

Registered to vote

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F/G - H/I/J/K
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	Total	Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Yes	777	373	404	120	136	149	208	161	144	226	171	232
	78%	77%	78%	58%	71%	79%	88%	94%	65%	87%	68%	88%
						C	CDE	CDEF		HJ		HJ
No	220	109	111	87	55	39	27	10	76	31	79	31
	22%	23%	22%	42%	29%	21%	11%	6%	35%	12%	32%	12%
				EFG	FG	FG	G		IK		IK	
(DK/NS)	3	2	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	1	1
	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	1%	-	-

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		Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
	Total	Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Yes	777	579	195	213	364	277	302	196	274	306	88	114	171	108	160	135
	78%	82%	68%	73%	88%	81%	83%	69%	77%	86%	66%	74%	87%	72%	79%	83%
		B			C					GH			JK			M
No	220	126	94	78	47	65	62	87	83	50	46	40	23	42	43	27
	22%	18%	32%	27%	11%	19%	17%	31%	23%	14%	34%	26%	12%	28%	21%	17%
		A		D				I	I		L	L	O	O		
(DK/NS)	3	3	0	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0
	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-

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		Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
	Total	North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Yes	777 78%	165 82%	183 81%	271 76%	159 73%	125 81%	104 79%	180 77%	90 76%	113 71%	228 78%	383 76%	188 77%	195 75%	165 83%
No	220 22%	35 18%	44 19%	83 24%	58 27%	29 19%	27 21%	54 23%	29 24%	46 29%	63 21%	123 24%	57 23%	66 25%	34 17%
(DK/NS)	3 -	0 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	0 -	1 -	2 1%	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 -

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		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- <\$50K	\$50K- <\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protes- tants	White evan- gelicals	Catho- lics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I		J	K	L
Base: All respondents	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
Weighted	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Yes	777 78%	180 75%	151 66%	120 78%	186 84%	257 83%	111 66%	222 83%	182 74%	226 80%	404 81%	236 85%	186 76%	184 81%	172 67%
No	220 22%	60 25%	77 34%	34 22%	34 16%	53 17%	56 34%	46 17%	65 26%	58 20%	93 19%	42 15%	59 24%	43 19%	85 33%
(DK/NS)	3 -	1 -	0 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -

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		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Demo- crats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Demo- cratic men	Demo- cratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	836	380	370	73	186	194	153	217	445	532	440	539	426	549	341	613
Weighted	1000	777	315	373	77*	163	151	162	211	395	578	397	583	370	605	348	606
Yes	777	777	315	373	77	163	151	162	211	324	438	313	445	303	451	246	494
	78%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	82%	76%	79%	76%	82%	75%	71%	82%
No	220	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69	139	81	138	65	153	101	111
	22%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18%	24%	20%	24%	18%	25%	29%	18%
(DK/NS)	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	1
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-

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	Total	Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
		Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K- <\$50K	Investor \$50K- <\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Yes	777 78%	239 84% B	511 77%	421 84% D	356 71%	70 87%	63 77%	146 83%	88 88%	209 94% IJK	289 83% JK	134 73% K	130 58%
No	220 22%	44 16% A	150 23%	78 16% C	142 29%	11 13%	19 23% G	29 17%	11 11%	13 6% H	59 17% H	50 27% HI	95 42% HIJ
(DK/NS)	3 -	1 -	2 -	2 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	1 -	1 1%	1 -	2 -	0 -	0 -

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	Total	Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: Registered voters	836	384	452	64	103	139	280	245	101	280	125	325
Weighted	777	373	404	120*	136*	149	208	161	144*	226	171*	232
Strongly Republican	152 20%	80 21%	72 18%	12 10%	34 25% C	31 21%	33 16%	40 25% CF	32 23%	46 20%	29 17%	43 19%
Moderately Republican	162 21%	83 22%	79 20%	17 14%	30 22%	38 26%	39 19%	37 23%	32 22%	51 23%	30 18%	48 20%
Definitely Independent/neither	77 10%	43 12%	34 8%	18 15%	13 10%	12 8%	21 10%	12 8%	16 11% K	27 12% K	25 14% K	9 4%
Moderately Democrat	194 25%	96 26%	98 24%	46 38% EG	33 24%	29 20%	54 26%	31 19%	40 28%	55 24%	42 25%	56 24%
Strongly Democrat	179 23%	66 18%	113 28% A	25 21%	22 16%	37 25%	57 27% D	37 23%	19 14%	46 21%	43 25%	69 30% HI
(DK/NS)	12 1%	4 1%	8 2%	2 2%	3 3%	0 -	3 2%	4 2%	3 2%	1 -	2 1%	7 3% I
Summary												
Total Republicans	315 40%	163 44%	151 37%	29 24%	64 47% C	70 47% CF	72 35%	77 48% CF	64 45%	97 43%	59 34%	91 39%
Total Democrats	373 48%	162 44%	211 52% A	71 59% DG	55 40%	67 45%	111 53% DG	68 42%	60 41%	102 45%	86 50%	125 54%

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		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: Registered voters	836	703	123	179	522	321	382	207	284	342	82	119	183	125	165	159
Weighted	777	579	195*	213	364	277	302	196	274	306	88*	114*	171	108*	160	135
Strongly Republican	152 20%	130 22% B	22 11%	49 23%	79 22%	66 24%	64 21%	31 16%	46 17%	74 24%	14 16%	18 16%	48 28% K	17 16%	28 17%	26 19%
Moderately Republican	162 21%	142 25% B	20 10%	52 24%	90 25%	76 27%	66 22%	41 21%	59 22%	62 20%	15 17%	34 30%	34 20%	25 24%	25 16%	28 21%
Definitely Independent/neither	77 10%	48 8%	29 15%	22 10%	26 7%	28 10%	20 7%	20 10%	28 10%	29 10%	12 14%	15 13%	16 9%	8 7%	13 8%	13 10%
Moderately Democrat	194 25%	130 23%	63 32%	44 21%	86 23%	62 22%	68 23%	60 30% H	53 19%	81 26%	26 30%	27 24%	42 25%	33 31% N	26 16%	39 29% N
Strongly Democrat	179 23%	121 21%	58 30%	44 21%	76 21%	45 17%	75 25% E	41 21%	84 31% GI	54 18%	20 23%	19 17%	27 16%	21 19%	65 41% MO	27 20%
(DK/NS)	12 1%	8 1%	3 2%	2 1%	7 2%	1 -	8 2% E	4 2%	3 1%	6 2%	0 -	0 -	4 2%	4 3%	3 2%	2 1%
Summary																
Total Republicans	315 40%	272 47% B	42 21%	101 47%	169 46%	141 51%	130 43%	72 37%	105 39%	136 44%	29 33%	52 46%	82 48%	43 39%	53 33%	53 40%
Total Democrats	373 48%	251 43%	121 62% A	88 41%	162 45%	107 39%	144 48% E	101 51%	138 50%	135 44%	47 53%	47 41%	69 40%	54 50%	91 57%	66 49%

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		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: Registered voters	836	163	198	297	178	139	113	206	91	124	222	439	205	234	175
Weighted	777	165	183	271	159	125	104*	180	90*	113*	228	383	188	195	165
Strongly Republican	152 20%	25 15%	38 21%	52 19%	37 23%	31 25%	19 18%	34 19%	18 20%	26 23%	42 18%	79 21%	38 20%	41 21%	31 19%
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Definitely Independent/neither	77 10%	18 11%	19 10%	28 10%	13 8%	12 10%	14 14% HI	24 13% HI	4 4%	5 5%	26 12% M	31 8%	21 11% M	10 5%	20 12% M
Moderately Democrat	194 25%	42 26%	45 24%	64 24%	43 27%	29 23%	26 25%	33 19%	31 34% G	32 28%	65 29%	88 23%	44 23%	44 23%	41 25%
Strongly Democrat	179 23%	44 27%	32 18%	71 26%	32 20%	22 17%	16 16%	50 28% EF	20 23%	26 23%	56 24%	91 24%	37 20%	55 28%	32 19%
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Total Republicans	315 40%	54 33%	86 47% A	104 38%	70 44%	61 49%	47 46%	71 39%	33 37%	48 43%	79 34%	164 43%	83 44%	81 42%	72 43%
Total Democrats	373 48%	87 53%	77 42%	135 50%	74 47%	51 41%	42 41%	84 47%	51 57%	58 51%	121 53%	179 47%	80 43%	99 51%	73 44%

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		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I	J		K	L
Base: Registered voters	836	144	157	132	244	283	99	261	189	198	460	286	183	236	157
Weighted	777	180	151	120	186	257	111*	222	182	226	404	236	186	184	172
Strongly Republican	152 20%	20 11%	31 21%	23 19%	47 25% A	63 25% H	16 14%	48 21%	24 14%	55 24%	108 27% J	71 30%	32 17%	62 34% L	9 5%
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Definitely Independent/neither	77 10%	26 15%	10 6%	14 11%	16 9%	29 11%	14 12%	20 9%	15 8%	22 10%	34 9%	21 9%	17 9%	13 7%	28 16% K
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Strongly Democrat	179 23%	57 32% D	34 22%	24 20%	32 17%	46 18%	20 18%	44 20%	69 38% EFG	39 17%	77 19%	34 14%	47 25%	26 14%	53 31% K
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Moderately Republican	162 21%	162 21%	162 52% BC	0 - -	0 - -	83 51% FG	79 52% FG	0 - -	0 - -	115 35% I	40 9% -	105 34% K	54 12% -	104 34% M	52 12% -	73 29% O	87 18% -
Definitely Independent/neither	77 10%	77 10%	0 -	0 -	77 100% AB	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	26 8% -	49 11% -	26 8% -	47 10% -	21 7% -	50 11% -	11 5% -	63 13% N
Moderately Democrat	194 25%	194 25%	0 -	194 52% AC	0 -	0 -	0 -	96 59% DE	98 47% DE	28 8% -	165 38% H	27 8% -	163 37% J	27 9% -	161 36% L	49 20% -	136 28% N
Strongly Democrat	179 23%	179 23%	0 -	179 48% AC	0 -	0 -	0 -	66 41% DE	113 53% DE	8 3% -	169 39% H	12 4% -	163 37% J	10 4% -	168 37% L	29 12% -	140 28% N
(DK/NS)	12 1%	12 1%	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	7 2% -	5 1% -	5 2% -	7 1% -	4 1% -	6 1% -	1 -	8 1% -
Summary																	
Total Republicans	315 40%	315 40%	315 100% BC	0 -	0 -	163 100% FG	151 100% FG	0 -	0 -	256 79% I	50 11% -	244 78% K	67 15% -	241 79% M	66 15% -	155 63% O	148 30% -
Total Democrats	373 48%	373 48%	0 -	373 100% AC	0 -	0 -	0 -	162 100% DE	211 100% DE	36 11% -	334 76% H	38 12% -	325 73% J	37 12% -	329 73% L	78 32% -	276 56% N

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1. Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are heading in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?

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Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Right direction	284	149	134	37	68	60	59	55	75	72	60	74
	28%	31%	26%	18%	36% CF	32% C	25%	32% C	34%	28%	24%	28%
Wrong track	663	310	352	153	112	122	169	104	132	178	174	175
	66%	64%	68%	74% DG	59%	65%	72% DG	61%	60%	69%	70%	66%
(DK/NS)	54	23	31	17	10	6	8	12	13	9	16	15
	6%	5%	6%	8%	5%	3%	3%	7%	6%	3%	6%	6%

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		Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
	Total	Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Right direction	284	241	41	107	133	124	117	66	95	121	22	51	76	45	44	44
	28%	34%	14%	37%	32%	36%	32%	23%	27%	34%	16%	33%	39%	30%	22%	27%
		B								G		J				
Wrong track	663	439	223	175	262	209	230	198	247	218	107	95	108	91	151	109
	66%	62%	77%	60%	64%	61%	63%	70%	69%	61%	80%	62%	55%	61%	74%	68%
		A									KL			M		
(DK/NS)	54	28	25	9	18	10	18	20	15	19	5	7	11	14	8	8
	6%	4%	9%	3%	4%	3%	5%	7%	4%	5%	4%	5%	6%	9%	4%	5%
			A													

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	Total	Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
		North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Right direction	284 28%	50 25%	76 33%	98 28%	60 28%	52 34% G	45 34% G	54 23%	44 37% G	38 24%	74 25%	138 27%	73 30%	64 25%	72 36% JKJM
Wrong track	663 66%	147 73% B	141 62%	228 64%	147 67%	95 62%	78 59%	158 67%	70 59%	115 72%	205 70% NN	341 67% N	160 65%	181 69% N	116 58%
(DK/NS)	54 6%	4 2%	11 5%	28 8% A	11 5%	6 4%	9 7%	24 10%	5 4%	7 4%	14 5%	28 6%	13 5%	15 6%	12 6%

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		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- <\$50K	\$50K- <\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protes- tants	White evan- gelicals	Catho- lics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I		J	K	L
Base: All respondents	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
Weighted	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Right direction	284 28%	53 22%	61 27%	43 28%	78 35% A	111 36% FH	38 23%	87 32% H	47 19%	102 36%	159 32%	106 38%	68 28%	83 37% L	47 18%
Wrong track	663 66%	176 73% D	148 65%	109 70%	133 60%	185 59%	122 72% EG	161 60%	191 77% EG	165 58%	310 62%	157 56%	165 67%	130 57%	196 76% K
(DK/NS)	54 6%	11 5%	19 8% C	3 2%	10 5%	15 5%	9 5%	21 8%	10 4%	17 6%	29 6%	16 6%	13 5%	15 6%	14 6%

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		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Demo- crats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Demo- cratic men	Demo- cratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
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Right direction	284 28%	239 31%	189 60% BC	30 8% B	14 18% B	106 65% FG	83 55% FG	14 8% DE	16 8% DE	257 65% I	25 4% H	234 59% K	47 8% J	235 63% M	47 8% L	179 51% O	92 15% N
Wrong track	663 66%	511 66%	111 35%	335 90% AC	58 76% A	55 34%	56 37%	144 89% DE	191 91% DE	111 28%	535 93% H	133 33%	519 89% J	113 31%	531 88% L	144 41%	493 81% N
(DK/NS)	54 6%	27 3%	15 5%	7 2%	5 6%	2 1%	12 8% DG	4 3%	3 1%	27 7% I	18 3% H	30 8% K	17 3% J	22 6%	27 4% L	26 8% O	21 4% N

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	Total	Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
		Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K- <\$50K	Investor \$50K- <\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Right direction	284 28%	284 100% B	0 -	167 33% D	117 24%	34 42%	26 33%	55 32%	35 35%	73 33% K	97 28%	69 38% IK	41 18%
Wrong track	663 66%	0 -	663 100% A	312 62%	350 70% C	45 56%	49 60%	115 65%	61 62%	137 61%	242 69% HJ	106 58%	165 74% HJ
(DK/NS)	54 6%	0 -	0 -	22 5%	32 6%	2 2%	6 7%	5 3%	3 3%	14 6%	11 3%	8 4%	18 8%

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	Total	Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Initial Approval	306 31%	139 29%	167 32%	43 21%	74 39% CF	63 33% C	59 25%	64 38% CF	64 29%	72 28%	81 33%	85 32%
Initial Mixed Feelings	248 25%	120 25%	128 25%	51 25%	48 25%	49 26%	60 25%	40 23%	46 21%	73 28%	70 28%	57 22%
Initial Disapproval	439 44%	224 46%	216 42%	114 55% DEG	67 35%	74 39%	117 50% DEG	65 38%	110 50%	113 44%	96 39%	117 44%
Strongly approve	214 21%	92 19%	122 24%	24 12%	59 31% CF	44 23% C	36 15%	49 28% CF	41 18%	49 19%	61 24%	61 23%
Somewhat approve	92 9%	47 10%	44 9%	18 9%	15 8%	19 10%	22 10%	16 9%	23 10%	23 9%	21 9%	24 9%
Lean toward approval	89 9%	45 9%	44 8%	10 5%	24 13%	19 10%	19 8%	16 10%	24 11%	22 8%	20 8%	24 9%
Still have mixed feelings	26 3%	11 2%	15 3%	11 5%	1 -	3 2%	5 2%	5 3%	6 3%	5 2%	8 3%	7 3%
Lean toward disapproval	139 14%	64 13%	75 14%	29 14%	24 12%	30 16%	36 15%	20 12%	17 8%	47 18% HK	45 18% H	30 11%
Somewhat disapprove	52 5%	33 7%	19 4%	14 7%	11 6%	6 3%	16 7% G	5 3%	20 9% J	13 5%	6 2%	13 5%
Strongly disapprove	388 39%	191 40%	197 38%	100 48% DG	56 30%	68 36%	100 43% D	60 35%	90 41%	99 39%	91 36%	105 40%
(DK/NS)	1 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 -
Summary												
Total Approve	395 39%	184 38%	211 41%	53 26%	98 52% CF	82 43% CF	78 33%	81 47% CF	87 40%	94 36%	101 41%	109 41%
Total Disapprove	578 58%	288 60%	291 56%	143 69% DEG	91 48%	104 55%	153 65% DG	85 50%	127 58%	159 62%	141 56%	148 56%
Mean Rating	3.5	3.4	3.6	2.9	4.1 CF	3.7 CF	3.2	3.9 CF	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.6

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Initial Approval	306 31%	260 37% B	44 15%	117 40%	141 34%	122 36%	138 38%	80 28%	105 29%	119 33%	24 18%	46 30%	69 35% J	56 38%	59 29%	50 31%
Initial Mixed Feelings	248 25%	172 24%	75 26%	73 25%	100 24%	84 25%	88 24%	78 27%	93 26%	78 22%	37 28%	35 23%	47 24%	40 27%	57 28%	30 19%
Initial Disapproval	439 44%	269 38%	170 59% A	100 34%	168 41%	136 40%	133 36%	122 43%	158 44%	160 45%	72 54%	72 47%	80 41%	50 34%	85 42%	80 49% M
Strongly approve	214 21%	174 24% B	39 14%	74 25%	98 24%	77 23%	96 26%	52 18%	76 21%	84 24%	13 10%	31 20% J	47 24% J	39 26%	45 22%	37 23%
Somewhat approve	92 9%	87 12% B	4 1%	43 15%	43 10%	45 13%	41 11%	29 10%	29 8%	34 9%	11 8%	15 10%	22 11%	18 12%	14 7%	13 8%
Lean toward approval	89 9%	76 11% B	13 5%	34 12%	42 10%	39 11%	36 10%	31 11%	28 8%	31 9%	13 10%	11 7%	21 11%	17 11%	17 8%	10 6%
Still have mixed feelings	26 3%	12 2%	13 4%	4 1%	8 2%	3 1%	10 3%	7 2%	10 3%	9 2%	3 2%	6 4%	2 1%	4 3%	5 2%	6 4%
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Somewhat disapprove	52 5%	30 4%	22 8%	10 3%	19 5%	17 5%	13 4%	25 9% I	17 5%	10 3%	18 14% L	11 7%	4 2%	7 4%	6 3%	5 3%
Strongly disapprove	388 39%	239 34%	148 51% A	90 31%	148 36%	119 35%	120 33%	98 35%	140 39%	150 42%	54 40%	61 40%	75 39%	44 29%	79 39%	74 46% M
(DK/NS)	1 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	1 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	0 -
Summary																
Total Approve	395 39%	336 47% B	57 20%	150 52%	183 44%	162 47%	174 48%	111 39%	132 37%	150 42%	37 28%	57 37%	90 46% J	74 49%	76 37%	60 37%
Total Disapprove	578 58%	359 51%	218 76% A	137 47%	221 54%	179 52%	180 49%	165 58%	214 60%	199 56%	93 70% L	91 59%	103 53%	72 48%	123 60%	96 59%
Mean Rating	3.5	3.9 B	2.6	4.0	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.5	3.4	3.6	2.9	3.4	3.7 J	4.0 O	3.5	3.4

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Initial Mixed Feelings	248 25%	49 25%	49 21%	89 25%	61 28%	28 18%	38 29%	68 29% EH	21 17%	44 27%	66 23%	124 24%	60 24%	64 25%	58 29%
Initial Disapproval	439 44%	99 49%	93 41%	148 42%	99 45%	65 42%	53 40%	87 37%	61 51% G	74 46%	143 49% NN	228 45% N	114 46% N	113 43%	69 35%
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Mean Rating	3.5	3.1	3.8 A	3.6	3.4	3.9	3.6	3.7	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.9 JJ

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Mean Rating	3.5	3.0	3.5	3.5	3.8 A	3.7 FH	2.9	4.1 FH	3.1	4.1	4.0 J	4.5	3.4	4.1 L	3.0

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Somewhat approve	92 9%	69 9%	47 15% B	13 4%	8 11% B	29 18% FG	19 12% FG	3 2%	10 5%	92 23% I	0 -	72 18% K	18 3%	76 21% M	14 2%	51 15% O	34 6%
Lean toward approval	89 9%	74 10%	54 17% B	9 2%	9 12% B	31 19% FG	23 15% FG	2 1%	7 3%	89 23% I	0 -	52 13% K	33 6%	50 13% M	35 6%	28 8%	57 9%
Still have mixed feelings	26 3%	14 2%	8 3%	3 1%	3 3%	3 2%	5 3% F	0 -	3 1%	0 -	0 -	9 2%	12 2%	4 1%	17 3%	11 3%	12 2%
Lean toward disapproval	139 14%	109 14%	25 8%	68 18% A	15 19% A	14 8%	12 8%	30 18% DE	39 18% DE	0 -	139 24% H	30 8%	104 18% J	26 7%	106 17% L	46 13%	91 15%
Somewhat disapprove	52 5%	32 4%	5 1%	24 6% A	4 5%	4 2%	1 1%	14 9% DE	9 5% E	0 -	52 9% H	8 2%	42 7% J	3 1%	48 8% L	23 7%	25 4%
Strongly disapprove	388 39%	297 38%	20 7%	242 65% AC	30 39% A	14 9%	6 4%	109 67% DE	133 63% DE	0 -	388 67% H	24 6%	360 62% J	11 3%	374 62% L	63 18%	310 51% N
(DK/NS)	1 -	1 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	1 -	1 -	0 -
Summary																	
Total Approve	395 39%	324 42%	256 81% BC	36 10%	26 33% B	128 78% FG	128 84% FG	9 6%	27 13%	395 100% I	0 -	324 82% K	65 11%	325 88% M	60 10%	206 59% O	167 28%
Total Disapprove	578 58%	438 56%	50 16%	334 90% AC	49 63% A	32 20%	18 12%	153 94% DEG	181 86% DE	0 -	578 100% H	63 16%	506 87% J	41 11%	528 87% L	131 38%	426 70% N
Mean Rating	3.5	3.6	5.6 BC	1.9	3.2 B	5.4 FG	5.9 DFG	1.7	2.1	6.3 I	1.6	5.7 K	2.0	6.0 M	2.0	4.7 O	2.8

