



Interviews with 1,393 adult Americans, including an oversample of African-Americans, conducted by telephone by Opinion Research Corporation on January 14-17, 2008. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points. The sample also includes 513 interviews among African-Americans (plus or minus 4.5 percentage points) and 743 non-Hispanic whites (plus or minus 3.5 percentage points).

Columns in this document labeled "Whites" show results only for respondents who described themselves as white in a question on racial background and did not describe themselves as Hispanic or Latino in a separate question on ethnicity. Columns in this document labeled "Blacks" refer to all respondents who described themselves as black or African-American regardless of their ethnic background.

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BASED ON 377 REGISTERED REPUBLICANS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 5% PTS.

1. Please tell me which of the following people you would be most likely to support for the Republican nomination for President. 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, or former Tennessee Senator Fred Thompson? (RANDOM ORDER)

Registered Republicans

	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Jan. 9-10 <u>2008</u>	Dec. 6-9 <u>2007</u>	Nov. 2-4 <u>2007</u>
McCain	29%	34%	13%	16%
Huckabee	20%	21%	22%	10%
Romney	19%	14%	16%	11%
Giuliani	14%	18%	24%	28%
Thompson	9%	6%	10%	19%
Paul	6%	5%	6%	5%
Hunter	1%	1%	2%	4%
No opinion	4%	2%	6%	5%

	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	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%	28%	29%	31%	25%	30%	38%	35%
Thompson	19%	27%	22%	21%	15%	12%	N/A	N/A
McCain	17%	15%	16%	19%	24%	24%	19%	27%
Romney	13%	11%	12%	11%	11%	10%	10%	8%
Huckabee	5%	5%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%
Paul	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
No opinion	11%	8%	10%	10%	8%	13%	17%	16%

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2. Do you support that candidate strongly, or only moderately?

	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>
Strongly	40%
Only moderately	60%
No opinion	*

BASED ON 448 REGISTERED DEMOCRATS -- SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5% PTS.

3. Please tell me which of the following people you would be most likely to support for the Democratic nomination for President. New York Senator Hillary Clinton, former North Carolina Senator John Edwards, Ohio Congressman Dennis Kucinich, Illinois Senator Barack Obama, or Former Alaska Senator Mike Gravel? (RANDOM ORDER)

All Registered Democrats

	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Jan. 9-10 <u>2008</u>	Dec. 6-9 <u>2007</u>	Nov. 2-4 <u>2007</u>
Clinton	42%	49%	40%	44%
Obama	33%	36%	30%	25%
Edwards	17%	12%	14%	14%
Kucinich	3%	1%	2%	2%
Gravel	*	*	*	1%
No opinion	4%	2%	4%	5%

	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	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	51%	46%	44%	43%	41%	36%	44%	37%
Obama	21%	23%	24%	25%	27%	28%	23%	18%
Edwards	15%	16%	16%	17%	14%	15%	14%	16%
Kucinich	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Gravel	1%	1%	*	*	*	N/A	NA	N/A
No opinion	7%	3%	6%	5%	6%	8%	10%	6%

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3. Please tell me which of the following people you would be most likely to support for the Democratic nomination for President. New York Senator Hillary Clinton, former North Carolina Senator John Edwards, Ohio Congressman Dennis Kucinich, Illinois Senator Barack Obama, or Former Alaska Senator Mike Gravel? (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>WHITES</u>			<u>BLACKS</u>		
	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>
Clinton	43%	49%	33%	31%	57%	53%
Obama	25%	18%	27%	59%	33%	36%
Edwards	23%	17%	19%	4%	4%	4%
Kucinich	5%	1%	2%	*	*	*
Gravel	*	1%	N/A	*	*	N/A
No opinion	4%	6%	8%	6%	4%	3%

	<u>WHITE MEN</u>			<u>BLACK MEN</u>		
	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>
Clinton	31%	42%	27%	21%	43%	N/A
Obama	29%	16%	27%	74%	46%	N/A
Edwards	29%	23%	18%	2%	5%	N/A
Kucinich	8%	1%	5%	*	*	N/A
Gravel	*	2%	N/A	*	*	N/A
No opinion	3%	4%	8%	3%	5%	N/A

	<u>WHITE WOMEN</u>			<u>BLACK WOMEN</u>		
	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>
Clinton	54%	53%	39%	38%	68%	N/A
Obama	21%	20%	27%	49%	25%	N/A
Edwards	18%	14%	20%	5%	4%	N/A
Kucinich	2%	1%	1%	1%	*	N/A
Gravel	*	1%	N/A	*	*	N/A
No opinion	4%	9%	8%	7%	3%	N/A

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4. Do you support that candidate strongly, or only moderately?

