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Sample Size: 801 Registered Voters

Margin of Error: +/-3.5%

Note: Percentage less than 0.5 printed as *.

1. I'd like to get your opinion about the way that things are going in the country today. Do you feel things in the country are generally going in the right direction, or do you think things are seriously off on the wrong track?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Right direction	21%	43%	16%	10%
Wrong track	68%	42%	71%	84%
Neither (DO NOT READ)	6%	11%	4%	5%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	5%	9%	1%

2. And what is the most important issue facing the US today?
(OPEN-END, PRE-CODE)

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
War in Iraq - Oppose	27%	12%	20%	39%
Economy in general	9%	7%	11%	10%
Fear of war/feelings of fear in this country	8%	8%	14%	7%
Poor healthcare/ hospitals; high cost of health care	8%	5%	7%	10%
Immigration/illegal aliens	6%	12%	5%	1%

Terrorism	5%	10%	4%	4%
War in Iraq - Support	5%	9%	2%	3%
Dissatisfaction with government/Congress/ politicians/ candidates	2%	1%	3%	2%
Crime/violence	2%	3%	2%	1%
Poverty/hunger/ homelessness	2%	-	3%	3%
Gas/fuel/oil prices	2%	3%	4%	1%
Ethics/moral/ religious/family decline; dishonesty; lack of integrity	2%	4%	1%	1%
Education/poor education/access to education	1%	1%	1%	1%
Unemployment/jobs	1%	*	1%	1%
Taxes	1%	2%	2%	*
Outsourcing of jobs/ jobs sent overseas	1%	*	2%	-
Illegal drugs	1%	1%	1%	*
Environment/pollution	1%	1%	1%	1%
Social Security	*	*	1%	*
Moral values	*	*	1%	*
Middle class struggling	*	-	-	1%
Agricultural/farming	*	1%	-	-
Abortion - Pro-life	*	1%	-	-
Guns/gun control	*	1%	1%	-
Development/sprawl	*	-	1%	-
Other (SPECIFY)	10%	14%	10%	7%
Don't know/Refused	4%	5%	4%	3%

3. Opinion of... George W. Bush (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly favorable	14%	35%	10%	4%
Somewhat favorable	19%	38%	14%	8%
Somewhat unfavorable	12%	12%	18%	9%
Strongly unfavorable	51%	14%	49%	78%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	2%	1%	4%	1%
Haven't heard of (DO NOT READ)	1%	*	1%	-
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	1%	1%	3%	*

4. Opinion of... Nancy Pelosi (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly favorable	11%	2%	6%	18%
Somewhat favorable	20%	11%	23%	27%
Somewhat unfavorable	12%	14%	13%	10%
Strongly unfavorable	23%	49%	15%	10%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	12%	9%	17%	12%
Haven't heard of (DO NOT READ)	19%	12%	19%	19%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	3%	6%	3%

5a. Opinion of... Hillary Clinton(IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly favorable	28%	7%	29%	44%
Somewhat favorable	29%	8%	24%	42%
Somewhat unfavorable	10%	12%	17%	5%
Strongly unfavorable	31%	72%	24%	8%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	1%	1%	5%	*
Haven't heard of (DO NOT READ)	*	1%	-	-
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	*	-	1%	-

5b. Opinion of... John Edwards (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly favorable	11%	5%	15%	16%
Somewhat favorable	35%	24%	30%	45%
Somewhat unfavorable	13%	21%	11%	10%
Strongly unfavorable	15%	34%	11%	5%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	14%	10%	12%	16%
Haven't heard of (DO NOT READ)	8%	4%	15%	7%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3%	3%	6%	1%

6a. Opinion of... Rudy Giuliani (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly favorable	17%	32%	15%	9%
Somewhat favorable	36%	40%	40%	34%
Somewhat unfavorable	14%	11%	11%	18%
Strongly unfavorable	16%	9%	11%	23%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	7%	4%	10%	7%
Haven't heard of (DO NOT READ)	7%	3%	10%	5%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	2%	1%	2%	3%

6b. Opinion of... John McCain (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly favorable	11%	17%	11%	7%
Somewhat favorable	30%	40%	23%	26%
Somewhat unfavorable	20%	19%	19%	22%
Strongly unfavorable	14%	12%	16%	14%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	14%	10%	17%	15%
Haven't heard of (DO NOT READ)	9%	1%	10%	13
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	2%	1%	5%	2%

