

# **The New York Times/CBS News Poll**

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**N= 1,241**  
**AGE 65+ N= 500**

**Includes an oversample of respondents aged 65 and older, who have been weighted to reflect their proper proportion of the population.**

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

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

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

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

	Right	Wrong	DK/NA		Right	Wrong	DK/NA
1/83 <sup>1</sup>	34	59	7	4/11-13/03	56	36	9
6/83 NYT <sup>1</sup>	47	44	9	7/13-27/03	46	49	5
11/83 NYT <sup>1</sup>	47	43	10	9/28-10/1/03	37	56	7
9/85 <sup>1</sup>	46	44	11	11/10-12/03 CBS	39	53	8
1/91	57	31	12	12/10-13/03	39	56	5
3/91	51	42	7	12/14-15/03	49	43	8
10/91	33	60	7	1/12-15/04	42	53	5
11/94 CBS	30	65	5	2/12-15/04 CBS	41	51	8
12/95 NYT	25	64	10	3/10-14/04	38	54	8
9/96	44	47	9	3/30-4/1/04 CBS	36	57	7
9/96 CBS	41	48	11	4/23-27/04	36	55	9
12/96 NYT	39	51	11	5/20-23/04 CBS	30	65	5
3/97 <sup>2</sup>	34	62	4	6/23-27/04	36	57	6
6/97 <sup>2</sup>	37	60	3	7/11-15/04	36	56	8
8/97 <sup>3</sup>	39	57	4	8/15-18/04 CBS	39	55	6
1/98 <sup>2</sup>	44	50	6	9/12-16/04	41	51	7
1/98 <sup>4</sup>	61	34	5	9/20-22/04 CBS	41	54	5
2/98	54	36	9	10/1-3/04	40	51	9
10/98A	46	47	7	10/14-17/04	37	59	4
10/98B	52	42	7	10/28-30/04	43	55	2
5/00	48	44	7	11/18-21/04	40	54	6
3/8-12/01	40	54	6	1/14-18/05	39	56	5
4/23-25/01 CBS	37	58	5	2/24-28/05	42	52	6
6/14-18/01	42	53	5	3/9-14/05 NYT	37	56	7
10/25-28/01	61	29	10	4/13-16/05 CBS	32	62	6
12/7-10/01	64	27	10	5/20-24/05 CBS	34	60	6
1/24-27/02	52	35	12	6/10-15/05	33	61	6
7/13-16/02	42	48	10	7/29-8/2/05 CBS	37	57	6
7/22-23/02 CBS	39	53	8	9/9-13/05	31	63	6
8/6-7/02 CBS	41	51	8	10/3-5/05 CBS	37	58	5
9/2-5/02	43	49	8	10/30-11/1/05 CBS	27	68	5
10/3-6/02	42	48	10	12/2-6/05	31	60	9
10/27-31/02	41	52	8	1/5-8/06 CBS	31	62	7
11/20-24/02	41	49	10	1/20-25/06	32	61	7
2/10-12/03	35	56	9	3/9-12/06 CBS	28	66	9
3/22/03	50	40	10	4/28-30/06 CBS	24	71	5
				<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>7</b>

1 QUESTION READ: DO YOU FEEL THINGS IN THIS COUNTRY ARE GENERALLY GOING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION TODAY, OR DO YOU FEEL THINGS HAVE GOTTEN OFF ON THE WRONG TRACK?

2 ABC NEWS/WASHINGTON POST POLL. QUESTION READ: DO YOU THINK THINGS IN THIS COUNTRY ARE GENERALLY GOING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION OR DO YOU FEEL THINGS HAVE GOTTEN PRETTY SERIOUSLY OFF ON THE WRONG TRACK?

3 ABC NEWS POLL. QUESTION READ: DO YOU THINK THINGS IN THIS COUNTRY ARE GENERALLY GOING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION OR DO YOU FEEL THINGS HAVE GOTTEN PRETTY SERIOUSLY OFF ON THE WRONG TRACK?

4 WASHINGTON POST POLL, CONDUCTED 1/28-31, AFTER THE LEWINSKY SCANDAL BROKE.

3. What do you think is the most important problem facing this country today?

	5/03	7/03	10/03	11/04	1/05	2/05	6/05	9/05	12/05	1/06	5/06	
Health Care		3	2	3	6	6	5	5	2	4	4	4
Social Security		1	-	-	1	3	5	4	1	1	1	1
Budget Deficit		1	2	2	1	2	4	2	1	3	1	2
Education		4	3	4	2	3	3	3	2	2	3	3
Medicare/ Medicaid		1	1	1	1	-	-	2	-	1	1	-
Taxes		2	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-
Economy		29	26	16	11	10	11	10	9	12	8	8
Immigration		-	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	2	5
Defense		1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2
Poverty		3	2	2	2	3	2	1	2	4	3	2
Crime		1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	-	1
Foreign Policy		2	3	3	2	5	3	3	1	2	2	2
Jobs		11	12	16	7	7	9	8	5	7	6	4
Abortion			-		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moral Values			2		4	3	4	4	3	4	3	3
Welfare			-	1	-	-		-	-	1	-	-
War Hurricane Katrina		5	5	6	16	10	11	9	7	8	13	19
									10	1	-	-
Politicians/ Government			-	1	1	1	-	1	2	2	2	1
Heating oil/Gas Crisis					1	1	1	3	9	2	4	14
Environment		-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Religious Values						2	1	2	1	3	2	1
Iraq/Osama Bin Laden					9	11	8	10	6	5	9	4
Terrorism general		8	8	8	11	8	6	6	6	6	9	3
Other		20	23	24	13	14	16	15	20	17	18	16
DK/NA		6	6	8	6	5	5	6	6	7	5	4



4. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling foreign policy?

	App	Disapp	DK/NA		App	Disapp	DK/NA
3/8-12/01	52	18	30	8/26-28/03 CBS	50	40	10
4/4-5/01 CBS	48	34	18	9/15-16/03 CBS	47	44	9
4/23-25/01 CBS	53	31	16	9/28-10/1/03	44	45	11
5/10-12/01 CBS	53	24	23	10/20-21/03 CBS	48	44	8
6/14-18/01	47	31	22	12/10-13/03	45	47	8
10/25-28/01	74	16	10	12/14-15/03	52	38	9
12/07-10/01	75	13	12	1/12-15/04	47	45	8
1/15-17/02 CBS	73	14	13	2/12-15/04 CBS	46	45	9
1/21-24/02	70	14	16	2/24-27/04 CBS	44	45	11
2/24-26/02 CBS	65	22	13	3/10-14/04	45	45	10
4/1-2/02 CBS	65	23	12	3/30-4/1/04 CBS	42	49	9
4/15-18/02 CBS	62	26	12	4/23-27/04	40	51	10
5/13-14-02 CBS	63	25	12	5/20-23/04 CBS	41	52	7
5/19-20/02 CBS	63	25	12	6/23-27/04	39	52	10
6/18-20/02 CBS	59	27	14	7/11-15/04	39	55	6
7/8-9/02 CBS	64	23	13	10/1-3/04	44	48	8
7/13-16/02	68	22	10	10/14-17/04	41	54	5
9/2-5/02	54	26	11	10/28-30/04	45	49	6
9/22-23/02 CBS	58	34	8	11/18-21/04	44	48	8
10/3-6/02	57	33	11	1/14-18/05	42	49	9
10/27-31/02	54	34	12	2/24-28/05	44	46	10
11/20-24/02	54	33	13	5/20-24/05 CBS	40	50	10
1/4-6/03 CBS	56	35	9	6/10-15/05	39	51	11
1/19-22/03	52	41	8	7/29-8/2/05 CBS	42	48	10
2/5-6/03 CBS	59	34	7	9/9-13/05	38	52	10
2/10-12/03	47	44	9	12/2-5/05	36	50	14
2/24-25/03 CBS	51	41	8	1/20-25/06	39	54	7
3/4-5/03 CBS	51	39	10	3/9-12/06	30	60	10
3/7-9/03	51	42	7	<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>10</b>
7/13-27/03	52	39	9				

5. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the economy?

