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Study Overview

Sample Size and Description	Interviewing Dates	CD-ROM Files NAES2004
1,248 adults initially interviewed for the NAES04 National Rolling Cross-Section during the 10 days before the first general election presidential debate, and re-interviewed during the 11 days after the last debate	Pre-debates: **Sept. 20–29, 2004** Post-debates: **Oct. 14–24, 2004** The first debate was Sept. 30, and the last was Oct. 13.	Panels/Debates CdBkDeb.pdf — Codebook DataDeb.sav — SPSS data DataDeb.txt — ASCII data The codebook for the NAES04 National Rolling Cross-Section provides general information about codebooks, data files, and survey methodology.

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Variable Directory

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	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
Variable Title	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
⓪ Study and Respondent ID, and Question Module Assignment					
Interviewing Component	**cINT**	All dates pre-debates		**rINT**	All dates post-debates
Respondent ID	**cKEY**	All dates			
Household ID	**cHKEY**	All dates			
Area Code	**cAC**⊗	All dates			
State (Two-Letter Abbreviation)	**cST**	All dates			
State (Numeric Code)	**cSTNUM**	All dates			
Interview Date	**cDATE**	All dates pre-debates		**rDATE**	All dates post-debates
Interview Start Time	**cTIME**	All dates pre-debates		**rTIME**	All dates post-debates
Random Assignment to Question Module A1 or A2	**cXA**	All dates			
Random Assignment to Question Module B1, B2, or B3	**cXB**	All dates			
Random Assignment to Question Module C1, C2, C3, or C4	**cXC**	All dates			

⊗ Restricted-access data (request from APPC)

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview		Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule	Variable Name	Schedule
Ⓐ General Opinions of Candidates, Political Figures, and Groups				
Opinions of Bush				
Bush Favorability	**cAA01**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA01**	All dates post-debates
Bush Job Approval	**cAA02**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA02**	All dates post-debates
Bush Favorability as Person	**cAA03**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA03**	All dates post-debates
Bush Cares About People Like Me	**cAA04**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA04**	All dates post-debates
Bush Inspiring	**cAA05**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA05**	All dates post-debates
Bush Strong Leader	**cAA06**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA06**	All dates post-debates
Bush Trustworthy	**cAA07**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA07**	All dates post-debates
Bush Shares My Values	**cAA08**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA08**	All dates post-debates
Bush Knowledgeable	**cAA09**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA09**	All dates post-debates
Bush Reckless	**cAA10**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA10**	All dates post-debates
Bush Says One Thing, Does Another	**cAA12**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA12**	All dates post-debates
Bush Has Right Experience	**cAA13**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA13**	All dates post-debates
Bush Easy to Like	**cAA14**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA14**	All dates post-debates
Bush Out of Touch	**cAA20**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA20**	All dates post-debates
Bush Arrogant	**cAA22**	9/27/04–9/29/04	**rAA22**	All dates post-debates
Bush Optimistic	**cAA23**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA23**	All dates post-debates
Bush Effective	**cAA24**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA24**	All dates post-debates
Bush Decisive	**cAA25**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA25**	All dates post-debates
Bush Flip-Flops	**cAA26**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA26**	All dates post-debates
Bush Honest	**cAA27**	9/20/04–9/26/04		

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview		Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule	Variable Name	Schedule
Bush Not Willing to Admit Mistakes			**rAA28**	All dates post-debates
Bush Conservative or Liberal	**cAA30**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA30**	All dates post-debates
Bush Makes Me Angry	**cAA31**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA31**	All dates post-debates
Bush Makes Me Uneasy	**cAA32**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA32**	All dates post-debates
Bush Makes Me Afraid	**cAA33**	All dates pre-debates	**rAA33**	All dates post-debates
Opinions of Kerry				
Kerry Favorability	**cAB01**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB01**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Cares About People Like Me	**cAB02**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB02**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Inspiring	**cAB03**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB03**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Strong Leader	**cAB04**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB04**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Trustworthy	**cAB05**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB05**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Shares My Values	**cAB06**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB06**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Knowledgeable	**cAB07**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB07**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Reckless	**cAB08**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB08**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Says One Thing, Does Another	**cAB10**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB10**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Has Right Experience	**cAB11**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB11**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Easy to Like	**cAB12**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB12**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Out of Touch	**cAB18**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB18**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Arrogant	**cAB20**	9/27/04–9/29/04	**rAB20**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Optimistic	**cAB21**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB21**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Effective	**cAB22**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB22**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Decisive	**cAB23**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB23**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Flip-Flops	**cAB24**	All dates pre-debates	**rAB24**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Honest	**cAB25**	9/20/04–9/26/04		