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2. Overall, do you approve, disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling his job as President?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

		Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
	Total	Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K- <\$50K	Investor \$50K- <\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Initial Approval	306 31%	222 78% B	62 9%	180 36% D	126 25%	37 45%	32 40%	56 32%	33 34%	81 36% IK	97 28%	73 40% IK	47 21%
Initial Mixed Feelings	248 25%	47 16%	177 27% A	117 23%	131 26%	16 19%	22 27%	35 20%	29 30%	53 24%	89 25%	45 25%	58 26%
Initial Disapproval	439 44%	14 5%	419 63% A	204 41%	236 47%	28 35%	27 33%	84 48%	37 37%	87 39%	161 46% J	64 35%	119 53% HJ
Strongly approve	214 21%	163 57% B	37 6%	123 25% D	91 18%	24 30%	27 34% F	34 20%	23 24%	60 27% IK	65 19%	56 31% IK	29 13%
Somewhat approve	92 9%	59 21% B	25 4%	57 11% D	34 7%	13 16%	5 6%	22 12%	10 10%	21 9%	32 9%	17 9%	18 8%
Lean toward approval	89 9%	35 13% B	49 7%	48 10%	41 8%	8 9%	6 7%	13 7%	16 16% F	21 9%	31 9%	23 12%	14 6%
Still have mixed feelings	26 3%	1 -	16 2% A	9 2%	17 4%	2 3%	2 2%	1 1%	1 1%	4 2%	8 2%	0 -	13 6% J
Lean toward disapproval	139 14%	12 4%	116 18% A	60 12%	79 16%	6 7%	14 17%	21 12%	13 13%	31 14%	54 15%	23 13%	31 14%
Somewhat disapprove	52 5%	4 2%	45 7% A	26 5%	26 5%	1 1%	0 1%	14 8% E	3 3%	5 2%	22 6% H	10 5%	15 7%
Strongly disapprove	388 39%	9 3%	374 56% A	178 35%	210 42%	28 34%	27 33%	70 40%	33 33%	82 37%	139 40%	54 30%	104 46% J
(DK/NS)	1 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	0 -
Summary													
Total Approve	395 39%	257 91% B	111 17%	228 46% D	167 33%	44 55%	38 47%	69 39%	49 50%	102 45% IK	128 36%	96 52% IK	62 27%
Total Disapprove	578 58%	25 9%	535 81% A	263 53%	315 63% C	34 43%	41 51%	105 60%	49 50%	118 53%	214 61% HJ	87 48%	151 67% HJ
Mean Rating	3.5	6.1 B	2.3	3.8 D	3.2	4.2	4.0	3.4	3.9	3.8 IK	3.4	4.1 IK	3.0

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3.1. And when it comes to handling the economy, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

		Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Handling the economy												
Initial Approval	329 33%	179 37% B	150 29%	49 24%	69 36%	65 35%	71 30%	71 41% CF	83 37% J	94 36% J	64 26%	85 32%
Initial Mixed Feelings	187 19%	65 13%	123 24% A	43 21%	45 23%	28 15%	39 16%	30 18%	32 15%	31 12%	66 26% HI	55 21% I
Initial Disapproval	478 48%	235 49%	243 47%	112 54% DG	76 40%	95 51% G	126 53% DG	68 39%	102 46%	132 51%	120 48%	123 46%
Strongly approve	191 19%	101 21%	91 18%	21 10%	42 22% C	40 21% C	42 18%	44 26% CF	46 21%	53 20%	36 15%	54 20%
Somewhat approve	138 14%	79 16%	59 11%	29 14%	28 15%	25 13%	29 12%	26 15%	36 16%	41 16%	28 11%	31 12%
Lean toward approval	68 7%	21 4%	47 9% A	20 10% F	19 10% F	9 5%	8 4%	11 6%	11 5%	10 4%	34 14% HIK	12 5%
Still have mixed feelings	15 1%	2 -	14 3% A	1 -	3 1%	3 2%	1 -	7 4% CF	0 -	2 1%	5 2%	8 3% HI
Lean toward disapproval	106 11%	44 9%	62 12%	23 11%	22 12%	16 8%	28 12%	14 8%	23 10%	21 8%	26 10%	33 12%
Somewhat disapprove	116 12%	53 11%	63 12%	35 17% G	22 11%	26 14% G	21 9%	12 7%	28 13%	25 9%	37 15%	26 10%
Strongly disapprove	362 36%	182 38%	180 35%	78 37%	55 29%	69 37%	105 44% DG	56 33%	74 34%	108 42%	83 33%	97 37%
(DK/NS)	4 -	2 1%	2 -	2 1%	0 -	0 -	1 1%	1 1%	2 1%	1 -	0 -	2 1%
Summary												
Total Approve	397 40%	200 41%	197 38%	70 34%	89 47% F	74 39%	79 34%	81 47% CF	94 43%	104 40%	99 40%	97 37%
Total Disapprove	583 58%	279 58%	304 59%	135 65% G	99 52%	111 59% G	154 65% DG	82 48%	125 57%	153 59%	146 58%	156 59%
Mean Rating	3.5	3.6	3.4	3.1	3.8 CF	3.5	3.2	3.9 CF	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.5

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3.1. And when it comes to handling the economy, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F - G/H/I - J/K/L - M/N/O

* small base

	Total	Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
		Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Handling the economy																
Initial Approval	329 33%	277 39% B	50 17%	111 38%	163 39%	140 41%	137 38%	82 29%	109 30%	137 38% G	38 29%	57 37%	83 43% J	44 29%	51 25%	53 33%
Initial Mixed Feelings	187 19%	129 18%	58 20%	62 21%	66 16%	54 16%	75 21%	71 25% I	69 19%	47 13%	18 14%	23 15%	24 12%	53 35% NO	47 23%	23 14%
Initial Disapproval	478 48%	297 42%	179 62% A	115 39%	183 44%	146 43%	151 41%	127 45%	179 50%	172 48%	74 56%	74 48%	87 44%	53 35%	105 52% M	85 53% M
Strongly approve	191 19%	162 23% B	29 10%	62 21%	98 24%	82 24%	80 22%	40 14%	66 18%	84 23% G	16 12%	35 23%	50 26% J	23 16%	31 15%	34 21%
Somewhat approve	138 14%	115 16% B	22 8%	49 17%	65 16%	58 17%	57 16%	43 15%	42 12%	53 15%	22 17%	23 15%	34 17%	20 13%	20 10%	19 12%
Lean toward approval	68 7%	44 6%	24 8%	27 9% D	17 4%	16 5%	28 8%	15 5%	27 8%	25 7%	5 4%	4 2%	12 6%	10 7%	24 12%	13 8%
Still have mixed feelings	15 1%	11 2%	4 1%	4 1%	7 2%	2 -	9 2% E	7 2%	6 2%	3 1%	0 -	1 1%	1 -	7 4%	5 2%	2 1%
Lean toward disapproval	106 11%	74 10%	31 11%	33 12%	40 9%	37 11%	37 10%	50 18% HI	36 10%	20 6%	14 11%	18 11%	12 6%	36 24% NO	18 9%	7 5%
Somewhat disapprove	116 12%	72 10%	44 15%	38 13% D	33 8%	26 8%	45 12% E	29 10%	45 13%	42 12%	11 8%	19 13%	22 12%	18 12%	25 13%	20 12%
Strongly disapprove	362 36%	226 32%	135 47% A	77 26%	149 36% C	120 35%	106 29%	98 35%	134 37%	130 36%	63 47% L	54 35%	65 33%	35 23%	80 39% M	65 40% M
(DK/NS)	4 -	4 1%	0 -	2 1%	3 1%	2 -	2 1%	2 1%	1 -	1 -	2 1%	0 -	1 -	1 1%	1 -	1 1%
Summary																
Total Approve	397 40%	321 45% B	74 26%	138 47%	180 44%	156 46%	165 45%	98 34%	136 38%	161 45% G	44 33%	61 40%	95 49% J	54 36%	75 37%	66 41%
Total Disapprove	583 58%	371 52%	210 73% A	148 51%	222 54%	183 53%	188 52%	177 62%	214 60%	192 54%	88 66% L	92 60%	99 51%	89 59%	123 60%	92 57%
Mean Rating	3.5	3.8 B	2.7	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.0	3.6	3.9 J	3.6	3.3	3.4

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3_1. And when it comes to handling the economy, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H/I - J/K/N - J/L/M/N

* small base

		Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
	Total	North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/ Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Handling the economy															
Initial Approval	329 33%	54 27%	88 39% A	119 34%	69 31%	60 39%	52 39%	86 36%	34 28%	45 28%	90 31%	170 34%	89 36%	81 31%	69 35%
Initial Mixed Feelings	187 19%	38 19%	35 15%	68 19%	47 21%	26 17%	21 16%	34 14%	34 29% EFG	35 22%	57 19%	86 17%	36 14%	50 19%	45 23%
Initial Disapproval	478 48%	108 54%	104 46%	164 46%	102 47%	68 44%	57 44%	113 48%	51 43%	80 50%	145 49%	248 49%	118 48%	130 50%	85 42%
Strongly approve	191 19%	26 13%	47 21%	76 22% A	42 19%	35 23%	24 18%	55 23%	21 18%	31 19%	48 16%	102 20%	49 20%	52 20%	42 21%
Somewhat approve	138 14%	28 14%	41 18%	43 12%	26 12%	25 16%	28 21% I	30 13%	12 10%	14 9%	42 14%	69 14%	40 16%	29 11%	27 13%
Lean toward approval	68 7%	14 7%	15 7%	22 6%	17 8%	13 8%	9 7%	13 6%	8 7%	11 7%	27 9%	30 6%	14 6%	16 6%	11 6%
Still have mixed feelings	15 1%	1 -	3 1%	6 2%	5 2%	1 1%	2 2%	5 2%	1 1%	5 3%	4 2%	5 1%	1 -	4 2%	6 3%
Lean toward disapproval	106 11%	24 12%	17 7%	42 12%	23 11%	12 8%	9 7%	18 8%	24 20% EFG	19 12%	26 9%	52 10%	23 9%	29 11%	28 14%
Somewhat disapprove	116 12%	17 9%	29 13%	46 13%	23 11%	16 10%	16 12%	34 15%	12 10%	21 13%	24 8%	62 12%	21 9%	41 16% JL	30 15%
Strongly disapprove	362 36%	91 45% BC	75 33%	118 33%	78 36%	53 34%	42 32%	78 33%	39 33%	59 37%	121 41% NN	186 37% N	97 40% N	89 34%	55 28%
(DK/NS)	4 -	0 -	1 -	2 -	2 1%	1 -	2 1%	1 -	1 1%	0 -	2 1%	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -
Summary															
Total Approve	397 40%	67 34%	103 45% A	141 40%	86 39%	72 47%	61 46%	99 42%	42 35%	56 35%	117 40%	200 39%	103 42%	97 37%	80 40%
Total Disapprove	583 58%	132 66% B	121 53%	206 58%	125 57%	81 52%	67 50%	131 56%	75 63%	99 62%	171 58%	300 59%	141 57%	159 61%	113 56%
Mean Rating	3.5	3.1	3.7 A	3.6	3.5	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.7

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Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H - I/J - K/L

* small base

		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- -<\$50K	\$50K- -<\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protes- tants	White evan- gelicals	Catho- lics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I		J	K	L
Base: All respondents Weighted															
	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Handling the economy															
Initial Approval	329 33%	44 18%	80 35%	50 32%	84 38%	129 41%	50 30%	96 36%	53 21%	113 40%	190 38%	132 47%	77 31%	109 48%	47 18%
Initial Mixed Feelings	187 19%	64 26%	35 15%	30 19%	42 19%	42 14%	22 13%	62 23%	60 24%	56 20%	106 21%	54 19%	39 16%	36 16%	48 19%
Initial Disapproval	478 48%	131 54%	110 48%	75 48%	95 43%	137 44%	94 56%	110 41%	133 54%	113 40%	199 40%	93 33%	130 53%	81 35%	161 63%
Strongly approve	191 19%	23 10%	42 18%	24 16%	54 25%	84 27%	15 9%	58 22%	32 13%	68 24%	115 23%	79 28%	46 19%	71 31%	21 8%
Somewhat approve	138 14%	21 9%	38 17%	26 17%	30 13%	44 14%	34 20%	38 14%	21 8%	45 16%	75 15%	53 19%	31 13%	38 17%	26 10%
Lean toward approval	68 7%	15 6%	17 8%	10 6%	22 10%	12 4%	9 5%	24 9%	23 9%	25 9%	36 7%	18 7%	20 8%	17 8%	13 5%
Still have mixed feelings	15 1%	8 3%	3 1%	2 1%	2 1%	0 -	2 1%	7 3%	7 3%	2 1%	8 2%	3 1%	3 1%	2 1%	5 2%
Lean toward disapproval	106 11%	42 17%	17 7%	16 10%	18 8%	33 11%	11 7%	30 11%	31 12%	32 11%	62 12%	30 11%	17 7%	16 7%	29 11%
Somewhat disapprove	116 12%	38 16%	19 8%	18 12%	28 13%	30 10%	23 14%	24 9%	39 16%	28 10%	57 11%	31 11%	31 12%	18 8%	33 13%
Strongly disapprove	362 36%	93 39%	90 40%	57 37%	67 30%	107 34%	72 43%	86 32%	94 38%	84 29%	142 29%	62 22%	99 40%	62 27%	129 50%
(DK/NS)	4 -	1 -	2 1%	1 1%	0 -	0 -	2 1%	1 -	1 1%	0 -	2 1%	2 1%	0 -	2 1%	1 1%
Summary															
Total Approve	397 40%	59 24%	97 43%	60 39%	106 48%	141 45%	58 35%	120 45%	76 31%	138 49%	227 46%	150 54%	97 39%	126 56%	61 24%
Total Disapprove	583 58%	173 72%	126 55%	92 59%	113 51%	170 55%	106 63%	140 52%	163 66%	145 51%	260 52%	123 44%	146 60%	97 43%	191 74%
Mean Rating	3.5	2.9	3.5	3.4	3.9	3.8	3.1	3.8	3.1	3.9	3.9	4.3	3.4	4.3	2.6

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3_1. And when it comes to handling the economy, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C - D/E/F/G - H/I - J/K - L/M - N/O

* small base

		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Democ- rats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Democ- ratic men	Democ- ratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	836	380	370	73	186	194	153	217	445	532	440	539	426	549	341	613
Weighted	1000	777	315	373	77*	163	151	162	211	395	578	397	583	370	605	348	606
Handling the economy																	
Initial Approval	329 33%	264 34%	214 68% BC	27 7%	18 23% B	113 69% FG	101 67% FG	16 10%	11 5%	275 70% I	45 8%	329 83% K	0 -	267 72% M	53 9%	190 55% O	123 20%
Initial Mixed Feelings	187 19%	140 18%	57 18%	61 16%	20 25%	22 14%	34 23% DF	17 10%	44 21% F	86 22%	94 16%	65 16%	106 18%	60 16%	119 20%	71 20%	100 17%
Initial Disapproval	478 48%	369 47%	44 14%	282 76% AC	39 50% A	28 17%	16 10%	128 79% DE	154 73% DE	32 8%	436 75% H	0 -	478 82% J	43 12%	428 71% L	88 25%	378 62% N
Strongly approve	191 19%	161 21%	144 46% BC	7 2%	8 10% B	73 45% FG	71 47% FG	5 3%	2 1%	177 45% I	10 2%	191 48% K	0 -	176 48% M	14 2%	116 33% O	65 11%
Somewhat approve	138 14%	103 13%	70 22% B	20 5%	10 12%	40 24% FG	30 20% FG	10 7%	9 4%	98 25% I	35 6%	138 35% K	0 -	91 24% M	39 6%	74 21% O	59 10%
Lean toward approval	68 7%	49 6%	29 10% B	11 3%	8 11% B	11 7% F	19 12% FG	1 1%	10 5%	50 13% I	17 3%	68 17% K	0 -	39 11% M	28 5%	31 9%	36 6%
Still have mixed feelings	15 1%	14 2%	4 1%	6 2%	5 6% A	0 -	4 2%	1 -	5 2%	4 1%	7 1%	0 -	0 -	1 -	9 1%	1 -	6 1%
Lean toward disapproval	106 11%	77 10%	23 7%	43 12%	8 11%	11 7%	12 8%	15 9%	29 14%	33 8%	70 12%	0 -	106 18% J	20 5%	83 14% L	38 11%	60 10%
Somewhat disapprove	116 12%	73 9%	18 6%	50 13% A	5 6%	11 7%	7 5%	21 13% E	29 14% DE	16 4%	92 16% H	0 -	116 20% J	10 3%	102 17% L	44 13%	68 11%
Strongly disapprove	362 36%	295 38%	25 8%	232 62% AC	34 44% A	17 10%	8 6%	107 66% DE	125 59% DE	16 4%	344 60% H	0 -	362 62% J	33 9%	327 54% L	43 13%	310 51% N
(DK/NS)	4 -	4 1%	1 -	3 1%	0 -	1 -	0 -	2 1%	1 1%	1 -	2 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	4 1%	1 -	2 -
Summary																	
Total Approve	397 40%	313 40%	244 77% BC	38 10%	26 34% B	124 76% FG	120 79% FG	17 11%	21 10%	324 82% I	63 11%	397 100% K	0 -	306 83% M	81 13%	221 63% O	160 26%
Total Disapprove	583 58%	445 57%	67 21%	325 87%	47 60% AC	39 24%	27 18%	143 88% DE	182 87% DE	65 16%	506 88% H	0 -	583 100% J	63 17%	511 84% L	126 36%	438 72% N
Mean Rating	3.5	3.5	5.5 BC	1.9	3.1 B	5.4 FG	5.6 FG	1.9	2.0	5.7 I	2.0	6.3 K	1.6	5.7 M	2.1	4.8 O	2.7

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3.1. And when it comes to handling the economy, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

		Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
	Total	Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K- <\$50K	Investor \$50K- <\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Handling the economy													
Initial Approval	329 33%	211 74% B	93 14%	199 40% D	130 26%	40 50%	33 41%	60 34%	41 42%	92 41% IK	105 30%	69 38% K	56 25%
Initial Mixed Feelings	187 19%	50 18%	124 19%	79 16%	108 22% C	8 10%	11 13%	32 18%	14 15%	38 17%	55 16%	43 23%	46 21%
Initial Disapproval	478 48%	22 8%	445 67% A	222 44%	256 51%	32 40%	36 44%	83 47%	43 44%	91 41%	190 54% HJ	71 39%	120 53% HJ
Strongly approve	191 19%	142 50% B	35 5%	122 25% D	69 14%	27 34%	24 30%	31 18%	28 29% F	57 25% IK	63 18%	42 23% K	23 10%
Somewhat approve	138 14%	69 24% B	58 9%	77 15%	61 12%	13 16%	9 11%	29 17%	13 13%	34 15%	42 12%	27 15%	33 15%
Lean toward approval	68 7%	24 8%	40 6%	35 7%	32 7%	3 4%	7 8%	11 6%	7 7%	13 6%	13 4%	18 10% I	23 10% I
Still have mixed feelings	15 1%	1 -	10 2%	5 1%	10 2%	2 3%	1 1%	3 1%	1 1%	7 3% I	3 1%	2 1%	2 1%
Lean toward disapproval	106 11%	25 9%	75 11%	39 8%	67 13% C	3 3%	5 6%	17 10%	7 7%	19 9%	37 11%	23 12%	23 10%
Somewhat disapprove	116 12%	12 4%	95 14% A	51 10%	64 13%	7 9%	7 8%	17 10%	15 15%	15 7%	43 12% H	20 11%	37 16% H
Strongly disapprove	362 36%	10 4%	350 53% A	170 34%	192 38%	25 31%	29 36%	66 38%	28 28%	76 34%	147 42% HJ	51 28%	83 37%
(DK/NS)	4 -	1 1%	1 -	1 -	4 1%	0 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	2 1%	1 -	0 -	2 1%
Summary													
Total Approve	397 40%	234 83% B	133 20%	234 47% D	163 33%	44 54%	40 49%	72 41%	49 49%	105 47% IK	118 34%	88 48% I	79 35%
Total Disapprove	583 58%	47 17%	519 78% A	261 52%	322 65% C	35 43%	41 50%	100 57%	50 50%	110 49%	227 65% HJ	94 51%	143 63% H
Mean Rating	3.5	5.8 B	2.4	3.8 D	3.2	4.2	3.9	3.5	4.0	3.9 IK	3.2	3.9 IK	3.2

3. 2. And when it comes to handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

	Total	Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy												
Initial Approval	316 32%	163 34%	154 30%	53 26%	67 35%	60 32%	67 28%	67 39% CF	75 34%	87 34%	75 30%	77 29%
Initial Mixed Feelings	201 20%	88 18%	112 22%	39 19%	49 26%	20 11%	47 20%	44 26% E	40 18%	46 18%	57 23%	56 21%
Initial Disapproval	477 48%	231 48%	246 48%	112 54% DG	75 39%	107 57% DG	121 51% DG	59 35%	104 47%	126 49%	115 46%	129 49%
Strongly approve	174 17%	92 19%	83 16%	27 13%	35 18%	28 15%	42 18%	40 23% CE	42 19%	50 19%	35 14%	47 18%
Somewhat approve	142 14%	71 15%	71 14%	26 12%	32 17%	32 17%	25 11%	27 16%	33 15%	37 14%	41 16%	31 12%
Lean toward approval	79 8%	33 7%	45 9%	18 8% E	28 15% EF	4 2%	12 5%	16 9% E	19 8%	12 5%	28 11% I	17 6%
Still have mixed feelings	27 3%	6 1%	21 4% A	4 2%	7 3%	5 3%	5 2%	6 4%	2 1%	4 2%	11 5%	10 4%
Lean toward disapproval	94 9%	49 10%	45 9%	17 8%	11 6%	13 7%	31 13% DE	22 13% D	19 9%	30 12%	15 6%	30 11%
Somewhat disapprove	118 12%	68 14%	49 9%	32 16% G	25 13% G	33 17% FG	19 8%	8 5%	39 18% K	30 11%	24 10%	25 9%
Strongly disapprove	359 36%	162 34%	197 38%	80 39%	49 26%	74 39% D	102 43% DG	51 30%	65 29%	96 37%	91 36%	104 40%
(DK/NS)	8 1%	2 -	6 1%	3 2%	4 2%	0 -	0 -	1 -	2 1%	0 -	5 2%	1 -
Summary												
Total Approve	395 39%	196 41%	199 39%	71 34%	94 50% CEF	64 34%	79 33%	83 49% CEF	94 43%	99 38%	104 41%	94 36%
Total Disapprove	570 57%	279 58%	291 56%	129 62% DG	86 45%	120 64% DG	152 64% DG	81 47%	123 56%	155 60%	130 52%	159 60%
Mean Rating	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.9 CEF	3.2	3.2	4.0 CEF	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.3