	Dis-				Dis-		
	Approve	approve	DK/NA		Approve	approve	DK/NA
3/8-12/01	55	28	17	8/26-28/03 CBS	39	53	8
4/4-5/01 CBS	47	40	13	9/15-16/03 CBS	41	52	7
4/23-25/01 CBS	44	39	17	9/28-10/1/03	37	56	7
5/10-12/01 CBS	46	37	17	12/10-13/03	44	51	5
6/14-18/01	50	38	12	12/14-15/03	49	43	8
10/25-28/01	64	25	11	1/12-15/04	44	51	5
12/7-10/01	61	26	13	2/12-15/04 CBS	44	50	6
1/5-6/02 CBS	59	29	12	2/24-27/04 CBS	37	56	7
1/15-17/02 CBS	57	31	12	3/10-14/04	38	54	9
1/21-24/02	56	33	11	3/30-4/1/04 CBS	37	56	7
2/24-26/02 CBS	54	37	9	4/23-27/04	39	54	7
5/13-14/02 CBS	52	38	10	5/20-23/04 CBS	36	57	7
6/18-20/02 CBS	56	36	8	6/23-27/04	40	52	8
7/8-9/02 CBS	56	35	9	7/11-15/04	42	51	6
7/13-16/02	52	37	11	8/15-18/04 CBS	37	54	9
7/22-23/02 CBS	44	45	11	9/12-16/04	43	50	7
8/6-7/02 CBS	45	44	11	10/1-3/04	45	49	6
9/2-5/02	47	42	11	10/9-11/04 CBS	40	52	8
9/22-23/02 CBS	49	41	10	10/14-17/04	42	53	5
10/3-6/02	41	46	13	10/28-30/04	43	51	6
10/27-31/02	46	43	12	11/18-21/04	42	51	7
11/20-24/02	45	45	10	1/14-18/05	42	52	7
1/4-6/03 CBS	42	46	12	2/24-28/05	38	54	9
1/19-22/03	44	49	7	4/13-16/05 CBS	34	57	9
2/5-6/03 CBS	44	49	7	5/20-24/05 CBS	38	56	6
2/10-12/03	38	53	10	6/10-15/05	39	56	6
2/24-25/03 CBS	40	50	10	7/29-8/2/05 CBS	42	52	6
3/4-5/03 CBS	41	49	10	8/29-31/05 CBS	37	56	7
3/7-9/03	40	52	8	9/9-13/05	35	59	6
3/20-21/03	48	40	12	10/3-5/05 CBS	32	61	7
3/22/03	46	45	9	10/30-11/1/05 CBS	34	55	11
3/23/03	53	38	9	12/2-6/05	38	54	7
3/24/03	51	37	12	1/5-8/06 CBS	39	52	9
3/20-24/03	50	40	10	1/20-25/06	39	54	7
4/11-13/03	46	41	13	2/22-26/06 CBS	32	60	7
4/26-27/03 CBS	42	45	13	3/9-12/06 CBS	35	57	8
5/9-12/03	43	48	9	4/6-9/06 CBS	36	57	7
7/13-27/03	40	52	8	4/28-30/06 CBS	31	58	11
8/11-12/03 CBS	36	52	12	<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>6</b>

6. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the situation with Iraq?

	App	Disapp	DK/NA		App	Disapp	DK/NA
2/10-12/03	53	42	5	4/23-27/04	41	52	7
2/24-25/03 CBS	52	44	4	5/20-23/04 CBS	36	57	7
3/4-5/03 CBS	54	39	7	6/23-27/04	36	58	6
3/7-9/03	51	42	6	7/11-15/04	37	58	5
3/15-16/03 CBS	53	44	3	8/15-18/04 CBS	40	54	6
3/17/03 CBS	63	32	5	9/12-16/04	46	49	5
3/20/03 <i>PANEL</i>	70	27	3	10/1-3/04	45	51	4
3/20-21/03	69	25	6	10/9-11/04 CBS	42	54	4
3/22/03	72	23	5	10/14-17/04	42	54	3
3/23/03	75	22	3	10/28-30/04	45	50	5
3/24/03	71	24	4	11/18-21/04	40	55	5
3/20-24/03	72	24	4	1/14-18/05	40	55	5
3/26-27/03 CBS	69	27	4	2/24-28/05	45	50	4
4/2-3/03 CBS	67	26	7	4/13-16/04 CBS	39	56	6
4/11-13/03	79	17	4	5/20-24/05 CBS	38	57	5
4/26-27/03 CBS	75	19	6	6/10-15/05	37	59	5
5/9-12/03	74	21	5	7/28-8/2/05 CBS	41	55	4
5/27-28/03 CBS	72	20	8	8/29-31/05 CBS	38	57	5
7/8-9/03 CBS	58	32	10	9/6-7/05 CBS	35	60	5
8/11-12/03 CBS	57	33	10	9/9-13/05	36	59	5
9/15-16/03 CBS	46	47	7	10/3-5/05 CBS	32	64	4
9/28-10/1/03	47	48	6	10/30-11/1/05 CBS	32	62	6
10/20-21/03 CBS	49	45	6	12/2-6/05	36	59	4
11/10-12/03 CBS	48	48	4	1/5-8/06 CBS	37	58	5
12/10-13/03	45	48	6	1/20-25/06	37	59	4
12/14-15/03	59	35	6	2/22-26/06	30	65	5
1/12-15/04	48	46	6	3/9-12/06	31	63	6
2/12-15/04 CBS	49	45	6	4/6-9/06	33	61	6
2/24-27/04 CBS	46	47	7	4/28-30/06 CBS	30	64	6
3/10-14/04	49	43	8	<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>4</b>
3/30-4/1/04 CBS	44	49	7				



7. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the campaign against terrorism?

	App	Disapp	DK/NA		App	Disapp	DK/NA
10/25-28/01 <sup>1</sup>	79	16	5	10/9-11/04 CBS	54	39	7
12/07-10/01	90	6	4	10/14-17/04	55	38	7
1/5-6/02 CBS	88	9	3	10/28-30/04	55	40	5
1/15-17/02 CBS	87	10	3	11/18-21/04	59	37	4
1/21-24/02	87	9	4	1/14-18/05	56	38	6
2/24-26/02 CBS	82	13	5	2/24-28/05	61	33	5
4/1-2/02 CBS	80	17	3	4/13-16/05 CBS	53	41	6
5/13-14/02 CBS	80	15	5	5/20-24/05 CBS	58	36	6
5/19-20/02 CBS	74	19	7	6/10-15/05	52	40	7
6/18-20/02 CBS	72	21	7	7/13-14/05 CBS	54	36	10
7/8-9/02 CBS	77	17	6	7/29-8/2/05 CBS	55	39	6
7/22-23/02 CBS	70	20	10	8/29-31/05 CBS	54	40	5
8/6-7/02 CBS	72	21	7	9/6-7/05 CBS	51	40	9
9/2-5/02	68	27	5	9/9-13/05	50	43	8
9/22-23/02 CBS	71	22	7	10/3-5/05 CBS	46	46	8
5/27-28/03 CBS	79	16	5	10/30-11/01/05 CBS	47	46	7
12/10-13/03	64	28	7	12/2-6/05	48	45	7
12/14-15/03	68	26	6	1/5-8/06 CBS	51	41	8
1/12-15/04	68	28	4	1/20-25/06	52	43	5
2/12-15/04 CBS	64	27	9	2/22-26/06 CBS	43	50	7
2/24-27/04 CBS	65	29	6	3/9-12/06 CBS	45	47	8
3/10-14/04	64	28	8	4/6-9/06 CBS	47	46	7
3/30-4/1/04 CBS	58	34	8	4/28-30/06 CBS	45	45	10
4/23-27/04	60	32	8	4/6-9/06 CBS	47	46	7
5/20-23/04 CBS	51	42	7	<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>7</b>
6/23-27/04	52	39	9				
7/11-15/04	51	43	6				
8/15-18/04 CBS	53	38	9				
9/12-16/04	59	35	6				
10/1-3/04	57	37	6				

1 QUESTION READ "WAR ON TERRORISM"

8. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the issue of gasoline prices?

	App	Disapp	DK/NA
4/28-30/06 CBS	17	74	9
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>9</b>

9. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the issue of immigration?

	App	Disapp	DK/NA
10/3-5/05 CBS	21	53	26
4/28-30/06 CBS	28	56	16
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>16</b>

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

	Approve	Disapprove	DK/NA		Approve	Disapprove	DK/NA
8/74 CBS	48	35	17	10/98A	43	48	8
3/75	32	50	18	10/98B	41	49	11
11/75	28	54	18	11/98 CBS	41	48	11
7/77	31	49	20	12/98	44	49	7
10/77	31	50	19	12/17/98	45	49	6
1/78	29	50	20	12/19/98	43	52	5
4/78	31	50	19	12/20/98	41	53	7
6/78	30	53	17	1/99 CBS	41	51	8
9/78	29	51	20	1/99 CBS	45	51	8
6/79	19	61	20	1/99	45	46	9
8/80	32	51	18	2/99 CBS	46	46	8
10/82	33	50	17	3/24/99 CBS	43	47	10
4/83 1	33	43	24	3/28/99 CBS	41	47	12
9/87 1	42	49	9	4/4-5/99	43	45	12
1/90	42	47	11	6/99 CBS	41	46	13
8/90	40	44	16	8/99 CBS	43	41	16
10/90	27	60	13	8/99 CBS	42	44	14
10/90B	23	69	8	10/99 CBS	38	48	14
1/91	49	41	10	10/99 CBS	36	52	12
3/91	39	47	14	11/99	37	50	13
8/91	30	57	13	2/00	39	47	13
10/91A	27	57	16	5/00	38	45	18
1/92B	17	71	11	7/00B	45	41	14
2/92B	21	67	12	9/00D	49	38	13
3/92	17	75	7	3/8-12/01	50	33	17
7/92	20	71	9	4/4-5/01 CBS	50	33	17
3/93	35	52	13	4/23-25/01 CBS	44	37	19
5/93B	27	61	12	5/10-12/01 CBS	45	36	19
6/93A	27	60	13	6/14-18/01	45	39	16
8/93 CBS	21	68	11	10/25-28/01	67	24	9
9/93	23	64	13	12/07-10/01	57	31	12
11/93	25	63	12	1/21-24/02	47	37	15
12/93 CBS	27	60	13	2/24-26/02 CBS	50	34	16
1/94	30	58	13	6/18-20/02 CBS	43	40	17
9/94	25	63	12	7/13-16/02	49	38	14
11/94	20	73	7	9/22-23/02 CBS	48	36	16
1/95 CBS	35	44	21	10/3-6/02	42	45	13
2/95	36	51	13	10/27-31/02	45	40	15
4/95	30	60	11	5/9-12/03	35	48	16
5/95 CBS	33	55	12	7/13-27/03	39	46	14
8/95	31	56	13	9/28-10/1/03	37	47	15
10/95	32	55	13	1/12-15/04	45	42	13
12/95	26	64	10	10/14-17/04	38	46	16
1/96	31	60	9	1/14-18/05	44	39	17
2/96	22	70	8	2/24-28/05	41	44	15
3/96 CBS	26	64	10	3/21-22/05 CBS	34	49	17
4/96	23	66	11	4/13-16/05 CBS	35	51	14
6/96	19	71	10	5/20-23/05 CBS	29	55	16
6/96 NYT	29	61	9	6/10-15/05	33	53	14
7/96	27	58	15	7/13-14/05 CBS	33	50	17
3/96	32	55	13	9/9-13/05	34	54	12
4/97	32	59	9	10/3-5/05 CBS	31	57	12
5/97 CBS	42	44	14	10/30-11/1/05CBS	34	53	13
7/97 CBS	34	55	11	12/2-6/05	33	53	14
1/97 CBS	36	53	11	1/5-8/06 CBS	27	57	16
12/97	33	53	14	1/20-25/06	29	61	11
1/98	44	40	16	2/22-26/06 CBS	28	61	11
1/98B	47	43	10	3/9-12/06 CBS	32	54	14
2/98	50	30	20	4/6-9/06 CBS	27	61	12
9/98 CBS	49	38	13	<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>13</b>