	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
Variable Title	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Kerry Not Willing to Admit Mistakes				**rAB26**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Conservative or Liberal	**cAB27**	All dates pre-debates		**rAB27**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Makes Me Angry	**cAB28**	All dates pre-debates		**rAB28**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Makes Me Uneasy	**cAB29**	All dates pre-debates		**rAB29**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Makes Me Afraid	**cAB30**	All dates pre-debates		**rAB30**	All dates post-debates
Opinions of Other Candidates					
Cheney Favorability	**cAC01**	All dates pre-debates		**rAC01**	All dates post-debates
Cheney Has Right Experience to Be President				**rAC03**	All dates post-debates
Edwards Favorability	**cAC04**	All dates pre-debates		**rAC04**	All dates post-debates
Edwards Has Right Experience to Be President				**rAC13**	All dates post-debates
Nader Favorability	**cAC15**	All dates pre-debates		**rAC15**	All dates post-debates
Opinions of Other Political Figures					
McCain Favorability	**cAD09**	9/20/04–9/28/04			
Opinions of Groups					
AARP Favorability	**cAE08**	All dates pre-debates			
NRA Favorability	**cAE09**	All dates pre-debates		**rAE09**	All dates post-debates
Random Question Order					
Random Order for Favorability Questions	**cAX01***	All dates pre-debates		**rAX01***	All dates post-debates
Random Candidate Order for Trait Questions	**cAX02***	All dates pre-debates		**rAX02***	All dates post-debates
Random Order for Questions About Bush's Traits	**cAX03***	All dates pre-debates		**rAX03***	All dates post-debates
Random Order for Questions About Kerry's Traits	**cAX04***	All dates pre-debates		**rAX04***	All dates post-debates

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Ⓒ Policy Issues—Opinions and Knowledge					
Current Events in General					
Country Going in Right Direction (Wording #1)	**cCA01**	All dates pre-debates		**rCA01**	All dates post-debates
Most Important Problem (Wording #1)	**cCA03***	All dates pre-debates		**rCA03***	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCA03/rCA03	**cCA04**	All dates pre-debates		**rCA04**	All dates post-debates
Most Important Problem (Wording #2)	**cCA05***	All dates pre-debates		**rCA05***	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCA05/rCA05	**cCA06**	All dates pre-debates		**rCA06**	All dates post-debates
Economic Issues					
Economic Issues in General					
Country's Economy Today	**cCB01**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB01**	All dates post-debates
Country's Economy Last Year	**cCB02**	9/29/04		**rCB02**	All dates post-debates
Country's Economy Next Year	**cCB03**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB03**	All dates post-debates
Personal Economic Situation Today	**cCB04**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB04**	All dates post-debates
Personal Economic Situation Last Year	**cCB05**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB05**	All dates post-debates
Approve of Bush Handling Economy	**cCB09**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB09**	All dates post-debates
Bush Policies Are Improving Economy	**cCB10**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB10**	All dates post-debates
Trust Bush or Kerry on Economy	**cCB11**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB11**	All dates post-debates
Taxes					
Taxes Will Increase if Bush Elected				**rCB14**	All dates post-debates
Taxes Will Increase if Kerry Elected				**rCB15**	All dates post-debates
Favor Making Bush Tax Cuts Permanent (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCB17**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB17**	All dates post-debates

* Variable has multi-part data.