	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>
Strongly	51%
<i>Whites</i>	47%
<i>Blacks</i>	67%
Only moderately	49%
<i>Whites</i>	52%
<i>Blacks</i>	33%
No opinion	*
<i>Whites</i>	*
<i>Blacks</i>	*

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5. Regardless of how you plan to vote, do you think Hillary Clinton understands the problems and concerns of blacks?

	<u>Jan. 14-17, 2008</u>			<u>Apr. 10-12, 2007</u>		
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Whites</u>	<u>Blacks</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Whites</u>	<u>Blacks</u>
Yes	75%	74%	74%	72%	66%	88%
No	21%	22%	23%	20%	24%	10%
No opinion	4%	4%	3%	8%	10%	2%

6. Regardless of how you plan to vote, do you think Barack Obama understands the problems and concerns of blacks?

	<u>Jan. 14-17, 2008</u>			<u>Apr. 10-12, 2007</u>		
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Whites</u>	<u>Blacks</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Whites</u>	<u>Blacks</u>
Yes	79%	79%	82%	70%	70%	77%
No	17%	16%	17%	15%	15%	18%
No opinion	4%	4%	1%	15%	15%	5%

7. Do you think blacks would be better off if Hillary Clinton were elected President in November, or if Barack Obama were elected President in November?

	<u>Jan. 14-17, 2008</u>		
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Whites</u>	<u>Blacks</u>
Obama	39%	40%	42%
Clinton	36%	34%	35%
About the same (vol.)	19%	19%	17%
No opinion	5%	7%	6%

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8. Regardless of how you plan to vote, do you think Hillary Clinton understands the problems and concerns of women?

	<u>Jan. 14-17, 2008</u>				
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Whites</u>	<u>Blacks</u>	<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>
Yes	93%	94%	95%	93%	94%
No	6%	5%	5%	6%	6%
No opinion	1%	1%	*	1%	*

9. Regardless of how you plan to vote, do you think Barack Obama understands the problems and concerns of women?

	<u>Jan. 14-17, 2008</u>				
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Whites</u>	<u>Blacks</u>	<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>
Yes	61%	55%	70%	70%	54%
No	37%	42%	30%	28%	44%
No opinion	2%	3%	*	2%	2%

10. Do you think women would be better off if Hillary Clinton were elected President in November, or if Barack Obama were elected President in November?

	<u>Jan. 14-17, 2008</u>				
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Whites</u>	<u>Blacks</u>	<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>
Clinton	60%	61%	45%	60%	61%
Obama	19%	16%	34%	20%	19%
About the same (vol.)	16%	17%	17%	16%	16%
No opinion	5%	6%	4%	4%	5%

12. How important will each of the following be to your vote for President -- will it be -- extremely important, very important, moderately important, or not that important? (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Extremely Important</u>	<u>Very Important</u>	<u>Moderately Important</u>	<u>Not that Important</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
The economy					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	45%	41%	12%	2%	*
<i>Whites</i>	41%	43%	14%	2%	*
<i>Blacks</i>	59%	32%	7%	1%	1%
The situation in Iraq					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	43%	41%	14%	2%	*
<i>Whites</i>	41%	41%	16%	2%	*
<i>Blacks</i>	59%	29%	5%	7%	*
Terrorism					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	42%	34%	19%	5%	*
<i>Whites</i>	39%	36%	19%	5%	*
<i>Blacks</i>	55%	28%	14%	3%	*
Health care					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	41%	36%	19%	4%	*
<i>Whites</i>	38%	35%	21%	5%	*
<i>Blacks</i>	57%	34%	8%	1%	*
Gas prices					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	36%	34%	21%	8%	*
<i>Whites</i>	33%	34%	23%	10%	*
<i>Blacks</i>	53%	32%	12%	3%	*
The situation in Iran					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	35%	39%	21%	5%	*
<i>Whites</i>	32%	39%	22%	6%	*
<i>Blacks</i>	49%	32%	13%	5%	*
Illegal immigration					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	31%	34%	23%	11%	*
<i>Whites</i>	30%	34%	24%	11%	*
<i>Blacks</i>	33%	29%	25%	12%	1%
Taxes					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	30%	38%	27%	5%	*
<i>Whites</i>	28%	37%	29%	5%	*
<i>Blacks</i>	43%	40%	15%	2%	*

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12. How important will each of the following be to your vote for President -- will it be -- extremely important, very important, moderately important, or not that important? (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Extremely Important</u>	<u>Very Important</u>	<u>Moderately Important</u>	<u>Not that Important</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
Abortion					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	24%	24%	26%	24%	1%
Whites	23%	24%	27%	25%	1%
Blacks	30%	21%	27%	21%	1%
Global warming					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	21%	27%	30%	22%	1%
Whites	18%	24%	32%	25%	1%
Blacks	32%	33%	21%	14%	1%
Race relations					
Jan. 14-17, 2008	17%	27%	33%	23%	*
Whites	12%	26%	37%	25%	*
Blacks	41%	30%	13%	15%	1%

