



Interviews with 1,017 adult Americans conducted by telephone by Opinion Research Corporation on September 7-9, 2007. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points. Results for questions asked solely of registered Democrats have a sampling of error of plus or minus 4.5 percentage points. Results for questions asked solely of registered Republicans have a sampling of error of plus or minus 5 percentage points.

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4. Next, we'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of these people -- or if you have never heard of them. (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Never Heard of</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
New York Senator Hillary Clinton				
September 7-9, 2007	53%	39%	1%	7%
June 22-24, 2007	51%	44%	*	4%
March 9-11, 2007	49%	44%	2%	5%
November 3-5, 2006	51%	40%	3%	7%
September 22-24, 2006	50%	45%	2%	4%
April 21-23, 2006	50%	42%	2%	6%
Illinois Senator Barack Obama				
September 7-9, 2007	49%	27%	10%	13%
June 22-24, 2007	47%	24%	14%	15%
March 9-11, 2007	44%	21%	19%	16%
November 3-5, 2006	36%	11%	37%	16%
Former North Carolina Senator John Edwards				
September 7-9, 2007	49%	30%	8%	13%
June 22-24, 2007	47%	32%	8%	12%
March 9-11, 2007	42%	27%	18%	13%
New Mexico Governor Bill Richardson				
September 7-9, 2007	23%	20%	29%	28%
June 22-24, 2007	27%	18%	31%	23%
Former New York City Mayor Rudy Giuliani				
September 7-9, 2007	54%	32%	5%	9%
June 22-24, 2007	58%	27%	7%	8%
March 9-11, 2007	56%	21%	11%	12%
November 3-5, 2006	60%	18%	10%	12%
Arizona Senator John McCain				
September 7-9, 2007	47%	32%	7%	14%
June 22-24, 2007	46%	32%	9%	13%
March 9-11, 2007	47%	27%	12%	14%
November 3-5, 2006	52%	22%	11%	15%
September 22-24, 2006	50%	25%	14%	11%
April 21-23, 2006	46%	20%	17%	16%
Former Tennessee Senator Fred Thompson				
September 7-9, 2007	32%	21%	23%	24%
June 22-24, 2007	30%	15%	34%	20%

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	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Never Heard of</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
Former Massachusetts Governor Mitt Romney				
September 7-9, 2007	28%	28%	24%	19%
June 22-24, 2007	27%	23%	26%	24%
March 9-11, 2007	18%	18%	42%	22%

CNN/USA TODAY/GALLUP TRENDS

John McCain

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Never heard of</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2005 Jul 25-28	51	22	16	11
2004 Aug 23-25*	55	19	9	17
2004 Mar 26-28	53	21	13	13
2002 Apr 29-May 1**	53	21	11	15
2001 Jun 8-10**	60	21	10	9
2000 Apr 28-30**	61	18	6	15
2000 Mar 10-12**	57	28	6	9
2000 Feb 25-27**	66	18	5	11
2000 Feb 20-21**	65	17	7	11
2000 Feb 4-6**	67	12	8	13
2000 Jan 17-19**	51	17	10	22
1999 Dec 9-12**	57	11	14	18
1999 Oct 21-24**	37	12	30	21
1999 Apr 13-14**	35	12	28	25
1999 Feb 19-21**	27	8	44	21

*Asked of a half sample.

**WORDING: Arizona Senator John McCain

Rudy Giuliani

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Never heard of</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2005 Jul 25-28	64	19	9	8
2004 Aug 23-25*	65	14	6	15

* Asked of a half sample.

