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DECEMBER 2016 POLITICAL SURVEY
FINAL TOPLINE
NOVEMBER 30-DECEMBER 5, 2016
N=1,502**

QUESTION 1 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE**RANDOMIZE Q.1 AND Q.2****ASK ALL:**

Q.2 All in all, are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way things are going in this country today?

	Satis- fied	Dis- satisfied	(VOL.) DK/Ref		Satis- fied	Dis- satisfied	(VOL.) DK/Ref
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	30	65	5	Dec 1-5, 2010	21	72	7
Oct 20-25, 2016	33	63	4	Nov 4-7, 2010	23	69	8
Aug 9-16, 2016	31	66	3	Sep 23-26, 2010	30	63	7
Jun 15-26, 2016	24	71	5	Aug 25-Sep 6, 2010	25	71	5
Apr 12-19, 2016	26	70	3	Jun 24-27, 2010	27	64	9
Mar 17-26, 2016	31	65	4	May 13-16, 2010	28	64	7
Jan 7-14, 2016	25	70	5	Apr 21-26, 2010	29	66	5
Dec 8-13, 2015	25	72	3	Apr 1-5, 2010	31	63	6
Aug 27-Oct 4, 2015	27	67	5	Mar 11-21, 2010	25	69	5
Sep 22-27, 2015	27	69	4	Mar 10-14, 2010	23	71	7
Jul 14-20, 2015	31	64	4	Feb 3-9, 2010	23	71	6
May 12-18, 2015	29	67	4	Jan 6-10, 2010	27	69	4
Mar 25-29, 2015	31	64	5	Oct 28-Nov 8, 2009	25	67	7
Feb 18-22, 2015	33	62	5	Sep 30-Oct 4, 2009	25	67	7
Jan 7-11, 2015	31	66	4	Sep 10-15, 2009 ¹	30	64	7
Dec 3-7, 2014 (U)	26	71	3	Aug 20-27, 2009	28	65	7
Nov 6-9, 2014	27	68	4	Aug 11-17, 2009	28	65	7
Oct 15-20, 2014	29	65	6	Jul 22-26, 2009	28	66	6
Sep 2-9, 2014	25	71	4	Jun 10-14, 2009	30	64	5
Aug 20-24, 2014	24	72	4	Apr 28-May 12, 2009	34	58	8
Jul 8-14, 2014	29	68	4	Apr 14-21, 2009	23	70	7
Apr 23-27, 2014	29	65	6	Jan 7-11, 2009	20	73	7
Feb 12-26, 2014	28	66	6	December, 2008	13	83	4
Jan 15-19, 2014	26	69	5	Early October, 2008	11	86	3
Oct 30-Nov 6, 2013	21	75	3	Mid-September, 2008	25	69	6
Oct 9-13, 2013	14	81	5	August, 2008	21	74	5
Jul 17-21, 2013	27	67	6	July, 2008	19	74	7
May 1-5, 2013	30	65	5	June, 2008	19	76	5
Feb 13-18, 2013 (U)	31	64	5	Late May, 2008	18	76	6
Jan 9-13, 2013	30	66	4	March, 2008	22	72	6
Dec 17-19, 2012	25	68	7	Early February, 2008	24	70	6
Dec 5-9, 2012	33	62	5	Late December, 2007	27	66	7
Oct 18-21, 2012	32	61	8	October, 2007	28	66	6
Jun 28-Jul 9, 2012	31	64	5	February, 2007	30	61	9
Jun 7-17, 2012	28	68	5	Mid-January, 2007	32	61	7
May 9-Jun 3, 2012	29	64	7	Early January, 2007	30	63	7
Apr 4-15, 2012	24	69	6	December, 2006	28	65	7
Feb 8-12, 2012	28	66	6	Mid-November, 2006	28	64	8
Jan 11-16, 2012	21	75	4	Early October, 2006	30	63	7
Sep 22-Oct 4, 2011	17	78	5	July, 2006	30	65	5
Aug 17-21, 2011	17	79	4	May, 2006*	29	65	6
Jul 20-24, 2011	17	79	4	March, 2006	32	63	5
Jun 15-19, 2011	23	73	4	January, 2006	34	61	5
May 5-8, 2011	30	62	8	Late November, 2005	34	59	7
May 2, 2011	32	60	8				
Mar 8-14, 2011	22	73	5				
Feb 2-7, 2011	26	68	5				
Jan 5-9, 2011	23	71	6				

¹ In September 10-15, 2009 and other surveys noted with an asterisk, the question was worded "Overall, are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way things are going in our country today?"

Q.2 CONTINUED...

	Satis- <u>fied</u>	Dis- <u>satisfied</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>		Satis- <u>fied</u>	Dis- <u>satisfied</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
Early October, 2005	29	65	6	May, 2002	44	44	12
July, 2005	35	58	7	March, 2002	50	40	10
Late May, 2005*	39	57	4	Late September, 2001	57	34	9
February, 2005	38	56	6	Early September, 2001	41	53	6
January, 2005	40	54	6	June, 2001	43	52	5
December, 2004	39	54	7	March, 2001	47	45	8
Mid-October, 2004	36	58	6	February, 2001	46	43	11
July, 2004	38	55	7	January, 2001	55	41	4
May, 2004	33	61	6	October, 2000 (RVs)	54	39	7
Late February, 2004*	39	55	6	September, 2000	51	41	8
Early January, 2004	45	48	7	June, 2000	47	45	8
December, 2003	44	47	9	April, 2000	48	43	9
October, 2003	38	56	6	August, 1999	56	39	5
August, 2003	40	53	7	January, 1999	53	41	6
July, 2004	38	55	7	November, 1998	46	44	10
May, 2004	33	61	6	Early September, 1998	54	42	4
Late February, 2004*	39	55	6	Late August, 1998	55	41	4
Early January, 2004	45	48	7	Early August, 1998	50	44	6
December, 2003	44	47	9	February, 1998	59	37	4
October, 2003	38	56	6	January, 1998	46	50	4
August, 2003	40	53	7	<i>Gallup</i> : Late Feb, 1991	66	31	3
April, 2003	50	41	9	August, 1990	47	48	5
January, 2003	44	50	6	May, 1990	41	54	5
November, 2002	41	48	11	January, 1989	45	50	5
September, 2002	41	55	4	September, 1988 (RVs)	50	45	5
Late August, 2002	47	44	9				

NO QUESTIONS 3-10, 15-26**QUESTIONS 11-14 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE****ASK ALL:**

On a different topic...

