4

62. What do you think John McCain will do if he is elected President - do you think he will generally continue George W. Bush's policies, change to more conservative policies, or change to less conservative policies?

	Continue Bush policies	Change to more conservative	Change to less conservative	DK/NA
4/25-29/08*	48	19	25	8
5/30-6/3/08* CBS	43	21	28	8
8/15-19/08*	47	20	24	9
9/12-16/08*	46	22	26	6

63. If elected, Barack Obama would be 47 years old when he assumes office. Do you think his being 47 years old might make him too inexperienced to do the work the presidency requires, or do you think his age helps him have the fresh new ideas to do a good job as president? *QUESTIONS 63-64 WERE ROTATED*

	Too inexperienced	New ideas	Wouldn't matter(vol.)	DK/NA
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	26	53	16	5
9/12-16/08*	24	58	14	4

64. If elected, John McCain would be 72 years old when he assumes office. Do you think his being 72 years old might make it too difficult for him to do the work the presidency requires, or do you think his age helps him have the experience and wisdom to do a good job as president? *QUESTIONS 63-64 WERE ROTATED*

	Age makes job too difficult	Age means experience	Wouldn't matter(vol.)	DK/NA
7/7-14/08*	36	48	12	4
7/31-8/5/08* CBS	37	45	14	4
9/12-16/08*	31	54	11	4

65. Think about most women you know. In deciding whether or not to vote for John McCain, will they be more influenced by John McCain's selection of a woman as his running mate or will they be more influenced by John McCain's stand on the issues?

	Selection of woman	Stand on issues	Both equal(vol.)	Something else(vol.)	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	45	45	4	1	6

70. Looking back, do you think the United States did the right thing in taking military action against Iraq, or should the U.S. have stayed out?

	Right thing	Stay out	DK/NA
12/10-13/03	64	28	8
12/14-16/03	63	31	6
2/12-15/04 CBS	58	37	5
2/24-27/04 CBS	54	39	7
3/10-14/04	58	37	6
4/23-27/04	47	46	7
5/20-23/04 CBS	49	46	5
6/23-27/04	48	46	6
7/11-15/04	45	51	4
8/15-18/04 CBS	49	44	7
9/12-16/04	54	39	7
10/1-3/04	49	46	5
10/9-11/04 CBS	49	46	5
10/14-17/04	49	46	5
10/28-30/04	53	42	4
11/18-21/04	46	48	5
1/14-18/05	45	49	6
2/24-28/05	46	50	4
4/13-16/05 CBS	47	48	5
5/20-24/05 CBS	47	49	4
6/10-15/05	45	51	5
7/13-14/05 CBS	48	47	5
7/29-8/2/05 CBS	48	46	6
8/29-31/05 CBS	45	49	6
9/9-13/05	44	50	6
10/3-5/05 CBS	41	55	4
10/30-11/1/05 CBS	42	50	8
12/2-6/05	48	48	4
1/5-8/06 CBS	47	49	4
1/20-25/06	47	50	4
2/22-26/06 CBS	41	54	5
3/8-12/06 CBS	41	54	5
4/6-9/06 CBS	43	53	4
4/28-30/06 CBS	44	51	5
5/4-8/06	39	56	5
7/21-25/06	47	48	5
8/11-13/06 CBS	41	53	6
8/17-21/06	43	53	4
9/15-19/06	44	51	4
10/5-8/06	40	55	4
10/27-31/06	44	51	5
11/12-13/06 CBS	40	56	4
12/8-10/06 CBS	39	55	6
1/1-3/07 CBS	38	58	4
1/18-21/07 CBS	39	56	5
2/23-27/07	38	55	7
3/7-11/07	39	56	5
4/9-12/07 CBS	44	51	5
5/18-23/07	35	61	4
7/20-22/07	42	51	7
8/8-12/07 CBS	43	51	6
9/4-8/07	41	54	5
9/14-16/07 CBS	39	53	8
10/12-16/07 CBS	45	51	4
12/5-9/07	41	54	5
1/9-12/08	36	58	6
2/20-24/08	38	58	5
3/15-18/CBS	36	59	5
3/28-4/2/08	34	62	4
4/25-29/08	37	57	5
7/7-14/08	36	59	5
8/15-20/08	38	57	6
9/12-16/08	42	54	5

71. How would you say things are going for the U.S. in its efforts to bring stability and order to Iraq?
 Would you say things are going very well, somewhat well, somewhat badly, or very badly?