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3.2. And when it comes to handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F - G/H/I - J/K/L - M/N/O

* small base

	Total	Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
		Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy																
Initial Approval	316 32%	262 37% B	52 18%	116 40%	145 35%	126 37%	135 37%	81 29%	111 31%	123 34%	36 27%	56 36%	71 36%	46 30%	55 27%	52 32%
Initial Mixed Feelings	201 20%	141 20%	59 21%	52 18%	87 21%	70 21%	71 19%	83 29% I	76 21% I	41 12%	38 29% L	31 20% L	19 10%	45 30% O	45 22%	22 14%
Initial Disapproval	477 48%	299 42%	177 61% A	119 41%	179 43%	144 42%	154 42%	117 41%	167 47%	193 54% G	58 43%	67 44%	106 54%	59 39%	100 49%	87 54% M
Strongly approve	174 17%	138 20% B	34 12%	56 19%	82 20%	67 20%	71 19%	48 17%	63 18%	62 17%	24 18%	31 20%	37 19%	24 16%	31 15%	25 16%
Somewhat approve	142 14%	124 17% B	19 6%	60 20%	63 15%	59 17%	64 18%	33 12%	48 13%	61 17%	12 9%	25 16%	34 17%	21 14%	23 11%	27 16%
Lean toward approval	79 8%	55 8%	24 8%	25 9%	27 7%	26 8%	29 8%	27 10%	29 8%	22 6%	15 11%	8 5%	11 5%	12 8%	22 11%	12 7%
Still have mixed feelings	27 3%	17 2%	10 4%	5 2%	12 3%	6 2%	11 3%	9 3%	14 4% I	4 1%	3 2%	2 2%	1 1%	6 4%	12 6%	3 2%
Lean toward disapproval	94 9%	70 10%	24 8%	21 7%	49 12% C	38 11%	32 9%	46 16% HI	34 10% I	13 4%	21 16% L	20 13% L	7 4%	25 17% NO	14 7%	6 4%
Somewhat disapprove	118 12%	79 11%	39 13%	38 13%	41 10%	45 13%	33 9%	28 10%	39 11%	50 14%	21 15%	16 10%	32 16%	7 5%	23 12%	18 11%
Strongly disapprove	359 36%	220 31%	138 48% A	81 28%	138 33%	99 29%	121 33%	89 31%	128 36%	143 40%	37 28%	51 34%	74 38%	52 34%	76 37%	69 43%
(DK/NS)	8 1%	6 1%	2 1%	5 2% D	1 -	2 -	4 1%	4 1%	2 -	2 1%	2 1%	0 -	0 -	3 2%	2 1%	2 1%
Summary																
Total Approve	395 39%	316 45% B	76 26%	141 48%	172 42%	153 45%	164 45%	108 38%	140 39%	145 41%	50 38%	64 42%	81 42%	58 38%	76 38%	63 39%
Total Disapprove	570 57%	369 52%	200 69% A	140 48%	228 55%	182 53%	186 51%	163 57%	201 56%	206 58%	79 59%	88 57%	113 58%	84 56%	113 56%	93 58%
Mean Rating	3.5	3.8 B	2.8	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.3

3.2. And when it comes to handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H/I - J/K/N - J/L/M/N

* small base

	Total	Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
		North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy															
Initial Approval	316 32%	40 20%	87 38% A	121 34% A	68 31% A	63 41%	44 33%	80 34%	41 35%	47 30%	85 29%	167 33%	85 35%	82 31%	64 32%
Initial Mixed Feelings	201 20%	40 20%	44 20%	66 19%	51 23%	26 17%	34 26%	44 19%	22 19%	35 22%	54 18%	95 19%	40 16%	54 21%	52 26% L
Initial Disapproval	477 48%	118 59% BCD	96 42%	165 47%	98 45%	65 42%	52 39%	109 46%	56 47%	77 48%	153 52%	240 47%	121 49%	120 46%	83 42%
Strongly approve	174 17%	19 10%	55 24% A	63 18% A	37 17%	40 26% I	29 22%	40 17%	22 19%	24 15%	46 16%	83 16%	41 17%	42 16%	44 22%
Somewhat approve	142 14%	21 11%	32 14%	58 17%	30 14%	24 15%	15 11%	40 17%	19 16%	24 15%	39 13%	84 17%	44 18% N	40 15%	20 10%
Lean toward approval	79 8%	17 8%	23 10%	19 5%	20 9%	13 8%	13 10%	11 5%	8 7%	17 10%	27 9%	36 7%	11 4%	25 10% L	15 8%
Still have mixed feelings	27 3%	3 1%	4 2%	15 4%	5 2%	2 2%	3 3%	11 5%	4 3%	4 2%	8 3%	13 3%	4 2%	9 3%	7 3%
Lean toward disapproval	94 9%	20 10%	18 8%	30 8%	26 12%	11 7%	18 14%	20 8%	10 8%	15 10%	18 6%	46 9%	26 10%	20 8%	30 15% JKJM
Somewhat disapprove	118 12%	26 13%	18 8%	44 13%	30 14%	11 7%	12 9%	29 12%	15 13%	24 15%	31 10%	62 12%	36 15%	26 10%	25 13%
Strongly disapprove	359 36%	92 46% BCD	78 34%	121 34%	69 31%	54 35%	40 30%	80 34%	41 34%	52 33%	122 42% NN	179 35%	85 34%	94 36%	58 29%
(DK/NS)	8 1%	2 1%	0 -	4 1%	2 1%	0 -	2 1%	4 2%	0 -	0 -	3 1%	4 1%	0 -	4 2%	0 -
Summary															
Total Approve	395 39%	57 29%	110 48% A	140 40% A	88 40% A	76 49%	57 43%	91 39%	50 42%	64 40%	112 38%	203 40%	96 39%	107 41%	80 40%
Total Disapprove	570 57%	138 69% BCD	114 50%	195 55%	124 57%	76 49%	70 53%	129 55%	66 55%	92 58%	171 58%	286 56%	146 59%	140 54%	114 57%
Mean Rating	3.5	2.8	3.8 A	3.6 A	3.5 A	3.9	3.8	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.7

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3.2. And when it comes to handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H - I/J - K/L

* small base

		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- <\$50K	\$50K- <\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protes- tants	White evan- gelicals	Catho- lics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I	J		K	L
Base: All respondents	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
Weighted	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy															
Initial Approval	316 32%	51 21%	70 31%	49 31%	84 38% A	128 41% FH	34 20%	94 35% FH	59 24%	113 40%	187 38%	132 47%	75 30%	101 44% L	51 20%
Initial Mixed Feelings	201 20%	66 28% CD	47 21%	26 17%	40 18%	54 17%	34 20%	55 20%	58 23%	49 17%	120 24%	69 25%	49 20%	42 18%	59 23%
Initial Disapproval	477 48%	122 51%	110 48%	80 52%	96 44%	129 41%	98 59% EG	118 44%	128 52% E	121 42%	188 38%	75 27%	120 49% I	82 36%	145 56% K
Strongly approve	174 17%	26 11%	40 18%	22 14%	46 21% A	70 23% FH	20 12%	51 19%	30 12%	56 20%	96 19%	70 25%	45 18%	59 26% L	29 12%
Somewhat approve	142 14%	25 10%	30 13%	26 17%	38 17%	58 19% F	13 8%	43 16%	29 12%	57 20%	91 18%	62 22%	30 12%	42 18% L	21 8%
Lean toward approval	79 8%	23 10%	15 7%	13 9%	17 8%	20 6%	13 8%	28 10%	17 7%	30 10%	55 11%	28 10%	18 7%	15 7%	13 5%
Still have mixed feelings	27 3%	7 3%	7 3%	3 2%	2 1%	4 1%	2 1%	11 4%	10 4%	5 1%	18 4%	10 3%	5 2%	6 2%	10 4%
Lean toward disapproval	94 9%	36 15% C	23 10%	8 5%	21 9%	30 10%	19 11%	15 6%	30 12% G	15 5%	46 9%	31 11%	28 12%	22 10%	37 14%
Somewhat disapprove	118 12%	24 10%	33 15%	26 17%	26 12%	35 11%	34 20% EGH	30 11%	19 8%	42 15%	54 11%	27 10%	34 14%	21 9%	26 10%
Strongly disapprove	359 36%	98 41%	76 33%	55 35%	70 32%	94 30%	65 39%	88 33%	109 44% EG	79 28%	134 27%	49 18%	86 35%	61 27%	119 46% K
(DK/NS)	8 1%	1 -	3 1%	2 1%	0 -	0 -	2 1%	3 1%	4 1%	2 1%	4 1%	3 1%	0 -	2 1%	3 1%
Summary															
Total Approve	395 39%	74 31%	85 37%	62 40%	102 46% A	148 48% FH	47 28%	122 46% FH	76 31%	143 50%	242 49% J	160 57%	92 37%	116 51% L	63 25%
Total Disapprove	570 57%	159 66% D	133 58%	88 57%	117 53%	159 51%	117 70% EG	133 50%	158 64% EG	136 48%	233 47%	106 38%	149 61% I	104 46%	181 70% K
Mean Rating	3.5	3.1	3.5	3.4	3.8 A	3.9 FH	2.9	3.7 FH	3.1	3.9	3.9 J	4.5	3.4	4.1 L	2.8

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3. 2. And when it comes to handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C - D/E/F/G - H/I - J/K - L/M - N/O

* small base

		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Democ- rats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Democ- ratic men	Democ- ratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents Weighted	1000	836	380	370	73	186	194	153	217	445	532	440	539	426	549	341	613
	1000	777	315	373	77*	163	151	162	211	395	578	397	583	370	605	348	606
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy																	
Initial Approval	316 32%	256 33%	213 68% BC	29 8%	10 13%	109 67% FG	104 69% FG	15 9%	15 7%	265 67% I	43 7%	266 67% K	46 8%	250 68% M	59 10%	192 55% O	112 19%
Initial Mixed Feelings	201 20%	140 18%	48 15%	60 16%	29 38% AB	22 14%	26 17%	25 15%	35 17%	75 19%	116 20%	77 19%	115 20%	67 18%	121 20%	72 21%	112 18%
Initial Disapproval	477 48%	375 48%	51 16%	281 75% AC	38 50% A	32 20%	19 13%	121 75% DE	160 76% DE	51 13%	416 72% H	50 13%	421 72% J	51 14%	422 70% L	84 24%	379 63% N
Strongly approve	174 17%	145 19%	117 37% BC	20 6%	6 7%	55 34% FG	62 41% FG	12 7%	8 4%	143 36% I	24 4%	155 39% K	19 3%	139 38% M	31 5%	108 31% O	60 10%
Somewhat approve	142 14%	111 14%	96 31% BC	9 2%	4 5%	54 33% FG	42 28% FG	3 2%	6 3%	121 31% I	19 3%	112 28% K	28 5%	111 30% M	28 5%	84 24% O	52 9%
Lean toward approval	79 8%	58 7%	33 10% B	15 4%	11 14% B	13 8%	20 13% FG	5 3%	9 4%	46 12% I	31 5%	51 13% K	26 4%	42 11% M	32 5%	30 9%	45 7%
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Lean toward disapproval	94 9%	62 8%	11 4%	40 11% A	11 15% A	4 2%	7 4%	19 12% DE	20 10% D	22 6%	70 12% H	21 5%	69 12% J	20 5%	72 12% L	31 9%	57 10%
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Strongly disapprove	359 36%	292 38%	20 6%	236 63% AC	32 42% A	11 7%	9 6%	100 62% DE	136 64% DE	26 6%	330 57% H	24 6%	332 57% J	22 6%	334 55% L	50 14%	299 49% N
(DK/NS)	8 1%	6 1%	0 -	3 1%	1 1%	0 -	0 -	2 1%	2 1%	4 1%	4 1%	4 1%	3 1%	2 -	4 1%	3 1%	2 -
Summary																	
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Total Disapprove	570 57%	437 56%	62 20%	321 86% AC	50 64% A	36 22%	26 17%	141 87% DE	180 86% DE	73 18%	486 84% H	71 18%	490 84% J	71 19%	494 82% L	116 33%	436 72% N
Mean Rating	3.5	3.5	5.4 BC	2.0	2.9 B	5.3 FG	5.6 FG	2.0	1.9	5.5 I	2.1	5.5 K	2.1	5.5 M	2.2	4.8 O	2.7

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F/G - H/I/J/K

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		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy													
Initial Approval	316 32%	201 71% B	89 13%	183 37% D	133 27%	35 44%	30 36%	61 35%	34 34%	86 38% IK	98 28%	71 38% IK	55 25%
Initial Mixed Feelings	201 20%	42 15%	143 22% A	85 17%	116 23% C	12 15%	10 13%	31 18%	18 18%	54 24% I	53 15%	43 24% I	45 20%
Initial Disapproval	477 48%	40 14%	426 64% A	231 46%	245 49%	33 41%	41 51%	83 47%	48 48%	82 37%	196 56% HJ	69 38%	122 54% HJ
Strongly approve	174 17%	117 41% B	41 6%	94 19%	80 16%	23 28%	13 16%	27 16%	23 23%	54 24% IK	53 15%	35 19%	28 13%
Somewhat approve	142 14%	84 30% B	48 7%	89 18% D	54 11%	13 16%	17 20%	34 19%	11 11%	32 14%	46 13%	36 20%	27 12%
Lean toward approval	79 8%	27 10%	49 7%	37 7%	42 8%	9 11%	3 3%	12 7%	9 9%	19 9% I	11 3%	23 12% I	22 10% I
Still have mixed feelings	27 3%	6 2%	15 2%	14 3%	13 3%	2 2%	4 5%	4 2%	1 1%	8 4%	9 3%	5 3%	6 2%
Lean toward disapproval	94 9%	10 3%	79 12% A	33 7%	60 12% C	2 2%	4 5%	14 8%	8 8%	27 12%	35 10%	12 6%	17 8%
Somewhat disapprove	118 12%	20 7%	90 14% A	62 12%	55 11%	6 7%	14 17%	25 14%	12 12%	12 6%	46 13% H	22 12% H	37 17% H
Strongly disapprove	359 36%	19 7%	337 51% A	169 34%	190 38%	28 34%	27 34%	58 33%	35 36%	70 31%	150 43% HJ	47 26%	84 37%
(DK/NS)	8 1%	0 -	4 1%	2 -	6 1%	0 -	0 -	2 1%	0 -	1 -	0 -	4 2% I	3 1%
Summary													
Total Approve	395 39%	228 81% B	139 21%	220 44% D	175 35%	44 55%	32 40%	72 41%	43 43%	106 47% IK	110 31%	93 51% IK	78 34%
Total Disapprove	570 57%	50 18%	505 76% A	265 53%	305 61% C	35 43%	45 56%	97 55%	55 56%	110 49% HJ	231 66% HJ	81 44%	139 62% HJ
Mean Rating	3.5	5.5 B	2.5	3.7 D	3.3	4.1	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.9 IK	3.1	4.0 IK	3.2

3.3. And when it comes to handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

		Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism												
Initial Approval	403 40%	217 45% B	186 36%	54 26%	98 51% CF	79 42% C	85 36%	84 49% CF	92 42%	122 47% JK	89 36%	96 36%
Initial Mixed Feelings	186 19%	93 19%	93 18%	40 19%	36 19%	27 14%	54 23%	29 17%	45 20%	48 19%	45 18%	48 18%
Initial Disapproval	400 40%	170 35%	230 44% A	109 53% DG	56 29%	80 43% D	95 40% D	56 33%	82 37%	86 33%	111 44% I	117 44% I
Strongly approve	288 29%	154 32%	134 26%	29 14%	73 38% C	53 28% C	66 28% C	65 38% CEF	63 29%	89 34% J	61 25%	73 28%
Somewhat approve	114 11%	62 13%	52 10%	26 12%	25 13%	26 14%	19 8%	18 11%	29 13%	33 13%	28 11%	23 9%
Lean toward approval	55 6%	31 6%	24 5%	14 7%	12 7%	9 5%	14 6%	6 3%	18 8%	13 5%	13 5%	11 4%
Still have mixed feelings	14 1%	4 1%	9 2%	1 1%	3 1%	1 1%	6 2%	3 2%	1 1%	3 1%	4 2%	6 2%
Lean toward disapproval	124 12%	61 13%	63 12%	26 13%	22 12%	18 10%	35 15%	23 13%	27 12%	34 13%	31 12%	32 12%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	38 8%	47 9%	26 12%	16 8%	16 8%	15 7%	12 7%	19 9%	18 7%	25 10%	22 8%
Strongly disapprove	315 32%	132 27%	183 35% A	84 40% DG	40 21%	64 34% D	80 34% D	44 26%	63 28%	68 27%	86 34%	95 36% I
(DK/NS)	4 -	0 -	4 1%	2 1%	0 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	3 1%	2 1%
Summary												
Total Approve	458 46%	248 51% B	210 41%	69 33%	110 58% CF	87 46% C	99 42%	89 52% CF	110 50%	135 52% JK	102 41%	107 40%
Total Disapprove	524 52%	231 48%	293 57% A	136 65% DG	78 41%	99 52%	130 55% DG	78 46%	109 49%	121 47%	142 57%	150 57% I
Mean Rating	3.9	4.2 B	3.7	3.1	4.6 CEF	3.9 C	3.8 C	4.3 CF	4.1	4.3 JK	3.7	3.7

3.3. And when it comes to handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F - G/H/I - J/K/L - M/N/O

* small base

	Total	Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
		Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism																
Initial Approval	403 40%	331 47% B	70 24%	137 47%	192 46%	181 53% F	150 41%	117 41%	139 39%	145 41%	58 44%	68 44%	90 46%	58 39%	72 35%	55 34%
Initial Mixed Feelings	186 19%	116 16%	69 24% A	51 18%	65 16%	52 15%	64 18%	64 23%	62 17%	60 17%	26 20%	29 19%	38 19%	37 25% O	33 16%	22 14%
Initial Disapproval	400 40%	251 35%	148 51% A	97 33%	153 37%	108 31%	143 39% E	96 34%	152 43%	151 42%	46 34%	57 37%	66 34%	50 33%	95 47% M	85 52% M
Strongly approve	288 29%	240 34% B	47 16%	91 31%	146 35%	131 38% F	109 30%	89 31%	90 25%	108 30%	43 32%	44 29%	67 34%	46 30%	46 23%	41 26%
Somewhat approve	114 11%	92 13%	22 8%	46 16%	46 11%	50 15%	41 11%	28 10%	49 14%	37 10%	15 11%	24 16%	23 12%	13 8%	25 12%	13 8%
Lean toward approval	55 6%	39 5%	16 6%	23 8% D	16 4%	16 5%	23 6%	15 5%	24 7%	17 5%	7 5%	14 9%	10 5%	8 5%	9 5%	7 4%
Still have mixed feelings	14 1%	11 2%	3 1%	5 2%	6 2%	4 1%	7 2%	6 2%	3 1%	5 1%	1 1%	1 1%	2 1%	5 4%	1 1%	3 2%
Lean toward disapproval	124 12%	72 10%	52 18% A	28 9%	44 11%	33 10%	39 11%	50 18% H	35 10%	39 11%	21 16%	13 8%	27 14%	29 19% O	22 11%	12 8%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	63 9%	22 7%	30 10%	33 8%	25 7%	38 10%	28 10%	27 7%	30 9%	10 8%	13 9%	14 7%	17 12%	13 6%	16 10%
Strongly disapprove	315 32%	188 26%	126 44% A	67 23%	120 29%	83 24%	105 29%	68 24%	126 35% G	121 34% G	36 27%	44 28%	53 27%	33 22%	82 40% M	68 42% M
(DK/NS)	4 -	4 1%	0 -	3 1%	2 -	0 -	4 1%	1 -	4 1%	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 -	4 2%	0 -
Summary																
Total Approve	458 46%	370 52% B	86 30%	159 55%	208 50%	198 58% F	172 47%	131 46%	163 46%	162 45%	65 49%	82 53%	100 51%	66 44%	81 40%	62 38%
Total Disapprove	524 52%	323 46%	200 69% A	125 43%	197 48%	141 41%	182 50% E	146 51%	188 53%	190 53%	67 50%	70 46%	93 48%	79 52%	117 58%	97 60%
Mean Rating	3.9	4.3 B	3.1	4.3	4.2	4.5 F	4.0	4.1	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.1	3.5	3.4

3.3. And when it comes to handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H/I - J/K/N - J/L/M/N

* small base

		Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
	Total	North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism															
Initial Approval	403 40%	74 37%	105 46%	137 39%	87 40%	73 47%	61 46%	89 38%	48 40%	58 36%	121 41%	190 37%	102 41%	88 34%	92 46% M
Initial Mixed Feelings	186 19%	47 24%	33 15%	67 19%	38 17%	17 11%	28 21% E	46 20% E	21 18%	27 17%	56 19%	93 18%	46 19%	47 18%	36 18%
Initial Disapproval	400 40%	77 39%	87 38%	145 41%	91 42%	63 41%	40 30%	95 40%	50 42%	74 46% F	112 38%	218 43%	96 39%	123 47% N	69 35%
Strongly approve	288 29%	51 26%	75 33%	103 29%	59 27%	58 37% I	40 30%	69 29%	34 28%	37 23%	81 28%	137 27%	73 30%	64 25%	71 35% M
Somewhat approve	114 11%	23 11%	29 13%	34 10%	28 13%	15 10%	21 16%	21 9%	14 11%	21 13%	40 13%	53 11%	29 12%	24 9%	22 11%
Lean toward approval	55 6%	20 10% CD	12 5%	15 4%	9 4%	5 4%	8 7%	10 5%	4 4%	6 4%	16 6%	31 6%	17 7%	14 5%	8 4%
Still have mixed feelings	14 1%	2 1%	3 2%	6 2%	3 1%	1 1%	2 2%	5 2%	1 1%	3 2%	3 1%	5 1%	3 1%	2 1%	6 3%
Lean toward disapproval	124 12%	26 13%	21 9%	49 14%	28 13%	12 7%	20 15%	33 14%	15 13%	18 11%	40 14%	61 12%	28 11%	33 12%	24 12%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	18 9%	23 10%	30 8%	13 6%	13 9%	12 9%	17 7%	13 11%	11 7%	13 4%	45 9%	18 7%	27 10% J	26 13% JJ
Strongly disapprove	315 32%	59 30%	63 28%	115 32%	77 35%	50 32%	28 21%	77 33% F	38 32%	63 39% F	99 34% NN	173 34% N	78 32% N	95 37% N	43 22%
(DK/NS)	4 -	1 -	0 -	3 1%	1 1%	0 -	0 -	3 1%	0 -	1 1%	1 -	2 -	0 -	2 1%	1 -
Summary															
Total Approve	458 46%	94 47%	116 51%	152 43%	96 44%	79 51%	69 53%	100 42%	52 44%	64 40%	137 47%	221 44%	119 48%	101 39%	100 50% M
Total Disapprove	524 52%	103 52%	108 47%	194 55%	119 55%	74 48%	60 46%	128 55%	66 55%	92 58%	152 52%	279 55%	124 50%	155 60% N	93 46%
Mean Rating	3.9	3.9	4.2	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.3 I	3.8	3.8	3.6	3.9	3.8	4.0	3.5	4.3 KM