- Q.27 In all countries, there are differences or conflicts between different social groups. In your opinion, in AMERICA, are conflicts between ... **[READ AND RANDOMIZE ITEMS a. THRU f., OBSERVE FORM SPLITS; ALWAYS READ ITEM g. LAST]** ...Very strong conflicts, strong conflicts, not very strong conflicts, or there are not conflicts? How about conflicts between-**[INSERT NEXT ITEM]**? **[IF NECESSARY: Are conflicts in America between [ITEM] very strong, strong, not very strong, or there are not conflicts?**

	Very strong <u>conflicts</u>	Strong <u>conflicts</u>	Not very strong <u>conflicts</u>	There are not <u>conflicts</u>	(VOL.) <u>Can't choose</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:						
a.F1 Young people and older people						
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	13	27	40	17	*	2
Nov 28-Dec 5, 2012 ² (SDT)	8	20	52	15	1	3
Dec 6-19, 2011 (SDT)	10	24	50	12	1	3
Jul 20-Aug 2, 2009 (SDT)	6	19	56	14	1	4
GSS: February, 2000 ³	10	31	48	7	4	--
GSS: February, 1992	11	31	43	10	5	--

² In 2012, 2011, 2009 and 2000, question was worded: "In all countries, there are differences or conflicts between different social groups. In your opinion, in AMERICA, how much conflict is there between ... [READ AND RANDOMIZE ITEMS a. THRU d. ALWAYS READ ITEM e. LAST] ...Very strong conflicts, strong conflicts, not very strong conflicts, or there are not conflicts?" In 1992 GSS, question was worded: "The question wording is slightly different in the 1992 GSS: "In all countries there are differences or even conflicts between different social groups. In your opinion, in AMERICA, how much conflict is there between ... [READ AND RANDOMIZE ITEMS a. THRU d. ALWAYS READ ITEM e. LAST] ...Very strong conflicts, strong conflicts, not very strong conflicts, or there are not conflicts?"

³ In 2000 and 1992 GSS, questions did not include "Don't know/Refused" volunteered option.

Q.27 CONTINUED...

		<u>Very strong conflicts</u>	<u>Strong conflicts</u>	<u>Not very strong conflicts</u>	<u>There are not conflicts</u>	(VOL.) <u>Can't choose</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
b.F1	Poor people and rich people						
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	30	33	25	9	2	2
	Nov 28-Dec 5, 2012 (SDT)	22	36	28	8	2	5
	Dec 6-19, 2011 (SDT)	30	36	23	7	1	4
	Jul 20-Aug 2, 2009 (SDT)	15	32	34	10	3	6
	GSS: February, 2000	14	41	37	3	6	--
	GSS: February, 1992	20	46	26	3	5	--
	GSS: February 1987	15	44	33	3	5	--

ASK ALL:

c.	Blacks and whites						
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	26	40	24	6	2	2
	Nov 28-Dec 5, 2012 (SDT)	11	28	47	7	2	6
	Dec 6-19, 2011 (SDT)	10	28	47	7	2	5
	Jul 20-Aug 2, 2009 (SDT)	9	30	45	8	3	6
d.	Immigrants and people born in the United States						
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	24	35	28	9	2	2
	Nov 28-Dec 5, 2012 (SDT)	17	38	32	6	2	5
	Dec 6-19, 2011 (SDT)	24	38	26	6	1	4
	Jul 20-Aug 2, 2009 (SDT)	18	36	30	8	3	5

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:

e.F2	People with a college degree and people who did not go to college						
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	10	26	33	24	2	4
f.F2	People who live in cities and people who live in rural areas						
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	13	27	29	23	4	5

ASK ALL:

g.	Democrats and Republicans						
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	56	29	9	3	2	2
	Nov 28-Dec 5, 2012 (SDT)	47	35	10	3	1	5

NO QUESTIONS 28-34

ASK ALL:

Q.35 Do you happen to know which candidate in the 2016 presidential election – **[RANDOMIZE: Donald Trump or Hillary Clinton]** -- **[INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE ITEMS a AND b; c ALWAYS LAST]**? And which candidate **[INSERT NAMES IN SAME ORDER]** **[NEXT ITEM]**? **[INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION, IF RESPONDENT ASKS IF ITEM a MEANS THE “popular vote” CONFIRM THAT IT IS]**

	<u>Donald Trump</u>	<u>Hillary Clinton</u>	<u>(VOL.) DK/Ref</u>
a. Received the most individual votes nationwide Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	19	72	9

TREND FOR COMPARISON: *In the 2000 presidential election, which candidate received more votes in the whole country and led in the popular vote – George W. Bush or Al Gore?*

	<u>George W. Bush</u>	<u>Al Gore</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
CBS News: January, 2001	13	78	6

	<u>Donald Trump</u>	<u>Hillary Clinton</u>	<u>(VOL.) DK/Ref</u>
b. Received the most electoral college votes Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	78	12	10

	<u>Donald Trump</u>	<u>Hillary Clinton</u>	<u>(VOL.) DK/Ref</u>
c. Received the most votes in the state you now live in Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	54	39	7
<i>In states that Trump won [N=879]:</i>	85	8	7
<i>In states that Clinton won [N=623]:</i>	10	83	7
Nov 30-Dec 5 <u>2016</u>			
84 NET Correct			
9 NET Incorrect			
7 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)			

TREND FOR COMPARISON: *Do you happen to know which candidate in the 2008 election – Barack Obama or John McCain – received the most votes in the state you now live in?*

	<u>Barack Obama</u>	<u>John McCain</u>	<u>(VOL.) DK/Ref</u>
Jul 26-29, 2012	53	21	25

NO QUESTIONS 36-49

ASK ALL:

Q.50 Is your overall opinion of **[INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE; OBSERVE FORM SPLITS]** very favorable, mostly favorable, mostly UNfavorable, or very unfavorable? How about **[NEXT NAME]? [IF NECESSARY: Just in general, is your overall opinion of [NAME] very favorable, mostly favorable, mostly UNfavorable, or very unfavorable?] [INTERVIEWERS: PROBE TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN "NEVER HEARD OF" AND "CAN'T RATE."]**

-----Favorable-----			-----Unfavorable-----			(VOL.)	(VOL.)
Total	Very	Mostly	Total	Very	Mostly	Never heard of	Can't rate/Ref

ITEMS a. AND b. HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE**ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:**

c.F1	Donald Trump								
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	37	14	23	58	38	20	*	5
	Sep 16-Oct 4, 2015	32	11	21	64	42	22	1	4
d.F1	Mike Pence								
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	39	20	20	42	23	19	7	11

NO QUESTIONS 51-67

On another subject...

ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:

Q.68F1 Do you approve or disapprove of the job President-elect Trump has done so far in explaining his policies and plans for the future to the American people?

		Obama	Bush	Clinton	<i>Gallup</i> Bush
		December	January	January	March
Nov 30-Dec 5		<u>2008</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>1989</u>
<u>2016</u>					
41	Approve	72	50	62	65
55	Disapprove	18	36	24	28
4	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	10	14	14	7

ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:

Q.69F1 So far, would you say you approve or disapprove of Donald Trump's cabinet choices and other high level appointments?