	Very well	Smewhat well	Smewhat badly	Very badly	DK/NA		Very well	Smewhat well	Smewhat badly	Very badly	DK/NA
5/27-28/03 CBS	11	61	19	5	4	5/30-6/3/08 CBS	4	31	29	33	3
7/8-9/03 CBS	6	54	25	11	4	7/7-14/08	7	38	27	24	3
8/11-12/03 CBS	6	47	28	13	6	7/31-8/5/08 CBS	7	38	29	20	6
8/26-28/03 CBS	5	46	31	16	2	8/15-20/08	7	38	31	20	3
9/15-16/03 CBS	5	44	29	18	4	9/12-16/08	10	42	24	22	3
10/20-21/03 CBS	5	49	31	12	3						
11/10-12/03 CBS	5	42	28	22	3						
12/10-13/03	6	41	33	18	3						
12/14-15/03	9	55	21	10	5						
12/21-22/03 CBS	8	57	24	9	2						
4/8/04 CBS	4	35	33	26	2						
4/23-27/04	4	34	31	29	2						
5/20-23/04 CBS	3	34	38	22	3						
6/23-27/04	2	38	31	26	3						
7/11-15/04	4	39	28	28	1						
8/15-18/04	5	41	32	19	3						
9/12-16/04	4	42	26	25	3						
10/14-17/04	5	38	27	27	3						
10/28-30/04	7	39	26	26	2						
11/18-21/04	5	40	26	27	2						
1/14-18/05	5	36	28	29	2						
2/24-28/05	10	43	29	18	1						
4/13-16/05 CBS	7	41	32	18	2						
5/20-24/05 CBS	5	36	31	26	2						
6/10-15/05	7	33	34	26	1						
7/13-14/05 CBS	5	39	31	23	2						
7/29-8/2/05 CBS	7	41	29	21	2						
8/29-31/05 CBS	5	35	29	28	3						
10/3-5/05 CBS	4	39	27	28	2						
10/30-11/1/05 CBS	4	36	31	26	3						
12/2-6/05	6	40	28	24	2						
1/5-8/06 CBS	8	41	28	21	2						
1/20-25/06	8	37	30	24	1						
2/22-26/06 CBS	5	31	32	30	2						
3/9-12/06 CBS	4	36	28	29	3						
4/6-9/06 CBS	5	36	27	31	1						
4/28-30/06 CBS	5	36	29	26	4						
5/4-8/06	5	34	33	27	2						
7/21-25/06	4	37	30	27	2						
8/11-13/06 CBS	5	37	31	25	2						
8/17-21/06	5	32	33	29	2						
9/15-19/06	4	34	28	33	1						
10/5-8/06	3	28	30	36	2						
10/27-31/06	2	28	32	35	2						
12/8-10/06 CBS	2	23	32	39	4						
1/1-3/07 CBS	3	25	33	38	1						
1/18-21/07 CBS	1	22	34	41	2						
2/8-11/07 CBS	1	24	32	40	3						
2/24-27/07	3	20	31	43	3						
3/7-11/07	4	25	30	39	2						
4/9-12/07 CBS	2	29	30	36	3						
5/18-23/07	2	21	29	47	2						
6/26-28/07 CBS	1	21	30	47	1						
7/9-17/07	2	23	29	45	1						
7/20-22/07	3	29	31	35	2						
8/8-12/07 CBS	3	26	29	38	4						
9/4-8/07	4	29	32	32	2						
9/14-16/07 CBS	3	31	29	34	3						
10/12-16/07 CBS	2	32	30	33	3						
12/5-9/07	6	31	31	28	4						
1/9-12/08	4	34	29	30	3						
1/30-2/2/08 CBS	7	31	27	32	3						
2/20-24/08	6	37	30	24	3						
4/25-29/08	5	35	31	26	3						

72. As you may know, the United States has sent a troop surge to Iraq. From what you have heard or read, would you say the troop surge is making the situation in Iraq better, making it worse, or is it having no impact on the situation in Iraq so far?