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Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H - I/J - K/L

* small base

		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- <\$50K	\$50K- <\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protestants	White evangelicals	Catholics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I		J	K	L
Base: All respondents	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
Weighted	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism															
Initial Approval	403 40%	81 34%	86 38%	62 40%	100 46%	160 52% FH	56 33%	119 44% H	66 27%	149 52%	237 48% J	160 57%	94 38%	105 46% L	80 31%
Initial Mixed Feelings	186 19%	53 22%	51 22%	29 19%	33 15%	50 16%	44 26% E	49 18%	43 17%	40 14%	95 19%	39 14%	46 19%	43 19%	49 19%
Initial Disapproval	400 40%	104 43%	90 39%	62 40%	86 39%	99 32%	67 40%	95 35%	135 55% EFG	91 32%	159 32%	75 27%	106 43% I	76 34%	123 48% K
Strongly approve	288 29%	47 19%	71 31% A	37 24%	76 35% AC	117 38% FH	37 22%	87 32% H	47 19%	108 38%	169 34%	116 42%	71 29%	86 38% L	59 23%
Somewhat approve	114 11%	35 14% B	15 7%	25 16% B	24 11%	44 14% H	19 11%	33 12%	19 8%	41 14%	68 14%	44 16%	23 9%	20 9%	20 8%
Lean toward approval	55 6%	11 5%	15 7%	9 6%	15 7%	16 5%	15 9% H	17 7%	7 3%	19 7%	32 6%	14 5%	17 7%	15 6%	12 4%
Still have mixed feelings	14 1%	4 2%	2 1%	2 1%	1 -	1 -	3 2%	6 2%	3 1%	1 1%	5 1%	3 1%	4 2%	3 1%	7 3%
Lean toward disapproval	124 12%	40 17% D	35 15% D	20 13%	18 8%	35 11%	27 16%	28 11%	35 14%	24 8%	60 12%	24 8%	25 10%	27 12%	34 13%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	27 11%	12 5%	17 11%	14 6%	21 7%	17 10%	19 7%	28 11%	17 6%	35 7%	24 8%	27 11%	17 8%	25 10%
Strongly disapprove	315 32%	77 32%	78 34%	45 29%	72 33%	78 25%	50 30%	76 28%	107 43% EFG	74 26%	124 25%	51 18%	79 32%	59 26%	99 38% K
(DK/NS)	4 -	0 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	2 1%	2 1%	1 -	3 1%	4 2%	0 -	1 -	2 1%
Summary															
Total Approve	458 46%	93 39%	101 44%	71 45%	115 52% A	176 57% FH	71 42% H	136 51% H	73 29%	167 59%	269 54%	173 62%	111 45%	120 53% L	92 36%
Total Disapprove	524 52%	144 60% D	125 55%	82 53%	104 47%	134 43%	94 56% E	123 46%	170 69% EFG	115 40%	220 44%	99 35%	131 53%	104 45%	157 61% K
Mean Rating	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.9	4.1 A	4.5 FH	3.7 H	4.2 H	3.1	4.5	4.4 J	4.8	3.8	4.3 L	3.4

3.3. And when it comes to handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C - D/E/F/G - H/I - J/K - L/M - N/O

* small base

		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Democ- rats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Democ- ratic men	Democ- ratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	836	380	370	73	186	194	153	217	445	532	440	539	426	549	341	613
Weighted	1000	777	315	373	77*	163	151	162	211	395	578	397	583	370	605	348	606
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism																	
Initial Approval	403 40%	326 42%	240 76% BC	55 15%	29 38% B	131 80% FG	109 72% FG	24 15%	31 15%	329 83% I	62 11%	311 78% K	87 15%	324 88% M	69 11%	219 63% O	170 28%
Initial Mixed Feelings	186 19%	138 18%	35 11%	83 22% A	17 23% A	16 10%	19 13%	40 25% DE	43 20% D	35 9%	144 25% H	48 12%	130 22% J	30 8%	145 24% L	48 14%	127 21% N
Initial Disapproval	400 40%	304 39%	39 12%	231 62% AC	29 38% A	17 10%	22 14%	95 59% DE	135 64% DE	24 6%	367 63% H	34 9%	360 62% J	15 4%	385 64% L	79 23%	304 50% N
Strongly approve	288 29%	232 30%	189 60% BC	23 6%	17 23% B	100 61% FG	89 59% FG	12 7%	11 6%	264 67% I	19 3%	249 63% K	37 6%	256 69% M	26 4%	163 47% O	114 19%
Somewhat approve	114 11%	94 12%	51 16% B	32 9%	12 15%	31 19% FG	20 13%	12 8%	20 9%	66 17% I	44 8%	62 16% K	50 9%	68 19% M	44 7%	56 16% O	56 9%
Lean toward approval	55 6%	45 6%	17 5%	23 6%	5 6%	6 4%	10 7%	15 9%	8 4%	17 4%	36 6%	25 6%	31 5%	17 5%	33 5%	14 4%	39 7%
Still have mixed feelings	14 1%	13 2%	2 1%	6 2%	4 5% A	2 1%	0 -	2 1%	4 2%	3 1%	6 1%	1 -	8 1%	2 -	6 1%	1 -	6 1%
Lean toward disapproval	124 12%	85 11%	16 5%	58 15% A	10 13% A	7 4%	9 6%	25 16% DE	32 15% DE	17 4%	107 19% H	24 6%	97 17% J	10 3%	112 19% L	34 10%	86 14%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	62 8%	18 6%	41 11% A	3 4%	4 3%	14 9%	23 14% D	18 8% D	14 4%	69 12% H	16 4%	65 11% J	5 1%	79 13% L	22 7%	55 9%
Strongly disapprove	315 32%	242 31%	20 7%	190 51% AC	26 34% A	13 8%	8 5%	72 45% DE	118 56% DE	10 2%	298 51% H	18 4%	295 51% J	10 3%	305 51% L	57 16%	249 41% N
(DK/NS)	4 -	4 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 1%	0 -	0 -	4 1% I	0 -	3 1%	2 -	1 -	1 -	1 -	1 -
Summary																	
Total Approve	458 46%	371 48%	256 82% BC	78 21%	34 44% B	137 84% FG	119 79% FG	39 24%	39 19%	347 88% I	99 17%	335 84% K	118 20%	342 92% M	102 17%	233 67% O	209 35%
Total Disapprove	524 52%	388 50%	55 17%	288 77% AC	40 51% A	24 15%	31 20%	121 74% DE	168 80% DE	41 10%	473 82% H	58 15%	457 78% J	25 7%	497 82% L	114 33%	390 64% N
Mean Rating	3.9	4.0	5.8 BC	2.5	3.8 B	5.9 FG	5.7 FG	2.7	2.4	6.2 I	2.3	6.0 K	2.5	6.4 M	2.4	5.1 O	3.3

3.3. And when it comes to handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

		Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
	Total	Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K- <\$50K	Investor \$50K- <\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism													
Initial Approval	403 40%	237 84% B	139 21%	223 45% D	180 36%	44 54%	36 44%	68 39%	46 47%	106 48% IK	130 37%	96 52% IK	63 28%
Initial Mixed Feelings	186 19%	26 9%	147 22% A	89 18%	97 19%	9 12%	16 20%	40 23% G	12 12%	40 18%	64 18%	34 19%	45 20%
Initial Disapproval	400 40%	20 7%	370 56% A	187 37%	213 43%	28 34%	29 36%	66 37%	41 42%	73 33%	153 44% HJ	52 28%	115 51% HJ
Strongly approve	288 29%	194 68% B	71 11%	161 32%	128 26%	33 41%	31 38%	47 26%	32 33%	82 37% IK	96 27% K	71 39% IK	33 15%
Somewhat approve	114 11%	42 15%	68 10%	62 12%	52 10%	11 14%	4 5%	22 12%	14 14%	24 11%	35 10%	25 13%	30 13%
Lean toward approval	55 6%	10 4%	43 6%	29 6%	27 5%	4 4%	2 2%	17 10%	5 5%	6 3%	21 6%	10 6%	16 7%
Still have mixed feelings	14 1%	2 1%	10 1%	4 1%	10 2%	0 -	1 2%	1 1%	0 -	5 2%	4 1%	1 1%	2 1%
Lean toward disapproval	124 12%	14 5%	98 15% A	57 11%	68 14%	6 7%	13 16%	22 13%	7 7%	33 15%	40 12%	24 13%	28 12%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	10 4%	72 11% A	44 9%	41 8%	6 7%	6 8%	12 7%	11 11%	14 6%	29 8%	15 8%	27 12%
Strongly disapprove	315 32%	10 3%	297 45% A	143 29%	172 34%	22 27%	23 29%	54 31%	30 30%	59 26%	124 35% HJ	37 20%	88 39% HJ
(DK/NS)	4 -	1 -	3 1%	2 -	2 1%	0 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	1 -	2 1%	0 -	2 1%
Summary													
Total Approve	458 46%	247 87% B	182 28%	251 50% D	206 41%	47 58%	37 46%	85 49%	51 51%	113 50% K	152 43%	107 58% IK	79 35%
Total Disapprove	524 52%	34 12%	467 71% A	244 49%	280 56% C	34 42%	43 52%	88 50%	48 49%	106 47%	193 55% J	75 41%	142 63% HJ
Mean Rating	3.9	6.2 B	2.9	4.1 D	3.7	4.5	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.3 IK	3.7	4.6 IK	3.2

3.4. And when it comes to handling the situation in Iraq, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

	Total	Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Handling the situation in Iraq												
Initial Approval	306 31%	161 33%	144 28%	32 16%	82 43%	67 35%	60 25%	61 36%	72 32%	87 34%	69 28%	75 28%
Initial Mixed Feelings	161 16%	83 17%	78 15%	42 20%	25 13%	23 12%	44 19%	25 15%	39 18%	44 17%	38 15%	39 15%
Initial Disapproval	525 53%	237 49%	289 56%	131 63%	82 43%	95 51%	131 56%	83 48%	110 50%	126 49%	139 55%	148 56%
Strongly approve	213 21%	109 23%	103 20%	26 13%	54 29%	47 25%	36 15%	46 27%	50 23%	58 22%	48 19%	54 21%
Somewhat approve	93 9%	52 11%	41 8%	6 3%	28 15%	20 10%	24 10%	15 9%	22 10%	29 11%	21 8%	20 8%
Lean toward approval	64 7%	31 6%	33 6%	10 5%	8 4%	11 6%	19 8%	15 9%	7 3%	24 9%	16 6%	16 6%
Still have mixed feelings	22 2%	10 2%	11 2%	4 2%	3 1%	2 1%	7 3%	5 3%	3 1%	7 3%	4 2%	7 3%
Lean toward disapproval	80 8%	43 9%	37 7%	28 13%	16 8%	12 7%	18 8%	6 3%	28 13%	15 6%	20 8%	17 6%
Somewhat disapprove	60 6%	28 6%	31 6%	9 4%	12 6%	15 8%	12 5%	11 6%	12 5%	17 7%	15 6%	17 6%
Strongly disapprove	466 47%	208 43%	258 50%	121 59%	70 37%	81 43%	119 51%	72 42%	98 45%	109 42%	124 50%	132 50%
(DK/NS)	3 -	0 -	3 1%	2 1%	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 1%	0 -	0 -	2 1%	1 -
Summary												
Total Approve	370 37%	193 40%	177 34%	43 21%	90 47%	78 41%	79 33%	76 44%	79 36%	111 43%	85 34%	91 34%
Total Disapprove	605 61%	280 58%	326 63%	159 77%	97 51%	108 57%	149 63%	89 52%	138 63%	140 54%	159 63%	165 63%
Mean Rating	3.3	3.5	3.1	2.5	3.9 CF	3.5 C	3.0	3.6 CF	3.3	3.5	3.1	3.1

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3.4. And when it comes to handling the situation in Iraq, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F - G/H/I - J/K/L - M/N/O

* small base

	Total	Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
		Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Handling the situation in Iraq																
Initial Approval	306 31%	267 38% B	37 13%	116 40%	147 36%	144 42% F	123 34%	74 26%	108 30%	121 34%	37 27%	52 34%	73 37%	38 25%	56 28%	48 30%
Initial Mixed Feelings	161 16%	121 17%	39 13%	50 17%	71 17%	56 16%	65 18%	52 18%	56 16%	52 15%	27 20%	24 16%	32 16%	25 17%	32 16%	20 12%
Initial Disapproval	525 53%	312 44%	212 74% A	121 41%	190 46%	141 41%	171 47%	154 54%	188 53%	184 51%	70 52%	76 49%	91 46%	84 56%	112 55%	93 57%
Strongly approve	213 21%	184 26% B	27 10%	81 28%	101 25%	98 29%	86 23%	52 18%	77 22%	82 23%	24 18%	41 27%	45 23%	28 18%	36 18%	37 23%
Somewhat approve	93 9%	83 12% B	10 3%	36 12%	46 11%	46 14%	37 10%	23 8%	31 9%	39 11%	13 10%	11 7%	28 14%	10 7%	20 10%	11 7%
Lean toward approval	64 7%	54 8%	9 3%	20 7%	35 8%	25 7%	29 8%	18 7%	22 6%	24 7%	7 5%	8 5%	16 8%	11 7%	14 7%	8 5%
Still have mixed feelings	22 2%	15 2%	7 2%	4 1%	11 3%	5 1%	10 3%	12 4% I	6 2%	4 1%	7 5% L	4 3%	0 -	5 3%	2 1%	4 3%
Lean toward disapproval	80 8%	57 8%	23 8%	29 10%	28 7%	28 8%	29 8%	26 9%	30 8%	24 7%	13 10%	14 9%	16 8%	13 9%	16 8%	8 5%
Somewhat disapprove	60 6%	44 6%	16 6%	21 7%	23 5%	18 5%	26 7%	23 8%	18 5%	18 5%	8 6%	11 7%	9 5%	15 10% N	7 3%	9 5%
Strongly disapprove	466 47%	268 38%	197 68% A	99 34%	168 41%	123 36%	145 40%	130 46%	170 47%	165 46%	62 46%	65 42%	82 42%	69 46%	105 52%	84 52%
(DK/NS)	3 -	3 -	0 -	2 1%	2 -	0 -	3 1%	0 -	3 1%	1 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	2 1%	1 -
Summary																
Total Approve	370 37%	321 45% B	47 16%	136 47%	182 44%	169 49% F	152 42%	92 33%	130 37%	145 41%	44 33%	60 39%	89 46%	49 32%	71 35%	56 34%
Total Disapprove	605 61%	369 52%	235 82% A	149 51%	218 53%	168 49%	200 55%	180 63%	218 61%	208 58%	83 62%	90 59%	106 54%	97 64%	128 63%	101 63%
Mean Rating	3.3	3.7 B	2.2	3.9	3.6	3.9	3.6	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.6	3.1	3.1	3.1

3.4. And when it comes to handling the situation in Iraq, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H/I - J/K/N - J/L/M/N

* small base

		Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
	Total	North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Handling the situation in Iraq															
Initial Approval	306 31%	55 27%	74 33%	114 32%	62 28%	52 34%	44 33%	75 32%	40 33%	41 25%	81 28%	157 31%	79 32%	78 30%	68 34%
Initial Mixed Feelings	161 16%	18 9%	46 20% A	58 16% A	38 17% A	30 20%	23 18%	44 19%	14 12%	31 19%	53 18%	77 15%	42 17%	35 13%	31 15%
Initial Disapproval	525 53%	127 64% BC	101 44%	179 51%	118 54%	69 45%	61 47%	114 48%	66 55%	88 55%	157 54%	268 53%	123 50%	146 56%	100 50%
Strongly approve	213 21%	33 16%	53 23%	77 22%	49 22%	40 26%	29 22%	49 21%	28 23%	33 21%	56 19%	105 21%	49 20%	56 22%	51 26%
Somewhat approve	93 9%	22 11%	21 9%	37 10%	13 6%	13 8%	14 11%	25 11%	12 10%	7 5%	25 9%	52 10%	30 12%	22 8%	16 8%
Lean toward approval	64 7%	10 5%	19 9%	21 6%	14 7%	14 9%	9 7%	15 7%	5 4%	11 7%	20 7%	30 6%	19 8%	11 4%	14 7%
Still have mixed feelings	22 2%	0 -	7 3% A	5 1%	10 4% A	1 -	9 7% EGH	5 2%	0 -	7 4%	9 3%	8 2%	5 2%	4 1%	4 2%
Lean toward disapproval	80 8%	9 4%	24 11% A	33 9%	14 7%	17 11%	9 7%	25 10%	8 7%	13 8%	26 9%	40 8%	21 8%	20 8%	13 7%
Somewhat disapprove	60 6%	17 9%	12 5%	21 6%	10 4%	7 5%	8 6%	9 4%	11 10%	6 3%	12 4%	32 6%	18 7%	14 5%	16 8%
Strongly disapprove	466 47%	110 55% B	89 39%	158 45%	108 50%	62 40%	53 40%	104 44%	54 46%	83 52%	145 49%	236 47%	105 43%	132 51%	84 42%
(DK/NS)	3 -	0 -	1 1%	2 1%	0 -	1 1%	0 -	2 1%	0 -	0 -	1 -	2 -	0 -	2 1%	0 -
Summary															
Total Approve	370 37%	64 32%	94 41%	135 38%	77 35%	66 43%	53 40%	90 38%	45 38%	51 32%	101 34%	187 37%	98 40%	89 34%	82 41%
Total Disapprove	605 61%	136 68% B	125 55%	212 60%	132 61%	86 56%	70 53%	138 59%	74 62%	101 63%	183 62%	309 61%	144 58%	165 63%	113 57%
Mean Rating	3.3	2.9	3.6 A	3.4	3.2	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.1	3.5

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3.4. And when it comes to handling the situation in Iraq, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H - I/J - K/L

* small base

		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- <\$50K	\$50K- <\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protes- tants	White evan- gelicals	Catho- lics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I		J	K	L
Base: All respondents	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
Weighted	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Handling the situation in Iraq															
Initial Approval	306 31%	52 22%	69 30%	43 28%	86 39% AC	124 40% FH	37 22%	95 35% FH	48 20%	119 42%	191 38% J	132 47%	66 27%	95 42% L	50 19%
Initial Mixed Feelings	161 16%	43 18%	34 15%	31 20%	32 15%	47 15%	35 21%	42 15%	36 14%	36 13%	89 18% J	56 20%	23 10%	34 15%	45 18%
Initial Disapproval	525 53%	144 60% D	125 55%	80 52%	103 47%	137 44%	96 57% E	129 48%	160 65% EG	127 45%	213 43%	87 31%	156 64% I	98 43%	158 61% K
Strongly approve	213 21%	36 15%	50 22%	24 16%	64 29% AC	83 27% FH	26 15%	65 24% H	38 15%	74 26%	129 26%	86 31%	50 20%	69 30% L	35 14%
Somewhat approve	93 9%	16 7%	19 9%	19 12%	22 10%	41 13% H	11 7%	31 12% H	10 4%	45 16%	62 12%	46 16%	17 7%	26 11%	14 5%
Lean toward approval	64 7%	10 4%	14 6%	14 9%	14 6%	24 8%	8 5%	22 8%	10 4%	20 7%	42 8%	24 8%	10 4%	15 7%	16 6%
Still have mixed feelings	22 2%	5 2%	5 2%	4 2%	1 1%	3 1%	7 4%	6 2%	5 2%	1 -	10 2%	8 3%	2 1%	4 2%	5 2%
Lean toward disapproval	80 8%	29 12%	14 6%	13 9%	17 8%	22 7%	21 12%	15 6%	22 9%	17 6%	38 8%	27 10%	11 5%	15 6%	27 10%
Somewhat disapprove	60 6%	10 4%	16 7%	12 8%	12 5%	18 6%	10 6%	21 8%	10 4%	17 6%	23 5%	15 5%	23 9% I	11 5%	12 5%
Strongly disapprove	466 47%	134 56% D	109 48%	68 44%	91 41%	119 38%	86 51% E	108 40%	150 61% EG	110 39%	189 38%	72 26%	133 54% I	87 38%	146 57% K
(DK/NS)	3 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	3 1%	0 -	3 1%	2 1%	0 -	1 1%	2 1%
Summary															
Total Approve	370 37%	63 26%	84 37%	57 37%	99 45% A	147 47% FH	44 26%	118 44% FH	58 24%	139 49%	234 47% J	156 56%	77 31%	110 48% L	65 25%
Total Disapprove	605 61%	173 72% D	139 61%	94 60%	120 54%	160 51%	116 69% EG	144 54%	181 73% EG	144 51%	251 50%	113 41%	168 68% I	113 49%	185 72% K
Mean Rating	3.3	2.8	3.3	3.2	3.7 A	3.8 FH	2.9	3.6 FH	2.6	3.8	3.8 J	4.4	2.9	3.9 L	2.7

3.4. And when it comes to handling the situation in Iraq, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C - D/E/F/G - H/I - J/K - L/M - N/O