9/98B	56	32	11
9/98C	48	41	10
10/98 CBS 47		38	15
10/98 CBS 46		44	10

11. How about the Representative in Congress from your district? Do you approve or disapprove of the way your Representative is handling his or her job?

	Approve	Disapprove	DK/NA
6/78	60	22	18
9/78 CBS	60	20	20
8/80	61	18	21
1/90	64	21	15
8/90	60	21	19
10/90	51	30	19
10/91	56	27	17
2/92	55	28	17
3/92	54	30	16
7/92	52	30	18
11/93	59	23	18
9/94	56	17	27
11/94	56	33	11
2/95	60	22	18
10/96	61	22	17
2/98	62	9	28
10/98	61	22	17
10/98	64	19	17
4/13-16/05 CBS	57	23	20
12/2-6/05	60	24	16
1/20-25/06	57	25	17
4/6-9/06 CBS	60	23	17
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>16</b>

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

	Very good	Fairly good	Fairly bad	Very bad	DK/NA		Very good	Fairly good	Fairly bad	Very bad	DK/NA	
8/90	1	45	36	16	2	5/00	29	58	7	4	2	
10/90	1	29	42	25	2	9/00D*	26	64	7	2	1	
10/90B	1	32	47	19	2	10/00	25	60	9	4	3	
1/91	1	37	39	20	3	11/00	26	63	7	3	2	
3/91	1	44	42	11	2	12/00 CBS	21	65	10	3	1	
6/91	1	41	40	17	2	1/01 CBS	14	70	11	4	1	
10/91D	1	31	45	20	3	2/01 CBS	7	65	20		6	2
11/91	1	23	41	32	2	3/8-12/01	6	68	19		5	
1/92A	-	17	47	35	1	4/01B CBS	3	58	29	7	3	
1/92B	1	20	46	32	1	5/01 CBS		4	64	23	7	2
2/92A	1	16	38	42	2	6/14-18/01	3	67	22		6	2
2/92B	1	16	40	41	1	9/20-23/01	3	3	50	33	11	2
3/92	1	18	39	40	1	10/25-28/01	3	53	33		9	2
4/92	1	23	40	34	1	12/07-10/01	3	3	52	35	8	2
7/92	-	21	41	37	1	1/5-6/02 CBS	3	49	36	8	4	
8/92A	1	20	40	38	1	1/15-17/02 CBS	2	49	36	11	2	
9/92A	1	19	37	39	3	1/21-24/02	2	50	36	10	1	
10/92A	1	18	42	37	2	2/24-26/02 CBS	1	52	38	7	2	
10/92C	2	21	40	37	1	5/13-14/02 CBS	4	62	27	7	-	
10/92D	2	21	40	36	2	6/18-20/02 CBS	3	56	30	9	2	
10/92E	1	22	39	36	2	7/13-16/02		2	47	36	13	2
12/92	1	31	39	28	2	7/22-23/02 CBS	3	42	39	14	2	
1/93	1	34	41	22	2	8/6-7/02 CBS	2	45	38	13	2	
2/93	2	33	36	26	3	9/2-5/02	3	47	36	14	1	
3/93	1	33	41	22	2	10/3-6/02	4	39	42	14	2	
6/93A	1	29	43	25	2	10/27-31/02	1	44	38	15	1	
6/93B	1	33	40	23	2	11/20-24/02	2	46	37	13	2	
8/93	3	28	45	23	1	1/4-6/03 CBS	1	40	43	14	2	
9/93	1	31	44	23	1	1/19-22/03	1	42	43	12	1	
11/93	2	40	38	18	2	2/10-12/03	2	37	42	18	2	
12/93	1	43	39	15	2	3/20-24/03	3	47	33	15	2	
12/93	1	43	39	15	2	4/11-13/03	2	48	36	10	3	
1/94	2	45	38	14	1	5/9-12/03	2	42	41	14	1	
1/94	1	49	34	14	1	9/28-10/1/03	4	39	37	19	1	
2/94	2	50	34	12	2	10/20-21/03 CBS	3	42	36	18	1	
4/94	3	51	33	11	2	12/10-13/03	4	52	30	13	1	
6/94	3	51	32	11	3	12/14-15/03	5	50	28	13	4	
7/94	3	50	35	11	1	1/12-15/04	3	51	34	11	1	
9/94	2	51	33	13	2	3/10-14/04	2	47	34	15	2	
9/94	3	50	34	11	2	4/23-27/04	4	51	30	15	1	
11/94	2	53	33	10	1	5/20-23/04 CBS	5	47	31	16	1	
1/95	3	57	28	11	1	6/23-27/04	4	54	30	11	1	
2/95	5	53	29	12	2	8/15-18/04 CBS	5	47	32	15	1	
3/95	3	52	29	13	3	9/12-16/04	3	51	31	12	2	
7/95	3	58	26	11	2	10/1-3/04	6	49	29	16	1	
10/95	3	54	32	10	1	10/14-17/04	3	49	32	13	2	
12/95	4	54	27	13	2	11/18-21/04	4	50	30	14	1	
1/96	2	49	33	14	2	2/24-28/05	4	53	29	13	1	
2/96	3	50	30	15	3	6/10-15/05	4	50	32	13	1	
6/96	2	53	32	11	2	7/29-8/2/05 CBS	7	50	31	11	1	
6/96B	4	56	30	9	1	9/9-13/05	4	45	33	17	1	
7/96	5	56	27	10		10/30-11/1/05 CBS	3	44	35	16	2	
8/96	5	58	23	10	3	12/2-6/05	6	49	29	14	1	
9/96	5	64	23	7	1	1/5-8/06 CBS	6	48	32	13	1	
10/96	6	66	19	6	2	1/20-25/06	6	51	29	13	1	
10/96C	6	61	21	10	3	2/22-26/06 CBS	5	45	33	15	2	
11/96	6	64	21	6	2	3/9-12/06 CBS	4	51	29	14	2	
12/96	6	61	22	8	3	4/6-9/06 CBS	7	45	30	17	1	
1/97	7	64	23	5	1	4/28-30/06 CBS	8	49	27	14	2	
4/97	6	62	24	7	1	<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>	
7/97	11	62	18	8	1							
11/97	14	63	16	5	2							
12/97	17	63	15	4	2							
1/98	16	67	13	3	1							

