

The Economist/YouGov Poll

Week 25 Fieldwork: 20th - 21th May 2008

Full set of tracker and topical questions on the presidential candidates

Sample: 1,000 adult Americans

Margin of error: +/-4%

The margin of error measures only sampling variability, and does not adjust for other types of non- sampling error, such as non-response, panel participation, and misreporting.

The following tables show data from The Economist/YouGov poll, which will track popular opinion ahead of America's presidential election on November 4th 2008. Polling is carried out by YouGov/Polimetrix for publication in The Economist, and on Economist.com every Thursday at www.economist.com/yougov. Topical questions are set by The Economist in consultation with YouGov/Polimetrix.

Who would you like to be the Democratic nominee for President?

	Tables																		
	Party			Ideology			Gender		Age Group				Race			Income			
	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Male	Fem	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hisp	<50	50-99	>100	
TOTAL																			
Base: Valid Cases	708	343	0	365	177	349	94	307	401	157	192	292	67	510	97	99	376	168	88
Hillary Clinton	256 36%	142 41%	0 0%	113 31%	55 31%	135 38%	36 38%	85 28%	170 42%	51 32%	62 32%	123 42%	20 30%	199 39%	9 10%	47 47%	148 39%	56 33%	24 28%
Barack Obama	315 45%	164 48%	0 0%	151 41%	111 63%	147 42%	27 29%	175 57%	141 35%	85 54%	95 49%	102 35%	33 49%	200 39%	74 76%	39 40%	148 39%	77 46%	55 62%
Not sure	137 19%	36 11%	0 0%	101 28%	10 6%	68 19%	30 33%	47 15%	90 23%	21 13%	35 18%	67 23%	14 22%	111 22%	14 14%	13 13%	79 21%	35 21%	9 10%

If the next election for President were held today and the Democratic candidate were Hillary Clinton and the Republican candidate were John McCain, for whom would you vote?

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Base: Valid Cases	994	343	284	367	184	436	280	463	531	217	268	403	105	768	109	116	495	243	148
Hillary Clinton	443 45%	288 84%	14 5%	141 38%	152 83%	218 50%	29 10%	185 40%	258 49%	99 45%	118 44%	183 45%	43 41%	305 40%	65 60%	72 62%	235 48%	101 42%	55 37%
John McCain	402 40%	25 7%	244 86%	133 36%	15 8%	140 32%	218 78%	219 47%	183 34%	75 34%	111 41%	165 41%	51 49%	363 47%	10 9%	29 25%	152 31%	120 49%	81 55%
Not sure	149 15%	30 9%	26 9%	93 25%	17 9%	78 18%	33 12%	59 13%	90 17%	44 20%	40 15%	54 14%	11 10%	100 13%	33 31%	15 13%	107 22%	22 9%	11 8%

If, instead, the Democratic candidate were Barack Obama and the Republican candidate were John McCain, for whom would you vote?

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TOTAL	998	343	288	367	184	441	280	463	535	217	268	407	106	772	109	116	495	247	148
<u>Base: Valid Cases</u>																			
Barack Obama	430	242	33	155	141	223	35	200	230	100	121	164	45	286	87	56	222	95	67
	43%	71%	11%	42%	77%	51%	12%	43%	43%	46%	45%	40%	43%	37%	80%	48%	45%	39%	45%
John McCain	412	45	236	131	16	151	219	215	196	78	109	177	48	378	3	31	163	126	70
	41%	13%	82%	36%	9%	34%	78%	47%	37%	36%	41%	43%	45%	49%	3%	27%	33%	51%	47%
Not sure	156	56	20	81	26	67	27	48	109	39	39	66	13	109	18	29	109	26	11
	16%	16%	7%	22%	14%	15%	9%	10%	20%	18%	14%	16%	12%	14%	17%	25%	22%	10%	8%

If the Democratic candidate for President in November was Hillary Clinton and the Republican candidate was John McCain, who do you think would win?