	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
Variable Title	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Personally Benefited From Bush Tax Cuts	**cCB21**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB21**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Bush Tax Cuts Permanent	**cCB25**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB25**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCB25/rCB25	**cCB26**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB26**	All dates post-debates
Know Income Level at Which Kerry Would Repeal Bush Tax Cuts	**cCB27**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB27**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCB27/rCB27	**cCB28**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB28**	All dates post-debates
Favor Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #1 and Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCB34**	All dates pre-debates			
Favor Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #2)				**rCB35**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #1)	**cCB37**	All dates pre-debates			
Don't-Know Prompt for cCB37	**cCB38**	All dates pre-debates			
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #2)				**rCB39**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for rCB39				**rCB40**	All dates post-debates
Favor Eliminating Overseas Tax Breaks to Cut Taxes for Companies That Create Jobs (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCB45**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB45**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Eliminating Overseas Tax Breaks to Cut Taxes for Companies That Create Jobs	**cCB48**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB48**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCB48/rCB48	**cCB49**	All dates pre-debates		**rCB49**	All dates post-debates
Labor					
Know Number of Jobs Gained Under Bush				**rCB63**	All dates post-debates
Favor Increasing Minimum Wage				**rCB65**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Increasing Minimum Wage				**rCB66**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for rCB66				**rCB67**	All dates post-debates
Favor Making Union Organizing Easier (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCB72**	All dates pre-debates			
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Union Organizing Easier (Wording #2)	**cCB75**	All dates pre-debates			
Don't-Know Prompt for cCB75	**cCB76**	All dates pre-debates			

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview		Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule	Variable Name	Schedule
Trade				
Bush or Kerry Better at Preventing Outsourcing			**rCB86**	All dates post-debates
Health and Human Issues				
Health Insurance				
Favor Government Health Insurance for Children (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCC04**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC04**	All dates post-debates
Favor Government Health Insurance for Workers (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCC06**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC06**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Government Health Insurance for Children and Workers (Wording #2)	**cCC09**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC09**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCC09/rCC09	**cCC10**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC10**	All dates post-debates
Medicare				
Seniors or Companies Will Benefit More From Medicare Prescription Law			**rCC21**	All dates post-debates
Favor Re-Importing Drugs (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCC25**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC25**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Re-Importing Drugs	**cCC26**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC26**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCC26/rCC26	**cCC27**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC27**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Negotiating With Drug Companies			**rCC28**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for rCC28			**rCC29**	All dates post-debates
Social Security				
Favor Social Security in Stock Market (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCC32**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC32**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Social Security in Stock Market	**cCC34**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC34**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCC34/rCC34	**cCC35**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC35**	All dates post-debates
Education				
Familiar With No Child Left Behind	**cCC36**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC36**	All dates post-debates
No Child Left Behind Has Improved Schools (Wording #1)	**cCC37**	All dates pre-debates	**rCC37**	All dates post-debates

	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
Variable Title	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Foreign Affairs					
Foreign Affairs in General					
U.S. Is Regarded Differently Because of Bush	**cCD01**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD01**	All dates post-debates
Matters How U.S. Is Regarded Because of Bush	**cCD02**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD02**	All dates post-debates
Military Defense					
Trust Bush or Kerry to Be Commander-in-Chief	**cCD04**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD04**	All dates post-debates
Favor Moving Troops From Europe and Korea (Strongly Follow-Up)				**rCD08**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Moving Troops From Europe and Korea				**rCD09**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for rCD09				**rCD10**	All dates post-debates
Favor Reinstating Draft	**cCD11**	9/27/04–9/29/04			
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Reinstating Draft	**cCD12**	9/24/04–9/29/04			
Don't-Know Prompt for cCD12	**cCD13**	9/24/04–9/29/04			
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Reinstating Draft				**rCD14**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for rCD14				**rCD15**	All dates post-debates
Think Bush Will Reinstate Draft				**rCD16**	All dates post-debates
Think Kerry Will Reinstate Draft				**rCD17**	All dates post-debates
Veterans Getting Health Care They Were Promised	**cCD18**	9/27/04–9/29/04			
Iraq					
Approve of Bush Handling Iraq	**cCD19**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD19**	All dates post-debates
Iraq War Was Worth It	**cCD21**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD21**	All dates post-debates
Iraq War Was Worth It Despite Counterarguments	**cCD22**	9/24/04–9/29/04			
Iraq War Was Not Worth It Despite Counterarguments	**cCD23**	9/24/04–9/29/04			
Cost of Iraq War Was Necessary	**cCD25**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD25**	All dates post-debates
Iraq War Reduced Risk of Terrorism	**cCD31**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD31**	All dates post-debates