7a. Opinion of... Barack Obama (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly favorable	20%	5%	15%	34%
Somewhat favorable	31%	27%	30%	34%
Somewhat unfavorable	14%	20%	15%	9%
Strongly unfavorable	13%	23%	8%	9%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	12%	13%	17%	9%
Haven't heard of (DO NOT READ)	7%	8%	12%	3%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	2%	3%	2%	1%

7b. Opinion of... Mitt Romney (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly favorable	4%	6%	6%	1%
Somewhat favorable	18%	34%	15%	10%
Somewhat unfavorable	12%	11%	11%	15%
Strongly unfavorable	10%	7%	7%	15%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	23%	24%	22%	20%
Haven't heard of (DO NOT READ)	26%	12%	27%	32%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	7%	6%	12%	6%

8a. Opinion of... Fred Thompson (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly favorable	9%	20%	7%	3%
Somewhat favorable	19%	24%	18%	15%
Somewhat unfavorable	11%	6%	6%	15%
Strongly unfavorable	10%	4%	9%	14%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	17%	15%	22%	18%
Haven't heard of (DO NOT READ)	30%	26%	35%	31%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	3%	3%	4%

8b. Opinion of... Harry Reid (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly favorable	3%	*	-	7%
Somewhat favorable	9%	6%	3%	13%
Somewhat unfavorable	10%	9%	6%	10%
Strongly unfavorable	14%	30%	10%	7%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	17%	16%	25%	13%
Haven't heard of (DO NOT READ)	41%	33%	42%	46%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	7%	6%	13%	5%

9. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as president? Do you approve/disapprove strongly or somewhat?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly approve	13%	31%	6%	3%
Somewhat approve	20%	39%	24%	7%
Somewhat disapprove	14%	12%	13%	13%
Strongly disapprove	49%	14%	50%	75%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	4%	6%	2%

[Q.10a ASKED ONLY IF Q.9=STRONGLY/SOMEWHAT APPROVE; N=263]

10a. Why do you approve of the job George W. Bush is doing as President?
(READ LIST; ACCEPT MULTIPLE RESPONSES)

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
His response to 9/11	35%	40%	22%	35%
Economic policies	26%	31%	18%	21%
Conduct of the war on terrorism	24%	30%	14%	14%
Handling of the Iraq War	24%	27%	30%	10%
Tax policies	23%	29%	11%	15%
His positions on issues like abortion and gay marriage	19%	24%	10%	13%
Environmental policies	12%	14%	9%	12%
Immigration policies	11%	10%	12%	13%
All of the above (DO NOT READ)	17%	18%	17%	12%
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	4%	3%	8%	5%
Other (DO NOT READ)	13%	11%	10%	19%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	3%	8%	9%

[Q.10b ASKED ONLY IF Q.9=STRONGLY/SOMEWHAT DISAPPROVE; N=505]

10b. Why do you disapprove of the job George W. Bush is doing as President?
(READ LIST; ACCEPT MULTIPLE RESPONSES)

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Handling of the Iraq War	39%	42%	25%	44%
Conduct of the war on terrorism	20%	12%	12%	23%
Economic policies	15%	10%	6%	20%
Rising gas prices	15%	13%	9%	17%
Handling of Hurricane Katrina	15%	16%	7%	19%
Environmental policies	12%	2%	8%	16%
Immigration policies	12%	13%	9%	13%
Handling of U.S. Attorney firings	11%	5%	5%	14%
His positions on issues like abortion and gay marriage	9%	4%	6%	11%
Tax policies	9%	2%	2%	13%
All of the above (DO NOT READ)	35%	23%	43%	38%
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	1%	3%	-	1%
Other (DO NOT READ)	11%	14%	16%	8%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	1%	2%	-	*

11. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the situation in Iraq? Do you approve/disapprove strongly or somewhat?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly approve	12%	31%	7%	2%
Somewhat approve	15%	33%	10%	6%
Somewhat disapprove	10%	12%	13%	7%
Strongly disapprove	59%	20%	62%	83%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	5%	7%	2%

12. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the nation's economy? Do you approve/disapprove strongly or somewhat?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly approve	16%	42%	12%	2%
Somewhat approve	20%	30%	17%	14%
Somewhat disapprove	17%	12%	20%	18%
Strongly disapprove	42%	10%	44%	62%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	5%	6%	7%	4%