		Obama	Bush	<i>U.S. News & World Report</i> Clinton	<i>ABC</i> Bush
Nov 30-Dec 5		December	January	January	January
<u>2016</u>		<u>2008</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>1989</u>
40	Approve	71	58	64	59
51	Disapprove	17	16	15	15
9	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	12	26	21	26

TREND FOR COMPARISON: *Now let me ask you about President-elect Reagan's Cabinet appointments. How would you rate his appointment of... the cabinet as a whole? Would you say it was an excellent, pretty good, only fair or poor appointment?"*

<i>Harris</i>	
January	
<u>1981</u>	
52	Excellent/Good
34	Only fair/Poor
14	Don't know

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:

Q.70F2 What kind of president do you think Donald Trump will be - a great, good, average, poor, or terrible president?

	Great <u>president</u>	Good <u>president</u>	Average <u>president</u>	Poor <u>president</u>	Terrible <u>president</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	14	22	18	13	25	8
Oct 20-25, 2016 ⁴ (RVs)	9	17	16	11	44	2
Aug 9-16, 2016 (RVs)	9	18	15	12	43	3
Mar 17-26, 2016 (RVs)	10	16	12	15	44	3
Jan 7-14, 2016	10	19	13	15	39	5

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:

Q.71F2 Which comes closer to your view about Donald Trump? Once he becomes president **[READ IN ORDER] [INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: IF RESPONDENT DOES NOT KNOW WHAT "TWEETS" MEANS, CLARIFY "What he posts online"]**

Nov 30-Dec 5
2016

82	He will need to be more cautious in the kinds of things he says and tweets [OR]
15	There's no need for him to change the kinds of things he says and tweets
3	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

NO QUESTIONS 72-82**ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:**

Q.83F1 How concerned are you that Donald Trump's relationships with organizations, businesses or foreign governments conflict with his ability to serve the country's best interests? Are you ... **[READ IN ORDER]?**

Nov 30-Dec 5
2016

45	Very concerned
20	Somewhat concerned
14	Not too concerned [OR]
20	Not at all concerned
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

TREND FOR COMPARISON: *If Donald Trump wins the presidential election, how concerned are you that he may have relationships with organizations, businesses or foreign governments that would conflict with his ability to serve the country's best interests? Are you ...*

(RVs)	
Oct 20-25	
<u>2016</u>	
42	Very concerned
20	Somewhat concerned
22	Not too concerned [OR]
15	Not at all concerned
*	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

NO QUESTIONS 84-85

⁴ In Oct 20-25, 2016 and earlier, question was asked in a list with other candidates: "Regardless of who you currently support in the election, what kind of president do you think [INSERT NAME; RANDOMIZE] would be - a great, good, average, poor, or terrible president?" In Oct 20-25, 2016 and earlier, volunteered responses of "Never heard of" included in the "Don't know/Refused" category.

Next,

ASK ALL:

Q.86 Which comes closer to your view — even if neither is exactly right. **[FOR ALL ITEMS READ AND RANDOMIZE PAIRS. FOR ITEMS a.-e. DO NOT RANDOMIZE STATEMENTS WITHIN EACH PAIR].** Next, **[NEXT PAIR] [IF NECESSARY: “Which statement comes closer to your views, even if neither is exactly right?”]**

	Government regulation of business is necessary to <u>protect the public interest</u>	Government regulation of business usually does <u>more harm than good</u>	(VOL.) Both/Neither/ DK/Ref	
a.				
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	45	48	7
	Aug 9-16, 2016	44	51	5
	Aug 27-Oct 4, 2015	45	50	5
	Jan 23-Mar 16, 2014	47	47	5
	Feb 8-12, 2012 ⁵	40	52	7
	Feb 22-Mar 14, 2011	47	45	8
	December, 2008	47	43	10
	October, 2008	50	38	12
	January, 2008	41	50	9
	December, 2004	49	41	10
	July, 2002	54	36	10
	February, 2002	50	41	9
	August, 1999	48	44	8
	October, 1996	45	46	9
	October, 1995	45	50	5
	April, 1995	43	51	6
	October, 1994	38	55	7
	July, 1994	41	54	5
		Our country has made the changes needed to give blacks equal rights with <u>whites</u>	Our country needs to continue making changes to give blacks equal rights <u>with whites</u>	(VOL.) Both/Neither/ DK/Ref
b.				
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	37	57	6
	Feb 29-May 8, 2016 (SDT)	30	61	9
	Jul 14-20, 2015	32	59	8
	Jan 23-Mar 16, 2014	49	46	5
	Feb 22-Mar 14, 2011	49	45	6
	Aug 25-Sep 6, 2010 (RVs)	48	45	8
	Oct 28-Nov 30, 2009	47	43	10
		Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work <u>and talents</u>	Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health <u>care</u>	(VOL.) Both/Neither/ DK/Ref
c.				
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	63	27	10
	Mar 17-26, 2016	59	33	8
	Aug 27-Oct 4, 2015	53	38	10
	May 12-18, 2015	51	41	8
	Jan 23-Mar 16, 2014	57	35	8

⁵ In Feb 8-12, 2012 survey, question was asked as a stand-alone item.

Q.86 CONTINUED...

	Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents	Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care	(VOL.) Both/Neither/ DK/Ref
Dec 3-8, 2013	53	35	11
Oct 30-Nov 6, 2013	49	40	11
Mar 13-17, 2013	49	41	10
Jan 4-8, 2012	48	37	15
Feb 22-Mar 14, 2011	45	44	12
Aug 25-Sep 6, 2010 (RVs)	44	42	14
Jul 21-Aug 5, 2010	42	45	13
Jun 16-20, 2010	39	50	11
Oct 28-Nov 30, 2009	46	40	14
October, 2006	41	41	18
March, 2006	41	52	7
December, 2005	45	44	11
December, 2004	45	44	11
June, 2003	46	44	10
September, 2000	50	38	12
August, 1999	46	44	10
October, 1997	41	48	11
June, 1997	41	48	11
April, 1997	38	52	10
June, 1996	37	54	9
July, 1994	31	63	6
	Stricter environmental laws and regulations cost too many jobs and hurt the economy	Stricter environmental laws and regulations are worth the cost	(VOL.) Both/Neither/ DK/Ref
d. Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	34	59	7
Aug 23-Sep 2, 2016	39	54	7
Aug 27-Oct 4, 2015	36	59	4
Jan 23-Mar 16, 2014	39	56	5
Feb 22-Mar 14, 2011	39	53	7
November, 2007	27	63	10
July, 2006	31	57	12
March, 2006	29	65	6
December, 2005	37	56	7
December, 2004	31	60	9
September, 2000	31	61	8
August, 1999	28	65	7
October, 1996	30	63	7
October, 1995	35	61	4
April, 1995	39	57	4
October, 1994	32	62	6
July, 1994	33	62	5

Q.86 CONTINUED...

	U.S. efforts to solve problems around the world usually end up <u>making things worse</u>	Problems in the world would be even worse without U.S. involvement	(VOL.) Both/Neither/ DK/Ref
e.			
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	34	57	9
Mar 17-26, 2016	36	57	6
Dec 8-13, 2015	38	55	7
Jan 23-Mar 16, 2014	40	53	7

NO QUESTION 87**ASK ALL:**

Q.88 Which statement comes closer to your own views even if neither is exactly right **[READ]**?