	Better	Worse	No impact	DK/NA
9/14-16/07 CBS	30	14	51	6
10/12-16/07 CBS	33	13	41	13
12/5-9/07	38	12	40	11
1/9-12/08	40	12	34	14
1/30-2/2/08 CBS	39	14	39	8
3/15-18/08 CBS	42	13	34	11
7/31-8/5/08 CBS	46	11	32	11
8/15-20/08	43	13	33	11
9/12-16/08	50	10	30	10

73. Which of these comes closest to your view? 1. Abortion should be generally available to those who want it; OR 2. Abortion should be available but under stricter limits than it is now; OR 3. Abortion should not be permitted? *QUESTIONS 73 AND 74 WERE EACH ASKED OF HALF OF THE RESPONDENTS*

	Available	Available but stricter	Not permitted	DK/NA
9/89B ¹	40	40	18	2
11/89	41	42	15	2
1/90	39	40	18	2
8/90	41	41	16	2
6/91	37	38	22	3
8/91B	41	40	15	5
9/91	42	38	18	3
1/92B	40	39	19	2
3/92	44	37	17	2
6/92	42	39	17	2
7/92	41	39	18	2
8/92	41	40	17	2
10/92A	39	42	17	2
10/92C	43	37	16	3
3/93	42	36	20	2
7/94	40	37	21	2
2/95	43	38	18	2
4/95	38	40	20	2
8/95	40	36	22	3
10/95	37	41	20	2
2/96	40	41	18	1
4/96	37	41	21	1
6/96	35	41	20	4
7/96	37	42	19	1
1/98	32	45	22	1
11/99	34	41	22	3
2/00	34	41	23	2
5/00	37	39	22	2
7/00	28	48	21	3
7/00B	34	40	22	4
9/00	35	42	21	2
4/28-5/1/02	31	37	30	2
1/4-6/03 CBS	38	37	22	3
1/19-22/03	37	40	21	2
7/13-27/03	35	38	25	2
7/11-15/04	34	42	22	2
11/18-21/04	34	44	21	1
1/14-18/05	36	35	26	2
2/24-28/05	35	40	23	2
3/21-22/05 CBS	35	37	25	3
4/13-16/05 CBS	36	38	24	2
12/2-6/05	38	39	20	3
1/20-25/06	38	39	21	3
3/7-11/07	34	41	23	2
5/18-23/07	39	37	21	2
7/9-17/07	41	34	22	2
9/4-9/07	34	39	25	2
12/5-9/07	36	43	18	3
8/15-20/08	34	39	24	3
9/12-16/08	37	42	19	2

74. What is your personal feeling about abortion: 1. It should be permitted in all cases; 2. It should be permitted, but subject to greater restrictions than it is now; 3. It should be permitted only in cases such as rape, incest and to save the woman's life; OR 4. It should ONLY be permitted to save the woman's life? *QUESTIONS 73 AND 74 WERE EACH ASKED OF HALF OF THE RESPONDENTS*

	7/00*	1/01 CBS	7/05 CBS	8/05 CBS	1/06 CBS	4/06 CBS	1/07 CBS	10/07 CBS	8/15- 20/08	9/12- 16/08
Permitted in all cases	26	27	25	28	27	29	31	26	26	31
Permitted, w/greater restrictions	15	18	14	15	15	17	16	16	16	19
Permitted for rape/incest/ save life	37	33	38	33	33	33	30	34	32	28
Only permitted to save the woman's life	15	14	15	15	17	14	12	16	17	15
Not permitted at all	4	3	3	5	5	4	5	4	4	4
DK/NA	3	4	5	4	3	3	6	4	4	3