* small base

		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Democ- rats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Democ- ratic men	Democ- ratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	836	380	370	73	186	194	153	217	445	532	440	539	426	549	341	613
Weighted	1000	777	315	373	77*	163	151	162	211	395	578	397	583	370	605	348	606
Handling the situation in Iraq																	
Initial Approval	306 31%	245 32%	202 64% BC	25 7%	15 19% B	106 65% FG	96 63% FG	13 8%	11 5%	273 69% I	30 5%	260 66% K	45 8%	306 83% M	0 -	170 49% O	124 20%
Initial Mixed Feelings	161 16%	123 16%	61 19% B	42 11%	18 24% B	34 21% G	27 18%	19 12%	24 11%	77 20% I	75 13%	74 19%	80 14%	64 17%	77 13%	53 15%	100 17%
Initial Disapproval	525 53%	403 52%	50 16%	304 82% AC	43 55% A	22 14%	27 18%	129 80% DE	175 83% DE	39 10%	471 81% H	60 15%	453 78% J	0 -	525 87% L	123 35%	381 63% N
Strongly approve	213 21%	169 22%	148 47% BC	11 3%	8 10% B	77 47% FG	71 47% FG	6 4%	5 2%	197 50% I	14 2%	193 48% K	20 3%	213 58% M	0 -	121 35% O	84 14%
Somewhat approve	93 9%	76 10%	54 17% B	14 4%	7 9%	29 18% FG	25 17% FG	7 4%	6 3%	76 19% I	16 3%	68 17% K	26 4%	93 25% M	0 -	49 14% O	40 7%
Lean toward approval	64 7%	58 7%	39 13% B	12 3%	7 8%	20 12% FG	19 13% FG	6 4%	6 3%	52 13% I	11 2%	46 12% K	17 3%	64 17% M	0 -	29 8%	34 5%
Still have mixed feelings	22 2%	20 3%	7 2%	6 2%	6 8% AB	5 3%	2 1%	4 3%	2 1%	7 2%	9 2%	7 2%	10 2%	0 -	0 -	4 1%	13 2%
Lean toward disapproval	80 8%	48 6%	16 5%	24 6%	7 9%	10 6%	6 4%	9 5%	16 8%	20 5%	57 10% H	21 5%	58 10% J	0 -	80 13% L	23 6%	54 9%
Somewhat disapprove	60 6%	44 6%	17 5%	26 7%	1 2%	6 4%	10 7%	12 8%	13 6%	13 3%	42 7% H	18 5%	37 7%	0 -	60 10% L	19 6%	34 6%
Strongly disapprove	466 47%	359 46%	33 11%	279 75% AC	41 54% A	16 10%	17 11%	117 72% DE	161 77% DE	26 7%	429 74% H	42 10%	416 71% J	0 -	466 77% L	103 30%	347 57% N
(DK/NS)	3 -	3 -	1 -	1 -	0 -	0 -	1 -	0 -	1 -	3 1%	0 -	2 1%	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -
Summary																	
Total Approve	370 37%	303 39%	241 76% BC	37 10%	21 27% B	126 77% FG	115 76% FG	20 12%	17 8%	325 82% I	41 7%	306 77% K	63 11%	370 100% M	0 -	199 57% O	157 26%
Total Disapprove	605 61%	451 58%	66 21%	329 88% AC	50 65% A	32 20%	34 22%	138 85% DE	191 91% DE	60 15%	528 91% H	81 20%	511 88% J	0 -	605 100% L	145 42% N	435 72%
Mean Rating	3.3	3.4	5.4 BC	1.7	2.8 B	5.5 FG	5.4 FG	1.9	1.7	5.7 I	1.7	5.5 K	1.9	6.4 M	1.4	4.3 O	2.7

3.4. And when it comes to handling the situation in Iraq, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

		Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
	Total	Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K- <\$50K	Investor \$50K- <\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Handling the situation in Iraq													
Initial Approval	306 31%	209 74% B	80 12%	181 36% D	124 25%	33 41%	32 39%	57 33%	37 37%	77 35% K	102 29% K	80 44% IK	39 18%
Initial Mixed Feelings	161 16%	36 13%	103 16%	76 15%	84 17%	13 16%	10 12%	26 15%	13 13%	36 16%	54 15%	23 13%	45 20%
Initial Disapproval	525 53%	37 13%	474 72% A	241 48%	284 57% C	34 42%	40 49%	92 53%	49 49%	108 48%	191 55% J	79 43%	138 62% HJ
Strongly approve	213 21%	153 54% B	49 7%	125 25% D	87 17%	23 29%	26 32% F	31 18%	31 31% F	57 25% K	70 20%	48 26% K	32 14%
Somewhat approve	93 9%	56 20% B	31 5%	56 11%	37 7%	10 13%	6 7%	26 15% G	6 6%	20 9% K	33 9% K	32 17% HIK	7 3%
Lean toward approval	64 7%	26 9% B	33 5%	32 6%	32 7%	9 11%	2 3%	10 5%	7 7%	19 8%	25 7%	8 5%	10 5%
Still have mixed feelings	22 2%	1 - A	16 2% A	9 2%	12 2%	0 -	0 -	3 2%	0 -	9 4%	6 2%	1 1%	5 2%
Lean toward disapproval	80 8%	9 3%	57 9% A	37 7%	43 9%	4 5%	7 9%	13 7%	6 6%	9 4%	25 7%	15 8%	30 13% H
Somewhat disapprove	60 6%	13 5%	45 7%	32 7%	28 6%	5 6%	3 4%	14 8%	8 8%	12 6%	23 7%	12 6%	11 5%
Strongly disapprove	466 47%	25 9%	429 65% A	209 42%	257 51% C	29 36%	36 45%	78 45%	41 42%	96 43%	168 48% J	67 37%	128 57% HJ
(DK/NS)	3 -	1 -	2 -	1 -	3 1%	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	2 1%	0 -	0 -	2 1%
Summary													
Total Approve	370 37%	235 83% B	113 17%	213 43% D	157 31%	42 52%	34 42%	67 38%	44 44%	96 43% K	128 36% K	88 48% IK	50 22%
Total Disapprove	605 61%	47 16%	531 80% A	278 55%	327 66% C	39 48%	47 58%	105 60%	55 56%	117 52%	216 62% H	93 51%	168 75% HIJ
Mean Rating	3.3	5.7 B	2.2	3.6 D	3.0	4.0	3.6	3.3	3.7	3.6 K	3.2 K	3.9 IK	2.6

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3.5. And when it comes to handling Social Security, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

	Total	Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Handling Social Security												
Initial Approval	286 29%	145 30%	141 27%	50 24%	58 30%	55 29%	62 26%	58 34%	71 32%	71 27%	63 25%	77 29%
Initial Mixed Feelings	224 22%	103 21%	121 23%	57 28%	47 25%	45 24%	41 17%	34 20%	50 23%	53 21%	66 26%	54 21%
Initial Disapproval	448 45%	216 45%	232 45%	86 41%	74 39%	84 45%	127 54% CDG	75 44%	89 41%	126 49%	103 41%	127 48%
Strongly approve	177 18%	90 19%	88 17%	26 13%	34 18%	35 18%	41 17%	40 23% C	44 20%	44 17%	36 14%	51 19%
Somewhat approve	108 11%	55 11%	53 10%	24 11%	24 13%	21 11%	21 9%	18 11%	28 12%	27 10%	27 11%	26 10%
Lean toward approval	67 6%	30 6%	37 7%	16 8%	16 8%	13 7%	10 4%	12 7%	13 6%	17 7%	22 9%	15 6%
Still have mixed feelings	28 3%	18 4%	11 2%	9 4%	5 3%	3 2%	5 2%	6 3%	11 5%	7 3%	5 2%	5 2%
Lean toward disapproval	138 14%	59 12%	79 15%	37 18% G	27 14%	30 16% G	28 12%	15 9%	27 12%	32 12%	44 18%	35 13%
Somewhat disapprove	108 11%	53 11%	55 11%	23 11%	27 14%	18 10%	21 9%	20 12%	23 11%	30 12%	31 12%	24 9%
Strongly disapprove	340 34%	163 34%	177 34%	63 30%	47 25%	66 35%	106 45% CDG	55 32%	66 30%	96 37%	72 29%	103 39% J
(DK/NS)	33 3%	15 3%	18 4%	10 5%	10 5%	2 1%	5 2%	5 3%	9 4%	6 2%	12 5%	6 2%
Summary												
Total Approve	353 35%	175 36%	178 34%	65 32%	74 39%	69 36%	71 30%	70 41% F	84 38%	88 34%	86 34%	92 35%
Total Disapprove	586 59%	275 57%	311 60%	123 59%	101 53%	115 61%	155 66% DG	90 53%	117 53%	158 61%	147 59%	162 61%
Mean Rating	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.7 F	3.4	3.1	3.7 F	3.7	3.3	3.4	3.3

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F - G/H/I - J/K/L - M/N/O

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	Total	Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
		Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Handling Social Security																
Initial Approval	286 29%	233 33% B	52 18%	94 32%	135 33%	115 34%	117 32%	72 25%	93 26%	119 33%	32 24%	37 24%	75 38% JK	40 26%	55 27%	44 27%
Initial Mixed Feelings	224 22%	146 21%	77 27%	68 23%	79 19%	67 20%	79 22%	75 26%	78 22%	72 20%	28 21%	34 22%	41 21%	46 31% O	44 22%	31 19%
Initial Disapproval	448 45%	298 42%	150 52% A	109 37%	188 45% C	148 43%	149 41%	117 41%	180 50%	152 43%	61 46%	79 51%	76 39%	55 37%	101 50% M	76 47%
Strongly approve	177 18%	143 20% B	34 12%	56 19%	85 21%	73 21%	70 19%	43 15%	58 16%	75 21%	18 13%	25 16%	46 24%	25 16%	33 16%	29 18%
Somewhat approve	108 11%	90 13% B	18 6%	38 13%	50 12%	42 13%	47 13%	30 10%	34 10%	44 12%	15 11%	12 8%	29 15%	15 10%	22 11%	15 9%
Lean toward approval	67 6%	52 7%	15 5%	25 9%	27 7%	25 7%	28 8%	17 6%	28 8%	22 6%	4 3%	12 8%	14 7%	13 9%	16 8%	8 5%
Still have mixed feelings	28 3%	20 3%	7 3%	12 4%	8 2%	11 3%	9 2%	10 4%	7 2%	11 3%	7 5%	4 3%	6 3%	3 2%	3 2%	4 3%
Lean toward disapproval	138 14%	82 12%	55 19% A	36 12%	46 11%	34 10%	48 13%	49 17%	45 13%	43 12%	19 14%	20 13%	21 10%	31 20%	25 12%	23 14%
Somewhat disapprove	108 11%	77 11%	31 11%	34 12%	43 10%	38 11%	39 11%	23 8%	43 12%	42 12%	13 9%	19 12%	22 11%	11 7%	24 12%	21 13%
Strongly disapprove	340 34%	221 31%	118 41% A	75 26%	144 35% C	110 32%	110 30%	94 33%	137 38%	110 31%	49 37%	60 39%	54 28%	45 30%	77 38%	56 34%
(DK/NS)	33 3%	23 3%	10 3%	14 5%	9 2%	9 3%	14 4%	19 7% H	4 1%	10 3%	10 8% KL	1 1%	3 2%	8 6%	3 1%	7 4%
Summary																
Total Approve	353 35%	285 40% B	66 23%	120 41%	162 39%	140 41%	145 40%	89 31%	121 34%	141 40%	36 27%	50 32%	89 46% JK	53 35%	71 35%	52 32%
Total Disapprove	586 59%	380 54%	205 71% A	145 50%	234 57%	183 53%	197 54%	166 58%	225 63%	195 55%	80 60%	99 64% L	97 49%	86 57%	126 62%	99 61%
Mean Rating	3.4	3.7 B	2.8	3.8	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.6	3.2	3.2	3.9 JK	3.5	3.3	3.3

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H/I - J/K/N - J/L/M/N

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		Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
	Total	North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Handling Social Security															
Initial Approval	286 29%	42 21%	74 33% A	112 32% A	58 27%	48 31%	43 32%	77 33%	34 29%	42 26%	83 28%	143 28%	64 26%	78 30%	60 30%
Initial Mixed Feelings	224 22%	46 23%	49 22%	79 22%	50 23%	34 22%	29 22%	45 19%	34 28%	36 23%	70 24%	110 22%	50 20%	61 23%	43 22%
Initial Disapproval	448 45%	109 55% BC	89 39%	151 43%	99 45%	64 42%	48 36%	105 44%	47 39%	76 48%	131 45%	232 46%	122 50%	110 42%	85 43%
Strongly approve	177 18%	22 11%	47 21% A	69 20% A	39 18%	32 21%	26 20%	48 20%	22 18%	29 18%	50 17%	92 18%	42 17%	50 19%	36 18%
Somewhat approve	108 11%	19 10%	27 12%	42 12%	20 9%	16 11%	17 13%	30 13%	13 11%	13 8%	33 11%	51 10%	22 9%	28 11%	24 12%
Lean toward approval	67 6%	13 7%	17 7%	21 6%	17 8%	12 8%	7 6%	16 7%	5 4%	14 8%	19 7%	38 7%	18 7%	19 7%	10 5%
Still have mixed feelings	28 3%	6 3%	1 1%	14 4% B	6 3%	1 1%	3 2%	6 3%	8 7% E	3 2%	10 3%	13 3%	6 3%	6 2%	6 3%
Lean toward disapproval	138 14%	27 13%	35 15%	47 13%	29 13%	23 15%	20 15%	25 10%	22 19%	21 13%	43 15%	65 13%	28 11%	38 15%	29 15%
Somewhat disapprove	108 11%	19 9%	26 11%	35 10%	29 13%	21 13%	14 10%	25 10%	10 8%	21 13%	30 10%	52 10%	28 11%	25 10%	26 13%
Strongly disapprove	340 34%	90 45% BCD	63 28%	116 33%	70 32%	44 28%	34 26%	80 34%	37 31%	55 35%	101 34%	180 36%	95 39%	85 33%	59 30%
(DK/NS)	33 3%	3 2%	11 5%	9 2%	9 4%	5 3%	11 8% G	6 3%	3 2%	4 3%	8 3%	16 3%	7 3%	9 3%	9 4%
Summary															
Total Approve	353 35%	55 27%	91 40% A	133 37% A	75 34%	60 39%	50 38%	93 40%	39 33%	55 35%	102 35%	180 36%	83 34%	98 37%	70 35%
Total Disapprove	586 59%	136 68% BC	124 54%	198 56%	128 59%	87 57%	68 51%	129 55%	69 58%	97 61%	174 59%	298 59%	150 61%	148 57%	115 57%
Mean Rating	3.4	2.9	3.7 A	3.6 A	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.5

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		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- <\$50K	\$50K- <\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protestants	White evangelicals	Catholics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I		J	K	L
Base: All respondents	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
Weighted	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Handling Social Security															
Initial Approval	286 29%	53 22%	59 26%	42 27%	81 37% AB	109 35% FH	36 21%	86 32% H	54 22%	90 32%	171 34% J	111 40%	62 25%	90 40% L	49 19%
Initial Mixed Feelings	224 22%	58 24%	47 21%	27 17%	58 26%	66 21%	37 22%	62 23%	59 24%	73 26%	119 24%	65 23%	58 23%	52 23%	49 19%
Initial Disapproval	448 45%	117 49% D	111 49% D	81 52% D	76 34%	131 42%	82 49%	107 40%	125 51% G	111 39%	186 37%	89 32%	120 49% I	77 34%	147 57% K
Strongly approve	177 18%	29 12%	37 16%	25 16%	47 22% A	73 24% FH	16 9%	55 20% F	33 13%	59 21%	105 21%	72 26%	37 15%	68 30% L	25 10%
Somewhat approve	108 11%	24 10%	22 10%	17 11%	34 15%	35 11%	20 12%	31 12%	22 9%	30 11%	66 13%	39 14%	25 10%	23 10%	24 9%
Lean toward approval	67 6%	11 4%	13 6%	6 3%	27 12% ABC	24 8%	6 3%	22 8%	15 6%	28 10%	49 10%	27 10%	12 5%	20 9% L	6 2%
Still have mixed feelings	28 3%	8 4%	2 1%	7 5%	4 2%	6 2%	12 7% EH	6 2%	4 2%	7 2%	15 3%	12 4%	2 1%	6 2%	6 2%
Lean toward disapproval	138 14%	41 17%	32 14%	16 10%	32 15%	38 12%	21 13%	36 14%	42 17%	40 14%	58 12%	29 10%	45 18% I	27 12%	38 15%
Somewhat disapprove	108 11%	16 7%	35 15% AD	32 21% AD	19 8%	31 10%	23 14%	29 11%	26 10%	29 10%	55 11%	24 9%	29 12%	18 8%	27 11%
Strongly disapprove	340 34%	101 42% D	76 33%	48 31%	58 26%	100 32%	59 35%	77 29%	100 40% G	82 29%	132 27%	65 23%	91 37% I	60 26%	120 47% K
(DK/NS)	33 3%	10 4% D	10 5% D	5 3%	1 -	3 1%	11 7% E	11 4% E	7 3%	9 3%	17 3%	12 4%	5 2%	7 3%	11 4%
Summary															
Total Approve	353 35%	64 27%	72 32%	47 30%	108 49% ABC	133 43% FH	42 25%	108 40% FH	70 28%	118 41%	220 44% J	137 49%	74 30%	110 48% L	55 21%
Total Disapprove	586 59%	158 66% D	143 63% D	96 62% D	108 49%	169 54%	103 61%	143 53%	168 68% EG	151 53%	245 49%	118 42%	165 67% I	105 46%	185 72% K
Mean Rating	3.4	3.0	3.3	3.3	4.0 ABC	3.7 FH	3.0	3.7 FH	3.0	3.7	3.9 J	4.2	3.2	4.1 L	2.7

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		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Democ- rats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Democ- ratic men	Democ- ratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	836	380	370	73	186	194	153	217	445	532	440	539	426	549	341	613
Weighted	1000	777	315	373	77*	163	151	162	211	395	578	397	583	370	605	348	606
Handling Social Security																	
Initial Approval	286 29%	232 30%	183 58% BC	31 8%	14 18% B	92 56% FG	91 60% FG	16 10%	15 7%	228 58% I	50 9%	235 59% K	49 8%	223 60% M	58 10%	168 48% O	110 18%
Initial Mixed Feelings	224 22%	168 22%	62 20%	85 23%	20 26%	35 21%	27 18%	31 19%	54 26%	77 20%	136 24%	82 21%	132 23%	76 21%	140 23%	70 20%	139 23%
Initial Disapproval	448 45%	351 45%	59 19%	249 67% AC	38 49% A	30 18%	30 20%	113 69% DE	137 65% DE	72 18%	371 64% H	64 16%	379 65% J	59 16%	384 64% L	95 27%	340 56% N
Strongly approve	177 18%	152 20%	127 40% BC	15 4%	8 11% B	63 38% FG	64 42% FG	9 6%	6 3%	152 39% I	23 4%	155 39% K	21 3%	151 41% M	21 3%	105 30% O	66 11%
Somewhat approve	108 11%	80 10%	57 18% B	16 4%	6 7%	29 18% FG	27 18% FG	6 4%	10 4%	76 19% I	27 5%	80 20% K	28 5%	71 19% M	37 6%	62 18% O	45 7%
Lean toward approval	67 6%	56 7%	39 12% BC	17 4%	1 1%	24 15% FG	15 10% F	2 1%	14 7% F	48 12% I	18 3%	48 12% K	17 3%	44 12% M	22 4%	34 10% O	28 5%
Still have mixed feelings	28 3%	23 3%	8 3%	7 2%	7 10% AB	5 3%	3 2%	6 4%	1 1%	8 2%	15 3%	8 2%	16 3%	9 2%	13 2%	8 2%	16 3%
Lean toward disapproval	138 14%	99 13%	19 6%	63 17% A	16 20% A	9 6%	10 7%	23 14% D	40 19% DE	28 7%	105 18% H	30 8%	104 18% J	25 7%	108 18% L	34 10% N	97 16%
Somewhat disapprove	108 11%	75 10%	30 10%	36 10%	9 12%	14 8%	17 11%	13 8%	23 11%	25 6%	82 14% H	30 8%	76 13% J	18 5%	91 15% L	33 9%	70 12%
Strongly disapprove	340 34%	277 35%	29 9%	214 57% AC	29 37% A	16 10%	13 9%	100 61% DE	114 54% DE	46 12%	289 50% H	34 8%	303 52% J	42 11%	293 49% L	62 18%	270 44% N
(DK/NS)	33 3%	16 2%	6 2%	6 2%	1 2%	4 2%	2 1%	3 2%	3 1%	11 3%	19 3%	11 3%	20 3%	10 3%	20 3%	10 3%	15 2%
Summary																	
Total Approve	353 35%	288 37%	222 71% BC	47 13%	15 19%	116 71% FG	106 70% FG	18 11%	30 14%	276 70% I	69 12%	283 71% K	66 11%	266 72% M	80 13%	202 58% O	138 23%
Total Disapprove	586 59%	451 58%	78 25%	312 84% AC	54 70% A	39 24%	40 26%	135 83% DE	177 84% DE	100 25%	476 82% H	95 24%	482 83% J	85 23%	492 81% L	128 37% N	437 72%
Mean Rating	3.4	3.5	5.2 BC	2.1	2.9 B	5.2 FG	5.2 FG	2.1	2.2	5.1 I	2.2	5.2 K	2.2	5.3 M	2.3	4.6 O	2.8

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		Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
	Total	Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K- <\$50K	Investor \$50K- <\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Handling Social Security													
Initial Approval	286 29%	178 63% B	83 13%	172 34% D	114 23%	37 46%	26 31%	53 30%	38 39%	77 35% I	88 25%	58 31%	57 25%
Initial Mixed Feelings	224 22%	50 18%	160 24%	104 21%	120 24%	11 13%	13 17%	37 21%	21 21%	40 18%	76 22%	41 22%	63 28% H
Initial Disapproval	448 45%	45 16%	396 60% A	213 42%	236 47%	30 37%	41 50%	82 47%	37 38%	100 45%	176 50%	75 41%	89 40%
Strongly approve	177 18%	118 42% B	46 7%	112 22% D	66 13%	26 32%	21 25%	29 17%	24 24%	55 25% IK	55 16%	31 17%	32 14%
Somewhat approve	108 11%	60 21% B	37 5%	60 12%	48 10%	11 14%	5 6%	24 13%	15 15%	22 10%	33 9%	27 14%	25 11%
Lean toward approval	67 6%	32 11% B	33 5%	34 7%	33 7%	7 8%	5 6%	8 5%	10 11%	14 6%	20 6%	16 9%	16 7%
Still have mixed feelings	28 3%	4 2%	19 3%	18 4%	10 2%	1 1%	0 -	9 5%	1 1%	7 3%	6 2%	3 1%	12 5%
Lean toward disapproval	138 14%	18 6%	112 17% A	57 11%	81 16%	6 8%	9 12%	21 12%	12 12%	20 9%	53 15% H	23 13%	41 18% H
Somewhat disapprove	108 11%	19 7%	85 13% A	64 13%	45 9%	7 8%	16 19%	28 16%	10 10%	25 11%	31 9%	28 15%	24 11%
Strongly disapprove	340 34%	26 9%	311 47% A	149 30%	191 38% C	23 29%	25 31%	53 30%	27 27%	76 34%	145 41% JK	47 26%	65 29%
(DK/NS)	33 3%	7 2%	20 3%	8 1%	25 5% C	0 -	1 1%	3 2%	0 -	5 2%	7 2%	9 5%	11 5%
Summary													
Total Approve	353 35%	210 74% B	116 17%	206 41% D	147 29%	44 54%	30 37%	61 35%	49 49% F	91 41% I	108 31%	74 40%	72 32%
Total Disapprove	586 59%	63 22%	508 77% A	269 54%	317 63% C	36 45%	50 62%	102 58%	49 49%	121 54%	229 65% HJ	98 54%	130 58%
Mean Rating	3.4	5.3 B	2.5	3.7 D	3.1	4.2	3.5	3.5	4.0	3.7 I	3.1	3.7 I	3.4