	The Islamic religion is more likely than others to encourage violence among <u>its believers</u>	The Islamic religion does not encourage violence <u>more than others</u>	(VOL.) Both/Neither/ DK/Ref
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	41	49	10
Dec 8-13, 2015	46	45	9
Sep 2-9, 2014	50	39	11
Jul 8-14, 2014	43	44	13
Feb 12-26, 2014	38	50	12
May 1-5, 2013	42	46	13
Feb 22-Mar 1, 2011	40	42	18
Aug 19-22, 2010	35	42	24
Aug 11-17, 2009	38	45	16
August, 2007	45	39	16
July, 2005	36	47	17
July, 2004	46	37	17
Mid-July, 2003	44	41	15
March, 2002	25	51	24

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:

Q.89F2 In your opinion, which is generally more often to blame if a person is poor? Lack of effort on his or her own part, or circumstances beyond his or her control?

	Lack of <u>effort</u>	Circumstances <u>beyond control</u>	(VOL.) <u>Both</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	34	53	10	3
Dec 8-13, 2015	37	48	11	3
Jan 23-Feb 9, 2014	39	50	8	3
Jan 15-19, 2014 (U)	35	50	11	4
Apr 4-15, 2012	38	46	11	5
Mar 11-21, 2010	32	49	14	5
October, 1997	39	44	14	3
CBS/NYT: 1995	35	42	18	4
CBS/NYT: 1994	44	34	18	4
LAT: 1992	27	52	18	3
NYT: December, 1990	30	48	20	2
Gallup: May, 1990	35	45	17	3
Gallup: 1989	38	42	17	3
Gallup: 1988	40	37	17	6
Gallup: 1984	33	34	31	2
CBS/NYT: 1982	37	39	17	7

Q.89F2 CONTINUED...

	Lack of <u>effort</u>	Circumstances <u>beyond control</u>	(VOL.) <u>Both</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
<i>Gallup</i> : 1967	42	19	36	3
<i>Gallup</i> : 1965	40	29	28	3
<i>Gallup</i> : November, 1964	31	31	34	5
<i>Gallup</i> : September, 1964	34	25	38	3
<i>Gallup</i> : March, 1964	34	29	32	6

NO QUESTION 90**ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:**

Q.91F2 Do you think that Mike Pence is qualified to be President if something were to happen to Donald Trump?

Nov 30-Dec 5

2016

54	Yes, is qualified
30	No, is not qualified
15	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

TRENDS FOR COMPARISON: *Do you think that Dan Quayle is qualified to be President if something were to happen to George Bush?*

	----- <i>Time/CNN/Yankelovich</i> -----					
	January <u>1989</u> ⁶	July <u>1990</u>	November <u>1990</u> ⁷	May <u>1991</u>	December <u>1991</u>	June <u>1992</u>
Yes, is qualified	30	25	24	36	36	28
No, is not qualified	52	65	65	50	55	66
Not sure	18	10	11	14	9	6

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:

Q.92F2 How much influence do you think Mike Pence will have within the Trump administration?

TRENDS FOR COMPARISON:

		<i>CBS/NYT</i>
	Cheney/Bush	Gore/Clinton
	January <u>2001</u> ⁸	February <u>1993</u> ⁹
Nov 30-Dec 5		
<u>2016</u>		
21	Too much	6
21	Too little	25
50	About the right amount	52
8	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	17

⁶ In January 1989 survey, question was worded: "Do you think that Senator Quayle is qualified to be President if something were to happen to George Bush?"

⁷ In January 1989 survey, question was worded: "Do you think that (Vice President) Quayle is qualified to be President if something were to happen to George Bush?"

⁸ In January 2001 survey, question was worded: "How much influence do you think Dick Cheney is having within the Bush Administration... too much, too little or about the right amount?"

⁹ In February 1993 survey, question was worded: "Do you think Al Gore will have too much influence, or about the right amount of influence on the decisions Bill Clinton makes as President?"

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:

Q.93F2 How much influence do you think Donald Trump's adult children will have within the Trump administration?

Nov 30-Dec 5	
<u>2016</u>	
39	Too much
15	Too little
39	About the right amount
7	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK ALL:

Q.94 As you may know, Medicare is the government program that provides health care to seniors and people with permanent disabilities. How much, if anything, have you heard about a proposal to change Medicare into a program that would give future participants a credit toward purchasing private health insurance coverage? Have you heard a lot, a little, or nothing at all?

Nov 30-Dec 5		Aug 16-19		May 25-30
<u>2016</u>		<u>2012</u>		<u>2011</u>
12	A lot	30		20
39	A little	42		50
48	Nothing at all	28		28
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	1		1

ASK ALL:

Q.95 Generally, do you favor or oppose this proposal? [**REPEAT PROPOSAL AS NEEDED:** Would you favor or oppose a proposal to change Medicare into a program that would give future participants a credit toward purchasing private health insurance coverage?]

Nov 30-Dec 5		Aug 16-19		May 25-30
<u>2016</u>		<u>2012</u>		<u>2011</u>
39	Favor	32		36
43	Oppose	44		41
18	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	24		23

QUESTIONS Xa-c HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:

Q.96F1 In 1973 the Roe versus Wade decision established a woman's constitutional right to an abortion, at least in the first three months of pregnancy. Would you like to see the Supreme Court completely overturn its Roe versus Wade decision, or not?

Nov 30-Dec 5		Jan 9-13	Nov	Jul	Jun	Jan	Mar	Aug	Oct
<u>2016</u>		<u>2013</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>1992</u>	<u>1989</u>
28	Yes, overturn Roe versus Wade	29	25	29	30	31	36	34	33
69	No, not overturn Roe versus Wade	63	65	65	63	62	60	60	61
3	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	7	9	6	7	7	4	6	6

-----Gallup-----
(RVs)

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:

Q.97F2 Do you approve or disapprove of the health care law passed by Barack Obama and Congress in 2010?