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

	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Jan. 9-10 <u>2008</u>	Dec. 6-9 <u>2007</u>	Nov. 2-4 <u>2007</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Sep. 7-9 <u>2007</u>
Approve	34%	32%	32%	34%	36%	36%
Disapprove	63%	66%	66%	65%	61%	61%
No opinion	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	3%
	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>
Approve	36%	32%	38%	36%	37%	34%
Disapprove	61%	66%	61%	62%	56%	63%
No opinion	3%	3%	1%	1%	7%	3%
	Jan. 11 <u>2006</u>	Dec. 15-17 <u>2006</u>	Dec. 5-7 <u>2006</u>	Nov. 17-19 <u>2006</u>	Nov. 3-5 <u>2006</u>	Oct. 27-29 <u>2006</u>
Approve	35%	36%	37%	38%	35%	37%
Disapprove	62%	62%	57%	59%	61%	58%
No opinion	3%	2%	6%	4%	4%	4%
	Oct. 20-22 <u>2006</u>	Oct. 13-15 <u>2006</u>	Oct. 6-8 <u>2006</u>	Sep. 29-Oct 2 <u>2006</u>	Sep 22-24 <u>2006</u>	Aug 30-Sep 2 <u>2006</u>
Approve	39%	36%	39%	39%	42%	41%
Disapprove	58%	61%	56%	59%	55%	55%
No opinion	3%	3%	5%	2%	3%	4%
	Aug. 18-20 <u>2006</u>	Aug. 2-3 <u>2006</u>	June 14-15 <u>2006</u>	May 16-17 <u>2006</u>	May 5-7 <u>2006</u>	Apr. 21-23 <u>2006</u>
Approve	42%	40%	37%	36%	34%	32%
Disapprove	57%	59%	53%	57%	58%	60%
No opinion	1%	2%	10%	7%	8%	8%

	<u>WHITES</u>			<u>BLACKS</u>		
	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>
Approve	40%	41%	42%	12%	15%	12%
Disapprove	58%	56%	56%	86%	81%	87%
No opinion	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	1%

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	Ap- prove	Disap- prove		Ap- prove	Disap- prove		Ap- prove	Disap- prove
<u>2006</u>								
Mar 10-12	36%	60%	Jul 19-21	49%	47%	Oct 31-Nov 3	63%	29%
Feb 28-Mar 1	38%	60%	Jun 21-23	48%	49%	Oct 21-22	67%	28%
Feb 9-12	39%	56%	May 7-9	46%	51%	Oct 3-6	67%	28%
Jan 20-22	43%	54%	Apr 16-18	52%	45%	Sep 20-22	66%	30%
Jan 6-8	43%	54%	Mar 26-28	53%	44%	Sep 13-16	70%	26%
			Mar 5-7	49%	48%	Sep 2-4	66%	29%
			Feb 16-17	51%	46%	Jul 29-31	71%	23%
<u>2005</u>			Jan 29-Feb 1	49%	48%	Jul 26-28	69%	26%
Dec 16-18	41%	56%	Jan 9-11	59%	38%	Jul 5-8	76%	18%
Dec 9-11	42%	55%	Jan 2-5	60%	35%	Jun 28-30	76%	19%
Nov 11-13	37%	60%				Jun 21-23	73%	21%
Oct 28-30	41%	56%	<u>2003</u>			Jun 7-8	74%	18%
Oct 21-23	42%	55%	Dec 15-16	63%	34%	May 28-29	77%	17%
Sep 16-18	40%	58%	Dec 5-7	55%	43%	Apr 29-May 1	77%	20%
Sep 8-11	46%	51%	Nov 14-16	50%	47%	Apr 5-7	76%	19%
Aug 28-30	45%	52%	Oct 24-26	53%	42%	Mar 22-24	79%	17%
Aug 5-7	45%	51%	Oct 10-12	56%	40%	Mar 8-9	80%	14%
Jul 22-24	49%	48%	Sep 19-21	50%	47%	Mar 1-3	81%	14%
Jun 24-26	45%	53%	Aug 25-26	59%	37%	Feb 8-10	82%	14%
Jun 16-19	47%	51%	Jul 25-27	58%	38%	Jan 25-27	84%	13%
May 20-22	46%	50%	Jun 27-29	61%	36%	Jan 11-14	83%	15%
Apr 29-May 1	48%	49%	Jun 9-10	62%	34%			
Apr 1-2	48%	48%	May 30-Jun 1	64%	32%	<u>2001</u>		
Mar 18-20	52%	44%	Apr 22-23	70%	26%	Dec 14-16	86%	11%
Feb 25-27	52%	45%	Apr 5-6	70%	27%	Nov 26-27	87%	8%
Jan 14-16	51%	46%	Mar 29-30	71%	26%	Nov 2-4	87%	9%
Jan 7-9	52%	44%	Mar 22-23	71%	25%	Oct 19-21	88%	9%
			Mar 14-15	58%	38%	Oct 5-6	87%	10%
<u>2004</u>			Feb 24-26	57%	37%	Sep 21-22	90%	6%
Dec 17-19	49%	46%	Feb 7-9	61%	34%	Sep 14-15	86%	10%
Nov 19-21	55%	42%	Jan 31-Feb 2	61%	35%	Sep 7-10	51%	39%
Oct 29-31	48%	47%	Jan 23-25	60%	36%	Aug 24-26	55%	36%
Oct 22-24	51%	46%	Jan 10-12	58%	37%	Aug 10-12	57%	35%
Oct 14-16	51%	47%	Jan 3-5	63%	32%	Aug 3-5	55%	35%
Oct 9-10	47%	49%				Jul 10-11	57%	35%
Oct 1-3	50%	48%	<u>2002</u>			Jun 8-10	55%	35%
Sep 24-26	54%	44%	Dec 16-17	63%	33%	May 18-20	56%	36%
Sep 3-5	52%	46%	Dec 9-10	63%	32%	Apr 20-22	62%	29%
Aug 23-25	49%	47%	Nov 22-24	65%	28%	Mar 9-11	58%	29%
Jul 30-Aug 1	48%	49%	Nov 8-10	68%	27%	Feb 9-11	57%	

