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## TABLE 1

DEMOCRATIC LEADERS ADULTS "WOULD CONSIDER VOTING FOR" FOR PRESIDENT
"Although the U.S. presidential election is not until November, 2008, there are a number of people who may run for president. If you were to vote and had to select from the following candidates, for which of the following people would you consider voting?"
Base: All adults

|  | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | June | July | Republican | Democrat | Independent |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\mathbf{\%}$ | $\mathbf{\%}$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ |
| Hillary Clinton | 45 | 41 | 37 | 42 | 39 | $\mathbf{3 8}$ | 8 | 70 | 31 |
| Barack Obama | 37 | 41 | 39 | 41 | 37 | $\mathbf{3 8}$ | 15 | 59 | 39 |
| Al Gore | 26 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 28 | $\mathbf{2 8}$ | 6 | 49 | 23 |
| John Edwards | 28 | 29 | 31 | 31 | 26 | $\mathbf{2 7}$ | 6 | 47 | 23 |
| John Kerry | 12 | 14 | 14 | 15 | 13 | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | 2 | 20 | 10 |
| Bill Richardson | 8 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 9 | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | 4 | 16 | 10 |
| Joe Lieberman | 12 | 10 | 9 | 11 | 9 | $\mathbf{9}$ | 13 | 6 | 11 |
| Joe Biden | 7 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 7 | $\mathbf{7}$ | 1 | 13 | 7 |
| Howard Dean | 8 | 8 | 7 | 9 | 7 | $\mathbf{7}$ | 1 | 12 | 5 |
| Wesley Clark | 8 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 5 | $\mathbf{7}$ | 2 | 11 | 7 |
| Dennis Kucinich | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 4 | $\mathbf{5}$ | 1 | 9 | 6 |
| Russ Feingold | N/A | N/A | 5 | 4 | 4 | $\mathbf{3}$ | $*$ | 7 | 2 |
| Christopher Dodd | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | $\mathbf{3}$ | 1 | 6 | 2 |
| Al Sharpton | N/A | N/A | 3 | 3 | 2 | $\mathbf{3}$ | $*$ | 7 | 1 |
| Mike Gravel | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | $\mathbf{2}$ | - | 3 | 2 |

Note: Multiple-response question
*Less than 0.5\% "-"No response
N/A- Not applicable
TABLE 2
REPUBLICAN LEADERS ADULTS "WOULD CONSIDER VOTING FOR" FOR PRESIDENT
"Although the U.S. presidential election is not until November, 2008, there are a number of people who may run for president. If you were to vote and had to select from the following candidates, for which of the following people would you consider voting?"
Base: All adults

|  | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | June | July | Republican | Democrat | Independent |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\mathbf{\%}$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ |
| Rudy Giuliani | 29 | 35 | 32 | 30 | 30 | $\mathbf{2 9}$ | 54 | 12 | 26 |
| Colin Powell | 32 | 30 | 29 | 29 | 28 | $\mathbf{2 7}$ | 41 | 17 | 28 |
| John McCain | 26 | 26 | 24 | 23 | 21 | $\mathbf{2 0}$ | 34 | 10 | 20 |
| Fred Thompson | N/A | N/A | 15 | 17 | 19 | $\mathbf{2 1}$ | 43 | 6 | 19 |
| Condoleezza Rice | 19 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 | $\mathbf{1 5}$ | 30 | 3 | 14 |
| Mitt Romney | 7 | 9 | 14 | 12 | 14 | $\mathbf{1 3}$ | 27 | 2 | 11 |
| Newt Gingrich | 11 | 11 | 12 | 10 | 11 | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | 26 | 1 | 8 |
| Mike Huckabee | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 5 | $\mathbf{4}$ | 11 | 1 | 3 |
| Tommy Thompson | 4 | N/A | 4 | 5 | 4 | $\mathbf{4}$ | 11 | 1 | 2 |
| Tom Tancredo | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 4 | $\mathbf{4}$ | 8 | 1 | 4 |
| Ron Paul | N/A | N/A | 2 | 2 | 4 | $\mathbf{4}$ | 4 | 2 | 6 |
| Duncan Hunter | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | $\mathbf{3}$ | 7 | $*$ | 2 |
| Sam Brownback | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | $\mathbf{2}$ | 5 | 1 | 2 |
| Chuck Hagel | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | $\mathbf{2}$ | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Jim Gilmore | N/A | N/A | 1 | 1 | 2 | $\mathbf{2}$ | 4 | 4 | 1 |

Note: Multiple-response question
*Less than 0.5\%
N/A not applicable
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TABLE 3
CONSIDERING MICHAEL BLOOMBERG
"Although the U.S. presidential election is not until November, 2008, there are a number of people who may run for president. If you were to vote and had to select from the following candidates, for which of the following people would you consider voting?"
Base: All adults

|  | Total | Rep. | Dem. | Ind. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ |
| Michael Bloomberg | 13 | 11 | 11 | 19 |