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	48	47	5
Oct 20-25, 2016	46	51	4
Apr 12-19, 2016	44	54	3
Jul 14-20, 2015	48	49	3
Feb 18-22, 2015	45	53	3
Nov 6-9, 2014	45	51	4
Oct 15-20, 2014	43	51	5
Sep 2-9, 2014	44	52	4
Apr 23-27, 2014	41	55	4
Apr 3-6, 2014 (U)	37	50	12
Feb 27-Mar 16, 2014	41	53	5
Dec 3-8, 2013 (U)	41	54	5
Oct 9-13, 2013	41	52	7
Sep 4-8, 2013 (U)	42	53	5
Jun 28-Jul 9, 2012 ¹⁰	47	43	9
Jun 7-17, 2012	43	48	9
Apr 4-15, 2012	41	49	10
Mar 7-11, 2012	47	45	8
Jan 5-9, 2011	41	48	11
Nov 4-7, 2010	43	47	10
Sep 9-12, 2010	38	45	17
Aug 25-Sep 6, 2010	44	46	10
Jul 8-11, 2010	35	47	17
Apr 1-5, 2010	40	44	16

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:Q.98F2 What, if anything, do you think Congress should do with the law now? **[READ AND RANDOMIZE]?**

Nov 30-Dec 5 <u>2016</u>		Oct 20-25 <u>2016</u>	Mar 7-11 <u>2012</u>	Sep 22-Oct 4 <u>2011</u> ¹¹	Jan 5-9 <u>2011</u>	Nov 4-7 <u>2010</u>
39	Expand it	40	33	31	35	30
15	Leave it as is	13	20	22	20	22
39	Repeal it	44	38	38	37	40
7	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	4	9	9	8	8

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:Q.99F2 Regardless of your opinion of the health care law, do you think the major provisions of the law are probably here to stay, or do you think they will probably be eliminated? **[INTERVIEWER****INSTRUCTION:** If necessary, probe to clarify that this is what respondent *thinks* will happen, not what they *want* to see happen]

Nov 30-Dec 5 <u>2016</u>		Jul 14-20 <u>2015</u>	Feb 18-22 <u>2015</u>	(U) Apr 23-27 <u>2014</u>
39	Probably here to stay	51	50	49
53	Will probably be eliminated	43	45	43
8	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	6	6	8

¹⁰ Prior to September 2013, the question asked about "the health care legislation." In addition, the reference to when the law was passed has changed over time: January 2011 referenced the legislation passed "last year," November 2010 used "earlier this year," September through July, 2010 used "in March," and April 2010 used "last month."

¹¹ In October 2011, question did not follow the approval question and began: "Thinking about the health care legislation passed by Barack Obama and Congress last year..."

NO QUESTION 100**ASK ALL:**

On a different subject...

Q.101 Please tell me how much discrimination there is against each of these groups in our society today.

How about...**[INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]**? Would you say there is a lot of discrimination, some, only a little, or none at all? And how much discrimination is there against **[INSERT NEXT ITEM]**, **[IF NECESSARY: a lot, some, only a little, or none at all]**?

	<u>A lot</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>None at all</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
a. Blacks					
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	41	35	17	6	1
TRENDS FOR COMPARISON:					
<i>African Americans</i>					
May 1-5, 2013	22	39	27	9	3
Oct 28-Nov 30, 2009 (SDT)	18	51	21	6	3
<i>WaPo/Kaiser/Harvard: April 2001</i>	25	49	16	7	3
b. Hispanics					
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	32	38	20	8	2
TRENDS FOR COMPARISON:					
<i>Hispanic Americans</i>					
May 1-5, 2013	25	40	23	8	3
Oct 28-Nov 30, 2009 (SDT)	23	47	19	6	5
<i>WaPo/Kaiser/Harvard: April 2001</i>	19	47	23	8	3
c. Gays and lesbians					
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	43	33	15	7	2
May 1-5, 2013	39	33	18	5	4
Oct 28-Nov 30, 2009 (SDT)	45	33	12	5	6
d. Women					
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	23	37	24	15	1
May 1-5, 2013	15	35	32	16	2
Oct 28-Nov 30, 2009 (SDT)	13	43	29	12	2
<i>WaPo/Kaiser/Harvard: April 2001</i>	14	46	27	13	1
e. Muslims					
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	57	25	10	6	3
TREND FOR COMPARISON:					
<i>Muslim Americans</i>					
May 1-5, 2013	45	28	13	6	8
f. Whites					
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	14	25	28	33	1
g. Jews					
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	13	31	32	19	5
h. Evangelical Christians					
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	15	27	27	26	5

NO QUESTIONS 102-104

ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:

Thinking about the nation's economy...

Q.105F1 How would you rate economic conditions in this country today... as excellent, good, only fair, or poor?

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Only fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	3	28	44	24	1
Jun 15-26, 2016	3	25	44	28	1
Mar 17-26, 2016	3	26	43	28	1
Dec 8-13, 2015	3	24	45	28	1
Sep 16-Oct 4, 2015	3	21	43	33	*
May 12-18, 2015	3	24	43	30	*
Feb 18-22, 2015	2	23	43	31	*
Jan 7-11, 2015	4	23	48	24	*
Oct 15-20, 2014	2	19	45	33	1
Aug 20-24, 2014	1	19	48	31	1
Jul 8-14, 2014	2	17	46	35	*
Apr 23-27, 2014 (U)	2	15	43	40	1
Jan 15-19, 2014 (U)	1	15	45	39	1
Dec 3-8, 2013 (U)	1	14	48	36	1
Oct 9-13, 2013	1	12	39	48	*
Sep 4-8, 2013	2	17	48	32	*
Jul 17-21, 2013	2	15	45	37	1
Jun 12-16, 2013	2	21	47	29	*
Mar 13-17, 2013	1	15	43	40	1
Jan 9-13, 2013	2	11	38	49	1
Dec 5-9, 2012	1	14	50	35	1
Oct 24-28, 2012	1	12	42	44	1
Sep 12-16, 2012	1	12	43	44	1
Jun 7-17, 2012	1	9	47	42	1
Mar 7-11, 2012	1	9	38	51	1
Feb 8-12, 2012	1	10	46	43	1
Jan 11-16, 2012	2	9	42	47	1
Dec 7-11, 2011	*	8	38	53	1
Aug 17-21, 2011	1	6	37	56	1
Jun 15-19, 2011	*	8	45	46	1
Mar 30-Apr 3, 2011	1	7	38	53	1
Feb 2-7, 2011	1	11	45	42	1
Dec 1-5, 2010	1	8	44	45	1
Oct 13-18, 2010	1	7	38	54	1
Aug 25-Sep 6, 2010	1	7	43	48	1
Jun 3-6, 2010	1	8	48	43	1
Apr 21-26, 2010	*	11	39	49	1
Mar 10-14, 2010	1	6	39	53	1
Feb 3-9, 2010	1	7	38	53	1
Dec 9-13, 2009	1	7	41	50	1
Oct 28-Nov 8, 2009	*	8	41	50	1
Sep 30-Oct 4, 2009	1	8	43	48	1
Aug 11-17, 2009	*	8	38	52	2
Jun 10-14, 2009	1	8	39	52	1
Mar 9-12, 2009	*	6	25	68	1
Feb 4-8, 2009	*	4	24	71	1
December, 2008	*	7	33	59	1
November, 2008	1	6	28	64	1
Late October, 2008	*	7	25	67	1
Early October, 2008	1	8	32	58	1
Late September, 2008	*	7	27	65	1
July, 2008	1	9	39	50	1

Q.105F1 CONTINUED...