13. And do you approve or disapprove of the way Congress is handling its job?
Do you approve/disapprove strongly or somewhat?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly approve	6%	4%	8%	5%
Somewhat approve	19%	14%	12%	24%
Somewhat disapprove	27%	23%	24%	30%
Strongly disapprove	41%	54%	40%	34%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	8%	4%	16%	7%

14. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Nancy Pelosi is handling her job as Speaker of the House of Representatives? Do you approve/disapprove strongly or somewhat?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strongly approve	12%	4%	14%	16%
Somewhat approve	25%	10%	17%	38%
Somewhat disapprove	13%	14%	15%	10%
Strongly disapprove	24%	50%	19%	11%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	27%	22%	35%	25%

15. Thinking now about primary elections for national, state, and local office, for which party's candidate do you typically vote in primary elections for national, state and local office - the Democratic party candidate or the Republican party candidate?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Vote in the Democratic primary	49%	8%	29%	88%
Vote in the Republican primary	31%	80%	22%	4%
Vote in other primary (DO NOT READ)	7%	4%	17%	3%
Don't vote in primary elections (DO NOT READ)	2%	2%	5%	2%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	10%	6%	27%	3%

[Q.16a/b ASKED ONLY IF Q.15=VOTE IN THE REPUBLICAN PRIMARY; N=250]

16a. If the 2008 Republican presidential primary were held today, whom would you support if the candidates were... (READ LIST; IF "ALL", ASK:) If you absolutely had to choose, which one person would you support? [N=128]

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Rudy Giuliani	36%	37%	28%	48%
Fred Thompson	21%	19%	35%	9%
Mitt Romney	11%	11%	9%	21%
Tommy Thompson	6%	5%	11%	12%
Sam Brownback	5%	4%	4%	-
Ron Paul	2%	1%	-	10%
Duncan Hunter	1%	-	5%	-
Tom Tancredo	1%	2%	-	-
Mike Huckabee	*	1%	-	-
All of the above (DO NOT READ)	-	-	-	-
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	5%	5%	8%	-
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	4%	5%	-	-
Unsure (DO NOT READ)	8%	11%	-	-
Refused (DO NOT READ)	-	-	-	-

16b. If the 2008 Republican presidential primary were held today, whom would you support if the candidates were... (READ LIST; IF "ALL", ASK:) If you absolutely had to choose, which one person would you support? [N=122]

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Rudy Giuliani	20%	20%	28%	13%
Fred Thompson	19%	21%	18%	-
John McCain	17%	20%	12%	-
Mitt Romney	8%	11%	-	-
Sam Brownback	4%	5%	-	-
Ron Paul	2%	2%	-	-
Mike Huckabee	1%	1%	9%	-
Tom Tancredo	1%	1%	-	-
Tommy Thompson	1%	-	-	18%
Duncan Hunter	-	-	-	-
All of the above (DO NOT READ)	1%	-	-	14%
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	3%	2%	-	18%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	2%	1%	-	18%
Unsure (DO NOT READ)	19%	16%	18%	19%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	2%	*	15%	-

[Q.17 ASKED ONLY IF Q.16b=JOHN MCCAIN; N=21]

17. And if John McCain weren't running, which of the following, if any, would be your second choice?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Rudy Giuliani	53%	50%	100%	-
Mitt Romney	9%	10%	-	-
Fred Thompson	4%	4%	-	-
Tommy Thompson	3%	3%	-	-
All of the above (DO NOT READ)	-	-	-	-
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	13%	14%	-	-
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	-	-	-	-
Unsure (DO NOT READ)	18%	19%	-	-
Refused (DO NOT READ)	-	-	-	-

[Q.18 ASKED ONLY IF Q.15=VOTE IN THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY; N=393]

18. If the 2008 Democratic presidential primary were held today, whom would you support if the candidates were... (READ LIST; IF "ALL," ASK:) If you absolutely had to choose, which one person would you support?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Hillary Clinton	39%	29%	33%	38%
Barack Obama	30%	37%	33%	30%
John Edwards	11%	17%	11%	12%
Dennis Kucinich	3%	-	2%	3%
Bill Richardson	2%	-	2%	3%
Joe Biden	2%	-	5%	2%
All of the above (DO NOT READ)	1%	-	-	1%
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	4%	8%	8%	3%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	*	-	-	*
Unsure (DO NOT READ)	8%	9%	5%	8%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	*	-	2%	*