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Base: Valid Cases	994	340	288	366	182	440	279	460	534	216	267	405	106	770	108	115	494	246	148
Hillary Clinton would probably win the election	301 30%	189 56%	21 7%	91 25%	89 49%	155 35%	35 13%	146 32%	156 29%	64 30%	66 25%	137 34%	34 32%	207 27%	45 42%	48 42%	164 33%	70 28%	35 24%
The election would be very close	268 27%	84 25%	75 26%	110 30%	53 29%	131 30%	73 26%	121 26%	147 28%	52 24%	82 31%	103 25%	30 29%	231 30%	19 18%	18 15%	118 24%	78 32%	43 29%
John McCain would probably win the election	320 32%	43 13%	177 61%	100 27%	25 14%	113 26%	152 55%	167 36%	153 29%	69 32%	91 34%	126 31%	33 32%	262 34%	26 24%	31 27%	132 27%	83 34%	64 43%
Not sure	105 11%	25 7%	15 5%	65 18%	15 8%	41 9%	19 7%	27 6%	79 15%	31 14%	28 11%	39 10%	8 7%	70 9%	18 16%	18 15%	80 16%	15 6%	6 4%

If instead the Democratic candidate was Barack Obama and the Republican candidate was John McCain, who do you think would win?

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<u>Base: Valid Cases</u>	995	342	287	366	184	438	280	462	534	217	267	406	105	771	109	115	494	247	147
Barack Obama would probably win the election	379 38%	202 59%	44 15%	133 36%	120 65%	180 41%	50 18%	190 41%	189 35%	90 41%	109 41%	145 36%	35 33%	250 32%	75 69%	53 46%	184 37%	95 39%	54 37%
The election would be very close	213 21%	55 16%	73 26%	85 23%	28 15%	97 22%	74 26%	90 20%	123 23%	47 21%	54 20%	82 20%	30 29%	188 24%	13 12%	13 11%	103 21%	57 23%	39 27%
John McCain would probably win the election	289 29%	57 17%	150 52%	81 22%	25 14%	113 26%	137 49%	154 33%	135 25%	49 22%	72 27%	138 34%	31 29%	251 33%	8 7%	30 26%	120 24%	79 32%	46 32%
Not sure	114 11%	28 8%	20 7%	66 18%	11 6%	47 11%	20 7%	27 6%	87 16%	32 15%	33 12%	40 10%	9 8%	82 11%	14 13%	19 16%	86 17%	16 6%	7 5%

Which of these is the most important issue for you?

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<u>Base: Valid Cases</u>	991	341	288	362	184	436	280	459	532	213	265	408	105	765	108	116	493	244	148
The war in Iraq	118 12%	50 15%	35 12%	32 9%	34 18%	46 10%	23 8%	61 13%	57 11%	30 14%	24 9%	47 11%	17 16%	86 11%	17 16%	15 13%	48 10%	29 12%	24 16%
The economy	441 45%	167 49%	106 37%	168 47%	82 44%	218 50%	104 37%	214 47%	227 43%	107 50%	121 46%	168 41%	45 43%	331 43%	57 52%	53 46%	229 46%	116 48%	52 35%
Immigration	78 8%	3 1%	47 16%	28 8%	2 1%	21 5%	55 20%	44 10%	34 6%	13 6%	21 8%	33 8%	12 11%	72 9%	1 1%	4 4%	23 5%	27 11%	19 13%
The Environment and global warming	36 4%	16 5%	2 1%	19 5%	12 7%	20 5%	1 0%	15 3%	21 4%	8 4%	15 6%	12 3%	1 1%	25 3%	3 3%	8 7%	19 4%	7 3%	6 4%
Terrorism	86 9%	3 1%	61 21%	22 6%	2 1%	26 6%	54 19%	49 11%	37 7%	11 5%	29 11%	37 9%	9 9%	76 10%	1 1%	8 7%	26 5%	28 11%	20 13%
Gay Rights	27 3%	14 4%	2 1%	11 3%	16 9%	5 1%	4 2%	11 2%	16 3%	16 8%	10 4%	2 0%	0 0%	23 3%	1 1%	3 3%	13 3%	5 2%	4 3%
Education	38 4%	8 2%	9 3%	21 6%	5 3%	18 4%	10 3%	10 2%	28 5%	11 5%	16 6%	10 2%	2 2%	30 4%	3 3%	4 3%	23 5%	6 2%	8 5%
Health care	105 11%	54 16%	14 5%	37 10%	27 14%	57 13%	12 4%	39 8%	66 12%	13 6%	22 8%	63 15%	7 7%	75 10%	19 18%	11 9%	70 14%	16 7%	11 7%
Social Security	61 6%	25 7%	12 4%	24 7%	4 2%	26 6%	17 6%	16 3%	46 9%	3 2%	8 3%	38 9%	12 11%	46 6%	5 5%	10 9%	42 9%	10 4%	4 3%

Would you say things in this country today are...