CNN/USA TODAY/GALLUP TRENDS

Hillary Clinton

	Favor- able	Unfavor- able	No opinion		Favor- able	Unfavor- able	No opinion
2005							
2005 Oct 21-23	54	41	5	1998	61	33	6
2005 Jul 25-28	53	43	4	1998 Aug 21-23	60	36	4
2005 May 20-22	55	39	6	1998 Aug 10-12	60	35	5
2005 Feb 25-27	53	41	6	1998 Aug 7-8	60	36	4
2004							
2004 Jul 19-21*	56	38	6	1998 Feb 13-15	64	34	2
2003							
2003 Oct 24-26	51	44	5	1998 Jan 30-Feb 1	61	33	6
2003 Sep 19-21	54	40	6	1998 Jan 24-25	60	35	5
2003 Jun 27-29*	52	44	4	1997			
2003 Jun 9-10	53	43	4	1997 Jan 23-24	60	35	5
2003 Mar 14-15	45	46	9	1997 Dec 18-21	56	38	6
2002							
2002 Dec 16-17	48	46	6	1997 Oct 27-29	61	34	5
2002 Sep 23-26	47	44	9	1997 Jun 26-29	51	42	7
2001							
2001 Aug 3-5	51	44	5	1997 Feb 24-26	51	42	6
2001 Mar 5-7	44	53	3	1997 Jan 31-Feb 2	55	39	6
2001 Feb 19-21	49	44	7	1997 Jan 10-13	56	37	7
2001 Feb 1-4	52	43	5	1996			
2000							
2000 Nov 13-15	56	39	5	1996 Oct 26-29***	49	43	8
2000 Oct 25-28	52	43	5	1996 Aug 28-29**	51	41	8
2000 Aug 4-5	45	50	5	1996 Aug 16-18**	47	48	5
2000 Feb 4-6	55	39	6	1996 Aug 5-7**	48	45	7
1999							
1999 Dec 9-12	48	48	4	1996 Jun 18-19	46	47	6
1999 Sep 23-26	56	40	4	1996 Mar 15-17	47	48	5
1999 Aug 3-4	56	41	3	1996 Jan 12-15	43	51	6
1999 Jul 22-25	62	35	3	1995			
1999 Jun 25-27	56	42	2	1995 Jul 7-9	50	44	6
1999 Mar 5-7	65	31	4	1995 Mar 17-19	49	44	7
1999 Feb 19-21	65	30	5	1995 Jan 16-18	50	44	6
1999 Feb 4-8	66	31	3	1994			
1998							
1998 Dec 28-29	67	29	4	1994 Nov 28-29	50	44	6
1998 Oct 9-12***	63	33	4	1994 Sep 6-7	48	47	5
1998 Sep 14-15	61	33	6	1994 Jul 15-17	48	46	6
				1994 Apr 22-24	56	40	4
				1994 Mar 25-27	52	42	6
				1994 Mar 7-8	55	40	5
				1994 Jan 15-17	57	36	7
				1993			
				1993 Nov 2-4	58	34	8
				1993 Sep 24-26	62	27	11
				1993 Aug 8-10	57	33	10

*Asked of a half sample.
 **Based on likely voters.
 ***Based on registered voters.
 2002-March 2003 WORDING: New York Senator Hillary Rodham Clinton.

BASED ON 379 REGISTERED REPUBLICANS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.

RP1. Please tell me which of the following people you would be most likely to support for the Republican nomination for President in the year 2008. Kansas Senator Sam Brownback, former Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich, former New York City Mayor Rudy Giuliani, former Arkansas Governor Mike Huckabee, California Congressman Duncan Hunter, Arizona Senator John McCain, Texas Congressman Ron Paul, former Massachusetts Governor Mitt Romney, Colorado Congressman Tom Tancredo, or former Tennessee Senator Fred Thompson? (RANDOM ORDER) And who would be your second choice?

	IF GINGRICH WERE NOT IN THE RACE						
	Sep. <u>7-9</u>	Aug. <u>6-8</u>	June <u>22-24</u>	May <u>4-6</u>	Apr. <u>10-12</u>	Mar. <u>9-11</u>	Jan. <u>19-21</u>
Giuliani	28%	29%	31%	25%	30%	38%	35%
F. Thompson	27%	22%	21%	15%	12%	N/A	N/A
McCain	15%	16%	19%	24%	24%	19%	27%
Romney	11%	12%	11%	11%	10%	10%	8%
Huckabee	5%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%
Brownback	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	3%
Tancredo	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
Hunter	1%	*	*	2%	*	*	1%
Paul	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
No opinion	8%	10%	10%	8%	13%	17%	16%

BASED ON 379 REGISTERED REPUBLICANS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.