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Only fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
April, 2008	1	10	33	56	*
March, 2008	1	10	32	56	1
Early February, 2008	1	16	36	45	2
January, 2008	3	23	45	28	1
November, 2007	3	20	44	32	1
September, 2007	3	23	43	29	2
June, 2007	6	27	40	25	2
February, 2007	5	26	45	23	1
December, 2006	6	32	41	19	2
Early November, 2006 (RVs)	9	35	37	17	2
Late October, 2006	6	27	40	25	2
September, 2006	5	32	41	20	2
March, 2006	4	29	44	22	1
January, 2006	4	30	45	19	2
Early October, 2005	2	23	45	29	1
Mid-September, 2005	3	28	44	24	1
Mid-May, 2005	3	29	47	20	1
January, 2005	3	36	45	15	1
December, 2004	3	33	43	20	1
Early November, 2004 (RVs)	5	31	37	26	1
Mid-September, 2004	4	34	40	20	2
August, 2004	3	30	45	21	1
Late April, 2004	4	34	38	22	2
Late February, 2004 ¹²	2	29	42	26	1

ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:

Q.106F1 A year from now, do you expect that economic conditions in the country as a whole will be better than they are at present, or worse, or just about the same as now?

	<u>Better</u>	<u>Worse</u>	<u>Same</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	37	28	33	2
Jun 15-26, 2016	29	13	54	5
Mar 17-26, 2016	22	17	55	6
Dec 8-13, 2015	20	22	54	4
Sep 16-Oct 4, 2015	23	21	53	3
May 12-18, 2015	25	20	53	2
Feb 18-22, 2015	27	20	52	1
Jan 7-11, 2015	31	17	51	1
Oct 15-20, 2014	27	21	50	3
Aug 20-24, 2014	22	22	54	2
Jul 8-14, 2014	26	22	51	1
Apr 23-27, 2014 (U)	25	24	49	2
Jan 15-19, 2014 (U)	27	22	50	1
Oct 9-13, 2013	25	28	44	3
Sep 4-8, 2013	28	25	46	1
Jun 12-16, 2013	33	19	47	1
Mar 13-17, 2013	25	32	41	1
Jan 9-13, 2013	33	25	40	2
Dec 5-9, 2012	37	25	36	2
Sep 12-16, 2012	43	8	42	8
Jun 7-17, 2012	34	11	50	5
Mar 7-11, 2012	44	14	38	4
Feb 8-12, 2012	44	10	42	3

¹² Earlier trends available from Gallup.

Q.106F1 CONTINUED...

	<u>Better</u>	<u>Worse</u>	<u>Same</u>	<u>(VOL.)</u> <u>DK/Ref</u>
Jan 11-16, 2012	34	16	46	3
Dec 7-11, 2011	28	18	50	4
Aug 17-21, 2011	29	18	50	2
Jun 15-19, 2011	29	23	46	2
Oct 13-18, 2010	35	16	45	4
Apr 21-26, 2010	42	19	36	3
Feb 3-9, 2010	42	16	40	3
Dec 9-13, 2009	42	17	38	3
Oct 28-Nov 8, 2009	39	19	39	2
Sep 30-Oct 4, 2009	45	15	38	3
Aug 11-17, 2009	45	19	33	3
Jun 10-14, 2009	48	16	34	2
Mar 9-12, 2009	41	19	37	3
Feb 4-8, 2009	40	18	38	4
December, 2008	43	17	36	4
Early October, 2008	46	16	30	8
July, 2008	30	21	41	8
March, 2008	33	22	39	6
January, 2008	20	26	48	6
September, 2007	19	23	53	5
June, 2007	16	24	55	5
February, 2007	17	20	58	5
December, 2006	22	18	56	4
September, 2006	16	25	55	4
January, 2006	20	22	55	3
Early October, 2005	20	32	45	3
Mid-September, 2005	18	37	43	2
Mid-May, 2005	18	24	55	3
January, 2005	27	18	52	3
August, 2004	36	9	47	8
Late February, 2004	39	12	41	8
September, 2003	37	17	43	3
May, 2003	43	19	35	3
Late March, 2003	33	23	37	7
January, 2003	30	20	44	6
January, 2002	44	17	36	3
<i>Newsweek</i> : January, 2001	18	33	44	5
June, 2000	15	24	55	6
Early October, 1998 (RVs)	16	22	57	5
Early September, 1998	18	17	61	4
May, 1990	18	31	45	6
February, 1989	25	22	49	4
September, 1988 (RVs)	24	16	51	9
May, 1988	24	20	46	10
January, 1988	22	26	45	7
<i>Newsweek</i> : January, 1984 (RVs)	35	13	49	3

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:

Thinking about your personal finances...

Q.107F2 How would you rate your own personal financial situation? Would you say you are in excellent shape, good shape, only fair shape or poor shape financially?

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Only fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	(VOL.) DK/Ref
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	9	37	33	19	1
Oct 20-25, 2016	10	37	37	15	1
Jun 15-26, 2016	10	36	37	15	1
Dec 8-13, 2015	8	35	39	17	1
May 12-18, 2015	8	35	37	19	1
Jan 7-11, 2015	7	35	37	21	1
Aug 20-24, 2014	8	34	36	21	1
Apr 23-27, 2014 (U)	6	31	39	23	1
Jan 15-19, 2014 (U)	6	34	38	22	1
Dec 3-8, 2013 (U)	6	34	40	19	1
Jun 12-16, 2013	7	33	39	20	1
Mar 13-17, 2013	6	32	41	21	1
Dec 5-9, 2012	7	32	38	22	1
Oct 24-28, 2012	8	35	36	20	1
Sep 12-16, 2012	8	35	36	20	1
Jun 7-17, 2012	7	34	38	21	1
Jan 11-16, 2012	6	29	42	22	1
Dec 7-11, 2011	6	32	37	24	1
Jun 15-19, 2011	5	33	40	21	1
Mar 30-Apr 3, 2011	7	29	36	26	2
Feb 2-7, 2011	7	29	41	22	1
Dec 1-5, 2010	5	30	40	23	2
Oct 13-18, 2010	6	33	36	23	1
Aug 25-Sep 6, 2010	6	30	40	23	1
Jun 3-6, 2010	6	32	38	20	4
Mar 10-14, 2010	6	31	39	22	2
Dec 9-13, 2009	7	28	39	24	2
Oct 28-Nov 8, 2009	5	30	40	25	1
Sep 30-Oct 4, 2009	6	32	38	22	1
Aug 11-17, 2009	6	31	36	26	2
Jun 10-14, 2009	6	32	39	22	1
Feb 4-8, 2009	5	33	41	20	1
December, 2008	6	32	40	21	1
Early October, 2008	6	35	40	18	1
July, 2008	9	33	37	19	2
April, 2008	8	35	39	16	2
March, 2008	8	39	34	17	2
Early February, 2008	9	36	37	16	2
January, 2008	10	39	34	15	2
November, 2007	9	41	34	15	1
September, 2007	10	38	34	16	2
February, 2007	8	41	36	14	1
December, 2006	8	40	35	16	1
Late October, 2006	9	40	33	16	2
March, 2006	9	39	36	15	1
January, 2006	7	39	37	15	2
Mid-May, 2005	7	37	39	16	1
January, 2005	10	41	34	14	1
August, 2004	9	42	34	14	1
September, 2003	10	38	36	15	1
Late March, 2003	10	43	31	12	4
January, 2003	7	38	39	15	1

Q.107F2 CONTINUED...