2/98	21	67	9	3	1
8/11-13/98	21	66	8	3	2
8/19-20/98	25	61	9	3	2
10/98A	16	65	15	3	2
10/98B	16	68	11	3	2
2/00	28	60	8	3	1

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

	Better	Worse	Same	DK/NA		Better	Worse	Same	DK/NA
9/76	25	30	41	4	10/95	13	27	57	2
10/76A	18	36	44	2	2/95	16	26	56	2
10/76B	22	35	39	3	1/96	13	31	54	2
1/77	16	27	54	3	2/96	14	29	55	2
4/77	18	31	48	4	4/96	14	32	53	2
7/77	22	22	52	4	6/96	13	29	57	1
1/78	17	34	45	4	6/96 NYT	18	22	58	1
4/78	12	48	38	2	7/96	16	27	55	2
6/78	9	58	31	2	8/96C	17	23	57	3
9/78	9	55	34	2	9/96	23	21	54	2
1/79	7	59	31	3	10/96	26	19	53	2
6/79	3	72	22	3	11/96	24	19	55	2
11/79	5	70	24	1	12/96	19	21	57	2
4/80	2	81	16	1	1/97	24	19	56	1
10/80A	14	46	37	4	4/97	16	25	57	1
11/80	8	58	33	2	7/97 CBS	27	20	52	1
1/81	4	58	35	3	11/97 CBS	23	19	55	3
3/82	16	48	34	2	12/97	29	18	51	2
1/83	21	39	39	1	1/98	32	13	55	1
10/86*	19	27	52	1	10/98A	20	26	53	2
10/87A	12	37	47	3	10/98B	23	21	53	2
10/87BNYT	11	39	46	4	2/00	30	15	52	2
11/87	11	41	46	3	1/01 CBS	11	39	49	1
1/88	12	35	51	2	2/01 CBS	8	46	44	2
5/88	21	34	42	3	3/8-12/01	7	41	49	2
9/88*	15	27	56	2	4/01B CBS	9	48	41	2
10/88A*	17	27	53	3	5/01 CBS	10	44	44	2
10/88A*	17	27	53	2	6/14-18/01	9	40	50	1
11/88B	14	25	58	2	9/20-23/01	8	55	35	2
1/90	8	36	53	2	10/25-28/01	14	37	46	2
8/90	4	55	40	1	12/07-10/01	19	34	45	2
10/90	2	69	28	2	1/5-6/02 CBS	26	27	44	3
10/90B	3	67	28	1	1/21-24/02	18	33	48	1
1/91 CBS	7	46	45	2	5/13-14/02 CBS	31	18	51	-
2/91 CBS	8	41	45	6	7/13-16/02	14	41	44	2
3/91	19	32	47	2	10/3-5/02	13	39	46	2
4/91	18	33	47	2	10/27-31/02	17	34	48	1
6/91	23	29	47	1	11/20-24/02	19	30	50	2
10/91D	14	40	44	2	1/19-22/03	17	39	44	1
11/91	8	44	46	2	4/11-13/03	17	31	49	2
1/92A	8	47	44	1	5/9-12/03	22	28	49	1
1/92B	9	45	44	1	7/13-27/03	22	31	46	1
2/92B	13	38	48	1	8/26-28/03 CBS	25	31	43	1
3/92	20	26	53	1	9/28-10/1/03	24	29	46	1
4/92	18	31	50	1	12/10-13/03	34	24	41	1
7/92	12	33	54	1	12/14-15/03	39	19	39	2
8/92A	10	36	53	1	1/12-15/04	34	26	39	1
9/92A	10	33	55	2	2/12-15/04 CBS	33	27	39	1
10/92A	9	38	51	1	3/10-14/04	28	27	43	2
10/92C	12	37	49	2	4/23-27/04	30	26	44	1
10/92D	17	33	48	2	5/20-23/04 CBS	23	30	43	2
10/92E	17	32	49	2	6/23-27/04	28	23	47	1
12/92	29	17	51	3	8/15-18/04 CBS	25	30	43	2
1/93	26	18	55	1	9/12-16/04	26	27	45	2
2/93	32	15	51	2	10/14-17/04	24	33	42	1
3/93	21	19	58	2	11/18-21/04	26	29	44	1
6/93A	13	26	60	1	1/14-18/05	25	29	45	1
8/93 CBS	12	30	56	2	2/24-28/05	23	30	46	1
9/93	14	26	58	1	6/10-15/05	18	36	45	2
11/93	19	24	57	1	7/29-8/2/05 CBS	20	32	47	1
1/94	31	17	57	1	9/9-13/05	13	47	38	2

4/94	24	25	50	1	10/30-11/1/05 CBS	16	40	44	
7/94	22	21	56	1	12/2-6/05	19	35	45	1
9/94	23	27	50	1	1/5-8/06 CBS	20	37	43	
11/94	20	26	53	1	1/20-25/06	17	38	44	1
1/95 CBS	24	22	53	1	3/9-12/06	13	39	47	1
2/95	27	20	53	1	<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>1</b>
3/95	18	27	53	2					
8/95	14	27	58	1					

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

	Yes	No	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>

14. If the 2006 election for U.S. House of Representatives were being held today, would you vote for the Republican candidate or the Democratic candidate in your district?

	Rep.	Dem.	Other(vol.)	Won't vote(vol.)	Depends(vol.)	DK/NA
12/2-6/05	32	41	1	2	14	10
12/2-6/05*	33	42	1	1	15	8
1/20-25/06*	34	43	2	1	14	7
<b>5/4-8/06*</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>

HISTORICAL DATA

IF THE 1994/1998/2002 ELECTION FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WERE BEING HELD TODAY, WOULD YOU VOTE FOR THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE OR THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE IN YOUR DISTRICT?

	REP.	DEM.	OTHER (VOL.)	WON'T VOTE (VOL.)	DEPENDS (VOL.)	DK/NA
9/8-11/94*	37	39	1	1	9	14
10/94* CBS	41	42	-	-	6	11
10/29/11/1/94*	46	41	1	1	5	7
7/19-21/98	34	38	3	1		24
9/22-23/98*	39	44	1	1	6	10
10/12-13/98*	37	45	2	1	3	11
1/21-24/02*	37	39	-	-	10	12
7/13-16/02	36	40	1	2	8	13
9/2-5/02	35	39	1	1	8	15
10/3-5/02 LIKELY VTRS	43	46	-	-	5	5
10/27-31/02 LIKELY VTRS	47	40	1	-	4	7

15. Do you think of your vote for Congress this fall as a vote for George W. Bush, a vote against George W. Bush, or don't you think of your vote this fall as being about George W. Bush's presidency?

	For	Against	Not about GWB	Won't vote	DK/NA
10/27-31/02*	31	19	40	-	10
4/6-9/06* CBS	14	35	45		6
<b>5/4-8/06*</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6</b>

16. If George W. Bush supported a candidate for political office in your area, would that make you more likely or less likely to vote for that candidate, or wouldn't it affect how you voted one way or another?

	More	Less	Wouldn't affect vote	DK/NA
12/2-6/05	10	25	63	2
4/6-9/06* CBS	10	31	57	2
<b>5/4-8/06*</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>2</b>

17. Do you think it is better for the country to have a President who comes from the same political party that controls Congress, or do you think it is better to have a President from one political party and the Congress controlled by another?

	Better when same party	Better when different parties	DK/NA
9/89	35	34	20
9/92*	47	31	22
8/95	41	38	21
1/96	43	37	20
1/96*	43	37	20
4/96	46	34	20
4/96*	50	31	19
6/96	44	33	23
6/96*	45	32	23
6/96B*	49	31	20
7/96*	43	34	22
10/3-5/02*	38	44	18
10/27-31/02*	38	44	18
11/20-24/02	36	41	24
1/12-15/04	33	44	23
9/9-13/05	32	41	27
1/20-25/06	32	44	24
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>22</b>

18. If the Democrats were in control of Congress now, do you think Congress would do a better job than it has with the Republicans in control, a worse job than it has with the Republicans in control, or about the same job as it has with the Republicans in control?

	Better	Worse	Same	DK/NA
4/6-9/06 CBS	32	13	48	7
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>7</b>

19. Is your opinion of George W. Bush favorable, not favorable, undecided, or haven't you heard enough about George W. Bush yet to have an opinion?

	Favorable	Not Favorable	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
4/99 CBS	40	13	23	24	
6/99 CBS*	38	17	22	22	1
7/99 CBS*	32	16	21	30	1
9/99 CBS*	31	17	24	27	1
10/99 CBS*	27	19	30	24	
11/99*	34	24	25	17	-
12/99* CBS	37	26	21	16	-
2/00*	32	33	22	12	1
3/00* CBS	42	32	20	5	1
4/00* CBS	35	30	21	12	2
5/00*	40	28	21	10	1
7/00*	40	29	18	13	1
7/00B*	44	26	19	10	1
8/00* CBS	48	22	17	12	1
8/00* CBS	45	27	17	10	1
9/00A*	42	28	19	9	1
9/00D*	43	30	19	9	-
10/00* CBS	44	30	16	8	2
10/00*	49	30	14	5	2
10/00* CBS	48	33	12	5	2
11/00*	48	32	14	5	1
11/00L*	45	36	13	4	2



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19. George W. Bush favorable continued

	Favorable	Not Favorable	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
1/15-17/01 CBS	44	30	17	8	1
2/10-12/01 CBS	42	24	16	16	2
3/8-12/01	42	19	17	21	-
4/4-5/01 CBS	40	29	13	17	1
4/23-25/01 CBS	41	26	18	13	2
6/14-18/01	37	29	16	18	-
8/28-31/01 CBS	40	29	17	13	1
7/13-16/02	64	21	13	2	1
11/20-24/02	55	25	14	6	1
7/13-27/03	46	32	17	5	1
8/26-28/03 CBS	46	32	16	4	2
9/28-10/1/03	43	34	13	8	2
12/10-13/03	44	35	17	4	1
12/14-15/03	48	31	17	3	-
1/12-15/04	41	38	16	4	1
3/10-14/04	41	37	18	3	2
3/10-14/04*	43	39	15	2	1
3/30-4/1/04*	39	42	16	2	1
4/23-27/04*	38	43	18	1	-
5/20-23/04* CBS	36	47	15	1	1
6/23-27/04*	39	45	15	1	1
7/11-15/04*	41	45	12	1	1
8/15-18/04* CBS	43	44	11	2	
9/12-16/04*	47	38	14	1	1
9/20-22/04* CBS	46	38	14	1	1
10/1-3/04*	44	44	10	1	1
10/14-17/04*	43	45	11	1	1
10/28-30/04*	48	42	8	1	1
11/18-21/04*	49	39	10	2	-
1/14-18/05	44	40	14	2	1
10/30-11/1/05 CBS	33	51	12	3	1
12/2-6/05	38	46	11	4	1
1/20-25/06	37	48	13	1	-
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>

20. Is your opinion of Dick Cheney favorable, not favorable, undecided, or haven't you heard enough about Dick Cheney yet to have an opinion?