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<u>Base: Valid Cases</u>	998	345	287	366	184	442	278	463	535	217	267	408	106	771	110	116	495	246	148
Generally headed in the right direction	136 14%	18 5%	78 27%	40 11%	13 7%	50 11%	67 24%	75 16%	61 11%	28 13%	35 13%	57 14%	16 15%	112 15%	6 5%	18 16%	62 13%	27 11%	33 22%
Off on the wrong track	766 77%	300 87%	174 61%	291 80%	162 88%	350 79%	179 64%	350 76%	415 78%	169 78%	204 77%	317 78%	76 72%	584 76%	95 87%	86 74%	376 76%	195 79%	106 72%
Not sure	96 10%	27 8%	35 12%	34 9%	9 5%	42 10%	32 11%	38 8%	58 11%	21 9%	28 10%	34 8%	14 13%	75 10%	9 8%	12 10%	57 11%	24 10%	9 6%

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

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	TOTAL	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Male	Fem	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hisp	<50	50-99	>100
<u>Base: Valid Cases</u>	999	344	288	367	184	442	280	463	536	217	268	409	106	772	110	116	496	248	148
Strongly Approve	67 7%	4 1%	49 17%	14 4%	2 1%	16 4%	45 16%	27 6%	40 7%	7 3%	20 7%	30 7%	10 10%	60 8%	0 0%	7 6%	31 6%	21 8%	10 7%
Somewhat Approve	231 23%	9 3%	151 52%	72 19%	6 3%	81 18%	140 50%	130 28%	101 19%	45 21%	55 20%	108 26%	24 23%	208 27%	7 6%	17 15%	98 20%	70 28%	44 30%
Somewhat Disapprove	143 14%	37 11%	47 16%	59 16%	16 8%	63 14%	47 17%	49 11%	94 18%	32 15%	46 17%	51 12%	14 13%	107 14%	13 12%	23 20%	89 18%	28 11%	18 12%
Strongly Disapprove	529 53%	289 84%	38 13%	202 55%	156 85%	271 61%	44 16%	252 55%	277 52%	126 58%	141 53%	207 51%	56 53%	377 49%	84 76%	67 58%	260 53%	122 49%	75 51%
Not Sure	28 3%	5 2%	3 1%	20 6%	4 2%	12 3%	5 2%	4 1%	24 4%	7 3%	6 2%	13 3%	2 1%	20 3%	6 5%	2 2%	18 4%	7 3%	0 0%

Overall, do you approve of the way that the Democrats in the United States Congress are handling their job?

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Base: Valid Cases	996	341	288	367	184	439	280	463	533	217	268	406	106	769	110	116	496	248	148
Strongly Approve	51 5%	37 11%	4 1%	10 3%	16 8%	22 5%	8 3%	26 6%	25 5%	9 4%	10 4%	30 7%	3 2%	32 4%	6 5%	13 12%	34 7%	7 3%	6 4%
Somewhat Approve	252 25%	148 44%	33 11%	71 19%	80 43%	129 29%	31 11%	111 24%	140 26%	60 28%	75 28%	91 22%	25 24%	166 22%	52 47%	34 29%	124 25%	73 29%	32 21%
Somewhat Disapprove	239 24%	87 26%	53 18%	98 27%	52 28%	129 29%	39 14%	106 23%	133 25%	43 20%	69 26%	93 23%	34 32%	187 24%	25 22%	26 22%	131 26%	42 17%	47 32%
Strongly Disapprove	324 33%	30 9%	178 62%	116 32%	18 10%	103 23%	181 65%	198 43%	127 24%	60 28%	74 28%	148 37%	42 39%	291 38%	14 12%	19 16%	123 25%	96 39%	58 39%
Not Sure	131 13%	38 11%	21 7%	73 20%	19 10%	56 13%	20 7%	22 5%	109 20%	45 21%	40 15%	44 11%	2 2%	94 12%	14 13%	24 20%	84 17%	30 12%	6 4%

Would you say Barack Obama is...