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Only fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
Early October, 2002	7	39	37	16	1
June, 2002	5	40	37	16	2
Late September, 2001	7	40	37	14	2
June, 2001	6	38	39	16	1
June, 2000	9	43	35	11	2
August, 1999	6	43	41	9	1
May, 1997	7	43	38	11	1
September, 1996 (RVs)	8	47	34	10	1
February, 1995	8	39	38	14	1
March, 1994	5	41	40	13	1
December, 1993	5	34	45	15	1
U.S. News: January, 1993	4	33	46	16	1
U.S. News: October, 1992	6	34	40	19	1
U.S. News: August, 1992	5	30	47	17	1
U.S. News: May, 1992	4	35	45	15	1
U.S. News: January, 1992	4	32	45	18	1

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:

Q.108F2 Over the course of the next year, do you think the financial situation of you and your family will improve a lot, improve some, get a little worse or get a lot worse?

	<u>Improve a lot</u>	<u>Improve some</u>	<u>Get a little worse</u>	<u>Get a lot worse</u>	(VOL.) <u>Stay the same</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	13	49	13	5	15	4
Oct 20-25, 2016	10	50	14	5	13	7
Jun 15-26, 2016	12	54	12	4	13	5
Dec 8-13, 2015	9	53	17	6	14	2
May 12-18, 2015	11	52	13	7	16	1
Jan 7-11, 2015	11	56	14	5	12	2
Aug 20-24, 2014	10	56	15	5	11	3
Apr 23-27, 2014 (U)	8	51	19	8	12	3
Jan 15-19, 2014 (U)	10	50	17	6	14	2
Jun 12-16, 2013	12	51	18	7	11	2
Mar 13-17, 2013	8	52	19	9	10	2
Dec 5-9, 2012	9	50	18	8	13	2
Sep 12-16, 2012	12	54	11	4	11	7
Jun 7-17, 2012	10	53	15	5	14	4
Jan 11-16, 2012	10	50	18	7	11	3
Dec 7-11, 2011	9	49	17	5	15	4
Jun 15-19, 2011	7	49	21	7	13	3
Mar 30-Apr 3, 2011	7	44	23	10	13	3
Dec 1-5, 2010	7	49	20	6	14	4
Oct 13-18, 2010	9	48	16	6	17	5
Mar 10-14, 2010	9	52	15	8	12	4
Dec 9-13, 2009	9	44	19	8	15	4
Oct 28-Nov 8, 2009	6	50	19	8	13	4
Sep 30-Oct 4, 2009	10	49	17	6	13	4
Aug 11-17, 2009	8	47	17	8	15	5
Jun 10-14, 2009	9	54	17	7	9	4
Feb 4-8, 2009	7	47	22	7	13	4
December, 2008	7	49	21	6	13	4
Early October, 2008	8	51	20	6	9	6
July, 2008	7	44	21	7	14	7
March, 2008	10	45	20	7	13	5
January, 2008	11	49	16	6	14	4

Q.108F2 CONTINUED...

	Improve <u>a lot</u>	Improve <u>some</u>	Get a <u>little worse</u>	Get a lot <u>worse</u>	(VOL.) Stay the <u>same</u>	(VOL.) DK/Ref
September, 2007	10	52	14	4	16	4
February, 2007	11	52	12	3	19	3
December, 2006	10	57	13	3	14	3
January, 2006	10	51	14	5	16	4
Mid-May, 2005	10	51	15	5	15	4
January, 2005	10	54	14	4	15	3
August, 2004	13	57	9	3	12	6
September, 2003	11	53	15	4	14	3
Late March, 2003	12	51	15	4	11	7
January, 2003	9	51	18	5	13	4
Early October, 2002	10	54	13	5	12	6
June, 2002	11	55	15	4	11	4
January, 2002	12	53	15	5	11	4
Late September, 2001	9	46	16	4	17	8
June, 2001	11	52	15	4	14	4
January, 2001	11	46	18	9	12	4
January, 1999	17	55	7	3	14	4
May, 1997	12	56	10	2	17	3
February, 1995	11	53	13	3	17	3
March, 1994	10	57	11	3	16	3
U.S. News: October, 1992	9	51	14	3	15	8
U.S. News: August, 1992	6	50	20	5	14	5
U.S. News: May, 1992	8	49	22	4	13	4
U.S. News: January, 1992	9	46	19	5	16	5

NO QUESTIONS 109-114

ASK ALL

Q.115 Please tell me whether you think each of the following describes Donald Trump. First, **[INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE.]** do you think of Donald Trump as **[FIRST ITEM]** or not? Do you think of Trump as **[NEXT ITEM]** or not?

	Yes, describes <u>Trump</u>	No	(VOL.) DK/Ref
ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:			
a.F1	Well-qualified		
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	37	61
	Oct 20-25, 2016 (RVs)	32	66
b.F1	A good role model		
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	26	71
	Oct 20-25, 2016 (RVs)	25	73
c.F1	Patriotic		
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	60	36
	Oct 20-25, 2016 (RVs)	61	37
d.F1	Reckless		
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	65	33
	Oct 20-25, 2016 (RVs)	69	29
e.F1	Moral		
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	31	64
	Oct 20-25, 2016 (RVs)	32	65

Q.115 CONTINUED...

		Yes, describes <u>Trump</u>	<u>No</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
No items g.-h.				
ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:				
i.F2	Honest			
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	41	56	3
	Oct 20-25, 2016 (RVs)	37	61	2
j.F2	A strong leader			
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	52	43	5
	Oct 20-25, 2016 (RVs)	46	53	1
k.F2	Having poor judgment			
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	62	35	3
	Oct 20-25, 2016 (RVs)	65	34	1
l.F2	Hard to like			
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	68	29	3
	Oct 20-25, 2016 (RVs)	70	28	2
m.F2	Inspiring			
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	41	56	3
	Oct 20-25, 2016 (RVs)	35	64	1

NO QUESTIONS 116-119**ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:**

Q.120F1 I'd like you to think about Donald Trump's ability to handle a number of things over the next four years. Please tell me whether you are very confident, somewhat confident, not too confident, or not at all confident that Trump can **[INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]?** How about **[NEXT ITEM]**

		<u>Very confident</u>	<u>Somewhat confident</u>	<u>Not too confident</u>	<u>Not at all confident</u>	(VOL.) <u>DK/Ref</u>
a.	Handle an international crisis					
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	21	24	18	35	2
	Bush					
	<i>Gallup/CNN/USA Today:</i>					
	January, 2005	36	28	17	18	1
	<i>Gallup/CNN/USA Today:</i>					
	January, 2001	32	39	19	9	1
b.	Prevent major scandals in his administration					
	Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	20	24	18	35	2
	Bush					
	<i>Gallup/CNN/USA Today:</i>					
	January, 2005	30	37	18	14	1
	<i>Gallup/CNN/USA Today:</i>					
	January, 2001	39	38	13	8	2

Q.120 CONTINUED...