78. If Barack Obama is elected President and cannot finish his term in office, do you think Joe Biden would be qualified to serve as President, or would you be concerned about him? *QUESTIONS 78-79 WERE ROTATED*

	Qualified	Concerned	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	65	24	11

79. If John McCain is elected President and cannot finish his term in office, do you think Sarah Palin would be qualified to serve as President, or would you be concerned about her? *QUESTIONS 78-79 WERE ROTATED*

	Qualified	Concerned	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	33	62	4

80. In the last twelve months, has any adult in your household been out of work and actively looking for a job?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
4/3-7/78	25	73	2
1/11-15/82	32	67	1
3/11-15/82	29	71	-
5/19-23/82	32	67	1
1/16-19/83	36	64	1
4/7-11/83	36	64	-
4/1-3/91	31	68	1
11/18-22/91	26	73	1
1/14-19/92 CBS	31	69	
7/8-11/92	29	70	1
8/6-7/02 CBS	29	71	
9/12-16/08	29	71	-

81. How concerned are you that in the next 12 months you or someone else in your household might be out of work and looking for a job - very concerned, somewhat concerned, or not concerned at all?

	Very	Somewhat	Not at all	DK/NA
3/31-4/2/96	37	25	37	1
9/2-4/96	21	26	51	2
10/3-5/02	31	20	48	1

4/23-27/04	33	25	41	1
5/20-23/04 CBS	31	29	40	
6/23-27/04	28	27	45	-
9/12-16/04	30	26	44	-
10/14-15/04*	20	26	54	
6/10-15/05	20	18	61	1
9/12-16/08	21	23	56	-

82. Is your family financially better off today than it was four years ago, worse off financially, or is it about the same as it was four years ago?

	Better off	Worse off	About the same	DK/NA
7/30-8/1/04* CBS	24	28	46	2
10/14-17/04	32	23	45	1
10/28-30/04	31	27	40	
9/12-16/08	29	33	36	1

83. Think about your household income, would say that it is more than enough so that you can save and buy some extras, just enough to meet your bills and obligations, or it is not enough to meet your bills and obligations?

	Can save and buy extras	Just enough to pay bills and obligations	Not enough to pay bills etc.	DK/NA
3/31-4/2/96	27	55	16	2
5/31-6/3/96	24	57	19	1
1/14-18/05	33	48	17	2
7/21-25/06	35	52	12	-
9/15-19/06	34	51	15	-
10/5-8/06	36	46	17	1
10/27-31/06	38	44	17	1
2/24-27/07	37	49	13	1
4/20-24/07	41	48	11	1
12/5-9/07	35	51	13	1
1/30-2/2/08 CBS	33	46	21	
2/20-24/08	38	46	13	2
4/25-29/08	27	48	23	1
5/30-6/3/08 CBS	33	47	18	2
9/12-16/08	37	44	17	2

88. Is your opinion of Hillary Clinton favorable, not favorable, undecided, or haven't you heard enough about Hillary Clinton yet to have an opinion?