3.6. And when it comes to handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

	Total	Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina												
Initial Approval	394 39%	193 40%	202 39%	57 28%	86 45%	80 43%	85 36%	81 47%	84 38%	105 41%	94 38%	106 40%
Initial Mixed Feelings	221 22%	105 22%	116 22%	61 29%	39 21%	27 14%	59 25%	35 20%	52 23%	53 21%	57 23%	59 22%
Initial Disapproval	364 36%	176 36%	188 36%	86 41%	60 31%	74 39%	88 37%	53 31%	80 36%	95 37%	93 37%	93 35%
Strongly approve	260 26%	121 25%	139 27%	36 17%	65 34%	49 26%	51 22%	55 32%	55 25%	63 24%	67 27%	71 27%
Somewhat approve	134 13%	72 15%	62 12%	21 10%	21 11%	31 16%	34 15%	27 16%	29 13%	43 16%	28 11%	35 13%
Lean toward approval	84 8%	46 9%	38 7%	24 12%	17 9%	11 6%	21 9%	12 7%	28 13%	19 7%	19 7%	19 7%
Still have mixed feelings	20 2%	13 3%	7 1%	3 2%	3 2%	5 3%	5 2%	4 2%	6 3%	7 3%	1 1%	5 2%
Lean toward disapproval	128 13%	52 11%	77 15%	36 17%	23 12%	15 8%	34 14%	20 11%	21 9%	31 12%	41 16%	35 13%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	45 9%	40 8%	26 13%	12 6%	24 13%	13 5%	8 4%	25 11%	20 8%	23 9%	15 6%
Strongly disapprove	279 28%	131 27%	148 29%	60 29%	47 25%	49 26%	76 32%	46 27%	55 25%	74 29%	70 28%	78 30%
(DK/NS)	10 1%	3 1%	7 1%	1 -	2 1%	4 2%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	2 1%	2 1%	5 2%
Summary												
Total Approve	478 48%	239 49%	239 46%	81 39%	103 54%	91 48%	106 45%	93 54%	112 51%	124 48%	113 45%	125 47%
Total Disapprove	492 49%	228 47%	264 51%	122 59%	83 44%	89 47%	122 52%	73 43%	101 46%	126 49%	134 54%	129 49%
Mean Rating	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.5 C	4.3 C	4.0	3.8	4.3 CF	4.1	4.0	3.9	4.0

3.6. And when it comes to handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F - G/H/I - J/K/L - M/N/O

* small base

	Total	Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
		Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina																
Initial Approval	394 39%	319 45% B	73 25%	133 46%	182 44%	150 44%	169 46%	123 43%	133 37%	136 38%	53 40%	60 39%	80 41%	70 46%	74 36%	56 35%
Initial Mixed Feelings	221 22%	154 22%	67 23%	71 24%	83 20%	74 22%	80 22%	74 26% I	84 24%	63 18%	31 23%	37 24%	37 19%	43 28% O	47 23%	27 16%
Initial Disapproval	364 36%	219 31%	143 50% A	80 28%	138 33%	110 32%	109 30%	83 29%	132 37%	148 42% G	47 35%	53 35%	76 39%	36 24%	79 39% M	73 45% M
Strongly approve	260 26%	203 29% B	55 19%	83 29%	117 28%	91 27%	112 31%	77 27%	90 25%	92 26%	28 21%	42 28%	50 26%	49 32%	47 23%	41 26%
Somewhat approve	134 13%	116 16% B	18 6%	50 17%	65 16%	59 17%	57 15%	46 16%	44 12%	44 12%	25 19%	17 11%	30 15%	21 14%	26 13%	15 9%
Lean toward approval	84 8%	61 8%	23 8%	31 11%	30 7%	31 9%	30 8%	21 7%	37 10%	26 7%	10 7%	21 13%	16 8%	12 8%	17 8%	9 6%
Still have mixed feelings	20 2%	19 3%	0 -	8 3%	11 3%	13 4%	7 2%	11 4% H	3 1%	5 2%	6 5%	2 1%	5 3%	5 3% O	2 1%	0 -
Lean toward disapproval	128 13%	83 12%	45 16%	38 13%	45 11%	36 10%	47 13%	43 15%	48 14%	37 10%	18 13%	17 11%	17 8%	25 17%	31 15%	21 13%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	55 8%	29 10%	30 10%	26 6%	33 10%	22 6%	19 7%	29 8%	38 11%	10 7%	14 10%	21 11%	9 6%	14 7%	16 10%
Strongly disapprove	279 28%	164 23%	114 40% A	51 17%	112 27% C	77 22%	87 24%	65 23%	103 29%	111 31% G	38 28%	39 25%	54 28%	27 18%	64 32% M	57 35% M
(DK/NS)	10 1%	7 1%	3 1%	1 -	6 2%	3 1%	4 1%	2 1%	3 1%	5 1%	0 -	1 1%	2 1%	2 2%	2 1%	3 1%
Summary																
Total Approve	478 48%	379 54% B	97 33%	164 56%	213 52%	181 53%	199 54%	144 51%	171 48%	162 45%	63 47%	80 52%	96 49%	82 54% O	90 44%	65 40%
Total Disapprove	492 49%	302 43%	189 65% A	119 41%	182 44%	146 43%	156 43%	126 44%	180 50%	186 52%	65 49%	71 46%	92 47%	61 41%	110 54% M	94 58% M
Mean Rating	4.0	4.3 B	3.2	4.4	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.2	3.9	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.5 NO	3.8	3.6

3.6. And when it comes to handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H/I - J/K/N - J/L/M/N

* small base

	Total	Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
		North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina															
Initial Approval	394 39%	62 31%	99 44% A	151 43% A	81 37%	70 45%	55 42%	100 43%	51 43%	55 35%	109 37%	200 39%	93 38%	107 41%	85 43%
Initial Mixed Feelings	221 22%	50 25%	52 23%	74 21%	45 21%	35 23%	34 26%	50 21%	23 20%	28 18%	56 19%	114 23%	50 20%	64 25%	51 25%
Initial Disapproval	364 36%	86 43%	74 32%	122 34%	83 38%	48 31%	38 29%	80 34%	42 35%	70 44% F	120 41% NN	189 37% N	101 41% N	88 34%	54 27%
Strongly approve	260 26%	37 19%	68 30% A	100 28% A	54 25%	48 31%	39 29%	65 27%	35 30%	35 22%	73 25%	130 26%	57 23%	72 28%	58 29%
Somewhat approve	134 13%	25 12%	31 14%	51 15%	27 12%	22 14%	17 13%	36 15%	15 13%	20 13%	36 12%	70 14%	35 14%	35 13%	28 14%
Lean toward approval	84 8%	21 11%	21 9%	22 6%	20 9%	15 10%	13 10%	12 5%	10 8%	13 8%	20 7%	41 8%	21 9%	20 8%	23 12%
Still have mixed feelings	20 2%	5 2%	4 2%	5 1%	7 3%	4 2%	2 2%	4 2%	1 1%	5 3%	4 1%	11 2%	8 3%	3 1%	5 2%
Lean toward disapproval	128 13%	25 12%	27 12%	51 14%	26 12%	16 10%	21 16%	38 16%	13 11%	16 10%	37 13%	65 13%	23 10%	42 16%	26 13%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	18 9%	13 6%	27 8%	27 13% B	10 7%	6 5%	15 6%	12 10%	24 15% EFG	31 10% M	42 8%	29 12% M	12 5%	13 6%
Strongly disapprove	279 28%	68 34%	60 26%	95 27%	55 25%	38 25%	32 24%	65 28%	30 25%	46 28%	90 31% NN	147 29%	72 29%	75 29%	42 21%
(DK/NS)	10 1%	2 1%	2 1%	4 1%	2 1%	1 1%	2 1%	1 1%	3 2%	1 1%	3 1%	1 -	0 -	1 -	6 3% KL
Summary															
Total Approve	478 48%	83 42%	120 53%	173 49%	102 47%	85 55%	69 52%	113 48%	61 51%	68 43%	129 44%	241 48%	114 46%	127 49%	108 54%
Total Disapprove	492 49%	110 55%	101 44%	172 49%	108 50%	64 42%	59 45%	118 50%	55 46%	86 54%	157 54% NN	254 50% N	125 51%	129 50%	81 40%
Mean Rating	4.0	3.6	4.2 A	4.1	4.0	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.2	3.7	3.8	4.0	3.9	4.1	4.4 JJ

3.6. And when it comes to handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H - I/J - K/L

* small base

		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- <\$50K	\$50K- <\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protes- tants	White evan- gelicals	Catho- lics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I		J	K	L
Base: All respondents	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
Weighted	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina															
Initial Approval	394 39%	81 34%	93 41%	62 40%	86 39%	136 44% H	56 33%	129 48% FH	72 29%	136 48%	234 47% J	153 55%	87 35%	122 53% L	69 27%
Initial Mixed Feelings	221 22%	52 21%	63 28%	31 20%	43 19%	60 19%	45 27%	61 23%	55 22%	64 23%	98 20%	57 21%	61 25%	38 17%	73 29% K
Initial Disapproval	364 36%	104 43% B	65 28%	60 39%	85 39% B	107 34%	66 39% G	73 27%	114 46% EG	80 28%	154 31%	62 22%	94 38%	62 27%	111 43% K
Strongly approve	260 26%	46 19%	64 28%	36 23%	62 28%	91 29% FH	30 18%	90 34% FH	48 19%	90 32%	153 31%	104 37%	62 25%	90 40% L	46 18%
Somewhat approve	134 13%	35 15%	30 13%	26 17%	24 11%	45 15%	26 16%	39 14%	24 10%	46 16%	81 16%	49 18%	25 10%	31 14%	24 9%
Lean toward approval	84 8%	15 6%	28 12%	11 7%	14 7%	24 8%	22 13%	21 8%	17 7%	23 8%	44 9%	29 10%	22 9%	20 9%	30 11%
Still have mixed feelings	20 2%	3 1%	5 2%	2 2%	8 4%	8 2%	6 3%	4 1%	3 1%	6 2%	8 2%	6 2%	7 3%	1 -	10 4% K
Lean toward disapproval	128 13%	35 15%	35 16%	18 12%	24 11%	33 11%	18 11%	37 14%	40 16%	38 13%	51 10%	26 9%	34 14%	19 8%	38 15%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	20 8%	14 6%	15 9%	27 12%	32 10%	14 8%	18 6%	22 9%	29 10%	35 7%	16 6%	19 8%	21 9%	12 5%
Strongly disapprove	279 28%	85 35% B	50 22%	46 29%	58 26%	75 24%	52 31%	56 21%	92 37% EG	51 18%	119 24%	47 17%	75 30%	41 18%	99 38% K
(DK/NS)	10 1%	3 1%	2 1%	2 1%	2 1%	3 1%	0 -	4 2%	3 1%	1 1%	6 1%	2 1%	2 1%	4 2%	0 -
Summary															
Total Approve	478 48%	96 40%	121 53% A	72 47%	101 46%	160 52% H	78 46%	150 56% H	88 36%	159 56%	278 56% J	182 65%	109 44%	142 62% L	99 38%
Total Disapprove	492 49%	139 58% B	100 44%	78 50%	110 50%	140 45%	84 50%	110 41%	154 62% EG	119 42%	205 41%	89 32%	128 52% I	81 36%	149 58% K
Mean Rating	4.0	3.6	4.3 A	3.9	4.0	4.2 H	3.8	4.5 FH	3.4	4.5	4.4 J	4.9	3.8	4.8 L	3.4

3.6. And when it comes to handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C - D/E/F/G - H/I - J/K - L/M - N/O

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		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Democ- rats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Democ- ratic men	Democ- ratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	836	380	370	73	186	194	153	217	445	532	440	539	426	549	341	613
Weighted	1000	777	315	373	77*	163	151	162	211	395	578	397	583	370	605	348	606
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina																	
Initial Approval	394 39%	318 41%	233 74% BC	55 15%	25 32% B	120 73% FG	113 75% FG	24 15%	32 15%	308 78% I	73 13%	299 75% K	89 15%	284 77% M	95 16%	208 60% O	164 27%
Initial Mixed Feelings	221 22%	154 20%	41 13%	93 25% A	19 24% A	20 12%	20 13%	37 23% D	56 27% DE	46 12% H	171 30% H	44 11% J	166 29% J	35 10% L	179 30% L	66 19% N	141 23%
Initial Disapproval	364 36%	287 37%	29 9%	222 60% AC	31 39% A	18 11%	12 8%	101 62% DE	121 57% DE	29 7% H	327 57% H	41 10% J	321 55% J	38 10% L	324 54% L	66 19% N	290 48% N
Strongly approve	260 26%	212 27%	163 52% BC	27 7%	16 21% B	79 48% FG	84 55% FG	13 8%	14 7%	226 57% I	27 5%	224 57% K	34 6%	208 56% M	39 7%	136 39% O	108 18%
Somewhat approve	134 13%	106 14%	70 22% B	28 8%	9 11%	41 25% FG	29 19% FG	10 6%	18 8%	82 21% I	47 8%	75 19% K	55 9%	77 21% M	55 9%	73 21% O	56 9%
Lean toward approval	84 8%	64 8%	30 9%	21 6%	13 17% B	13 8%	17 11% G	11 7%	10 5%	32 8% H	48 8%	36 9% J	43 7%	24 6% L	56 9%	34 10% N	46 7%
Still have mixed feelings	20 2%	12 2%	5 2%	5 1%	2 2%	4 2%	1 1%	4 2%	1 1%	7 2% H	12 2%	4 1% J	12 2%	5 1% L	12 2%	4 1% N	10 2%
Lean toward disapproval	128 13%	87 11%	13 4%	69 19% AC	5 6%	7 5%	6 4%	23 14% DE	46 22% DE	15 4% H	113 20% H	13 3% J	115 20% J	14 4% L	115 19% L	32 9% N	92 15%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	71 9%	12 4%	54 14% A	5 7%	8 5%	4 3%	24 15% DE	30 14% DE	16 4% H	67 11% H	12 3% J	73 13% J	10 3% L	75 12% L	24 7% N	59 10%
Strongly disapprove	279 28%	216 28%	17 6%	168 45% A	25 33% A	10 6%	8 5%	77 48% DE	91 43% DE	13 3% H	260 45% H	29 7% J	248 42% J	28 8% L	249 41% L	42 12% N	230 38% N
(DK/NS)	10 1%	7 1%	5 1% B	0 -	2 3% B	2 1%	2 2%	0 -	0 -	4 1% I	4 1%	5 1% K	4 1%	5 1% M	4 1%	3 1% O	5 1%
Summary																	
Total Approve	478 48%	383 49%	262 83% BC	76 20%	38 49% B	133 81% FG	130 86% FG	34 21%	42 20%	340 86% I	122 21%	335 84% K	132 23%	308 83% M	151 25%	243 70% O	210 35%
Total Disapprove	492 49%	375 48%	42 13%	292 78% AC	35 45% A	25 15%	17 11%	124 77% DE	167 79% DE	44 11% H	440 76% H	53 13% J	436 75% J	51 14% L	439 72% L	98 28% N	381 63% N
Mean Rating	4.0	4.0	5.8 BC	2.6	3.8 B	5.7 FG	5.9 FG	2.6	2.6	6.0 I	2.6	5.9 K	2.7	5.9 M	2.8	5.1 O	3.3

3.6. And when it comes to handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F/G - H/I/J/K

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		Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
	Total	Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K- <\$50K	Investor \$50K- <\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina													
Initial Approval	394 39%	224 79% B	142 21%	211 42%	183 37%	35 44%	39 48%	67 38%	35 36%	103 46% K	133 38%	82 45% K	67 30%
Initial Mixed Feelings	221 22%	30 10%	181 27% A	101 20%	119 24%	17 20%	12 15%	38 22%	22 22%	50 22%	69 20%	36 20%	65 29%
Initial Disapproval	364 36%	24 8%	327 49% A	179 36%	185 37%	25 31%	30 37%	68 39%	36 36%	67 30%	140 40% H	59 32%	89 40%
Strongly approve	260 26%	167 59% B	73 11%	147 29% D	113 23%	30 38%	30 38%	43 24%	29 29%	71 32% IK	80 23%	62 34% IK	41 18%
Somewhat approve	134 13%	57 20% B	69 10%	64 13%	70 14%	5 6%	9 11%	24 14%	6 6%	31 14%	54 15%	20 11%	26 12%
Lean toward approval	84 8%	20 7%	60 9%	34 7%	50 10%	8 10%	4 5%	9 5%	10 10%	16 7%	25 7%	18 10%	25 11%
Still have mixed feelings	20 2%	4 1%	12 2%	13 3%	7 1%	2 2%	2 2%	2 1%	8 8% F	7 3%	7 2%	3 1%	3 1%
Lean toward disapproval	128 13%	8 3%	117 18% A	58 12%	70 14%	9 11%	6 7%	27 16%	8 8%	29 13%	40 12%	20 11%	39 18%
Somewhat disapprove	85 9%	11 4%	73 11% A	51 10%	34 7%	10 12%	6 7%	17 10%	14 14%	10 5%	34 10% H	13 7%	26 12% H
Strongly disapprove	279 28%	13 5%	254 38% A	128 25%	151 30%	15 18%	24 30%	51 29%	22 23%	57 25%	106 30%	46 25%	63 28%
(DK/NS)	10 1%	4 1%	4 1%	5 1%	5 1%	2 3%	0 -	2 1%	2 2%	2 1%	5 1%	2 1%	1 -
Summary													
Total Approve	478 48%	244 86% B	203 31%	246 49%	233 47%	43 54%	44 54%	76 43%	46 46%	119 53% K	158 45%	100 55%	92 41%
Total Disapprove	492 49%	32 11%	444 67% A	237 47%	255 51%	33 41%	36 44%	95 54%	44 44%	96 43%	180 51% H	79 43%	129 57% HJ
Mean Rating	4.0	6.0 B	3.1	4.1	3.9	4.5	4.3	3.8	4.1	4.3 IK	3.8	4.3 K	3.6

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3.7. And when it comes to handling gas prices, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F/G - H/I/J/K

* small base

		Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Handling gas prices												
Initial Approval	206 21%	106 22%	100 19%	25 12%	55 29% CG	38 20%	55 23% C	33 19%	44 20%	62 24% K	55 22%	44 17%
Initial Mixed Feelings	169 17%	79 16%	90 17%	35 17%	29 15%	38 20%	29 12%	33 19% F	34 16%	42 16%	45 18%	43 16%
Initial Disapproval	583 58%	280 58%	303 59%	143 69% DEG	98 52%	104 55%	144 61%	93 54%	136 62%	143 55%	140 56%	163 62%
Strongly approve	103 10%	55 11%	48 9%	8 4%	28 15% C	20 10%	24 10% C	23 13% C	23 10%	32 12%	22 9%	25 10%
Somewhat approve	104 10%	51 11%	52 10%	17 8%	27 14% G	19 10%	31 13% G	10 6%	22 10%	30 12%	33 13%	19 7%
Lean toward approval	77 8%	38 8%	39 8%	13 6%	14 7%	16 9%	14 6%	19 11% F	16 7%	22 8%	19 7%	20 7%
Still have mixed feelings	26 3%	9 2%	17 4%	1 1%	3 1%	7 4%	4 2%	6 4%	1 1%	4 2%	4 2%	12 4% H
Lean toward disapproval	92 9%	40 8%	52 10%	26 12%	17 9%	21 11%	16 7%	14 8%	20 9%	20 8%	32 13%	21 8%
Somewhat disapprove	87 9%	44 9%	43 8%	28 13% G	15 8%	18 9%	17 7%	9 5%	28 13%	16 6%	19 8%	24 9%
Strongly disapprove	496 50%	236 49%	259 50%	115 56%	83 44%	86 46%	127 54%	83 49%	108 49%	127 49%	121 48%	139 53%
(DK/NS)	16 1%	10 2%	5 1%	0 -	4 2%	2 1%	2 1%	7 4% CF	3 1%	7 3%	1 -	4 2%
Summary												
Total Approve	284 28%	144 30%	139 27%	37 18%	69 36% C	55 29%	70 30% C	52 30% C	61 27%	84 32% K	74 30%	64 24%
Total Disapprove	675 67%	320 66%	355 69%	169 81% DEFG	115 60%	124 66%	160 68%	106 62%	156 71%	163 63%	171 68%	184 70%
Mean Rating	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.3	3.2 C	2.9 C	2.8	2.9 C	2.7	3.0	2.9	2.6

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3.7. And when it comes to handling gas prices, do you approve or disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way George W. Bush is handling that issue?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F - G/H/I - J/K/L - M/N/O