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Base: Valid Cases	998	343	288	367	184	442	280	463	536	217	268	409	105	771	110	116	495	248	148
Very liberal	337 34%	54 16%	182 63%	101 27%	37 20%	112 25%	184 66%	208 45%	128 24%	69 32%	77 29%	145 36%	45 43%	289 38%	12 11%	36 31%	121 24%	105 42%	71 48%
Somewhat liberal	218 22%	100 29%	41 14%	77 21%	71 38%	107 24%	34 12%	107 23%	111 21%	50 23%	65 24%	78 19%	25 24%	167 22%	35 32%	15 13%	95 19%	62 25%	35 24%
Moderate	200 20%	103 30%	18 6%	78 21%	39 21%	126 29%	19 7%	86 18%	114 21%	39 18%	58 22%	85 21%	18 17%	142 18%	26 24%	32 28%	104 21%	46 19%	28 19%
Somewhat conservative	43 4%	13 4%	12 4%	17 5%	6 3%	23 5%	12 4%	12 3%	31 6%	11 5%	12 5%	17 4%	3 3%	22 3%	13 12%	8 6%	31 6%	5 2%	4 2%
Very Conservative	18 2%	8 2%	9 3%	1 0%	5 3%	8 2%	5 2%	7 1%	11 2%	5 2%	5 2%	8 2%	0 0%	12 2%	5 4%	1 1%	8 2%	6 2%	2 1%
Not sure	183 18%	64 19%	26 9%	93 25%	26 14%	66 15%	26 9%	43 9%	140 26%	42 19%	50 19%	76 19%	14 13%	138 18%	19 18%	25 22%	136 28%	23 9%	9 6%

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Says what he believes	440 45%	211 61%	72 25%	158 44%	129 72%	207 47%	60 22%	210 46%	231 44%	110 51%	132 50%	148 36%	51 49%	285 37%	93 89%	63 55%	221 45%	99 40%	73 50%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	547 55%	132 39%	213 75%	201 56%	50 28%	231 53%	217 78%	250 54%	297 56%	104 49%	132 50%	258 64%	54 51%	482 63%	12 11%	52 45%	267 55%	146 60%	74 50%

Regardless of whether you agree with him, do you like Barack Obama as a person?

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Like a lot	302 30%	160 47%	26 9%	116 32%	108 59%	149 34%	25 9%	163 35%	139 26%	69 32%	84 32%	114 28%	34 33%	191 25%	80 73%	31 27%	152 31%	63 25%	54 37%
Like somewhat	319 32%	94 27%	110 38%	115 31%	37 20%	155 35%	99 35%	131 28%	188 35%	59 27%	94 35%	133 33%	32 30%	259 34%	22 20%	36 31%	160 32%	89 36%	51 35%
Dislike	248 25%	49 14%	114 40%	85 23%	24 13%	97 22%	109 39%	135 29%	113 21%	57 26%	53 20%	108 26%	30 29%	218 28%	0 0%	30 26%	115 23%	72 29%	35 23%
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Moderate	194 20%	93 27%	22 8%	79 22%	41 23%	116 26%	21 8%	95 21%	99 19%	44 21%	52 19%	85 21%	13 12%	149 19%	26 24%	20 17%	100 20%	32 13%	32 22%
Somewhat conservative	62 6%	29 8%	9 3%	24 7%	17 9%	36 8%	7 3%	28 6%	35 7%	18 9%	13 5%	25 6%	6 5%	42 5%	13 12%	6 5%	32 7%	18 7%	6 4%
Very Conservative	22 2%	15 4%	1 0%	6 2%	6 4%	12 3%	2 1%	11 2%	11 2%	4 2%	5 2%	12 3%	0 0%	6 1%	6 6%	10 9%	15 3%	3 1%	2 1%
Not sure	145 15%	52 15%	22 8%	71 20%	13 7%	56 13%	19 7%	32 7%	112 21%	33 15%	49 18%	60 15%	3 3%	99 13%	23 22%	23 20%	105 21%	15 6%	8 5%

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Says what she thinks people want to hear	672 67%	181 53%	240 83%	251 68%	109 60%	281 64%	227 81%	329 71%	343 64%	127 58%	194 73%	268 66%	82 78%	544 70%	64 59%	64 55%	298 60%	175 71%	122 83%