14. Do you favor or oppose the U.S. war in Iraq?

	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
Jan. 14-17, 2008	34%	63%	3%
Jan. 9-10, 2008	33%	65%	3%
Dec. 6-9, 2007	31%	68%	1%
Nov. 2-4, 2007	31%	68%	1%
Oct. 12-14, 2007	34%	65%	2%
September 7-9, 2007	34%	63%	4%
August 6-8, 2007	33%	64%	3%
June 22-24, 2007	30%	67%	3%
May 4-6, 2007	34%	65%	1%
April 10-12, 2007	32%	66%	2%
March 9-11, 2007	32%	63%	4%
January 11, 2007	31%	67%	2%
December 15-17, 2006	31%	67%	2%
November 17-19, 2006	33%	63%	4%
November 3-5, 2006	33%	61%	6%
October 27-29, 2006	38%	59%	3%
October 20-22, 2006	34%	64%	3%
October 13-15, 2006	34%	64%	2%
October 6-8, 2006	32%	62%	7%
Sep. 29-October 2, 2006	38%	61%	1%
September 22-24, 2006	40%	59%	1%
August 30-Sep. 2, 2006	39%	58%	2%
August 18-20, 2006	35%	61%	3%
August 2-3, 2006	36%	60%	3%
June 14-15, 2006	38%	54%	8%

	<u>WHITES</u>			<u>BLACKS</u>		
	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>	Jan. 14-17 <u>2008</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Apr. 10-12 <u>2007</u>
Favor	42%	40%	40%	8%	16%	9%
Oppose	55%	59%	58%	91%	83%	91%
No opinion	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	*

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	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2006 Feb 9-12 *	40	56	4
2005 Jun 16-19	39	59	2
2005 Mar 18-20*	47	47	6
2004 Nov 19-21*	48	46	6
2003 Oct 24-26	54	43	3
2003 Apr 22-23	71	26	3
2003 Apr 10	72	22	6
2003 Apr 7-8	68	28	4
2003 Apr 5-6	70	27	3
2003 Mar 29-30	70	27	3
2003 Mar 24-25	71	27	2
2003 Mar 22-23	72	25	3

Would you favor or oppose invading Iraq with U.S. ground troops in an attempt to remove Saddam Hussein from power?

	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2003 Mar 14-15*	64	33	3
2003 Mar 3-5	59	37	4
2003 Feb 24-26	59	37	4
2003 Feb 17-19	59	38	3
2003 Feb 7-9	63	34	3
2003 Jan 31-Feb 2	58	38	4
2003 Jan 23-24	52	43	5
2003 Jan 10-12	56	38	6
2003 Jan 3-5*	56	39	5
2002 Dec. 19-22*	53	38	9
2002 Dec 16-17*	58	35	7
2002 Dec 9-10	55	39	6
2002 Nov 22-24	58	37	5
2002 Nov 8-10	59	35	6
2002 Oct 21-22	54	40	6
2002 Oct 14-17*	56	37	7
2002 Oct 3-6	53	40	7
2002 Sept 20-22*	57	38	5

Would you favor or oppose sending American ground troops to the Persian Gulf in an attempt to remove Saddam Hussein from power in Iraq?