* small base

	Total	Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
		Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Handling gas prices																
Initial Approval	206 21%	159 22%	46 16%	68 23%	91 22%	80 23%	79 22%	39 14%	64 18%	103 29% GH	14 10%	26 17%	67 34% JK	25 17%	38 19%	36 22%
Initial Mixed Feelings	169 17%	135 19%	34 12%	56 19%	76 18%	66 19%	69 19%	38 14%	64 18%	66 18%	11 9%	35 23% J	33 17%	27 18%	29 14%	34 21%
Initial Disapproval	583 58%	383 54%	199 69% A	158 54%	224 54%	184 54%	198 54%	200 71% HI	214 60% I	169 47%	106 79% KL	87 56%	88 45%	95 63% O	127 63% O	81 50%
Strongly approve	103 10%	77 11%	25 9%	29 10%	48 12%	39 12%	38 10%	24 9%	30 8%	47 13%	8 6%	14 9%	33 17% J	17 11%	17 8%	14 9%
Somewhat approve	104 10%	82 12%	21 7%	39 13%	43 10%	40 12%	42 11%	14 5%	34 9%	56 16% GH	6 4%	12 8%	34 17% JK	8 6%	22 11%	22 14% M
Lean toward approval	77 8%	73 10% B	4 1%	32 11%	41 10%	36 11%	37 10%	20 7%	23 7%	33 9%	8 6%	12 8%	18 9%	12 8%	11 5%	15 9%
Still have mixed feelings	26 3%	21 3%	5 2%	5 2%	13 3%	8 2%	13 4%	6 2%	6 2%	15 4%	0 -	2 1%	7 3%	5 4%	4 2%	8 5%
Lean toward disapproval	92 9%	61 9%	31 11%	26 9%	35 8%	29 8%	32 9%	16 6%	43 12% G	33 9%	5 4%	22 14% JL	13 7%	11 7%	20 10%	21 13%
Somewhat disapprove	87 9%	59 8%	28 9%	28 10%	32 8%	29 8%	31 8%	14 5%	35 10%	38 11% G	10 7%	13 9%	21 11%	5 3%	22 11% M	17 10% M
Strongly disapprove	496 50%	323 46%	171 59% A	130 45%	192 47%	155 45%	168 46%	186 65% HI	178 50% I	131 37%	96 72% KL	73 48% L	67 34%	90 60% O	105 52% O	64 39%
(DK/NS)	16 1%	11 1%	5 2%	1 -	10 2% C	6 2%	5 2%	3 1%	8 2%	5 1%	1 1%	5 3%	3 2%	2 1%	2 1%	1 1%
Summary																
Total Approve	284 28%	232 33% B	50 17%	101 35%	131 32%	116 34%	116 32%	59 21%	87 24%	136 38% GH	21 16%	38 25%	85 43% JK	37 25%	49 24%	51 31%
Total Disapprove	675 67%	443 63%	230 80% A	184 63%	258 63%	213 62%	230 63%	216 76% I	256 72% I	202 57%	110 83% L	109 71% L	101 52%	106 70%	147 73%	101 63%
Mean Rating	2.8	3.0 B	2.3	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.3	2.7	3.4 GH	2.0	2.7 J	3.6 JK	2.6	2.6	3.1

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		Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
	Total	North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Handling gas prices															
Initial Approval	206 21%	34 17%	52 23%	79 22%	41 19%	37 24%	30 22%	50 21%	30 25%	27 17%	59 20%	111 22%	61 25%	50 19%	37 19%
Initial Mixed Feelings	169 17%	39 20%	38 17%	45 13%	46 21% C	28 18%	17 13%	33 14%	13 11%	39 24% FGH	48 16%	93 18%	47 19%	46 18%	29 14%
Initial Disapproval	583 58%	118 59%	129 57%	215 61%	120 55%	85 55%	77 58%	140 60%	75 63%	88 55%	170 58%	287 57%	128 52%	159 61%	126 63% L
Strongly approve	103 10%	22 11%	19 8%	43 12%	19 9%	13 8%	12 9%	24 10%	19 16%	13 8%	34 12%	52 10%	27 11%	26 10%	16 8%
Somewhat approve	104 10%	12 6%	33 15% A	37 10%	22 10%	24 16%	17 13%	26 11%	11 9%	14 9%	24 8%	58 12%	35 14%	24 9%	21 10%
Lean toward approval	77 8%	15 7%	21 9%	25 7%	16 7%	14 9%	11 8%	18 8%	7 6%	12 7%	18 6%	41 8%	22 9%	19 7%	19 9%
Still have mixed feelings	26 3%	4 2%	6 3%	7 2%	9 4%	3 2%	6 5%	4 2%	3 3%	7 4%	13 5% K	7 1%	3 1%	4 2%	6 3%
Lean toward disapproval	92 9%	26 13% C	15 7%	22 6%	28 13% C	13 8%	8 6%	18 7%	4 3%	23 15% FH	29 10%	52 10%	25 10%	27 10%	11 6%
Somewhat disapprove	87 9%	12 6%	22 10%	29 8%	24 11%	13 8%	12 9%	12 5%	17 15% G	21 13% G	28 9%	34 7%	12 5%	22 8%	26 13% KL
Strongly disapprove	496 50%	106 53%	107 47%	186 53%	96 44%	72 47%	65 49%	129 55% I	58 48%	67 42%	142 48%	253 50%	116 47%	137 53%	100 50%
(DK/NS)	16 1%	3 2%	3 1%	5 2%	4 2%	3 2%	1 1%	5 2%	0 -	3 2%	5 2%	9 2%	7 3%	2 1%	1 1%
Summary															
Total Approve	284 28%	49 24%	73 32%	105 30%	57 26%	51 33%	40 31%	68 29%	37 31%	39 24%	76 26%	152 30%	83 34%	68 26%	56 28%
Total Disapprove	675 67%	144 72%	144 64%	237 67%	149 68%	98 63%	85 64%	158 67%	79 66%	111 69%	199 68%	339 67%	153 62%	186 71%	137 68%
Mean Rating	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.1	2.7	2.7

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		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- -<\$50K	\$50K- -<\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protes- tants	White evan- gelicals	Catho- lics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I		J	K	L
Base: All respondents Weighted															
	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Handling gas prices															
Initial Approval	206 21%	28 12%	49 22% A	38 24% A	59 27% A	80 26% FH	25 15%	66 25% H	34 14%	76 27%	116 23%	71 26%	49 20%	70 31% L	26 10%
Initial Mixed Feelings	169 17%	29 12%	37 16%	23 15%	51 23% A	48 15%	31 18%	60 22% H	30 12%	59 21%	84 17%	53 19%	42 17%	50 22% L	35 14%
Initial Disapproval	583 58%	174 72% BCD	134 59% D	92 59% D	103 47%	167 54%	110 65% G	133 49%	170 69% EG	142 50%	272 55%	138 50%	146 60%	95 42%	187 73% K
Strongly approve	103 10%	20 8%	23 10%	15 10%	27 12%	47 15% FH	7 4%	32 12% F	15 6%	38 13%	61 12%	41 15%	26 11%	42 19% L	13 5%
Somewhat approve	104 10%	9 4%	26 12% A	22 14% A	32 15% A	34 11%	18 11%	34 13%	18 7%	38 13%	55 11%	31 11%	23 9%	28 12% L	13 5%
Lean toward approval	77 8%	16 7%	17 7%	7 4%	22 10%	27 9%	12 7%	27 10% H	11 5%	28 10%	51 10% J	37 13%	12 5%	23 10%	15 6%
Still have mixed feelings	26 3%	4 2%	5 2%	3 2%	5 2%	5 1%	4 3%	12 5% E	5 2%	5 2%	12 3%	7 2%	6 2%	10 4%	4 2%
Lean toward disapproval	92 9%	18 7%	21 9%	16 11%	29 13%	23 7%	17 10%	30 11%	22 9%	33 12%	39 8%	22 8%	27 11%	25 11%	25 9%
Somewhat disapprove	87 9%	26 11%	11 5%	18 12% B	25 11% B	22 7%	22 13%	27 10%	16 7%	28 10%	42 9%	25 9%	15 6%	14 6%	12 5%
Strongly disapprove	496 50%	148 61% CD	124 54% D	73 47% D	79 36%	145 47%	88 52% G	106 39%	154 62% EG	114 40%	230 46%	113 41%	131 53%	80 35%	175 68% K
(DK/NS)	16 1%	0 -	2 1%	0 -	2 1%	9 3% G	1 -	1 -	5 2%	1 -	7 1%	4 1%	6 3%	6 3%	1 -
Summary															
Total Approve	284 28%	45 19%	66 29% A	45 29%	82 37% A	107 34% FH	37 22%	93 35% FH	45 18%	104 37%	167 34% J	108 39%	61 25%	92 41% L	40 16%
Total Disapprove	675 67%	192 80% BD	155 68%	108 69%	132 60%	190 61%	127 75% EG	163 61%	192 78% EG	175 61%	311 63%	160 58%	173 70%	119 52%	212 82% K
Mean Rating	2.8	2.2	2.8 A	2.9 A	3.3 AB	3.1 FH	2.5	3.2 FH	2.3	3.3	3.0	3.3	2.7	3.6 L	2.1

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		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Democ- rats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Democ- ratic men	Democ- ratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	836	380	370	73	186	194	153	217	445	532	440	539	426	549	341	613
Weighted	1000	777	315	373	77*	163	151	162	211	395	578	397	583	370	605	348	606
Handling gas prices																	
Initial Approval	206 21%	169 22%	132 42% BC	17 5%	15 20% B	70 43% FG	61 41% FG	7 4%	10 5%	165 42% I	38 7%	172 43% K	30 5%	159 43% M	43 7%	112 32% O	86 14%
Initial Mixed Feelings	169 17%	128 16%	65 21% B	50 13%	10 13%	31 19%	34 22% G	22 14%	28 13%	82 21% I	82 14%	89 22% K	76 13%	76 20%	92 15%	69 20%	90 15%
Initial Disapproval	583 58%	448 58%	101 32%	298 80% AC	44 57% A	54 33%	46 31%	130 80% DE	169 80% DE	122 31%	445 77% H	107 27%	467 80% J	108 29%	457 75% L	155 45%	407 67% N
Strongly approve	103 10%	88 11%	70 22% BC	10 3%	8 10% B	40 25% FG	30 20% FG	4 2%	6 3%	89 23% I	13 2%	86 22% K	15 3%	84 23% M	17 3%	55 16% O	43 7%
Somewhat approve	104 10%	81 10%	61 19% B	7 2%	8 10% B	30 19% FG	31 20% FG	3 2%	4 2%	76 19% I	25 4%	86 22% K	15 3%	75 20% M	26 4%	56 16% O	43 7%
Lean toward approval	77 8%	64 8%	49 15% BC	10 3%	4 5%	25 15% FG	24 16% FG	5 3%	5 3%	57 14% I	19 3%	59 15% K	18 3%	57 15% M	20 3%	39 11% O	35 6%
Still have mixed feelings	26 3%	20 3%	8 3%	8 2%	4 5%	2 1%	6 4%	3 2%	5 2%	13 3%	9 2%	15 4% K	8 1%	14 4%	10 2%	10 3%	12 2%
Lean toward disapproval	92 9%	65 8%	17 6%	37 10%	9 12%	8 5%	9 6%	16 10%	21 10%	27 7%	63 11%	30 7%	60 10%	21 6%	70 11% L	29 8%	58 10%
Somewhat disapprove	87 9%	75 10%	26 8%	44 12%	6 7%	14 8%	12 8%	20 12%	24 11%	32 8%	54 9%	27 7%	58 10%	24 7%	60 10%	32 9%	54 9%
Strongly disapprove	496 50%	373 48%	75 24%	255 68% AC	38 49% A	41 25%	34 23%	110 68% DE	145 69% DE	89 23%	391 68% H	80 20%	409 70% J	84 23%	397 66% L	124 36%	353 58% N
(DK/NS)	16 1%	11 2%	8 3% B	2 -	1 2%	4 2%	4 3%	1 1%	1 -	12 3% I	4 1%	14 3% K	1 -	9 2%	5 1%	3 1%	7 1%
Summary																	
Total Approve	284 28%	233 30%	180 57% BC	27 7%	19 25% B	95 58% FG	86 57% FG	12 7%	16 7%	221 56% I	57 10%	232 58% K	47 8%	216 58% M	63 10%	150 43% O	121 20%
Total Disapprove	675 67%	513 66%	118 38%	335 90% AC	53 69% A	62 38%	56 37%	146 90% DE	190 90% DE	148 38%	508 88% H	137 34%	527 90% J	130 35%	527 87% L	185 53%	465 77% N
Mean Rating	2.8	2.9	4.3 BC	1.8	2.8 B	4.3 FG	4.3 FG	1.7	1.8	4.3 I	1.8	4.4 K	1.7	4.4 M	1.9	3.6 O	2.4

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		Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
	Total	Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K- <\$50K	Investor \$50K- <\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Handling gas prices													
Initial Approval	206 21%	138 49% B	54 8%	133 27% D	74 15%	28 34%	26 32%	49 28%	25 25%	48 22% K	72 20% K	58 32% HIK	26 11%
Initial Mixed Feelings	169 17%	61 22% B	97 15%	101 20% D	68 14%	17 21%	14 17%	28 16%	30 30% F	37 17%	60 17%	27 15%	39 17%
Initial Disapproval	583 58%	68 24%	494 75% A	242 48%	341 68% C	32 40%	37 46%	95 54% G	40 40%	123 55%	207 59%	90 49%	156 69% HJ
Strongly approve	103 10%	77 27% B	20 3%	67 13% D	36 7%	17 21%	13 16%	21 12%	15 15%	33 15% IK	32 9%	29 16% K	8 3%
Somewhat approve	104 10%	61 22% B	34 5%	66 13% D	38 7%	11 13%	14 17%	27 16%	10 10%	16 7%	40 12%	29 16% H	18 8%
Lean toward approval	77 8%	45 16% B	27 4%	46 9%	31 6%	10 12%	6 7%	10 6%	13 13% F	24 11%	25 7%	15 8%	13 6%
Still have mixed feelings	26 3%	8 3%	13 2%	14 3%	12 2%	3 4%	2 3%	3 2%	4 4%	6 2%	11 3%	2 1%	3 1%
Lean toward disapproval	92 9%	17 6%	69 10%	53 11%	39 8%	6 7%	8 10%	18 10%	17 17%	16 7%	32 9%	15 8%	28 13%
Somewhat disapprove	87 9%	26 9%	56 9%	49 10%	38 8%	5 6%	5 6%	29 16% EG	5 5%	15 7%	28 8%	12 6%	32 14% H
Strongly disapprove	496 50%	42 15%	438 66% A	193 39%	303 61% C	27 34%	33 40%	67 38%	34 35%	107 48%	179 51%	78 43%	124 55%
(DK/NS)	16 1%	7 2%	5 1%	12 2% D	3 1%	2 3%	1 1%	1 -	1 1%	7 3% K	4 1%	4 2%	0 -
Summary													
Total Approve	284 28%	183 65% B	82 12%	179 36% D	105 21%	38 47%	32 39%	59 33%	37 38%	72 32% K	97 28% K	73 40% IK	39 17%
Total Disapprove	675 67%	85 30%	564 85% A	295 59%	379 76% C	38 47%	46 56%	113 65%	57 57%	139 62%	239 68% J	105 57%	184 82% HIJ
Mean Rating	2.8	4.7 B	2.0	3.3 D	2.4	3.8	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.0 K	2.8 K	3.4 IK	2.3

3. SUMMARY: TOTAL APPROVE

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F/G - H/I/J/K

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	Total	Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina	478	239	239	81	103	91	106	93	112	124	113	125
	48%	49%	46%	39%	54%	48%	45%	54%	51%	48%	45%	47%
			C					CF				
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism	458	248	210	69	110	87	99	89	110	135	102	107
	46%	51%	41%	33%	58%	46%	42%	52%	50%	52%	41%	40%
		B			CF	C		CF		JK		
Handling the economy	397	200	197	70	89	74	79	81	94	104	99	97
	40%	41%	38%	34%	47%	39%	34%	47%	43%	40%	40%	37%
			F					CF				
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy	395	196	199	71	94	64	79	83	94	99	104	94
	39%	41%	39%	34%	50%	34%	33%	49%	43%	38%	41%	36%
			CEF					CEF				
Overall job as president	395	184	211	53	98	82	78	81	87	94	101	109
	39%	38%	41%	26%	52%	43%	33%	47%	40%	36%	41%	41%
			CF		CF	CF		CF				
Handling the situation in Iraq	370	193	177	43	90	78	79	76	79	111	85	91
	37%	40%	34%	21%	47%	41%	33%	44%	36%	43%	34%	34%
			CF		C	C	C	CF		K		
Handling Social Security	353	175	178	65	74	69	71	70	84	88	86	92
	35%	36%	34%	32%	39%	36%	30%	41%	38%	34%	34%	35%
			F					F				
Handling gas prices	284	144	139	37	69	55	70	52	61	84	74	64
	28%	30%	27%	18%	36%	29%	30%	30%	27%	32%	30%	24%
			C		C		C	C		K		

3. SUMMARY: TOTAL APPROVE

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D - E/F - G/H/I - J/K/L - M/N/O

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	Total	Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
		Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina	478	379	97	164	213	181	199	144	171	162	63	80	96	82	90	65
	48%	54% B	33%	56%	52%	53%	54%	51%	48%	45%	47%	52%	49%	54% O	44%	40%
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism	458	370	86	159	208	198	172	131	163	162	65	82	100	66	81	62
	46%	52% B	30%	55%	50%	58% F	47%	46%	46%	45%	49%	53%	51%	44%	40%	38%
Handling the economy	397	321	74	138	180	156	165	98	136	161	44	61	95	54	75	66
	40%	45% B	26%	47%	44%	46%	45%	34%	38%	45% G	33%	40%	49% J	36%	37%	41%
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy	395	316	76	141	172	153	164	108	140	145	50	64	81	58	76	63
	39%	45% B	26%	48%	42%	45%	45%	38%	39%	41%	38%	42%	42%	38%	38%	39%
Overall job as president	395	336	57	150	183	162	174	111	132	150	37	57	90	74	76	60
	39%	47% B	20%	52%	44%	47%	48%	39%	37%	42%	28%	37%	46% J	49%	37%	37%
Handling the situation in Iraq	370	321	47	136	182	169	152	92	130	145	44	60	89	49	71	56
	37%	45% B	16%	47%	44%	49% F	42%	33%	37%	41%	33%	39%	46%	32%	35%	34%
Handling Social Security	353	285	66	120	162	140	145	89	121	141	36	50	89	53	71	52
	35%	40% B	23%	41%	39%	41%	40%	31%	34%	40%	27%	32%	46% JK	35%	35%	32%
Handling gas prices	284	232	50	101	131	116	116	59	87	136	21	38	85	37	49	51
	28%	33% B	17%	35%	32%	34%	32%	21%	24%	38% GH	16%	25%	43% JK	25%	24%	31%

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H/I - J/K/N - J/L/M/N

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	Total	Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
		North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina	478	83	120	173	102	85	69	113	61	68	129	241	114	127	108
	48%	42%	53%	49%	47%	55%	52%	48%	51%	43%	44%	48%	46%	49%	54%
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism	458	94	116	152	96	79	69	100	52	64	137	221	119	101	100
	46%	47%	51%	43%	44%	51%	53%	42%	44%	40%	47%	44%	48%	39%	50% M
Handling the economy	397	67	103	141	86	72	61	99	42	56	117	200	103	97	80
	40%	34%	45% A	40%	39%	47%	46%	42%	35%	35%	40%	39%	42%	37%	40%
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy	395	57	110	140	88	76	57	91	50	64	112	203	96	107	80
	39%	29%	48% A	40% A	40% A	49%	43%	39%	42%	40%	38%	40%	39%	41%	40%
Overall job as president	395	62	106	140	86	75	55	96	44	62	108	196	94	102	91
	39%	31%	47% A	39%	40%	49%	42%	41%	37%	39%	37%	39%	38%	39%	46%
Handling the situation in Iraq	370	64	94	135	77	66	53	90	45	51	101	187	98	89	82
	37%	32%	41%	38%	35%	43%	40%	38%	38%	32%	34%	37%	40%	34%	41%
Handling Social Security	353	55	91	133	75	60	50	93	39	55	102	180	83	98	70
	35%	27%	40% A	37% A	34%	39%	38%	40%	33%	35%	35%	36%	34%	37%	35%
Handling gas prices	284	49	73	105	57	51	40	68	37	39	76	152	83	68	56
	28%	24%	32%	30%	26%	33%	31%	29%	31%	24%	26%	30%	34%	26%	28%

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D - E/F/G/H - I/J - K/L
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		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- <\$50K	\$50K- <\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protes- tants	White evan- gelicals	Catho- lics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I		J	K	L
Base: All respondents	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
Weighted	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina	478	96	121	72	101	160	78	150	88	159	278	182	109	142	99
	48%	40%	53% A	47%	46%	52% H	46%	56% H	36%	56%	56% J	65%	44%	62% L	38%
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism	458	93	101	71	115	176	71	136	73	167	269	173	111	120	92
	46%	39%	44%	45%	52% A	57% FH	42% H	51% H	29%	59%	54%	62%	45%	53% L	36%
Handling the economy	397	59	97	60	106	141	58	120	76	138	227	150	97	126	61
	40%	24%	43% A	39% A	48% A	45% H	35%	45% H	31%	49%	46%	54%	39%	56% L	24%
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy	395	74	85	62	102	148	47	122	76	143	242	160	92	116	63
	39%	31%	37%	40%	46% A	48% FH	28%	46% FH	31%	50%	49% J	57%	37%	51% L	25%
Overall job as president	395	71	82	63	105	137	46	133	77	146	238	162	90	118	76
	39%	29%	36%	40%	48% AB	44% FH	27%	49% FH	31%	51%	48% J	58%	36%	52% L	29%
Handling the situation in Iraq	370	63	84	57	99	147	44	118	58	139	234	156	77	110	65
	37%	26%	37%	37%	45% A	47% FH	26%	44% FH	24%	49%	47% J	56%	31%	48% L	25%
Handling Social Security	353	64	72	47	108	133	42	108	70	118	220	137	74	110	55
	35%	27%	32%	30%	49% ABC	43% FH	25%	40% FH	28%	41%	44% J	49%	30%	48% L	21%
Handling gas prices	284	45	66	45	82	107	37	93	45	104	167	108	61	92	40
	28%	19%	29% A	29%	37% A	34% FH	22%	35% FH	18%	37%	34% J	39%	25%	41% L	16%

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C - D/E/F/G - H/I - J/K - L/M - N/O