IF GINGRICH WERE IN THE RACE

	Sep. 7-9 <u>2007</u>	Aug. 6-8 <u>2007</u>	June 22-24 <u>2007</u>	May 4-6 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>	Mar. 9-11 <u>2007</u>	Jan. 19-21 <u>2007</u>
Giuliani	27%	27%	30%	25%	27%	34%	32%
F. Thompson	26%	19%	19%	13%	11%	N/A	N/A
McCain	14%	14%	18%	23%	24%	18%	26%
Romney	10%	11%	9%	10%	10%	9%	7%
Gingrich	6%	12%	8%	9%	8%	9%	9%
Huckabee	4%	2%	2%	3%	*	1%	1%
Tancredo	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
Brownback	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
Hunter	1%	*	*	1%	*	*	1%
Paul	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
No opinion	8%	8%	10%	8%	13%	17%	12%

	Dec. 5-7 <u>2006</u>	Nov. 17-19 <u>2006</u>	Oct. 27-29 <u>2006</u>	Aug.30- Sep. 2 <u>2006</u>
Giuliani	29%	33%	29%	32%
F. Thompson	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
McCain	24%	30%	27%	21%
Romney	6%	9%	7%	6%
Gingrich	13%	9%	12%	12%
Huckabee	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Tancredo	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Brownback	2%	2%	1%	1%
Hunter	1%	2%	N/A	N/A
Paul	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
No opinion	23%	8%	13%	3%

RP3. How satisfied are you with the field of Republican candidates running for President? Are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied, or not satisfied at all?

	Sep. 7-9 <u>2007</u>	May 4-6 <u>2007</u>
Very satisfied	19%	20%
Fairly satisfied	54%	50%
Not very satisfied	19%	21%
Not satisfied at all	6%	5%
No opinion	1%	3%

BASED ON 379 REGISTERED REPUBLICANS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.

RP4. Now I'm going to read you a few phrases which describe the candidates, and for each one, tell me who you think that phrase best describes, regardless of who you are voting for. Please feel free to name a candidate even if you may not be voting for that person. Which Republican candidate do you think:

a. Has the right experience to be president?

	Sep. 7-9 <u>2007</u>	Aug. 6-8 <u>2007</u>
Giuliani	32%	34%
McCain	28%	25%
F. Thompson	18%	13%
Romney	7%	8%
Huckabee	3%	1%
Paul	2%	2%
Brownback	1%	2%
Hunter	*	*
Tancredo	*	*
No opinion	10%	13%

b. Is most likely to bring needed change to the U.S.?

	Sep. 7-9 <u>2007</u>	Aug. 6-8 <u>2007</u>
Giuliani	28%	32%
F. Thompson	27%	18%
McCain	13%	14%
Romney	10%	11%
Huckabee	4%	3%
Paul	2%	2%
Brownback	1%	2%
Tancredo	1%	1%
Hunter	*	*
No opinion	15%	15%

BASED ON 465 REGISTERED DEMOCRATS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5% PTS.

DM1. Please tell me which of the following people you would be most likely to support for the Democratic nomination for President in the year 2008. Delaware Senator Joe Biden, New York Senator Hillary Clinton, Connecticut Senator Christopher Dodd, former North Carolina Senator John Edwards, former Vice President Al Gore, Ohio Congressman Dennis Kucinich, Illinois Senator Barack Obama, New Mexico Governor Bill Richardson, or Former Alaska Senator Mike Gravel? (RANDOM ORDER)

	IF GORE WERE NOT IN THE RACE						
	Sep. <u>7-9</u>	Aug. <u>6-8</u>	June <u>22-24</u>	May <u>4-6</u>	Apr. <u>10-12</u>	Mar. <u>9-11</u>	Jan. <u>19-21</u>
Clinton	46%	44%	43%	41%	36%	44%	37%
Obama	23%	24%	25%	27%	28%	23%	18%
Edwards	16%	16%	17%	14%	15%	14%	16%
Richardson	5%	5%	5%	6%	3%	4%	2%
Kucinich	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Biden	2%	3%	3%	3%	1%	1%	3%
Gravel	1%	*	*	*	N/A	NA	N/A
Dodd	*	*	*	2%	1%	*	1%
No opinion	3%	6%	5%	6%	8%	10%	6%

BASED ON 465 REGISTERED DEMOCRATS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5% PTS.