	Favorable	Not Favorable	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
8/00* CBS	30	13	14	42	1
8/00* CBS	31	13	15	40	1
9/00A*	30	15	17	38	-
9/00D*	29	16	16	38	1
10/00* CBS	41	15	16	28	
10/00*	43	13	13	29	2
11/00L*	38	17	18	26	1
1/15-17/01 CBS	37	17	17	28	1
3/8-12/01	34	11	17	38	-
4/23-25/01 CBS	36	14	19	30	1
6/14-18/01	27	14	15	44	1
1/21-24/02	39	11	21	28	1
7/13-16/02	36	19	25	19	1
1/12-15/04	20	24	18	38	1
3/10-14/04	27	24	24	23	2
4/23-27/04	26	29	22	22	2
6/23-27/04	21	28	22	28	1
7/11-15/04*	28	37	17	17	1

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## 20. Dick Cheney favorable continued

	Favorable	Not Favorable	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
9/12-16/04*	32	33	16	18	1
9/20-22/04* CBS	36	32	15	17	
10/1-3/04*	36	36	10	18	
10/9-11/04* CBS	38	36	12	14	
10/14-17/04*	39	36	14	11	1
1/14-18/05	28	33	16	22	1
10/30-11/1/05 CBS	19	44	15	21	1
12/2-6/05	20	41	18	20	1
1/20-25/06	23	41	17	18	-
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-</b>

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

THE ORDER OF QUESTIONS 21 AND 22 WAS ROTATED

	Favorable	Not favorable	Undecided	Don't know enough	Refused
3/92* <sup>1</sup>	31	17	19	31	1
7/92* <sup>1</sup>	29	14	21	35	1
8/92A* <sup>2</sup>	33	15	20	32	1
8/92D* <sup>2</sup>	31	19	25	26	1
10/92A* <sup>2</sup>	32	18	20	28	2
1/93 <sup>2</sup>	38	10	24	28	
2/93 <sup>2</sup>	44	16	19	19	2
3/93 <sup>2</sup>	35	16	22	27	
5/93A <sup>2</sup> CBS	37	14	23	25	1
5/93B <sup>2</sup> CBS	34	21	23	21	1
6/93B <sup>2</sup>	45	21	21	13	-
8/93 <sup>2</sup> CBS	36	22	22	29	1
9/93 <sup>2</sup>	40	20	20	19	1
10/93 <sup>2</sup> CBS	41	18	24	17	
11/93 <sup>2</sup>	45	21	21	12	1
1/94 CBS	44	28	16	11	1
1/94	36	22	22	19	1
2/94 CBS	34	23	25	17	1
3/94	33	26	22	18	1
4/94	32	29	20	17	1
6/94 CBS	35	27	22	13	3
7/94	38	26	19	16	1
9/94	33	28	22	15	2
11/94A	37	38	20	5	
1/95 CBS	39	33	21	6	1
4/95	34	36	22	8	1
8/95	31	29	23	16	2
1/96*	38	42	16	3	1
4/96*	33	41	19	7	1
6/96*	36	35	20	6	3
6/96* NYT	33	36	23	7	1
7/96*	30	40	22	8	1
8/96*	38	39	17	4	1
8/96C*	35	37	19	7	2
8/96D* CBS	38	36	18	6	2
9/96*	38	34	19	8	2
1/97	36	25	25	12	2
4/97	37	35	17	10	-

11/97 CBS	47	30	17	5	1
12/97	39	33	19	8	1

1 QUESTION READ: "IS YOUR OPINION OF HILLARY CLINTON, BILL CLINTON'S WIFE,..."

2 QUESTION READ: "IS YOUR OPINION OF HILLARY CLINTON ..."

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21. Hillary Rodham Clinton favorable continued

	Favorable	Not Favorable	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
1/98B	45	27	21	8	-
2/98	50	25	16	7	1
4/98	49	29	16	5	1
5/98 CBS	39	27	20	12	2
7/98 CBS	50	26	15	7	2
8/11-13	41	21	20	16	2
8/19-20	50	25	17	7	1
10/99 CBS	40	36	20	4	
10/99 CBS	43	37	16	3	
11/99	41	36	17	6	1
2/00	42	31	18	8	1
7/13-17/00	36	40	18	5	1
6/12-13/03 CBS	24	32	22	19	3
5/20-24/05 CBS	36	31	19	13	1
1/20-25/05	37	35	21	7	-
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>

22. Is your opinion of John McCain favorable, not favorable, undecided, or haven't you heard enough about John McCain yet to have an opinion? THE ORDER OF QUESTIONS 21 AND 22 WAS ROTATED

	Favorable	Not Favorable	Undecided	Don't know enough	Refused
4/99	11	6	14	69	
6/99* CBS	11	7	15	66	1
10/99*CBS	13	8	16	62	
11/99*	16	11	16	57	-
12/99*CBS	22	11	22	45	-
2/00*	36	14	24	26	1
3/00* CBS	38	26	19	15	2
5/00*	46	14	17	22	1
6/14-18/01	36	12	23	28	-
5/20-23/03 CBS	46	9	22	22	1
1/20-25/06	34	12	24	29	-
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1</b>

23. Is your opinion of John Kerry favorable, not favorable, undecided, or haven't you heard enough about John Kerry yet to have an opinion?

	Favorable	Not Favorable	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
8/26-28/03* CBS	14	13	16	57	
9/28-10/1/03*	13	17	27	43	-
12/10-13/03*	14	17	24	45	1
12/14-16/03*	15	20	28	37	
1/12-15/04*	19	15	27	38	
2/24-27/04* CBS	37	28	21	14	
3/10-14/04*	28	29	23	18	2
3/30-4/1/04* CBS	31	29	26	13	1
4/23-27/04*	27	33	26	14	1
5/20-23/04* CBS	32	32	25	10	1

6/23-27/04*	29	35	26	10	-
7/11-15/04*	36	33	20	9	1
8/15-18/04* CBS	38	34	18	9	1
9/12-16/04*	31	42	22	5	-
9/20-22/04* CBS	32	44	18	6	
10/1-3/04*	40	41	13	4	1
10/14-17/04*	39	44	14	2	-
10/28-30/04*	41	47	9	2	1
11/18-21/04*	40	39	13	7	1
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>

24. Is your opinion of Al Gore favorable, not favorable, undecided, or haven't you heard enough about Al Gore yet to have an opinion?

	Favorable	Not Favorable	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
5/87	5	6	13	75	1
10/87	9	9	16	66	
11/87	8	10	18	63	1
7/92*	29	6	19	45	1
8/92A*	44	10	16	30	1
8/92B*	39	11	20	29	1
8/92D*	36	14	20	30	-
8/92E*	40	12	19	28	1
9/92A*	39	13	20	27	1
10/92A*	43	16	19	23	-
10/92C*	40	25	16	19	1
10/92D*	43	24	16	16	-
10/92E*	43	26	16	14	-
1/93*	40	7	19	33	1
2/93*	32	12	12	44	-
11/93*	48	17	19	15	1
1/94 CBS	32	15	22	30	1
1/94*	42	15	19	24	1
2/95*	48	24	18	10	-
4/96*	32	21	23	23	-
8/96*	39	18	22	20	1
8/96B* CBS	32	26	24	17	1
8/96C*	35	26	19	18	1
8/96D* CBS	34	24	21	20	1
9/96*	43	24	18	14	1
10/96*	45	26	18	10	1
10/96C*	47	27	15	11	1
11/96*	43	27	17	13	1
1/97	41	12	19	27	1
3/97 CBS	29	18	20	31	2
4/97	25	21	19	35	1
5/97 CBS	29	18	19	33	1
8/97 CBS	38	21	24	15	2
9/97 CBS	21	24	21	32	-
11/97 CBS	31	30	26	13	-
12/97	19	24	24	32	1
1/98B	35	20	26	18	1
2/98	22	17	17	43	1
4/98	29	22	20	29	-
7/98 CBS	25	19	21	34	1
8/11-13	29	22	20	29	-
8/19-20	24	19	20	36	1
9/98 CBS	22	19	22	35	2
9/12 CBS	23	20	22	34	1
9/13	25	23	18	34	1
9/14	23	21	18	37	1
9/98B	24	21	20	34	1
11/98 CBS	22	21	20	35	2
12/98	23	21	20	35	1
1/99 CBS	24	19	24	32	1
1/99 CBS	21	19	19	41	-
1/99	20	20	23	35	2
2/99 CBS	23	21	21	34	1
4/99 CBS	18	22	23	36	1
6/99 CBS*	17	25	23	33	2

7/99 CBS\* 19 27 25 28 1

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24. Al Gore favorable continued

	Favorable	Not Favorable	Undecided	Haven't heard enough	Refused
8/99 CBS*	18	27	23	30	2
10/99 CBS*	22	34	24	19	1
11/99*	25	38	26	11	1
12/99* CBS	24	39	23	13	1
2/00*	30	35	24	11	-
3/00* CBS	34	40	20	5	1
4/00* CBS	34	35	21	9	1
5/00*	34	36	20	9	1
7/00*	35	34	20	10	1
7/00B*	36	35	18	9	2
8/00* CBS	33	32	20	14	1
8/00* CBS	45	27	16	10	2
9/00A*	44	29	17	9	1
9/00D*	49	28	17	5	1
10/00* CBS	46	31	16	6	1
10/00*	46	35	13	4	1
10/00* CBS	45	37	11	5	2
11/00*	45	38	12	4	1
11/00L*	41	41	12	4	2
12/9-10/00 CBS	51	35	11	1	2
12/14-16/00 CBS	44	39	15	2	
1/15-17/01 CBS	44	40	13	2	1
3/8-12/01	37	39	14	9	1
8/28-31/01 CBS	33	21	14	1	
11/20-24/02	19	43	24	14	-
12/10-13/03	36	44	17	3	1
12/14-16/03	32	45	18	4	-
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>-</b>

25. I'd like you to compare the way things are going in the United States to the way they were going six years ago. Generally, would you say things are going better today, worse today, or about the same today as they were going six years ago?