	Fav	Not Fav	Und	DK engh	Ref		Fav	Not Fav	Und	DK engh	Ref
3/92* ¹	31	17	19	31	1	1/98B	45	27	21	8	
7/92* ¹	29	14	21	35	1	2/98	50	25	16	7	1
8/92A* ²	33	15	20	32	1	4/98	49	29	16	5	1
8/92D* ²	31	19	25	26	1	5/98 CBS	39	27	20	12	2
10/92A* ²	32	18	20	28	2	7/98 CBS	50	26	15	7	2
1/93 ²	38	10	24	28		8/11-13	41	21	20	16	2
2/93 ²	44	16	19	19	2	8/19-20	50	25	17	7	1
3/93 ²	35	16	22	27		10/99 CBS	40	36	20	4	
5/93A ² CBS	37	14	23	25	1	10/99 CBS	43	37	16	3	
5/93B ² CBS	34	21	23	21	1	11/99	41	36	17	6	1
6/93B ²	45	21	21	13	-	2/00	42	31	18	8	1
8/93 ² CBS	36	22	22	29	1	7/13-17/00	36	40	18	5	1
9/93 ²	40	20	20	19	1	6/12-13/03 CBS	24	32	22	19	3
10/93 ² CBS	41	18	24	17		5/20-24/05 CBS	36	31	19	13	1
11/93 ²	45	21	21	12	1	1/20-25/06	37	35	21	7	-
1/94 CBS	44	28	16	11	1	5/4-8/06	34	35	23	9	-
1/94	36	22	22	19	1	7/21-25/06	32	39	21	8	-
2/94 CBS	34	23	25	17	1	9/15-18/06	32	36	20	11	1
3/94	33	26	22	18	1	1/1-3/07 CBS	43	38	16	3	
4/94	32	29	20	17	1	1/18-21/07* CBS	36	36	25	4	
6/94 CBS	35	27	22	13	3	3/7-11/07	35	43	19	3	-
7/94	38	26	19	16	1	3/26-27/07 CBS	33	42	17	8	
9/94	33	28	22	15	2	4/9-12/07* CBS	37	46	15	3	
11/94A	37	38	20		5	5/18-23/07*	38	42	19	2	-
1/95 CBS	39	33	21	6	1	6/26-28/07* CBS	45	40	12	-	
4/95	34	36	22	8	1	7/9-17/07	41	38	19	2	
8/95	31	29	23	16	2	7/9-17/07*	40	40	18	2	
1/96*	38	42	16	3	1	8/8-12/07* CBS	41	39	19	1	
4/96*	33	41	19	7	1	9/4-9/07*	36	40	21	2	-
6/96*	36	35	20	6	3	2/20-24/08*	35	43	18	3	1
6/96* NYT	33	36	23	7	1	3/15-18/08* CBS	39	41	15	4	1
7/96*	30	40	22	8	1	3/28-4/2/08*	38	39	18	4	1
8/96*	38	39	17	4	1	4/25-29/08*	36	42	15	1	5
8/96C*	35	37	19	7	2	5/1-3/08*	42	37	18	3	-
8/96D* CBS	38	36	18	6	2	5/30-6/3/08*	41	39	18	2	
9/96*	38	34	19	8	2	7/7-14/08	44	36	15	5	1
1/97	36	25	25	12	2	8/15-20/08*	45	43	11	1	-
4/97	37	35	17	10	-	9/12-16/08*	51	35	12	2	-
11/97 CBS	47	30	17	5	1						
12/97	39	33	19	8	1						

¹QUESTION READ: "... HILLARY CLINTON, BILL CLINTON'S WIFE,..." NOTE: PRIOR TO JULY 2007, QUESTION INCLUDED "RODHAM"

vt04. Did you vote in the 2004 presidential election, did something prevent you from voting, or did you choose not to vote? IF VOTED, ASK: Did you vote for John Kerry, George W. Bush, or Ralph Nader?

	Kerry	Bush	Nader	Voted, won't say whom(vol.)	Didn't vote	DK/NA
9/12-16/08*	36	42	1	2	16	3

91. Did you vote in a Democratic primary or caucus this year, or not? IF VOTED IN DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY OR CAUCUS, ASK: Did you vote for Barack Obama, Hillary Clinton, or someone else? IF VOTED IN A DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY OR CAUCUS, ASK: Did you vote for Barack Obama, Hillary Clinton, or someone else?

	9/12-16/08
Obama	20
Clinton	14
Someone else	2
Republican primary	22
Didn't vote	40
Never vote(vol.)	1
DK/NA	2

89. Who did you want to see win the Democratic nomination for president this year - Hillary Clinton or Barack Obama? ASKED OF THOSE WHO SAID THEY DIDN'T VOTE IN DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

	Clinton	Obama	Other(vol.)	Don't care(vol.)	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	33	46	1	12	8

90. If you were asked to use one of these five names for your social class, which would you say you belong in - upper class, upper-middle class, middle class, working class, or lower class?