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		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Demo- crats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Demo- cratic men	Demo- cratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	836	380	370	73	186	194	153	217	445	532	440	539	426	549	341	613
Weighted	1000	777	315	373	77*	163	151	162	211	395	578	397	583	370	605	348	606
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina	478	383	262	76	38	133	130	34	42	340	122	335	132	308	151	243	210
	48%	49%	83% BC	20% B	49% B	81% FG	86% FG	21% FG	20% FG	86% I	21% I	84% K	23% K	83% M	25% M	70% O	35% O
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism	458	371	256	78	34	137	119	39	39	347	99	335	118	342	102	233	209
	46%	48%	82% BC	21% B	44% B	84% FG	79% FG	24% FG	19% FG	88% I	17% I	84% K	20% K	92% M	17% M	67% O	35% O
Handling the economy	397	313	244	38	26	124	120	17	21	324	63	397	0	306	81	221	160
	40%	40%	77% BC	10% B	34% B	76% FG	79% FG	11% FG	10% FG	82% I	11% I	100% K	- K	83% M	13% M	63% O	26% O
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy	395	314	246	44	21	122	124	20	24	311	74	317	72	292	91	222	157
	39%	40%	78% BC	12% B	27% B	75% FG	82% FG	12% FG	11% FG	79% I	13% I	80% K	12% K	79% M	15% M	64% O	26% O
Overall job as president	395	324	256	36	26	128	128	9	27	395	0	324	65	325	60	206	167
	39%	42%	81% BC	10% B	33% B	78% FG	84% FG	6% FG	13% FG	100% I	- I	82% K	11% K	88% M	10% M	59% O	28% O
Handling the situation in Iraq	370	303	241	37	21	126	115	20	17	325	41	306	63	370	0	199	157
	37%	39%	76% BC	10% B	27% B	77% FG	76% FG	12% FG	8% FG	82% I	7% I	77% K	11% K	100% M	- M	57% O	26% O
Handling Social Security	353	288	222	47	15	116	106	18	30	276	69	283	66	266	80	202	138
	35%	37%	71% BC	13% B	19% B	71% FG	70% FG	11% FG	14% FG	70% I	12% I	71% K	11% K	72% M	13% M	58% O	23% O
Handling gas prices	284	233	180	27	19	95	86	12	16	221	57	232	47	216	63	150	121
	28%	30%	57% BC	7% B	25% B	58% FG	57% FG	7% FG	7% FG	56% I	10% I	58% K	8% K	58% M	10% M	43% O	20% O

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	Total	Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
		Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K-<\$50K	Investor \$50K-<\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Handling the relief effort for victims of Hurricane Katrina	478	244	203	246	233	43	44	76	46	119	158	100	92
	48%	86% B	31%	49%	47%	54%	54%	43%	46%	53% K	45%	55%	41%
Handling foreign policy issues and the war on terrorism	458	247	182	251	206	47	37	85	51	113	152	107	79
	46%	87% B	28%	50% D	41%	58%	46%	49%	51%	50% K	43%	58% IK	35%
Handling the economy	397	234	133	234	163	44	40	72	49	105	118	88	79
	40%	83% B	20%	47% D	33%	54%	49%	41%	49%	47% IK	34%	48% I	35%
Handling domestic issues like health care, education, the environment and energy	395	228	139	220	175	44	32	72	43	106	110	93	78
	39%	81% B	21%	44% D	35%	55%	40%	41%	43%	47% IK	31%	51% IK	34%
Overall job as president	395	257	111	228	167	44	38	69	49	102	128	96	62
	39%	91% B	17%	46% D	33%	55%	47%	39%	50%	45% IK	36%	52% IK	27%
Handling the situation in Iraq	370	235	113	213	157	42	34	67	44	96	128	88	50
	37%	83% B	17%	43% D	31%	52%	42%	38%	44%	43% K	36% K	48% IK	22%
Handling Social Security	353	210	116	206	147	44	30	61	49	91	108	74	72
	35%	74% B	17%	41% D	29%	54%	37%	35%	49% F	41% I	31%	40%	32%
Handling gas prices	284	183	82	179	105	38	32	59	37	72	97	73	39
	28%	65% B	12%	36% D	21%	47%	39%	33%	38%	32% K	28% K	40% IK	17%

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	Total	Gender		Age					Age/Gender			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Men 18-44	Men 45+	Women 18-44	Women 45+
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	463	537	107	141	172	312	261	144	315	175	359
Weighted	1000	483	517	207*	190	188	236	171	220	259	250	264
Initial Approval	237 24%	119 25%	118 23%	71 34% EFG	53 28% F	41 22%	36 15%	34 20%	68 31% IK	48 19%	76 30% IK	42 16%
Initial Mixed Feelings	298 30%	148 31%	150 29%	58 28%	58 30%	67 35%	65 28%	49 29%	68 31%	79 31%	77 31%	73 28%
Initial Disapproval	439 44%	207 43%	231 45%	73 35%	69 36%	79 42%	133 56% CDE	83 48% CD	75 34%	131 51% HJ	88 35%	141 53% HJ
Strongly approve	53 5%	17 4%	35 7%	17 8%	9 5%	10 5%	9 4%	8 5%	7 3%	10 4%	23 9%	12 5%
Somewhat approve	184 18%	102 21%	83 16%	54 26% FG	44 23% F	31 16%	27 12%	25 15%	61 28% IK	38 15%	53 21% K	29 11%
Lean toward approval	112 11%	58 12%	53 10%	20 10%	22 12%	26 14%	23 10%	21 12%	31 14%	27 10%	24 10%	29 11%
Still have mixed feelings	30 3%	13 3%	17 3%	0 -	14 8% CF	5 3%	4 2%	7 4% C	9 4%	4 2%	7 3%	10 4%
Lean toward disapproval	167 17%	85 18%	82 16%	41 20%	27 14%	36 19%	39 16%	23 14%	37 17%	48 18%	45 18%	36 14%
Somewhat disapprove	169 17%	65 13%	104 20% A	36 17%	27 14%	29 16%	51 22% G	23 13%	21 9%	44 17%	48 19% H	53 20% H
Strongly disapprove	269 27%	142 29%	128 25%	37 18%	42 22%	49 26%	81 34% CD	59 35% CD	55 25%	87 34% J	40 16%	87 33% J
(DK/NS)	16 2%	0 -	16 3% A	3 1%	5 2%	2 1%	1 -	4 2% F	0 -	0 -	9 4% HI	6 2% I
Summary												
Total Approve	348 35%	177 37%	171 33%	91 44% FG	75 40% F	67 35% F	59 25%	54 32%	99 45% IK	76 29%	100 40% IK	71 27%
Total Disapprove	606 61%	293 61%	313 61%	113 55%	96 51%	115 61%	172 73% CDEG	106 62% D	112 51%	179 69% HJ	134 53%	177 67% HJ
Mean Rating	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.8 FG	3.6 FG	3.3 F	2.8	3.1	3.7 IK	3.0	3.7 IK	2.9

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		Race		White Subgroups				Education			Education/Gender					
	Total	Whites	Non-whites	Whites 18-44	Whites 45+	White men	White women	HS or less	Some college	College degree	Men/non-college	Men/some college	Men/college grads	Women/non-college	Women/some college	Women/college grads
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	822	168	241	578	380	442	277	338	382	116	146	201	161	192	181
Weighted	1000	708	289	291	413	343	365	284	357	357	134*	154	196	150	203	162
Initial Approval	237 24%	174 25%	62 21%	92 32% D	79 19%	84 25%	89 25%	76 27%	81 23%	80 22%	35 27%	43 28%	41 21%	40 27%	39 19%	39 24%
Initial Mixed Feelings	298 30%	228 32%	70 24%	101 35%	126 31%	104 30%	124 34%	81 29%	105 29%	111 31%	36 27%	45 29%	66 34%	45 30%	60 29%	45 28%
Initial Disapproval	439 44%	285 40%	152 53% A	86 29%	199 48% C	149 43%	136 37%	114 40%	161 45%	164 46%	57 43%	62 40%	88 45%	56 37%	99 49%	75 47%
Strongly approve	53 5%	37 5%	15 5%	16 6%	21 5%	14 4%	23 6%	23 8%	15 4%	15 4%	8 6%	5 3%	4 2%	15 10%	10 5%	10 6%
Somewhat approve	184 18%	137 19%	47 16%	76 26% D	58 14%	71 21%	67 18%	53 19%	66 19%	65 18%	27 21%	38 25%	37 19%	26 17%	29 14%	28 18%
Lean toward approval	112 11%	91 13%	20 7%	44 15%	47 11%	44 13%	48 13%	31 11%	41 12%	39 11%	11 8%	23 15%	25 13%	20 13%	19 9%	15 9%
Still have mixed feelings	30 3%	22 3%	8 3%	11 4%	11 3%	7 2%	14 4%	9 3%	14 4%	7 2%	2 1%	8 5%	4 2%	8 5%	7 3%	3 2%
Lean toward disapproval	167 17%	121 17%	46 16%	50 17%	70 17%	59 17%	62 17%	50 18%	54 15%	63 18%	28 21%	19 12%	38 19%	22 15%	35 17%	25 15%
Somewhat disapprove	169 17%	112 16%	56 20%	36 12%	76 18% C	52 15%	60 17%	44 15%	58 16%	66 19%	16 12%	20 13%	30 15%	28 19%	38 19%	37 23%
Strongly disapprove	269 27%	173 25%	96 33% A	50 17%	123 30% C	97 28% F	76 21%	70 24%	102 29%	97 27%	42 31%	41 27%	59 30%	28 18%	61 30% M	39 24%
(DK/NS)	16 2%	15 2%	1 - B	9 3%	6 2%	0 - E	15 4%	5 2%	5 1%	5 1%	0 -	0 -	0 -	5 3%	5 3%	5 3%
Summary																
Total Approve	348 35%	265 37%	82 28%	137 47% D	126 31%	128 37%	137 38%	106 37%	122 34%	119 33%	46 35%	65 42%	66 34%	60 40%	57 28%	53 33%
Total Disapprove	606 61%	406 57%	198 69% A	136 46%	269 65% C	207 60%	198 54%	164 58%	215 60%	227 63%	85 64%	81 52%	126 65%	78 52%	134 66% M	100 62%
Mean Rating	3.3	3.4 B	3.0	3.9 D	3.1	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.7 N	3.0	3.3

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		Region (4)				Region (5)					Metropolitan Status				
	Total	North-east	Mid-west	South	West	Great Lakes	Great Plains/Mountain	Deep South	Oil Patch	Pacific	Urban	Total sub-urban	Sub-urban men	Sub-urban women	Rural
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	1000	191	227	361	221	159	134	251	110	155	265	533	248	285	202
Weighted	1000	200	227	354	218	154	132*	235	119*	160	294	507	246	261	200
Initial Approval	237 24%	39 19%	56 25%	86 24%	56 26%	38 25%	34 26%	57 24%	29 24%	40 25%	60 21%	112 22%	51 21%	62 24%	64 32% JKJL
Initial Mixed Feelings	298 30%	65 33%	74 33%	101 28%	58 26%	57 37% F	32 24%	72 30%	29 24%	44 27%	90 31%	162 32%	76 31%	85 33%	47 23%
Initial Disapproval	439 44%	91 45%	90 39%	163 46%	96 44%	56 36%	60 45%	102 43%	61 51% E	70 44%	135 46%	223 44%	116 47%	106 41%	82 41%
Strongly approve	53 5%	5 3%	9 4%	22 6%	17 8%	7 4%	4 3%	20 9% H	2 1%	15 9% H	15 5%	23 4%	7 3%	16 6%	15 7%
Somewhat approve	184 18%	33 17%	48 21%	64 18%	39 18%	31 20%	30 23%	37 16%	27 23%	25 16%	46 15%	89 18%	44 18%	46 17%	49 25% JJ
Lean toward approval	112 11%	21 10%	27 12%	36 10%	28 13%	22 15%	13 9%	19 8%	17 14%	20 12%	26 9%	60 12%	28 12%	32 12%	26 13%
Still have mixed feelings	30 3%	4 2%	6 3%	12 4%	8 3%	4 3%	2 2%	7 3%	5 4%	8 5%	9 3%	15 3%	8 3%	7 3%	7 3%
Lean toward disapproval	167 17%	40 20%	45 19%	54 15%	28 13%	33 21% H	20 15%	46 19% H	8 7%	21 13%	60 21% NN	88 17% N	43 17% N	45 17% N	19 10%
Somewhat disapprove	169 17%	35 18%	25 11%	67 19% B	42 19%	13 8%	22 17%	39 17% E	27 23% E	32 20% E	59 20%	81 16%	42 17%	39 15%	29 15%
Strongly disapprove	269 27%	56 28%	64 28%	96 27%	54 25%	43 28%	37 28%	63 26%	33 28%	38 24%	75 26%	142 28%	75 30%	67 26%	53 26%
(DK/NS)	16 2%	4 2%	4 2%	4 1%	3 1%	1 1%	4 3%	4 2%	0 -	2 1%	3 1%	10 2%	0 -	10 4% L	3 1%
Summary															
Total Approve	348 35%	60 30%	83 37%	122 34%	83 38%	61 39%	46 35%	76 32%	46 39%	59 37%	87 29%	172 34%	79 32%	93 36%	89 45% JKJL
Total Disapprove	606 61%	131 66%	134 59%	216 61%	124 57%	89 57%	79 60%	148 63%	68 57%	90 57%	195 66% NN	310 61% N	159 65% N	151 58%	101 50%
Mean Rating	3.3	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.4	3.7 JKJL

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		Household Income				Marital Status/Gender					Religion			Current Financial Situation	
	Total	Under \$25K	\$25K- <\$50K	\$50K- <\$75K	\$75K+	Married men	Men not married	Married women	Women not married	Married with children	Protes- tants	White evan- gelicals	Catho- lics	Strong	Weak
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H		I	J		K	L
Base: All respondents	1000	184	205	162	277	325	136	300	235	241	530	323	223	269	212
Weighted	1000	241	228	155	221	311	168*	269	247	285	497	279	246	228	258
Initial Approval	237 24%	49 20%	62 27%	45 29%	48 22%	71 23%	48 28%	64 24%	54 22%	73 26%	135 27%	76 27%	56 23%	63 28% L	47 18%
Initial Mixed Feelings	298 30%	70 29%	71 31%	38 24%	77 35% C	94 30%	51 30%	86 32%	64 26%	96 34%	154 31%	100 36%	82 33%	67 29%	72 28%
Initial Disapproval	439 44%	115 48%	89 39%	69 44%	95 43%	139 45%	68 41%	110 41%	120 49%	105 37%	194 39%	90 32%	104 42%	91 40%	129 50%
Strongly approve	53 5%	10 4%	13 5%	6 4%	12 6%	13 4%	4 3%	18 7%	17 7%	14 5%	29 6%	16 6%	14 6%	19 8%	12 5%
Somewhat approve	184 18%	39 16%	50 22%	39 25% D	36 16%	58 19%	43 26% H	46 17%	37 15%	59 21%	106 21%	60 21%	42 17%	44 19%	34 13%
Lean toward approval	112 11%	23 9%	31 14%	12 8%	30 14%	36 11%	23 13%	34 12%	20 8%	42 15%	67 13%	38 14%	25 10%	20 9%	33 13%
Still have mixed feelings	30 3%	10 4%	7 3%	2 1%	5 2%	9 3%	4 3%	10 4%	7 3%	10 3%	13 3%	9 3%	13 5%	11 5%	9 3%
Lean toward disapproval	167 17%	43 18%	36 16%	24 15%	41 19%	57 18%	25 15%	44 16%	38 15%	51 18%	80 16%	59 21%	47 19%	39 17%	34 13%
Somewhat disapprove	169 17%	37 15%	36 16%	31 20%	43 19%	43 14%	22 13%	42 16%	61 25% EFG	43 15%	82 16%	33 12%	38 15%	36 16%	35 14%
Strongly disapprove	269 27%	79 33%	53 23%	38 24%	52 24%	96 31%	46 27%	68 25%	59 24%	62 22%	112 23%	58 21%	66 27%	56 25%	93 36% K
(DK/NS)	16 2%	2 1%	3 1%	5 3% D	0 -	0 -	0 -	7 3% E	8 3% E	4 1%	8 2%	6 2%	2 1%	2 1%	7 3%
Summary															
Total Approve	348 35%	71 30%	93 41% A	56 36%	79 36%	106 34%	70 42%	97 36%	74 30%	115 40%	202 41%	114 41%	81 33%	83 37%	80 31%
Total Disapprove	606 61%	158 66%	125 55%	93 60%	137 62%	196 63%	93 56%	154 57%	159 64%	156 55%	274 55%	150 54%	151 61%	131 57%	163 63%
Mean Rating	3.3	3.1	3.6 A	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.3	3.5 L	3.0

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4. Overall, do you approve, disapprove or have mixed feelings about the way Congress is handling its job?

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C - D/E/F/G - H/I - J/K - L/M - N/O

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		Voting	Reg. Voters: Party Identification			Reg. Voters: Party Identification/Gender				Bush Job Approval		Bush Job Approval: Economy		Bush Job Approval: Iraq		Congress Job Approval	
	Total	Regis- tered voters	Repub- licans	Democ- rats	Inde- pend- ents	Repub- lican men	Repub- lican women	Democ- ratic men	Democ- ratic women	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove	Ap- prove	Disap- prove
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Base: All respondents	1000	836	380	370	73	186	194	153	217	445	532	440	539	426	549	341	613
Weighted	1000	777	315	373	77*	163	151	162	211	395	578	397	583	370	605	348	606
Initial Approval	237 24%	164 21%	100 32% BC	53 14%	9 12%	52 32% FG	48 32% FG	27 16%	26 12%	139 35% I	90 15%	156 39% K	79 14%	132 36% M	101 17%	237 68% O	0 -
Initial Mixed Feelings	298 30%	236 30%	110 35%	102 27%	19 25%	55 34%	55 36%	44 27%	59 28%	131 33%	158 27%	128 32%	161 28%	131 35% M	157 26%	107 31%	161 27%
Initial Disapproval	439 44%	359 46%	101 32%	210 56% A	44 58% A	55 33%	47 31%	90 56% DE	120 57% DE	111 28%	318 55% H	102 26%	331 57% J	100 27%	332 55% L	0 -	439 72% N
Strongly approve	53 5%	38 5%	22 7% B	11 3%	5 6%	8 5%	14 9% F	3 2%	8 4%	33 9% I	19 3%	35 9% K	16 3%	30 8% M	20 3%	53 15% O	0 -
Somewhat approve	184 18%	125 16%	78 25% BC	42 11%	5 6%	44 27% FG	34 22% G	24 15%	18 9%	106 27% I	71 12%	121 31% K	63 11%	102 28% M	81 13%	184 53% O	0 -
Lean toward approval	112 11%	83 11%	55 18% BC	25 7%	2 2%	29 18% FG	26 17% FG	10 6%	15 7%	67 17% I	42 7%	65 16% K	47 8%	67 18% M	44 7%	112 32% O	0 -
Still have mixed feelings	30 3%	24 3%	9 3%	11 3%	3 4%	4 3%	4 3%	5 3%	6 3%	13 3%	14 3%	14 3%	9 1%	11 3%	14 3%	0 -	0 -
Lean toward disapproval	167 17%	136 17%	47 15%	66 18%	18 24%	23 14%	24 16%	30 18%	37 17%	57 14%	107 19%	58 15%	107 18%	57 15%	103 17%	0 -	167 28% N
Somewhat disapprove	169 17%	136 17%	36 11%	80 21% A	18 23% A	18 11%	18 12%	28 17%	52 25% DE	44 11%	123 21% H	41 10%	128 22% J	34 9%	134 22% L	0 -	169 28% N
Strongly disapprove	269 27%	222 29%	65 20%	130 35% A	27 35% A	36 22%	29 19%	63 39% DE	67 32% E	67 17%	195 34% H	61 15%	203 35% J	66 18%	198 33% L	0 -	269 44% N
(DK/NS)	16 2%	13 2%	2 1%	7 2%	0 -	0 -	2 2%	0 -	7 3% DF	8 2%	7 1%	3 1%	10 2%	2 1%	10 2%	0 -	0 -
Summary																	
Total Approve	348 35%	246 32%	155 49% BC	78 21%	11 15%	82 50% FG	74 49% FG	37 23%	41 19%	206 52% I	131 23%	221 56% K	126 22%	199 54% M	145 24%	348 100% O	0 -
Total Disapprove	606 61%	494 64%	148 47%	276 74% A	63 81% A	77 47%	70 47%	120 74% DE	156 74% DE	167 42%	426 74% H	160 40%	438 75% J	157 43%	435 72% L	0 -	606 100% N
Mean Rating	3.3	3.2	3.9 BC	2.7	2.6	3.8 FG	3.9 FG	2.7	2.7	4.1 I	2.8	4.2 K	2.7	4.1 M	2.8	5.8 O	1.8

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		Direction of Country		Investor			Investors/Income			Generations			
	Total	Right direction	Wrong track	Yes	No	Active (5+ times)	Investor \$25K- <\$50K	Investor \$50K- <\$100K	Investor \$100K+	Pre-boomers (1901-1945)	Baby boomers (1946-1964)	Generation X'ers (1965-1974)	Generation Next (1975-1985)
		A	B	C	D		E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All respondents	1000	325	628	571	429	103	81	197	139	351	371	141	118
Weighted	1000	284	663	501	499	81*	81*	175	99	224	350	183	225*
Initial Approval	237 24%	124 44% B	95 14%	106 21%	130 26%	21 26%	21 26%	38 22%	20 20%	48 21%	55 16%	53 29% I	76 34% HI
Initial Mixed Feelings	298 30%	99 35% B	182 27%	156 31%	142 29%	22 27%	23 29%	54 31%	34 35%	63 28%	107 31%	60 33%	60 27%
Initial Disapproval	439 44%	56 20%	370 56% A	232 46%	207 41%	38 47%	37 45%	81 46%	45 45%	107 48% JK	183 52% JK	62 34%	81 36%
Strongly approve	53 5%	32 11% B	18 3%	24 5%	28 6%	11 13%	5 6%	3 2%	9 9% F	12 5%	12 3%	10 6%	17 8%
Somewhat approve	184 18%	92 33% B	77 12%	82 16%	102 20%	10 13%	16 20%	36 20%	11 11%	36 16%	43 12%	43 23% I	59 26% HI
Lean toward approval	112 11%	54 19% B	49 7%	54 11%	58 12%	9 11%	8 10%	15 8%	14 14%	23 11%	44 13%	23 12%	21 9%
Still have mixed feelings	30 3%	9 3%	17 3%	18 4%	12 2%	2 2%	6 7% F	0 -	5 5% F	10 5% IK	5 1%	13 7% IK	1 1%
Lean toward disapproval	167 17%	36 13%	123 18% A	85 17%	82 16%	10 13%	9 11%	37 21%	16 16%	32 14%	59 17%	30 16%	41 18%
Somewhat disapprove	169 17%	23 8%	144 22% A	100 20% D	69 14%	14 18%	16 20%	40 23%	21 21%	35 15%	69 20%	24 13%	40 18%
Strongly disapprove	269 27%	33 12%	226 34% A	132 26%	138 28%	24 29%	21 26%	42 24%	24 24%	72 32% JK	115 33% JK	38 21%	41 18%
(DK/NS)	16 2%	3 1%	10 1%	6 1%	10 2%	1 1%	0 -	3 2%	0 -	4 2%	3 1%	3 2%	5 2%
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Mean Rating	3.3	4.5 B	2.7	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.3	3.1	2.9	3.7 HI	3.8 HI