QUESTION ASKED OF HALF OF THE RESPONDENTS

	Better	Worse	Same	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3</b>

26. I'd like you to compare the way things are going in the United States today to the way they were going six years ago before George W. Bush became president. Generally would you say things are going better today, worse today, or about the same as they were going six years ago before George W. Bush became president? QUESTION ASKED OF HALF OF THE RESPONDENTS

	Better	Worse	Same	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2</b>

27. Overall, is Congress asking too many questions about George W. Bush's policy toward Iraq, or isn't Congress asking enough questions?

	Too many	Not enough	About right(vol.)	Depends(vol.)	DK/NA
9/22-23/02 CBS <sup>1</sup>	22	44	16	1	17
2/24-25/03 CBS <sup>1</sup>	19	51	18	1	11
3/7-9/03 <sup>1</sup>	18	48	22	1	12
12/2-6/05	23	57	13	1	5
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>

1 Question read: "Overall is congress asking too many questions about President Bush's..."

59. In deciding how to spend their time, Presidents have to weigh the importance of foreign policy problems and problems here at home. Given the importance of each, do you think George W. Bush has been spending too much time on foreign policy problems, or too much time on problems here at home, or has he been spending his time about right?

	Too much on foreign	Too much on problems at home	About right	DK/NA
10/3-5/02	41	2	52	5
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>12</b>

28. How much confidence do you have in George W. Bush's ability to handle a crisis - lot, some, a little, or none at all?

	A lot	Some	A little	None at all	DK/NA
9/20-23/01	66	24	7	2	1
9/6-7/05 CBS	32	19	25	23	1
10/3-5/05 CBS	27	25	24	23	1
12/2-6/05	31	26	23	19	1
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>-</b>



29. Do you think George W. Bush has strong qualities of leadership, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
10/28-30/99	67	18	15
3/19-21/00* CBS	68	23	9
5/10-13/00*	63	28	10
7/20-23/00B*	66	24	10
8/18-20/00* CBS	69	23	8
9/9-11/00*	65	25	10
9/27-10/1/00*	67	27	6
10/6-9/00* CBS	65	26	9
10/18-21/00*	70	24	6
1/15-17/01 CBS	57	35	8
2/10-12/01 CBS	59	31	10
4/23-25/01 CBS	58	36	6
6/14-18/01	54	38	8
9/11-12/01 CBS	55	27	18
9/13-14/01	70	19	11
9/20-23/01	83	14	3
1/21-24/02	82	16	3
5/9-12/03	70	26	4
9/28-10/1/03	63	35	2
1/12-15/04	64	33	3
3/10-14/04*	67	32	2
7/30-8/1/04* CBS	58	38	4
8/15-18/04* CBS	59	39	2
9/12-16/04*	63	35	2
10/1-3/04*	62	36	2
10/28-30/04*	62	37	1
9/9-13/05	53	45	2
10/3-5/05 CBS	45	52	3
10/30-11/1/05 CBS	49	47	4
12/2-6/05	49	48	3
1/20-25/06	53	45	2
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>3</b>

30. Do you think George W. Bush has more honesty and integrity than most people in public life? IF NO, ASK: Do you think George W. Bush has less honesty and integrity than most people in public life or about the same honesty and integrity as most people in public life?

	Yes, more	Less	Same	DK/NA
12/10-13/03	50	16	24	10
12/14-15/03	52	12	26	10
2/12-15/04 CBS	50	14	25	11
7/30-8/1/04* CBS	39	25	27	5
10/30/11/1/05 CBS	39	29	27	5
12/2-6/05	41	22	29	7
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>7</b>

31. Do you think George W. Bush has the same priorities for the country as you have, or not?

	Has	Does not have	DK/NA
1/15-17/01 CBS	44	46	10
1/15-17/02 CBS	59	32	9
1/19-22/03	45	52	3
2/5-6/03 CBS	54	39	7
4/26-27/03 CBS	48	46	6
9/28-10/1/03	41	56	3
1/12-15/04	41	54	5
2/12-15/04 CBS	44	50	6
3/10-14/04*	45	52	3
4/23-27/04*	42	55	3
5/20-23/04* CBS	41	55	4
6/23-27/04*	41	55	4
8/15-18/04* CBS	44	51	5
9/12-16/04*	47	51	2
10/1-3/04*	47	49	4
10/9-11/04* CBS	50	47	3
10/14-17/04*	45	51	3
5/20-24/05 CBS	34	61	5
6/10-15/05	35	61	4
9/9-13/05	36	61	3
10/3-5/05 CBS	32	65	3
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>4</b>

32. How much confidence do you have that George W. Bush will be able to successfully end the war in Iraq--a lot, some, not much or none at all?

	A lot	Some	Not much	None	Can't end successfully(vol.)	DK/NA
10/14-17/04 <sup>1*</sup>	23	29	21	26		1
11/18-21/04	22	29	21	25		4
<b>5/2-8/06</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>

1 Question read: If George W. Bush is re-elected president in November, how much confidence do you have that he would be able to successfully end the war in Iraq -- a lot, some, not much or none at all?

33. Is the price of gasoline something a president can do a lot about, or is that beyond any president's control? THE ORDER OF QUESTIONS 33 AND 34 WAS ROTATED

	Can do	Beyond control	DK/NA
5/20-23/04 CBS	58	33	9
4/13-16/05 CBS	61	31	8
8/29-31/05 CBS	63	27	10
9/9-13/05	64	29	8
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>8</b>

34. Is the price of gasoline something Congress can do a lot about, or is that beyond Congress's control? THE ORDER OF QUESTIONS 33 AND 34 WAS ROTATED

	Can do	Beyond control	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>9</b>

35. In general, is your opinion of the Democratic party favorable or not favorable?  
 THE ORDER OF QUESTIONS 35 AND 36 WAS ROTATED

	Fav	Not fav	DK/NA		Fav	Not fav	DK/NA
12/85 NYT	59	27	14	2/00	61	31	9
11/88B	54	36	10	5/00*	54	40	6
1/90	58	32	10	7/00B*	56	39	5
4/90	54	35	11	9/00D*	58	36	6
6/91	52	34	13	11/00L	56	37	7
5/92 CBS	46	43	10	3/8-12/01	55	38	7
6/92	49	40	11	6/14-18/01	56	36	9
7/92*	49	43	8	1/21-24/02	58	34	8
8/92*	57	37	6	7/13-16/02	53	36	11
1/94	49	40	12	10/3-5/02	53	39	8
9/94	48	44	8	10/27-31/02	55	36	9
11/94	44	48	8	11/20-24/02	45	44	11
11/94 CBS	40	52	8	1/19-22/02	52	39	9
1/95 CBS	47	47	6	5/9-12/03	46	45	9
2/95	47	45	8	7/13-27/03	49	42	9
4/95	48	45	7	9/28-10/1/03	53	39	7
8/95	47	45	8	2/10-13/03	55	36	9
4/96*	46	47	6	12/14-16/03	51	39	10
8/96*	55	39	6	1/12-15/04	54	36	10
8/96B* CBS	52	39	9	3/10-14/04	51	41	9
8/96C*	53	40	6	7/11-15/04	55	38	7
8/96D* CBS	57	36	7	10/14-17/04	52	40	8
9/96*	56	39	5	11/18-21/04	54	39	6
1/97	55	39	7	1/14-18/05	51	41	8
12/98	56	36	8	12/2-6/05	46	43	10
12/17	56	35	8	1/20-25/06	53	40	7
12/19	65	31	5	3/8-12/06 CBS	47	46	7
12/20	60	34	5	4/6-9/06 CBS	48	43	9
1/99 CBS	61	32	7	<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>8</b>
1/99	56	37	6				
2/99	57	32	11				
6/99	51	36	13				
9/99	53	37	10				
11/99	52	39	9				

36. In general, is your opinion of the Republican party favorable or not favorable?  
 THE ORDER OF QUESTIONS 35 AND 36 WAS ROTATED