19. Now thinking about the next election for president in 2008, if the election for U.S. President were held today, would you be voting for the (ROTATE) Democratic candidate or the Republican candidate?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Republican candidate	27%	67%	23%	3%
Democratic candidate	51%	11%	33%	88%
Neither (DO NOT READ)	5%	4%	14%	2%
Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	17%	18%	30%	6%

Now I'm going to read you a list of people, organizations. For each person or organization, please tell me which of the following four choices comes closest to what you think their view is on what the U.S. should do in Iraq? (READ CHOICES; ROTATE Q.20-25)

20. George W. Bush

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	50%	47%	53%	54%
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	23%	36%	22%	16%
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	9%	5%	7%	13%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	7%	2%	8%	7%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	3%	3%	3%	3%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	8%	7%	8%	7%

21a. A Republican candidate for President in 2008

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	29%	43%	30%	20%
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	20%	15%	27%	23%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	19%	20%	18%	22%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	11%	5%	8%	15%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	1%	1%	-	2%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	19%	16%	17%	17%

21b. A Democratic candidate for President in 2008

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	37%	28%	30%	46%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	25%	35%	22%	20%
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	20%	22%	17%	22%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	3%	4%	3%	1%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	1%	1%	2%	-
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	14%	11%	26%	10%

22a. A Republican member of Congress

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	30%	39%	32%	25%
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	20%	18%	22%	22%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	20%	20%	23%	21%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	9%	3%	8%	13%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	2%	1%	1%	2%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	19%	20%	14%	17%

22b. A Democratic member of Congress

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	37%	25%	31%	50%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	27%	42%	18%	18%
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	17%	17%	12%	20%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	3%	4%	3%	2%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	1%	-	2%	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	16%	12%	33%	10%

23a. Hillary Clinton

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	34%	22%	29%	48%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	31%	34%	36%	28%
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	13%	16%	14%	10%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	5%	2%	9%	6%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	3%	3%	4%	2%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	14%	23%	8%	6%

23b. John Edwards

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	31%	17%	24%	44%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	21%	31%	19%	15%
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	18%	21%	24%	15%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	5%	7%	6%	3%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	1%	-	1%	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	25%	25%	26%	23%

24a. Rudy Giuliani

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	25%	34%	24%	22%
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	19%	16%	13%	26%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	18%	17%	29%	15%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	9%	4%	11%	11%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	2%	4%	1%	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	27%	25%	21%	26%

24b. John McCain

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	31%	36%	37%	24%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	21%	26%	19%	20%
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	20%	16%	15%	26%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	5%	2%	4%	6%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	1%	1%	1%	2%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	22%	18%	24%	23%

25a. Barack Obama

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	30%	16%	23%	44%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	28%	30%	30%	27%
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	13%	14%	17%	10%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	6%	9%	5%	5%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	1%	3%	1%	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	22%	27%	23%	14%

25b. Mitt Romney

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	25%	33%	19%	24%
Start withdrawing troops within the next three months, with all troops out within nine months from now.	15%	10%	16%	19%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	11%	12%	8%	10%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	4%	3%	6%	3%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	*	1%	-	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	45%	42%	51%	43%

26. All things being equal, and regardless of party, please tell me which of the following four choices comes closest to what you think the next president of the United States is most likely to do in Iraq upon his/her inauguration?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Start withdrawing troops within three months, with all troops out within nine months.	35%	26%	31%	40%
Leave a substantial number of troops in Iraq, but have them concentrate on training Iraqis and targeting Al Qaeda leaders in Iraq.	29%	39%	29%	26%
Begin an immediate withdrawal of all U.S. troops in Iraq.	14%	9%	12%	18%
Make no cutbacks in U.S. troops in Iraq.	7%	9%	10%	4%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	2%	3%	3%	2%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	13%	14%	17%	9%

27. Which of the following, if any, must happen for you to consider the war in Iraq a success? (READ LIST; ACCEPT MULTIPLE RESPONSES)