	Upper	Upper-middle	Middle	Working	Lower	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	2	14	42	36	5	2

91. Are you currently employed, or are you temporarily out of work, or are you not in the market for work at all? IF NOT IN MARKET FOR WORK, ASK: Are you currently retired, or not?

	Currently employed	Temporarily out of work	Not in the market for work	Retired	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	58	12	13	16	-

92. Do you or does any other member of your household own a handgun, rifle, shotgun or any other kind of firearm?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	42	57	1

93. Would you say you attend religious services every week, almost every week, once or twice a month, a few times a year, or never?

	Every week	Almost every week	Once/twice month	Few times a year	Never	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	26	10	15	26	23	1

Some people think of themselves as evangelical or born again Christians. Do you ever think of yourself in either of these ways?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	30	68	1

What is your religious preference today?

	Protestant	Catholic	Jewish	Other	None	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	56	18	3	6	14	2

Are you now married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?

	Married	Widowed	Divorced	Separated	Never married	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	57	6	10	3	24	-

Generally speaking, do you usually consider yourself a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or what?

	Rep	Dem	Ind	DK/NA		Rep	Dem	Ind	DK/NA
1/92A	29	35	31	5	1/99	25	37	33	5
1/92B	28	32	35	5	4/99	30	34	28	7
2/92A	32	37	27	4	11/99	28	37	30	5
2/92B	30	33	32	5	2/00	28	37	28	6
3/92	30	38	27	5	5/00	31	34	27	7
4/92	30	38	27	5	7/00	29	33	29	9
5/92A	30	33	31	6	7/00B	31	36	26	7
6/92	33	33	29	5	9/00A	31	33	27	9
7/92	29	34	32	5	9/00D	28	37	27	8
7/92B	26	38	28	8	10/00	29	35	30	7
8/92A	28	33	33	5	11/00	27	36	29	9
8/92D	27	32	33	8	11/00L	31	34	28	7
8/92E	28	35	29	8	3/8-12/01	31	35	29	5
9/92A	28	34	33	5	6/14-18/01	27	36	30	7
10/92A	29	35	31	5	10/25-28/01	32	37	23	8