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Dislike	406 41%	44 13%	213 74%	149 41%	36 20%	155 35%	186 66%	221 48%	185 35%	85 39%	119 44%	153 37%	50 47%	349 45%	25 23%	32 28%	178 36%	105 43%	80 54%
Not sure	72 7%	19 5%	18 6%	35 10%	13 7%	24 5%	17 6%	18 4%	53 10%	17 8%	25 9%	24 6%	5 5%	55 7%	9 8%	8 7%	34 7%	24 10%	3 2%

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Somewhat liberal	64 6%	10 3%	27 9%	27 7%	5 3%	22 5%	35 13%	35 8%	28 5%	13 6%	11 4%	34 8%	6 6%	48 6%	8 7%	8 7%	32 6%	17 7%	9 6%
Moderate	205 21%	29 8%	98 34%	78 21%	5 3%	96 22%	92 33%	116 25%	89 17%	35 16%	69 26%	80 20%	22 20%	176 23%	10 9%	20 17%	83 17%	65 26%	35 23%
Somewhat conservative	329 33%	112 33%	112 39%	106 29%	64 35%	155 35%	107 38%	173 38%	156 29%	72 33%	74 28%	132 33%	50 48%	273 35%	23 22%	32 28%	142 29%	88 36%	69 46%
Very Conservative	180 18%	106 31%	25 9%	49 13%	76 42%	78 18%	16 6%	85 18%	95 18%	40 18%	53 20%	68 17%	19 18%	124 16%	29 27%	26 22%	86 17%	48 20%	25 17%
Not sure	189 19%	76 22%	18 6%	95 26%	27 15%	75 17%	21 8%	42 9%	147 28%	51 24%	59 22%	72 18%	7 7%	128 17%	34 31%	28 24%	130 26%	22 9%	9 6%

Do you think John McCain...

	Tables																		
	Party			Ideology			Gender		Age Group				Race			Income			
	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Male	Fem	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hisp	<50	50-99	>100	
TOTAL																			
Base: Valid Cases	993	341	287	365	182	439	280	462	532	217	266	406	105	768	109	115	492	247	148
Says what he believes	534 54%	111 32%	229 80%	194 53%	70 38%	222 50%	200 71%	258 56%	275 52%	123 57%	143 54%	209 51%	59 56%	453 59%	36 33%	43 38%	241 49%	142 57%	91 61%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	460 46%	231 68%	58 20%	171 47%	113 62%	218 50%	80 29%	203 44%	257 48%	94 43%	122 46%	197 49%	46 44%	316 41%	72 67%	72 62%	251 51%	105 43%	57 39%

Regardless of whether you agree with him, do you like John McCain as a person?

	Tables																		
	Party			Ideology			Gender		Age Group				Race			Income			
	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Male	Fem	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hisp	<50	50-99	>100	
TOTAL																			
Base: Valid Cases	997	343	287	366	183	442	279	462	535	217	267	407	106	771	109	116	495	247	148
Like a lot	151 15%	17 5%	79 27%	55 15%	11 6%	69 16%	63 23%	86 19%	65 12%	30 14%	31 12%	65 16%	24 23%	139 18%	7 7%	5 4%	60 12%	45 18%	26 18%
Like somewhat	436 44%	124 36%	153 53%	160 44%	66 36%	187 42%	152 54%	226 49%	211 39%	83 38%	111 42%	193 47%	49 46%	353 46%	27 24%	57 49%	198 40%	120 49%	77 52%
Dislike	257 26%	134 39%	35 12%	88 24%	74 40%	121 27%	36 13%	120 26%	137 26%	62 28%	80 30%	93 23%	22 21%	174 23%	49 45%	32 28%	151 31%	45 18%	34 23%
Not sure	152 15%	69 20%	20 7%	63 17%	31 17%	65 15%	28 10%	30 7%	122 23%	42 19%	45 17%	56 14%	10 10%	104 14%	26 24%	21 19%	85 17%	37 15%	10 7%

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following candidates for
President?
John McCain