	Fav	Not fav	DK/NA		Fav	Not fav	DK/NA
12/85 NYT	58	29	14	2/99 CBS	40	49	11
11/88B	57	34	10	6/99 CBS	41	47	12
1/90	63	28	9	9/99 CBS	43	45	12
4/90	58	34	8	11/99	48	43	9
6/91	62	28	10	2/00	49	41	10
5/92 CBS	46	45	9	5/00*	53	40	8
6/92	49	43	8	7/00B*	54	41	5
7/92*	46	47	7	9/00D*	49	44	7
8/92*	47	48	5	11/00L	49	44	7
1/94	52	36	12	3/8-12/01	54	39	7
9/94	52	36	10	6/14-18/01	46	47	8
11/94	54	39	7	1/21-24/02	58	33	9
11/94 CBS	59	33	8	1/19-22/03	50	41	9
1/95 CBS	53	38	9	5/9-12/03	53	40	7
2/95	54	37	8	7/13-27/03	46	45	9
4/95	54	40	6	9/28-10/1/03	51	43	5
8/95	54	37	9	12/10-13/03	47	44	9
4/96*	43	51	7	12/14-16/03	53	39	9
8/96*	46	47	7	1/12-15/04	48	43	8
8/96B* CBS	47	43	10	3/10-14/04	49	43	8
8/96C*	52	42	6	7/11-15/04	47	47	5
8/96D* CBS	48	43	9	10/14-17/04	47	46	7
9/96*	48	44	7	11/18-21/04	49	46	5
1/97	50	41	9	1/14-18/05	49	44	7
12/98	42	51	8	12/2-6/05	42	50	8
12/17	33	57	10	1/20-25/06	44	51	5
12/19	36	59	5	3/9-12/06 CBS	36	58	6
12/20	36	58	6	4/6-9/-6 CBS	40	53	7
1/99 CBS	38	55	7	<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>6</b>
1/99	41	52	8				

37. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican party or the Democratic party is more likely to make the right decisions about the war in Iraq?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
7/11-15/04	41	45	2	4	9
12/2-6/05	35	40	2	8	15
1/5-8/06 CBS	36	39		9	14
3/9-12/06 CBS	35	41	2	8	14
4/6-9/06 CBS	33	44	2	8	13
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>15</b>

38. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican party or the Democratic party is more likely to make sure the tax system is fair?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
8/96*	33	49	2	5	10
8/96C*	38	45	2	7	8
9/98	31	43	5	9	12
11/99	37	46	1	6	10
7/00B*	34	42	6	5	13
1/21-24/02	36	49	4	4	8
10/3-5/02	34	47	3	5	11
5/9-12/03	36	46	3	6	9
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>

39. Do you think the Republican party or the Democratic party comes closer to sharing your moral values?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
7/13-27/03	39	42	2	6	10
7/11-15/04	44	45	2	3	6
12/2-6/05	41	43	3	5	9
3/9-12/06 CBS	41	45	1	6	7
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>

40. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican party or the Democratic party is more likely to make prescription drugs for the elderly more affordable?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
10/27-31/02	19	61	4	3	13
5/9-12/03	26	57	2	4	10
12/10-13/03	24	51	3	5	18
12/14-16/03	24	49	2	4	21
7/11-15/04	20	62	1	4	12
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>14</b>

41. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think oil companies have more influence on the Republican party or the Democratic party?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>

42. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican party or the Democratic party is more likely to improve the health care system?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
6/91	22	51	7	4	17
11/93	22	47	12	4	14
1/94	20	59	2	7	12
10/98B	24	57	3	3	13
1/99	25	59	2	5	9
11/99	28	54	3	5	10
7/00B*	28	52	7	4	9
9/00D*	27	53	3	5	12
1/21-24/02	28	51	5	4	11
7/13-16/02	22	58	4	4	11
10/3-5/02	22	62	4	4	9
5/9-12/03	29	51	3	6	11
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>

43. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican party or the Democratic party is more likely to make the right decisions when it comes to dealing with terrorism?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
1/21-24/02	57	15	17	2	9
7/13-16/02	49	22	14	2	14
10/3-5/02	47	28	10	2	12
10/27-31/02	48	23	13	3	14
3/22-24/03	45	21	11	3	19
12/10-13/03	43	26	11	4	16
12/14-16/03	49	21	8	2	19
7/11-15/04	45	37	3	3	11
12/2-6/05	42	31	6	6	15
3/9-12/06 CBS	42	32	4	7	15
4/6-9/06 CBS	45	31	6	5	13
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>15</b>

44. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican party or the Democratic party is more likely to make the right decisions when it comes to dealing with immigration issues?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
12/2-6/05	32	38	4	9	17
4/6-9/06 CBS	31	43	4	8	14
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>16</b>

45. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican party or the Democratic party is more likely to make sure U.S. military defenses are strong?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
9/30-10/4/84*	63	19	6	1	12
12/14-18/85 NYT	64	15	8	2	11
5/9-12/88*	53	24	8	2	13
3/4-6/91	61	14	9	2	14
6/3-6/91	61	19	2	7	12
11/4-7/99	57	27	4	2	10
7/20-23/00	56	23	10	1	10
1/21-24/02	67	18	8	-	7
7/13-16/02	64	20	7	-	9
10/3-5/02	64	23	4		9
10/27-31/02*	66	18	7	1	8
3/22/03	60	14	6	2	17
3/23/03	63	17	6	2	12
3/24/03	58	17	6	1	19
3/22-24/03	60	16	6	2	15
5/9-12/03	66	19	7	1	7
4/6-9/06 CBS	57	24	7	3	9
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>

46. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican Party or the Democratic Party is more likely to see to it that gasoline prices are low?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
4/28-30/06 CBS	20	47	2	12	19
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>

47. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican party or the Democratic party is more likely to improve education?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
8/88	23	55	5	2	15
10/98B	30	51	5	3	11
1/99	30	53	3	4	11
11/99	33	49	4	3	11
7/00B*	33	45	11	2	9
8/00 CBS	34	47	6	3	10
8/00 CBS	42	34	10	3	11
9/00D*	35	42	7	4	12
3/8-12/01	42	40	5	4	9
1/21-24/02	39	42	7	2	9
7/13-16/02	33	48	5	3	11
10/3-5/02	30	49	5	3	12
5/9-12/03	38	44	6	5	8
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>

48. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican Party or the Democratic Party is more likely to protect your civil liberties?

Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
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49. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Republican Party or the Democratic Party has more new ideas?

	Republican	Democratic	Both(vol.)	Neither(vol.)	DK/NA
10/18-22/87	28	39	4	9	20
10/15-18/91*	27	36	6	11	20
3/9-12/06*	25	44	2	11	17
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>17</b>

50. Do you think the Republicans in Congress are more financially corrupt, or are the Democrats in Congress more financially corrupt?

	Republican	Democratic	Same vol.)	DK/NA
1/13-15/90	20	16	38	26
1/5-8/06 CBS	34	18	30	18
4/6-9/06 CBS	32	13	37	18
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>15</b>

51. Do you think members of the Bush Administration have a clear plan for keeping down the price of gasoline or haven't they developed one yet?

	Have a plan	Haven't developed one yet	DK/NA
9/9-13/05	12	81	8
4/28-20/06 CBS	12	81	8
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>7</b>

52. In the next few months, do you expect that the price of gasoline will go up, stay the same, or go down?

	Go up	Stay the same	Go down	DK/NA
9/9-13/05	43	29	25	2
10/3-5/05 CBS	61	21	15	3
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>

53. How much do higher prices for gasoline affect you personally -- a lot, some, not much, or not at all?

	A lot	Some	Not much	Not at all
5/20-23/04 CBS	56	29	11	4
4/13-16/05 CBS	63	25	8	4
8/29-31/05 CBS	62	26	8	4
9/9-13/05	57	29	9	5
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>

54. As a result of the recent increase in gas prices, have you cut down on the amount of driving you do?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
8/29-31/05 CBS	70	29	1
10/3-5/05 CBS	64	33	3
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1</b>

55. As a result of the recent increase in gas prices, have you cut back on household spending on other things?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
8/29-31/05 CBS	47	53	
9/9-13/05	62	38	-
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>-</b>



56. Do you expect to change your vacation plans this summer because of the cost of gasoline?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>3</b>

Varied wording: As a result of the recent increase in gas prices, did you change your summer vacation plans? CBS News, 8/29-31/05, Yes-28%, No-70%, DK/NA-2%.

57. How much of the blame for the increase in gas prices do you put on the war in Iraq -- a great deal, some, not much, or none at all?

	Great deal	Some	Not much	None at all	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>

58. How much of the blame for the increase in gas prices do you put on oil companies trying to increase their profits by raising prices -- a great deal, some, not much, or none at all?

	Great deal	Some	Not much	None at all	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>

62. How much have you heard or read about changing the laws regarding immigration in the United States -- a lot, some, not much, or nothing at all?

	A lot	Some	Not much	Nothing at all	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>

63. Should LEGAL immigration into the United States be kept at its present level, increased, or decreased?

	Present level	Increased	Decreased	DK/NA
6/19-23/86 <sup>1</sup>	35	7	49	9
6/21-24/93 <sup>2</sup>	27	7	61	5
9/8-11/94 <sup>2</sup>	27	6	63	4
9/18-22/95 <sup>2</sup>	30	6	54	9
12/3-6/95 NYT <sup>3</sup>	31	2	64	3
10/23-27/96 CBS	35	8	50	7
9/13-14/01	29	10	53	8
12/7-10/01	29	9	59	3
7/13-27/03	37	9	48	6
1/12-15/04	34	16	45	5
7/29-8/2/05 CBS	32	13	51	4
10/3-5/05 CBS	30	11	51	8
4/6-9/06 CBS	33	16	45	6
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>6</b>

1 Question read: Should immigration be kept at its present level, increased or decreased?

2 Question read: Should immigration to the United States be kept at its present level, increased or decreased?

3 Question read: Do you think immigration into the United States should be increased, decreased, or kept about the same?

64. What about ILLEGAL immigration? How serious a problem do you think the issue of ILLEGAL immigration is for the country right now -- very serious, somewhat serious, not too serious, or not at all serious?