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Iraqi Security Forces take control of security in Iraq	30%	40%	24%	28%
The majority of U.S. troops withdraw from Iraq	20%	16%	20%	24%
Reconstruction of Iraqi infrastructure, such as oil, electricity, water and sewerage sectors	20%	21%	17%	21%
Significant decrease in U.S. troop casualties	19%	18%	11%	23%
Eliminating Al Qaeda strongholds from Iraq	19%	29%	13%	17%
A peace agreement is reached by insurgent groups	18%	17%	19%	18%
Restore civil order in major cities	17%	21%	14%	17%
Significant decrease in civilian casualties	16%	14%	15%	19%
Significant reduction of federal spending for the war	14%	12%	8%	18%
All of the above (DO NOT READ)	15%	18%	12%	15%
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	4%	1%	4%	5%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	5%	6%	6%	3%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	7%	6%	9%	5%

28. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else? (IF REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRAT ASK:) Do you consider yourself a strong (Republican/Democrat) or not so strong (Republican/Democrat)? (IF INDEPENDENT ASK:) Would you say that you lean toward Republicans or more toward the Democrats?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Strong Republican	15%	50%	-	-
Not so strong Republican	8%	29%	-	-
Independent, leans Republican	6%	22%	-	-
Independent	19%	-	100%	-
Independent, leans Democratic	7%	-	-	18%
Not so strong Democrat	11%	-	-	25%
Strong Democratic	24%	-	-	57%
Other (SPECIFY) (DO NOT READ)	3%	-	-	-
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	6%	-	-	-

29. In talking to people about elections, we often find that a lot of people are not able to vote because they are sick or they just do not have the time. With that in mind, were you able to vote in the 2004 election for President of the United States and other offices?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Yes, voted	87%	95%	79%	91%
No, did not vote	10%	5%	19%	8%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	-	1%	*

30. And for whom did you vote in this most recent 2004 presidential election? (OPEN-END; PRE-CODE)

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
George Bush	45%	87%	46%	13%
John Kerry	39%	6%	31%	69%
Ralph Nader	1%	1%	2%	2%
Other	4%	1%	2%	6%
Don't know/Refused	10%	5%	19%	10%

31. What is your marital status? Are you... (READ LIST)

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Single	16%	7%	25%	19%
Married	60%	78%	52%	55%
Divorced	9%	8%	7%	11%
Separated	1%	*	1%	2%
Widowed	11%	5%	14%	14%
Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3%	1%	1%	-

32. How many children under the age of 18, if any, do you have living at home?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
None	65%	67%	67%	68%
One	13%	10%	18%	13%
Two	12%	14%	10%	13%
Three	5%	6%	3%	4%
Four or more	2%	3%	1%	2%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	*	2%	1%

33. What is your age please? (OPEN-END; PRE-CODE)

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
18-24	4%	4%	6%	4%
25-34	9%	8%	12%	9%
35-44	14%	16%	7%	17%
45-54	19%	21%	22%	19%
55-64	20%	21%	21%	21%
65-74	16%	17%	15%	17%
75 +	11%	9%	11%	12%
Don't know/Refused	6%	3%	5%	3%

34. What is the last grade of formal education you have completed?
(OPEN-END; PRE-CODE)

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Less than high school	4%	3%	5%	5%
High school graduate	24%	25%	29%	23%
Some college/ vocational school	26%	26%	24%	27%
College graduate	30%	35%	26%	30%
Post graduate	11%	8%	14%	14%
Don't know/Refused	5%	1%	1%	2%

35. For statistical purposes only, could you please tell me your ethnic background?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
White/Caucasian	73%	90%	76%	67%
Hispanic/Latino	5%	4%	5%	6%
African-American/Black	12%	2%	11%	20%
Asian-American/Asian	1%	-	1%	1%
Native American	1%	1%	1%	1%
Other (Specify)	2%	1%	4%	2%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	5%	2%	2%	2%

36. Would you describe yourself as "born-again" or evangelical?

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Yes	34%	44%	28%	32%
No	56%	51%	66%	58%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	10%	4%	6%	10%

A. Gender (BY OBSERVATION)

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
Male	49%	54%	52%	46%
Female	51%	46%	48%	54%

B. REGION

	TOTAL	Rep	Ind	Dem
West (MT, ID, WY, CO, NM, AZ, UT, NV, WA, OR, CA, AK, HI)	20%	23%	18%	20%
South (DE, MD, DC, VA, WV, NC, SC, GA, FL, KY, TN, AL, MS, AR, LA, OK, TX)	35%	31%	32%	37%
Midwest (OH, IN, IL, MI, WI, MN, IA, MO, ND, SD, NE, KS)	26%	27%	24%	28%
Northeast (ME, NH, VT, MA, RI, CT, NY, NJ, PA)	19%	19%	27%	15%