2002 Sept 13-16	57	39	4
2002 Sept 5-8*	58	36	6
2002 Sept 2-4	58	36	6
2002 Aug 19-21	53	41	6
2002 June 17-19*	61	31	8

Would you favor or oppose sending American troops back to the Persian Gulf in order to remove Saddam Hussein from power in Iraq?

2001 Nov 26-27	74	20	6
2001 Feb 19-21	52	42	6
1993 June 29-30	70	27	3
1992 Mar 30-Apr 5	55	40	5

15. In general, how would you say things are going for the U.S. in Iraq -- very well, moderately well, moderately badly or very badly?

	<u>Very Well</u>	<u>Moderately Well</u>	<u>Moderately Badly</u>	<u>Very Badly</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>	<u>Total Well</u>	<u>Total Badly</u>
Jan. 14-17, 2008	8%	38%	31%	23%	1%	46%	54%
Nov. 2-4, 2007	5%	29%	31%	34%	*	34%	65%
Oct. 12-14, 2007	6%	29%	27%	37%	1%	35%	64%
June 22-24, 2007	4%	26%	25%	44%	1%	30%	69%
April 10-12, 2007	4%	24%	30%	39%	3%	28%	69%
March 9-11, 2007	3%	26%	32%	35%	4%	29%	67%
Sept. 29-Oct. 2, 2006	6%	32%	30%	32%	*	38%	62%
September 22-24, 2006	6%	32%	28%	33%	2%	38%	61%
June 14-15, 2006	7%	34%	29%	26%	4%	41%	55%
June 8-11, 2006	5%	38%	31%	23%	3%	43%	54%

	<u>WHITES</u>			<u>BLACKS</u>		
	<u>Jan. 14-17 2008</u>	<u>Oct. 12-14 2007</u>	<u>Apr. 10-12 2007</u>	<u>Jan. 14-17 2008</u>	<u>Oct. 12-14 2007</u>	<u>Apr. 10-12 2007</u>
Very well	9%	6%	4%	1%	4%	2%
Moderately well	42%	34%	28%	16%	12%	9%
Moderately badly	31%	30%	31%	33%	20%	29%
Very badly	17%	29%	44%	49%	64%	59%
No opinion	*	1%	3%	1%	*	1%

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	<u>Very well</u>	<u>Moder- ately well</u>	<u>Moder- ately badly</u>	<u>Very badly</u>	<u>No opinion</u>	<u>Total well</u>	<u>Total badly</u>
2006 Mar 10-12	6	32	32	28	1	38	60
2006 Jan 6-8	8	38	32	21	1	46	53
2005 Oct 21-23	7	35	29	28	1	42	57
2005 Aug 5-7	5	38	28	28	1	43	56
2005 Apr 29-May 1	6	36	31	25	2	42	56
2005 Mar 18-20	8	44	24	21	3	52	45
2005 Feb 4-6	13	40	28	18	1	53	46
2005 Jan 7-9	5	35	29	30	1	40	59
2004 Dec 5-8	6	34	26	33	1	40	59
2004 Sep 24-26	4	42	27	25	2	46	52
2004 Aug 9-11*	5	40	28	25	2	45	53
2004 Jul 8-11	5	35	30	29	1	40	59
2004 Jun 3-6	6	34	35	25	*	40	60
2004 May 21-23	7	35	26	31	1	42	57
2004 May 2-4	4	33	32	30	1	37	62
2004 Apr 5-8	5	30	31	33	1	35	64
2004 Mar 5-7	9	46	28	15	2	55	43
2003 Nov 3-5**	4	34	34	27	1	38	61
2003 Oct 6-8 **	6	36	34	24	*	42	56
2003 Sep 8-10**	6	41	31	21	1	47	52
2003 Aug 25-26**	6	44	30	19	1	50	49
2003 Jul 25-27**	10	46	28	15	1	56	43
2003 Jul 18-20**	6	48	30	15	1	54	45
2003 Jun 27-29**	5	51	29	13	2	56	42
2003 May 30-Jun 1**	11	59	22	7	1	70	29
2003 May 5-7**	30	56	10	3	1	86	13
2003 Apr 22-23**	21	64	12	2	1	85	14

*Asked of a half sample.

**WORDING: How would you say things are going for the U.S. in Iraq now that the major fighting has ended – very well, moderately well, moderately badly, or very badly?

16. How would you rate the economic conditions in the country today -- as very good, somewhat good, somewhat poor, or very poor?