Note: Multiple-response question
TABLE 4
SUPPORTERS OF LEADING REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES WHO WOULD CONSIDER VOTING FOR BLOOMBERG
"Although the U.S. presidential election is not until November, 2008, there are a number of people who may run for president. If you were to vote and had to select from the following candidates, for which of the following people would you consider voting?"
Base: Leading Republican Candidates' Supporters

|  | Giuliani | Gingrich | Romney | McCain | Thompson |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ |
| Michael Bloomberg | 19 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 6 |

TABLE 5

## SUPPORTERS OF LEADING DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES WHO WOULD CONSIDER VOTING FOR BLOOMBERG

"Although the U.S. presidential election is not until November, 2008, there are a number of people who may run for president. If you were to vote and had to select from the following candidates, for which of the following people would you consider voting?"
Base: Leading Democratic Candidates' Supporters

|  | Edwards | Gore | Clinton | Richardson | Obama |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ |
| Michael Bloomberg | 18 | 18 | 10 | 10 | 9 |

TABLE 6
DEMOCRATIC VOTERS FIRST CHOICE FOR PRESIDENT
"There are many different people who are, or who may become, candidates for president in the Democratic primaries starting in January, 2008. Based all that you know or have heard up to now about the people listed below, for which one person would you be most likely to vote?
Base: Those who would vote in Democratic primary or caucus

|  | April | May | June | July |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ |
| Hillary Clinton | 37 | 40 | 36 | $\mathbf{3 5}$ |
| Barack Obama | 32 | 27 | 32 | $\mathbf{2 8}$ |
| John Edwards | 14 | 12 | 12 | $\mathbf{1 4}$ |
| Al Gore | 13 | 13 | 14 | $\mathbf{1 3}$ |
| Bill Richardson | 3 | 3 | 3 | $\mathbf{5}$ |
| Joe Biden | 1 | 2 | 1 | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Dennis Kucinich | 1 | 1 | 1 | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Wesley Clark | $*$ | 1 | 1 | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Christopher Dodd | $*$ | $*$ | $*$ | $*$ |
| Mike Gravel | - | $*$ | $*$ | $*$ |

Note: Percentages do not add up to exactly 100\% due to rounding
*Less than 0.5\% "-"No response
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TABLE 7

## REPUBLICAN VOTERS FIRST CHOICE FOR PRESIDENT

"There are many different people who are, or who may become, candidates for president in the Republican primaries starting in January, 2008. Based all that you know or have heard up to now about the people listed below, for which one person would you be most likely to vote?
Base: Those who would vote in Republican primary or caucus

|  | April | May | June | July |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ |
| Fred Thompson | 13 | 18 | $\mathbf{2 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 9}$ |
| Rudy Giuliani | 39 | 38 | $\mathbf{3 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 8}$ |
| John McCain | 18 | 18 | $\mathbf{1 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 7}$ |
| Mitt Romney | 14 | 8 | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | $\mathbf{9}$ |
| Newt Gingrich | 9 | 9 | $\mathbf{8}$ | $\mathbf{6}$ |
| Tom Tancredo | 1 | 2 | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ |
| Sam Brownback | 2 | 1 | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Duncan Hunter | 1 | 1 | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Ron Paul | 1 | 1 | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Mike Huckabee | 1 | 1 | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Tommy Thompson | 1 | 2 | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Chuck Hagel | $*$ | 1 | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Jim Gilmore | $*$ | 1 | $\mathbf{1}$ | $*$ |

*Less than 0.5\%
TABLE 8
SUMMARY: THOSE WHO WOULD CONSIDER VOTING FOR ANY OF THE LISTED LEADERS AND CANDIDATES
Base: All adults

|  | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | June | July | Republican | Democrat | Independent |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ | $\%$ |
| Would consider one <br> of the listed <br> Democratic leaders | 71 | 69 | 68 | 71 | 67 | 67 | 38 | 93 | 67 |
| Would consider one <br> of the Republican <br> leaders | 58 | 59 | 59 | 58 | 59 | 59 | 91 | 34 | 61 |

## Methodology

This Harris Poll ${ }^{\circledR}$ was conducted online within the United States between July 6 and 13, 2007 among 2,225 adults, 822 of whom said they would vote in a Democratic primary or caucus and 560 of whom said they would vote in a Republican primary or caucus (aged 18 and over). Figures for age, sex, race/ethnicity, education, region and household income were weighted where necessary to bring them into line with their actual proportions in the population. Propensity score weighting was also used to adjust for respondents' propensity to be online.

All sample surveys and polls, whether or not they use probability sampling, are subject to multiple sources of error which are most often not possible to quantify or estimate, including sampling error, coverage error, error associated with nonresponse, error associated with question wording and response options, and post-survey weighting and adjustments. Therefore, Harris Interactive avoids the words "margin of error" as they are misleading. All that can be calculated are different possible sampling errors with different probabilities for pure, unweighted, random samples with $100 \%$ response rates. These are only theoretical because no published polls come close to this ideal.

Respondents for this survey were selected from among those who have agreed to participate in Harris Interactive surveys. The data have been weighted to reflect the composition of the adult population. Because the sample is based on those who agreed to participate in the Harris Interactive panel, no estimates of theoretical sampling error can be calculated.

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