10/92C	29	36	31	5	12/7-10/01	30	32	30	8
10/92D	28	37	31	4	1/21-24/02	28	34	31	7
10/92E	28	38	29	5	4/28-5/1/02	33	37	23	8
12/92	28	39	28	5	7/13-16/02	28	34	33	5
1/93	30	36	28	6	9/2-5/02	29	35	26	10
2/93	28	36	30	6	10/3-5/02	27	38	28	7
3/93	26	37	30	7	10/27-31/02	31	34	28	7
5/93A	29	34	29	8	11/20-24/02	29	32	31	8
6/93A	29	34	32	5	1/19-22/03	29	32	33	6
6/93B	31	37	27	5	2/10-12/03	28	34	31	6
9/93	26	36	32	6	3/7-9/03	29	32	30	9
11/93	29	38	29	4	4/11-13/03	31	30	32	6
1/94	30	30	34	6	7/13-27/03	27	32	34	7
2/94	28	33	32	7	9/28-10/1/03	31	35	30	4
3/94	30	34	29	7	12/10-13/03	27	33	35	6
4/94	32	32	30	6	12/14-15/03	28	31	35	6
7/94	27	35	31	6	1/12-15/04	28	32	33	8
9/94	28	36	34	3	3/10-14/04	31	30	32	7
11/94	31	34	29	6	4/23-27/04	29	35	29	7
12/94	31	32	29	7	6/23-27/04	29	35	29	7
2/95	30	33	32	5	7/11-15/04	29	37	30	4
4/95	30	30	34	6	9/12-16/04	33	31	29	7
8/95	30	35	29	6	10/1-3/04	29	34	28	10
9/95	28	33	30	9	10/14-17/04	30	34	29	7
10/95	31	35	27	7	10/28-30/04	30	35	30	6
12/95	32	35	26	6	11/18-21/04	29	36	30	5
12/95	27	33	33	7	1/14-18/05	31	34	28	8
1/96	29	35	31	5	2/24-28/05	29	36	29	6
2/96	30	35	31	4	6/10-15/05	28	34	31	6
4/96	31	36	28	5	9/9-13/05	26	36	28	9
6/96	27	39	29	5	12/2-6/05	28	32	33	7
6/96 NYT	26	37	32	5	1/20-25/06	29	34	33	4
7/96	31	34	29	6	5/4-8/06	25	37	34	4
8/96	32	41	24	3	7/21-25/06	31	33	30	5
8/96C	30	34	28	8	8/17-21/06	30	35	27	8
9/96	29	36	29	6	9/15-19/06	30	32	32	5
10/96	28	40	25	7	10/5-8/06	30	35	30	6
10/96C	28	37	27	7	10/27-31/06	28	35	31	7
11/96	28	38	28	7	2/24-27/07	25	35	33	6
12/96	28	39	24	9	3/7-11/07	27	35	33	6
1/97	29	32	33	6	4/20-24/07	24	34	36	6
4/97	29	36	26	8	5/18-23/07	29	37	32	3
1/98	27	34	30	8	7/9-17/07	28	34	34	4
1/98B	26	35	31	7	7/20-22/07	24	32	36	9
2/98	31	32	30	8	9/4-8/07	31	32	33	5
4/98	28	31	33	8	12/5-9/07	26	35	31	8
6/98	28	32	30	10	1/9-12/08	28	40	27	5
7/98	28	35	30	7	2/20-24/08	27	38	29	6
8/98	26	37	29	8	3/28-4/2/08	26	41	27	6
9/98B	26	35	31	7	4/25-29/08	27	37	31	5
9/98C	27	35	32	6	5/1-3/08	29	39	27	5
10/98A	24	37	32	7	7/7-14/08	26	37	31	6
10/98B	27	39	28	6	8/15-20/08	29	37	26	8
12/98	27	37	30	6	9/12-16/08	28	39	26	7

Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican party or to the Democratic party?

	Republican	Democrat	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	38	55	7

How would you describe your views on most political matters? Generally, do you think of yourself as liberal, moderate, or conservative?

	Lib	Mod	Con	DK/NA		Lib	Mod	Con	DK/NA
1/92A	19	41	34	6	9/98C	21	41	31	6
1/92B	21	43	30	5	10/98B	20	41	33	5
2/92A	19	39	36	6	12/98	20	41	34	5
2/92B	20	43	31	6	1/99	20	45	30	4
3/92	20	47	30	4	4/99	19	46	29	6
4/92	18	44	33	4	11/99	22	43	31	5
5/92A	21	40	34	4	2/00	21	44	31	4
6/92	23	39	32	6	5/00	21	41	34	4
7/92	20	42	32	6	7/00	22	38	33	7
7/92B	21	41	30	8	7/00B	22	43	30	5
8/92A	20	45	30	6	9/00A	20	42	32	6
8/92D	22	44	27	7	9/00D	20	42	32	5
9/92A	19	46	31	4	12/7-10/01	23	39	33	4
10/92C	22	39	34	5	1/21-24/02	22	44	29	5
10/92D	21	39	33	6	4/28-5/1/02	22	38	35	6
10/92E	21	40	33	6	7/13-16/02	21	44	32	4
2/92	20	41	34	5	9/2-5/02	20	39	36	5
1/93	18	45	32	6	10/3-5/02	18	45	34	3
2/93	23	41	31	5	10/27-31/02	20	38	37	5
3/93	22	39	34	5	11/20-24/02	20	44	30	6
5/93A	21	41	33	5	1/19-22/03	19	45	32	3
6/93A	19	43	32	6	2/10-12/03	21	41	35	3
6/93B	19	44	31	6	3/7-9/03	18	45	35	3
9/93	19	43	34	4	4/11-13/03	19	45	33	3
11/93	21	41	33	5	7/13-27/03	22	40	34	5
1/94	17	44	34	6	9/28-10/1/03	19	42	34	5
2/94	18	41	34	7	12/10-13/03	20	45	31	4
3/94	21	38	35	5	12/14-15/03	19	39	37	5
4/94	19	42	33	6	1/12-15/04	20	43	31	5
9/94	20	42	35	4	3/10-14/04	21	40	34	5
11/94	20	41	35	4	4/23-27/04	22	42	30	6
12/94	18	40	36	6	6/23-27/04	21	42	32	5
2/95	19	39	37	4	7/11-15/04	22	41	34	3
4/95	19	42	34	5	9/12-16/04	20	40	36	4
8/95	19	40	35	5	10/1-3/04	24	36	35	6
9/95	20	39	33	8	10/14-17/04	19	42	33	6
12/95	32	35	26	6	10/28-30/04	17	42	35	5
12/95	27	33	33	7	11/18-21/04	22	41	33	4
10/95	16	44	34	5	1/14-18/05	20	41	33	6
12/95	17	46	33	4	2/24-28/05	23	38	35	5
12/95	15	46	34	5	6/10-15/05	20	43	33	4
1/96	20	42	35	4	9/9-13/05	18	43	34	5
2/96	17	45	34	4	12/2-6/05	18	45	32	5
4/96	18	47	31	4	1/20-25/06	21	45	30	4
6/96	19	46	29	6	5/4-8/06	25	37	34	4
6/96	16	48	32	4	7/21-25/06	21	39	36	4
7/96	20	42	34	3	8/17-21/06	24	38	33	5
8/96	17	47	30	6	9/15-19/06	17	43	35	4
8/96C	18	43	33	6	10/5-8/06	23	39	34	3
9/96	16	44	34	6	10/27-31/06	20	45	30	5
10/96	16	47	31	7	2/24-27/07	20	42	33	6
10/96C	18	45	32	6	3/7-11/07	20	40	36	4
11/96	15	48	32	6	4/20-24/07	21	42	33	5
12/96	17	40	35	8	5/18-23/07	20	43	32	5
1/97	17	46	33	4	7/9-17/07	19	44	33	4
4/97	19	42	34	5	7/20-22/07	15	48	31	5
12/97	21	42	33	5	9/4-8/07	22	42	32	4
1/98	19	40	33	7	12/5-9/07	22	43	31	4
2/98	21	42	33	4	1/9-12/08	25	39	32	4
4/98	18	42	35	5	2/20-24/08	23	41	29	6
6/98	20	39	34	7	3/28-4/2/08	21	39	34	5
7/98	20	42	33	5	4/25-29/08	22	41	33	4
8/98	21	43	31	5	5/1-3/08	15	49	32	4
9/98	21	41	34	5	7/7-14/08	22	41	32	5
					8/15-20/08	24	36	35	5
					9/12-16/08	24	39	33	4

What was the last grade in school you completed?

	Not a H.S. grad	H.S. grad	Some college	College grad	Post Grad	Refused
9/12-16/08	7	33	32	17	10	-

How old are you?

	18-29	30-44	45-64	Over 64
9/12-16/08	22	29	33	16

Are you of Hispanic origin or descent, or not?

	Hispanic	Not Hispanic	DK/NA
9/12-16/08	8	92	-

Are you white, black, Asian or some other race?

	White	Black	Asian	Other	Refused
9/12-16/08	82	11	1	4	1

Was your total family income in 2005 UNDER or OVER \$50,000? IF UNDER, ASK: Was it under \$15,000, between \$15,000 and \$30,000, or between \$30,000 and \$50,000? IF OVER, ASK: Was it between \$50,000 and \$75,000 or between \$75,000 and \$100,000 or was it over \$100,000?

	Under \$15,000	\$15,000- \$29,999	\$30,000- \$49,999	\$50,000- \$74,999	\$75,000- \$100,000	Over \$100,000	Refused
9/12-16/08	8	14	19	21	16	17	6

	Male	Female
9/12-16/08	48	52