	<u>Jan. 14-17, 2008</u>							
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Whites</u>	<u>Blacks</u>					
Very good	4%	5%	2%					
Somewhat good	36%	37%	30%					
Somewhat poor	40%	41%	43%					
Very poor	19%	17%	25%					
No opinion	*	*	*					
	<u>Dec. 6-9</u>	<u>Sep. 7-9</u>						
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2007</u>						
Very good	6%	9%						
Somewhat good	40%	45%						
Somewhat poor	33%	28%						
Very poor	21%	17%						
No opinion	1%	*						
	<u>Aug. 6-8</u>	<u>May 4-6</u>	<u>Mar. 9-11</u>	<u>Jan. 19-21</u>	<u>Nov. 3-5</u>			
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>			
Very good	11%	18%	10%	15%	8%			
Somewhat good	45%	43%	42%	48%	41%			
Somewhat poor	26%	25%	31%	23%	32%			
Very poor	17%	14%	15%	13%	18%			
No opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%			
	<u>Oct. 27-29</u>	<u>Sep. 22-24</u>	<u>Aug.30-Sep. 2</u>	<u>Jun. 14-15</u>	<u>May 7-9</u>			
	<u>2006</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2006</u>			
Very good	13%	12%	9%	9%	10%			
Somewhat good	49%	47%	35%	42%	42%			
Somewhat poor	24%	26%	34%	31%	26%			
Very poor	13%	15%	22%	16%	21%			
No opinion	1%	*	*	2%	1%			

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	<u>Very good</u>	<u>Some- what good</u>	<u>Some- what poor</u>	<u>Very poor</u>	<u>No opinion</u>	<u>Total good</u>	<u>Total poor</u>
2006 Mar 10-12	13	46	26	15	*	59	41
2005 Sep 8-11*	7	46	34	13	*	53	47
2005 Apr 29-May 1	5	45	33	16	1	50	49
2004 Dec 17-19	8	45	28	19	*	53	47
2004 Jan 29-Feb 1	5	47	28	19	1	52	47
2003 Dec 5-7	7	50	30	12	1	57	42
2003 Oct 10-12	4	40	37	19	*	44	56
2003 Mar 14-15	2	33	39	25	1	35	64
2003 Feb 24-26	3	31	43	22	1	34	65
2002 Dec 9-10	3	41	41	14	1	44	55
2002 Oct 21-22	3	38	42	16	1	41	58
2002 Sep 20-22	5	49	35	11	*	54	46
2002 Jul 26-28	5	46	37	12	*	51	49
2002 Jun 28-30	5	53	33	9	*	58	42
2002 Apr 5-7	6	55	30	9	*	61	39
2002 Jan 11-14	7	50	32	10	1	57	42
2001 Dec 14-16	5	45	37	12	1	50	49
2001 Sep 21-22	7	50	34	8	1	57	42
2001 Apr 20-22	10	57	25	7	1	67	32
2001 Feb 9-11	16	64	16	3	1	80	19
2001 Jan 15-16	24	58	14	4	*	82	18
2000 Jun 6-7	39	46	9	5	1	85	14
2000 Mar 10-12	42	44	10	3	1	86	13
1999 Jun 25-27	34	50	10	6	*	84	16
1999 Jan 8-10	41	48	8	3	*	89	11
1998 Jul 7-8	29	50	15	5	1	79	20
1998 Jan 25-26	24	57	14	4	1	81	18
1998 Jan 24-25	24	57	13	5	1	81	19
1998 Jan 23-24	24	57	15	4	*	81	19
1997 Oct 27-29	24	55	15	4	2	79	19
1997 Aug 22-25	17	52	21	9	1	69	30

*Asked of a half sample.

- 17A. Would you like to see the number of illegal immigrants currently in this country increased, decreased, or remain the same?
- 17B. (IF DECREASED) Would you like to see the number of illegal immigrants decreased only a little, decreased a lot, or would you like to see all illegal immigrants who are currently in the country removed from the U.S.?

QUESTION 17A ONLY

	<u>Increased</u>	Remain the <u>same</u>	<u>Decreased</u>	No <u>Opinion</u>
Jan. 14-17, 2008	5%	29%	65%	1%
<i>Whites</i>	3%	25%	72%	1%
<i>Blacks</i>	6%	45%	48%	1%
Oct. 12-14, 2007	7%	22%	69%	2%
<i>Whites</i>	3%	19%	77%	2%
<i>Blacks</i>	14%	27%	57%	2%
Oct. 20-22, 2006	5%	27%	67%	1%
June 8-11, 2006	2%	26%	67%	6%

QUESTION 17A AND 17B COMBINED

	<u>Increased</u>	Remain the <u>same</u>	Decreased a <u>little</u>	Decreased <u>a lot</u>	Remove <u>all</u>	No <u>Opinion</u>
Jan. 14-17, 2008	5%	29%	15%	23%	26%	2%
<i>Whites</i>	3%	25%	14%	27%	30%	1%
<i>Blacks</i>	6%	45%	15%	12%	20%	2%
Oct. 12-14, 2007	7%	22%	16%	22%	30%	3%
<i>Whites</i>	3%	19%	15%	26%	35%	2%
<i>Blacks</i>	14%	27%	21%	16%	19%	3%
Oct. 20-22, 2006	5%	27%	16%	22%	28%	2%
June 8-11, 2006	2%	26%	15%	18%	34%	6%

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18. How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting for President this year -- extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic?