	Tables																		
	Party			Ideology			Gender		Age Group				Race			Income			
	TOTAL	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Male	Fem	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hisp	<50	50-99	>100
Base: Valid Cases	995	343	286	366	183	441	278	462	533	217	264	408	106	768	110	116	494	248	146
Very favorable	121 12%	7 2%	74 26%	40 11%	6 3%	57 13%	53 19%	59 13%	61 12%	28 13%	22 8%	56 14%	15 14%	110 14%	5 4%	6 6%	53 11%	36 15%	23 16%
Somewhat favorable	373 37%	86 25%	143 50%	144 39%	47 26%	165 37%	138 50%	182 39%	191 36%	65 30%	100 38%	163 40%	45 43%	313 41%	24 22%	35 30%	153 31%	112 45%	60 41%
Somewhat unfavorable	234 24%	103 30%	43 15%	88 24%	54 29%	101 23%	53 19%	125 27%	109 21%	53 24%	67 25%	86 21%	28 27%	160 21%	29 26%	45 39%	130 26%	53 21%	39 27%
Very unfavorable	209 21%	122 35%	24 8%	64 17%	67 37%	95 21%	26 9%	89 19%	120 23%	58 27%	53 20%	81 20%	17 16%	141 18%	45 41%	21 19%	120 24%	39 16%	20 13%
Not sure	58 6%	26 7%	2 1%	31 8%	9 5%	24 5%	8 3%	7 1%	51 10%	14 6%	22 8%	22 6%	0 0%	43 6%	7 6%	8 7%	38 8%	8 3%	5 3%

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following candidates for
President?
Hillary Clinton

	Tables																		
	Party			Ideology			Gender		Age Group				Race			Income			
	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Male	Fem	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hisp	<50	50-99	>100	
Base: Valid Cases	997	343	288	366	184	441	280	462	535	217	268	407	105	771	109	116	495	247	148
Very favorable	210 21%	144 42%	10 3%	56 15%	58 32%	107 24%	19 7%	71 15%	139 26%	47 22%	40 15%	101 25%	22 21%	149 19%	20 19%	40 35%	117 24%	47 19%	21 14%
Somewhat favorable	233 23%	105 31%	29 10%	100 27%	69 38%	117 27%	31 11%	114 25%	119 22%	58 27%	72 27%	83 20%	19 18%	159 21%	45 42%	27 24%	123 25%	54 22%	27 18%
Somewhat unfavorable	205 21%	60 18%	69 24%	75 21%	34 19%	91 21%	56 20%	93 20%	112 21%	54 25%	54 20%	77 19%	19 18%	161 21%	27 24%	17 15%	96 19%	56 23%	38 26%
Very unfavorable	320 32%	28 8%	178 62%	114 31%	17 9%	114 26%	168 60%	182 39%	138 26%	54 25%	85 32%	136 33%	45 43%	277 36%	15 14%	28 24%	139 28%	84 34%	61 41%
Not sure	30 3%	6 2%	2 1%	21 6%	5 3%	11 2%	7 2%	3 1%	27 5%	4 2%	16 6%	9 2%	0 0%	26 3%	1 1%	3 2%	19 4%	5 2%	1 1%

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following candidates for
President?
Barack Obama

	Tables																		
	Party			Ideology			Gender		Age Group				Race			Income			
	TOTAL	Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Cons	Male	Fem	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hisp	<50	50-99	>100
Base: Valid Cases	998	343	288	367	184	441	280	462	536	217	268	408	106	771	110	116	496	248	147
Very favorable	275 28%	162 47%	17 6%	96 26%	108 59%	130 30%	19 7%	143 31%	132 25%	74 34%	72 27%	95 23%	34 32%	159 21%	82 74%	35 30%	130 26%	65 26%	48 33%
Somewhat favorable	229 23%	82 24%	55 19%	91 25%	38 21%	126 29%	41 15%	88 19%	141 26%	49 23%	75 28%	83 20%	22 21%	178 23%	18 17%	31 27%	129 26%	52 21%	31 21%
Somewhat unfavorable	145 14%	38 11%	49 17%	58 16%	9 5%	65 15%	51 18%	58 13%	86 16%	25 11%	36 13%	73 18%	11 10%	122 16%	6 5%	17 15%	86 17%	30 12%	19 13%
Very unfavorable	305 31%	45 13%	162 56%	97 27%	24 13%	102 23%	156 56%	167 36%	138 26%	60 28%	68 25%	139 34%	38 36%	277 36%	2 2%	26 23%	122 25%	91 37%	48 33%
Not sure	45 4%	15 4%	5 2%	25 7%	5 3%	18 4%	14 5%	5 1%	39 7%	9 4%	17 6%	18 4%	0 0%	35 5%	2 2%	7 6%	29 6%	9 4%	1 1%