IF GORE WERE IN THE RACE

	Sep. 7-9 <u>2007</u>	Aug. 6-8 <u>2007</u>	June 22-24 <u>2007</u>	May 4-6 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>	Mar. 9-11 <u>2007</u>	Jan. 19-21 <u>2007</u>
Clinton	39%	40%	35%	38%	30%	37%	34%
Obama	20%	21%	23%	24%	26%	22%	18%
Edwards	15%	13%	13%	12%	12%	12%	15%
Gore	13%	11%	16%	12%	15%	14%	10%
Richardson	4%	5%	4%	5%	3%	3%	2%
Kucinich	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
Biden	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	3%
Gravel	1%	*	*	*	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dodd	*	*	*	2%	1%	*	1%
No opinion	3%	6%	5%	6%	7%	9%	7%

	Dec. 5-7 <u>2006</u>	Nov. 17-19 <u>2006</u>	Oct. 27-29 <u>2006</u>	Aug. 30 Sep. 2 <u>2006</u>
Clinton	37%	33%	28%	38%
Obama	15%	15%	17%	N/A
Edwards	9%	14%	13%	12%
Gore	14%	14%	13%	19%
Richardson	2%	3%	2%	3%
Kucinich	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Biden	2%	3%	2%	3%
Gravel	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dodd	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
No opinion	10%	4%	8%	8%

DM3. How satisfied are you with the field of Democratic candidates running for President? Are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied, or not satisfied at all?

	Sep. 7-9 <u>2007</u>	May 4-6 <u>2007</u>
Very satisfied	38%	38%
Fairly satisfied	47%	46%
Not very satisfied	10%	10%
Not satisfied at all	4%	4%
No opinion	1%	3%

BASED ON 465 REGISTERED DEMOCRATS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5% PTS.

DM4. Now I'm going to read you a few phrases which describe the candidates, and for each one, tell me who you think that phrase best describes, regardless of who you are voting for. Please feel free to name a candidate even if you may not be voting for that person. Which Democratic candidate do you think:

a. Has the right experience to be president?

	Sep. 7-9 <u>2007</u>	Aug. 6-8 <u>2007</u>
Clinton	60%	59%
Edwards	15%	11%
Obama	9%	9%
Richardson	5%	6%
Biden	3%	5%
Gravel	1%	*
Kucinich	1%	*
Dodd	*	1%
No opinion	6%	9%

b. Is most likely to bring needed change to the U.S.?

	Sep. 7-9 <u>2007</u>	Aug. 6-8 <u>2007</u>
Clinton	42%	40%
Obama	30%	27%
Edwards	10%	15%
Kucinich	3%	2%
Richardson	3%	4%
Biden	2%	2%
Dodd	1%	*
Gravel	1%	1%
No opinion	7%	9%

BASED ON 914 REGISTERED VOTERS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 3% PTS.

16/17. If Hillary Clinton were the Democratic Party's candidate and Rudy Giuliani were the Republican Party's candidate, who would you be more likely to vote for -- Clinton, the Democrat, or Giuliani, the Republican? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward? (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Registered Voters</u>	
	<u>Sep. 7-9</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>June 22-24</u> <u>2007</u>
Clinton	50%	49%
Giuliani	46%	48%
Neither (vol.)	3%	3%
Other (vol.)	*	*
No opinion	1%	1%

18/19. If Hillary Clinton were the Democratic Party's candidate and Fred Thompson were the Republican Party's candidate, who would you be more likely to vote for -- Clinton, the Democrat, or Thompson, the Republican? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward? (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Registered Voters</u>	
	<u>Sep. 7-9</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>June 22-24</u> <u>2007</u>
Clinton	55%	50%
Thompson	42%	46%
Neither (vol.)	2%	3%
Other (vol.)	*	1%
No opinion	1%	1%

BASED ON 914 REGISTERED VOTERS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 3% PTS.

20/21. If Barack Obama were the Democratic Party's candidate and Rudy Giuliani were the Republican Party's candidate, who would you be more likely to vote for -- Obama, the Democrat, or Giuliani, the Republican? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward? (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Registered Voters</u>	
	Sep. 7-9	June 22-24
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2007</u>
Giuliani	49%	48%
Obama	45%	46%
Neither (vol.)	5%	3%
Other (vol.)	*	*
No opinion	1%	2%

22/23. If Barack Obama were the Democratic Party's candidate and Fred Thompson were the Republican Party's candidate, who would you be more likely to vote for -- Obama, the Democrat, or Thompson, the Republican? (IF UNSURE:) As of today, who do you lean more toward? (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Registered Voters</u>	
	Sep. 7-9	June 22-24
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2007</u>
Obama	53%	52%
Thompson	41%	40%
Neither (vol.)	5%	4%
Other (vol.)	*	*
No opinion	1%	3%