	<u>Jan. 14-17, 2008</u>				
	<u>All Voters</u>	<u>Registered Democrats</u>	<u>Registered Republicans</u>	<u>White Voters</u>	<u>Black Voters</u>
Extremely enthusiastic	37%	41%	33%	35%	43%
Very enthusiastic	26%	27%	24%	25%	29%
Somewhat enthusiastic	24%	22%	29%	27%	18%
Not too enthusiastic	8%	6%	9%	9%	7%
Not at all enthusiastic	4%	3%	5%	4%	3%
No opinion	*	*	*	*	*

	<u>June 22-24, 2007</u>		
	<u>All Voters</u>	<u>Registered Democrats</u>	<u>Registered Republicans</u>
Extremely enthusiastic	26%	28%	27%
Very enthusiastic	28%	32%	25%
Somewhat enthusiastic	27%	27%	27%
Not too enthusiastic	13%	9%	16%
Not at all enthusiastic	6%	4%	6%
No opinion	*	*	*

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	<u>Extremely</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>Some-what</u>	<u>Not too</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
<u>REGISTERED VOTERS</u>						
2004 Oct 14-16	36	34	17	8	4	1
2004 Sep 3-5	32	32	23	9	4	*
2004 Aug 23-25	34	30	22	6	7	1
2004 Jul 30-Aug 1	34	31	25	6	4	*
2004 Jul 19-21	28	33	21	13	4	1
2003 Oct 24-26 *	19	34	31	11	4	1
<u>Republicans</u>						
2004 Oct 14-16	35	42	15	6	2	*
2004 Sep 3-5	31	39	21	6	3	*
2004 Aug 23-25	33	27	24	7	9	*
2004 Jul 30-Aug 1	35	28	25	7	5	*
2004 Jul 19-21	27	33	24	13	3	*
2003 Oct 24-26 *	19	39	32	7	2	1
<u>Democrats</u>						
2004 Oct 14-16	38	27	19	8	7	1
2004 Sep 3-5 †	31	26	23	10	10	*
2004 Aug 23-25	31	32	25	8	3	1
2004 Jul 30-Aug 1	33	32	22	8	5	*
2004 Jul 19-21	26	31	21	13	7	2
2003 Oct 24-26*	19	29	31	16	5	*

* WORDING: How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting for president in next year's election -- extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic?

19. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree that each of the following candidates has the personality and leadership qualities a President should have. (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Agree, Has qualities</u>	<u>Disagree, Does Not</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
Hillary Clinton			
<i>All Adults</i>	56%	42%	2%
<i>Whites</i>	48%	50%	2%
<i>Blacks</i>	85%	14%	1%
Barack Obama			
<i>All Adults</i>	59%	38%	3%
<i>Whites</i>	52%	45%	3%
<i>Blacks</i>	82%	17%	1%
John McCain			
<i>All Adults</i>	59%	38%	3%
<i>Whites</i>	64%	33%	3%
<i>Blacks</i>	42%	57%	1%
Rudy Giuliani			
<i>All Adults</i>	41%	56%	2%
<i>Whites</i>	42%	55%	3%
<i>Blacks</i>	32%	66%	2%
Mike Huckabee			
<i>All Adults</i>	37%	58%	5%
<i>Whites</i>	42%	53%	5%
<i>Blacks</i>	29%	68%	3%
Mitt Romney			
<i>All Adults</i>	40%	54%	6%
<i>Whites</i>	43%	50%	7%
<i>Blacks</i>	29%	67%	4%

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19. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree that each of the following candidates has the personality and leadership qualities a President should have. (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Agree, Has qualities</u>	<u>Disagree, Does Not</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
Hillary Clinton			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	55%	43%	1%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	83%	17%	*
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	23%	77%	1%
Barack Obama			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	59%	38%	2%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	76%	23%	2%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	40%	59%	1%
John McCain			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	60%	38%	2%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	54%	44%	2%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	66%	33%	1%
Rudy Giuliani			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	41%	57%	2%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	31%	67%	1%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	54%	45%	2%
Mike Huckabee			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	38%	58%	4%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	28%	68%	4%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	51%	46%	3%
Mitt Romney			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	40%	53%	6%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	26%	66%	7%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	58%	38%	4%

20. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following candidates on the issues that matter most to you. (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Agree</u>	<u>Disagree</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
Hillary Clinton			
<i>All Adults</i>	51%	47%	2%
<i>Whites</i>	44%	54%	2%
<i>Blacks</i>	83%	16%	1%
Barack Obama			
<i>All Adults</i>	54%	43%	3%
<i>Whites</i>	47%	49%	3%
<i>Blacks</i>	83%	16%	2%
John McCain			
<i>All Adults</i>	51%	47%	2%
<i>Whites</i>	55%	43%	2%
<i>Blacks</i>	33%	65%	2%
Rudy Giuliani			
<i>All Adults</i>	37%	61%	3%
<i>Whites</i>	38%	59%	3%
<i>Blacks</i>	20%	78%	2%
Mike Huckabee			
<i>All Adults</i>	38%	57%	5%
<i>Whites</i>	43%	52%	5%
<i>Blacks</i>	21%	75%	5%
Mitt Romney			
<i>All Adults</i>	35%	59%	6%
<i>Whites</i>	38%	56%	7%
<i>Blacks</i>	26%	70%	4%

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20. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following candidates on the issues that matter most to you. (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>Agree</u>	<u>Disagree</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
Hillary Clinton			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	51%	47%	2%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	82%	17%	1%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	14%	85%	1%
Barack Obama			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	53%	44%	3%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	73%	26%	1%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	30%	68%	2%
John McCain			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	50%	48%	2%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	39%	60%	1%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	63%	36%	1%
Rudy Giuliani			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	36%	62%	3%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	23%	76%	2%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	53%	45%	1%
Mike Huckabee			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	38%	58%	4%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	20%	76%	4%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	59%	39%	2%
Mitt Romney			
<i>All Registered Voters</i>	36%	58%	6%
<i>Registered Democrats</i>	19%	75%	5%
<i>Registered Republicans</i>	57%	39%	4%

21. Which of the following do you think will be most important to you when you decide whom to vote for – where the candidates stand on issues that matter to you, or the leadership skills and vision you think the candidates would have as president?

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	<u>Total</u>	<u>Whites</u>	<u>Blacks</u>
Stance on the issues	38%	39%	27%
Leadership skills/vision	44%	44%	53%
Both equally (vol.)	16%	15%	19%
Neither (vol.)	1%	1%	1%
No opinion	*	*	1%

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2007

Stance on the issues	40%
Leadership skills and vision	48%
Both equally (vol.)	11%
Neither (vol.)	*
No opinion	1%

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	<u>Stance on the issues</u>	<u>Leadership skills and vision</u>	<u>Both equally_ (vol.)</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
<u>REGISTERED VOTERS</u>					
2004 Oct 22-24	40	47	11	1	1
2004 Oct 1-3	40	45	13	*	2
2004 Sep 24-26	36	47	15	*	2
2004 Sep 3-5	39	47	11	1	2
2004 Jan 2-5	42	50	7	*	1
2000 Oct 20-22	43	38	15	1	3
2000 Sep 28-30	45	34	15	2	4
2000 Sep 11-13	46	36	13	1	4
2000 Sep 10-12	48	34	13	1	4
2000 Sep 9-11	48	33	15	*	4
2000 Sep 8-10	49	33	14	1	3
2000 Sep 7-9	46	34	15	1	4
2000 Aug 18-19	43	39	16	1	1
2000 Aug 11-12	45	37	15	1	2
2000 Jul 25-26	39	40	18	1	2
2000 Mar 10-12	37	50	10	1	2
2000 Feb 25-27	41	48	10	*	1
2000 Feb 4-6	40	46	12	*	2
2000 Jan 17-19	36	46	16	*	2
2000 Jan 13-16	35	51	11	1	2
2000 Jan 7-10	38	50	10	1	1

SAMPLING ERRORS

	N	Sampling Error
ALL REGISTERED VOTERS	898	+/- 3.5% pts
ALL REGISTERED DEMOCRATS	448	+/-4.5% pts
ALL REGISTERED REPUBLICANS	377	+/-5% pts
MALE REGISTERED DEMOCRATS	203	+/- 7% pts
FEMALE REGISTERED DEMOCRATS	245	+/- 6.5% pts
WHITE REGISTERED DEMOCRATS	288	+/- 6% pts
BLACK REGISTERED DEMOCRATS	383	+/- 5% pts
WHITE MALE REGISTERED DEMOCRATS	137	+/- 8.5% pts
BLACK MALE REGISTERED DEMOCRATS	153	+/- 8% pts
WHITE FEMALE REGISTERED DEMOCRATS	151	+/- 8% pts
BLACK FEMALE REGISTERED DEMOCRATS	230	+/- 6.5% pts