	Very	Somewhat	Not too	Not at all	DK/NA
1/5-8/06 CBS	51	33	13	3	
4/6-9/06 CBS	62	25	9	3	1
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>

65. Do you think ILLEGAL immigrants coming to this country today take jobs away from American citizens, or do they mostly take jobs Americans don't want?

	Take jobs from American citizens	Take jobs Americans don't want	Both(vol.)	DK/NA
4/6-9/06 CBS	42	47	11	2
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>

Varied wording: Do you think the immigrants coming to this country today take jobs away from American citizens, or do they mostly take jobs Americans don't want?

	Take jobs from American citizens	Take jobs Americans don't want	Both	DK/NA
6/83 NYT	42	47		10
6/86	34	52	9	5
6/93B	36	55		9
1/94 CBS	31	52	10	9
12/95	36	55		10
2/22-24/96	39	51	7	4
10/23-27/96 CBS	22	67	6	6
7/13-27/03	30	59	6	5
1/12-15/04	39	53	4	4

66. If you had to choose, what do you think should happen to most illegal immigrants who have lived and worked in the United States for at least two years: They should be given a chance to keep their jobs and eventually apply for legal status, OR They should be deported back to their native country?

	Chance to keep jobs/apply for legal status	Deported	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>4</b>

67. Some people favor building a 700-mile-long fence along the U.S.-Mexico border because they say it would stop illegal immigrants from crossing the border into the U.S. Other people oppose the 700-mile-long fence because they say it would cost too much money and people would still find a way to get around it. What do you think, do you favor or oppose building a 700-mile-long fence along the U.S.-Mexico border?

	Favor	Oppose	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>5</b>

69. Do you think illegal immigrants do more to strengthen the U.S. economy because they provide low-cost labor and they spend money or do illegal immigrants do more to weaken the U.S. economy because they don't all pay taxes but can use public services?

	Strengthen	Weaken	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>8</b>

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

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

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

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

72. Regardless of whether you think taking military action in Iraq was the right thing to do, would you say that the U.S. is very likely to succeed in Iraq, somewhat likely to succeed, not very likely to succeed, or not at all likely to succeed in establishing a democratic government in Iraq?

	Very	Somewhat	Not very	Not at all	DK/NA
7/13-14/05 CBS	22	40	25	10	3
7/29-8/2/05 CBS	21	43	24	11	1
1/5-8/06 CBS	21	42	24	11	2
3/9-12/06 CBS	15	36	31	16	2
4/6-9/06 CBS	17	41	23	17	2
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>

73. From what you have heard or read, how much progress has the United States made in training Iraqi troops to take over from the U.S. -- a lot, some, not much, none at all, or don't you know enough about it yet to say?

A lot                      Some                      Not much                      None at all                      DK enough                      DK/NA

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74. From what you know, do you think the U.S. government is giving U.S. troops in Iraq enough resources and military equipment to succeed, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
3/9-12/06 CBS	37	50	13
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>15</b>

75. Do you think the United States should or should not set a timetable for the withdrawal of U.S. troops from Iraq?

	Should	Should not	DK/NA
7/13-14/05 CBS	55	40	5
12/2-6/05	58	39	3
1/5-8/06 CBS	54	40	6
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>4</b>

76. Currently, drilling for oil and natural gas is prohibited in Alaska's Arctic National Wildlife Refuge. Do you approve or disapprove of the proposal to open up the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in Alaska for oil and natural gas drilling?

	Approve	Disapprove	DK/NA
2/10-12/01 CBS	42	50	8
3/8-12/01	36	57	6
4/23-25/01 CBS	37	54	9
11/20-24/02	39	55	6
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>7</b>

77. Now on another subject. Global warming is a term used to describe changes in the temperature of the earth's atmosphere, which could result in changes in the environment. How much have you heard or read about global warming -- a lot, some, not much or nothing at all?

	A lot	Some	Not much	Nothing at all	DK/NA
9/15-16/03 CBS	27	39	23	10	1
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>

78. **ASKED of THOSE WHO SAID A LOT or SOME in Q. 77:** Do you think global warming is an environmental problem that is causing a serious impact now, or do you think global warming isn't having a serious impact?

	Impact now	No serious impact	DK/NA
9/15-16/03 CBS	59	37	4
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>5</b>

79. Thinking now about IRAN. How much have you heard or read about IRAN's nuclear weapons program -- a lot, some, not much or nothing so far?

	A lot	Some	Not much	Nothing	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>-</b>

81. Which comes closer to your opinion -- Iran is a threat to the United States that requires military action now, Iran is a threat that can be contained with diplomacy now, or Iran is not a threat to the United States at this time?

	Requires action now	Can be contained	Not a threat now	DK/NA
5/27-28/03 CBS	9	66	18	7
2/22-26/06 CBS	20	55	19	6
4/28-30/06 CBS	18	58	16	8

82. From what you've heard or read, in general how easy or difficult is the Medicare prescription drug plan to understand -- is it very easy to understand, somewhat easy to understand, somewhat difficult to understand, or very difficult to understand?

	Very easy	Somewhat easy	Somewhat difficult	Very difficult	DK/NA
5/4-8/06	3	13	38	32	15
5/4-8/06 65+	6	13	30	45	6

How old are you?

	18-29	30-44	45-64	Over 64	Refused
5/4-8/06	22	29	33	16	-

83. Have you, personally, joined the new prescription drug benefit program for Medicare recipients, do you plan to join, or do you not plan to join?

	Joined	Plan to join	Do not plan to join	DK/NA
5/4-8/06 65+	39	10	48	3

84. May 15th is the deadline for enrolling in the Medicare prescription drug plan. Anyone who wants to enroll after May 15th will have to pay a penalty fee. Do you think Medicare should or should not extend the May 15th deadline in order to give people more time to enroll in the Medicare drug plan WITHOUT PENALTY?

	Extended	Not extended	DK/NA
5/4-8/06 65+	81	15	4

85. **ASKED of THOSE WHO SAID THEY JOINED A DRUG BENEFIT PLAN:** Was the process of enrolling in the new Medicare prescription drug program very easy, fairly easy, fairly difficult, or very difficult?

	Very easy	Fairly easy	Fairly difficult	Very difficult	DK/NA
5/4-8/06 65+	37	24	16	17	6

86. **ASKED of THOSE WHO SAID THEY JOINED A DRUG BENEFIT PLAN:** Since enrolling in the Medicare prescription drug program, are you now spending more, less or about the same as before on prescription drugs?

	More	Less	Same	DK/NA
5/4-8/06 65+	19	42	30	9

87. Do you think that eventually the Medicare drug plan WILL or WILL NOT significantly reduce the cost of prescription drugs for the elderly?

	Will significantly reduce	Will not	DK/NA
12/2-6/05 <sup>1</sup>	21	52	26
5/4-8/06	36	45	19
5/4-8/06 65+	40	44	17

1 Question read: From what you know, will the Medicare prescription drug plan significantly reduce the cost of prescription drugs for the elderly or will it not significantly reduce the cost of prescription drugs?

88. Do you have a prescription drug plan other than Medicare?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
5/4-8/06	63	37	1
5/4-8/06 65+	65	34	1



89. In a typical week, how many tanks of gas do you use?

	None	Less than one	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	More than 5	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>

90. Do you have a close friend or family member who is an immigrant to the United States? IF NO, ASK: Do you personally encounter any immigrants on a regular basis?

	Close friend/family	Know immigrant	No	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/05</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1</b>

91. Do you or does any member of your immediate family now serve in the U.S. armed forces or in the U.S. reserves?

	No	Yes, self	Yes, other	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>1</b>

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

	Kerry	Bush	Nader	Voted, won't say whom(vol.)	Didn't vote	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>1</b>

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

	Yes	No	DK/NA
<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>1</b>

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

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

4/97	29	36	26	8	1/20-25/06	29	34	33	4
1/98	27	34	30	8	<b>5/4-8/06</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>4</b>
1/98B	26	35	31	7					

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

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

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What is your religious preference today?

	Protestant	Catholic	Jewish	Other	None	DK/NA
5/4-8/06	52	22	2	5	15	4

What was the last grade in school you completed?

	Not a H.S. grad	H.S. grad	Some college	College grad	Post Grad	Refused
5/4-8/06	9	33	30	18	10	-

Are you of Hispanic origin or descent, or not?

	Hispanic	Not Hispanic	DK/NA
5/4-8/06	6	93	-

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

	White	Black	Asian	Other	Refused
5/4-8/06	79	11	2	6	1

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

	Married	Widowed	Divorced	Separated	Never married	DK/NA
5/4-8/06	57	7	11	1	23	1

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

	Under \$15,000	\$15,000- \$29,999	\$30,000- \$49,999	\$50,000- \$74,999	\$75,000- \$100,000	Over \$100,000	Refused
5/4-8/06	10	19	19	22	13	13	5

	Male	Female
5/4-8/06	48	52