		<u>Very confident</u>	<u>Somewhat confident</u>	<u>Not too confident</u>	<u>Not at all confident</u>	(VOL.) DK/Ref
c.	Work effectively with Congress Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	26	35	17	21	1
	Bush					
	<i>Gallup/CNN/USA Today:</i> January, 2005 ¹³	26	44	17	12	1
	<i>Gallup/CNN/USA Today:</i> January, 2001	27	47	17	8	1
d.	Use military force wisely Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	24	20	18	35	2
	Bush					
	<i>Gallup/CNN/USA Today:</i> January, 2005	34	22	19	24	1
	<i>Gallup/CNN/USA Today:</i> January, 2001	41	37	14	7	1
e.	Manage the Executive Branch effectively Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	26	26	20	26	2
	Bush					
	<i>Gallup/CNN/USA Today:</i> January, 2001	33	44	15	7	1

NO QUESTIONS 121-123**ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=752]:**

Q.124F2 As you may know, there has been some controversy over the support Donald Trump has received from some white nationalist groups, who believe that whites should be favored in the U.S. over people of other races and ethnicities. In terms of distancing himself from these groups, do you think Trump has done too much, too little or about the right amount

Nov 30-Dec 5

2016

6	Too much
54	Too little
31	About the right amount
8	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

TREND FOR COMPARISON: *As you may know there has been some controversy lately over the preaching of Reverend Jeremiah Wright, who has been Barack Obama's minister. In terms of distancing himself from Wright's comments, do you think Obama has done too much, too little, or about the right amount?*

ABC/WaPo

May

2008

6	Too much
27	Too little
60	About the right amount
7	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

¹³

In January 2005 and January 2001 surveys, item was worded: "Work effectively with Congress to get things done."

ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=750]:

Q.125F1 How much, if anything, have you heard or read about the political movement known as the alt-right? Have you heard ... **[READ]**

Nov 30-Dec 5

2016

17	A lot
28	A little [OR]
54	Nothing at all
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK IF HEARD A LOT OR A LITTLE (Q.125F1=1,2) [N=375]:

Q.126F1 And in your own words, what is your impression of what the alt-right movement stands for? **[OPEN-END. RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE. PROBE ONCE ONLY WITH "just your impression of what the alt-right movement stands for" IF RESPONDENT ANSWERS "DON'T KNOW"**

Nov 30-Dec 5

2016

34	White supremacy/Neo-Nazism (NET)
22	White supremacy/Pro-white
9	Neo-Nazism
6	White nationalism
2	KKK
14	Racism/Prejudice against groups (e.g. women, black, Jews, LGBT)
12	Extreme right-wing movement
7	General negative comments
3	Conservative movement
2	General positive comments
2	Religious (Christian, evangelical) values
2	Specific conservative positions
2	Exaggerated by media/overstated
10	Other (NET)
30	Don't know/Refused

Total exceeds 100% because of multiple responses

ASK ALL:

PARTY In politics TODAY, do you consider yourself a Republican, Democrat, or independent?

ASK IF INDEP/NO PREF/OTHER/DK/REF (PARTY=3,4,5,9):

PARTYLN As of today do you lean more to the Republican Party or more to the Democratic Party?

				(VOL.)	(VOL.)	(VOL.)	Lean	Lean
	<u>Republican</u>	<u>Democrat</u>	<u>Independent</u>	<u>No preference</u>	<u>Other party</u>	<u>DK/Ref</u>	<u>Rep</u>	<u>Dem</u>
Nov 30-Dec 5, 2016	24	33	35	5	1	3	15	16
Oct 20-25, 2016	26	33	36	3	*	2	15	17
Aug 23-Sep 2, 2016	27	32	33	5	*	3	11	16
Aug 9-16, 2016	27	32	35	2	1	2	13	16
Jun 15-26, 2016	24	33	37	4	1	2	16	16
Apr 12-19, 2016	25	32	37	3	1	2	16	17
Mar 17-26, 2016	25	31	38	3	*	2	15	20
Jan 7-14, 2016	24	30	38	5	1	2	14	17
Dec 8-13, 2015	26	31	37	4	*	2	16	15
Yearly Totals								
2015	23.7	30.4	40.1	3.6	.4	1.8	16.4	17.3
2014	23.2	31.5	39.5	3.1	.7	2.0	16.2	16.5
2013	23.9	32.1	38.3	2.9	.5	2.2	16.0	16.0
2012	24.7	32.6	36.4	3.1	.5	2.7	14.4	16.1
2011	24.3	32.3	37.4	3.1	.4	2.5	15.7	15.6
2010	25.2	32.7	35.2	3.6	.4	2.8	14.5	14.1
2009	23.9	34.4	35.1	3.4	.4	2.8	13.1	15.7
2008	25.7	36.0	31.5	3.6	.3	3.0	10.6	15.2
2007	25.3	32.9	34.1	4.3	.4	2.9	10.9	17.0
2006	27.8	33.1	30.9	4.4	.3	3.4	10.5	15.1
2005	29.3	32.8	30.2	4.5	.3	2.8	10.3	14.9
2004	30.0	33.5	29.5	3.8	.4	3.0	11.7	13.4
2003	30.3	31.5	30.5	4.8	.5	2.5	12.0	12.6
2002	30.4	31.4	29.8	5.0	.7	2.7	12.4	11.6
2001	29.0	33.2	29.5	5.2	.6	2.6	11.9	11.6
2001 Post-Sept 11	30.9	31.8	27.9	5.2	.6	3.6	11.7	9.4
2001 Pre-Sept 11	27.3	34.4	30.9	5.1	.6	1.7	12.1	13.5
2000	28.0	33.4	29.1	5.5	.5	3.6	11.6	11.7
1999	26.6	33.5	33.7	3.9	.5	1.9	13.0	14.5
1998	27.9	33.7	31.1	4.6	.4	2.3	11.6	13.1
1997	28.0	33.4	32.0	4.0	.4	2.3	12.2	14.1
1996	28.9	33.9	31.8	3.0	.4	2.0	12.1	14.9
1995	31.6	30.0	33.7	2.4	.6	1.3	15.1	13.5
1994	30.1	31.5	33.5	1.3	--	3.6	13.7	12.2
1993	27.4	33.6	34.2	4.4	1.5	2.9	11.5	14.9
1992	27.6	33.7	34.7	1.5	0	2.5	12.6	16.5
1991	30.9	31.4	33.2	0	1.4	3.0	14.7	10.8
1990	30.9	33.2	29.3	1.2	1.9	3.4	12.4	11.3
1989	33	33	34	--	--	--	--	--
1987	26	35	39	--	--	--	--	--

Key to Pew Research trends noted in the topline:

(U)	Pew Research Center/USA Today polls
(SDT)	Pew Research Center Social and Demographic Trends