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Favor Keeping Troops in Iraq Until Government Stable	**cCD35**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD35**	All dates post-debates
Bush Has Plan for Iraq	**cCD42**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD42**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Has Plan for Iraq	**cCD43**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD43**	All dates post-debates
Regular Military Sent to Iraq Properly Prepared	**cCD50**	9/27/04–9/29/04			
Guard and Reserves Sent to Iraq Properly Prepared	**cCD51**	9/27/04–9/29/04			
Pentagon Overburdened Guard and Reserves	**cCD52**	9/27/04–9/29/04			
Halliburton Awarded Contracts Because of Cheney				**rCD54**	All dates post-debates
Terrorism and Homeland Security					
Feel Safer Because of Government Efforts After 9/11 (Wording #2)	**cCD59**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD59**	All dates post-debates
Chance of Terrorist Attack in Next Year	**cCD60**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD60**	All dates post-debates
Approve of Bush Handling Terrorism	**cCD61**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD61**	All dates post-debates
Trust Bush or Kerry on Terrorism	**cCD62**	All dates pre-debates		**rCD62**	All dates post-debates
Social Issues					
Abortion					
Favor Banning All Abortions	**cCE01**	9/20/04			
Favor Making Abortion More Difficult	**cCE02**	9/21/04–9/29/04		**rCE02**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Abortion More Difficult	**cCE03**	9/21/04–9/29/04		**rCE03**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCE03/rCE03	**cCE04**	9/21/04–9/29/04		**rCE04**	All dates post-debates
Stem Cell Research					
Favor Stem Cell Funding (Wording #2 and Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCE09**	All dates pre-debates			
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Stem Cell Funding (Wording #2)	**cCE12**	All dates pre-debates			
Don't-Know Prompt for cCE12	**cCE13**	All dates pre-debates			
Favor Additional Stem Cell Lines				**rCE14**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Additional Stem Cell Lines				**rCE15**	All dates post-debates

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview		Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule	Variable Name	Schedule
Don't-Know Prompt for rCE15			**rCE16**	All dates post-debates
Gay Rights				
Favor Federal Marriage Amendment (Wording #5)	**cCE21**	All dates pre-debates	**rCE21**	All dates post-debates
Favor Gays in Military	**cCE28**	9/27/04–9/29/04		
Other Civil Rights Issues				
Offended by Redskins' Name	**cCE30**	9/20/04–9/26/04		
Gun Control				
Favor Gun Control	**cCE31**	All dates pre-debates	**rCE31**	All dates post-debates
Favor Assault Weapons Ban (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCE34**	All dates pre-debates	**rCE34**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Assault Weapons Ban (Wording #2)	**cCE37**	All dates pre-debates	**rCE37**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCE37/rCE37	**cCE38**	All dates pre-debates	**rCE38**	All dates post-debates
Energy and Environment				
Energy				
Bush or Kerry Would Do More on Foreign Oil	**cCF02**	9/29/04	**rCF02**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cCF02/rCF02	**cCF03**	9/29/04	**rCF03**	All dates post-debates
Legal Issues				
Favor Limiting Lawsuits (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCG02**	9/20/04–9/22/04		
Favor Limiting Malpractice Awards			**rCG07**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Limiting Malpractice Awards			**rCG08**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for rCG08			**rCG09**	All dates post-debates
Other Policy Issues				
Supreme Court Important in Vote	**cCH01**	9/22/04–9/29/04	**rCH01**	All dates post-debates
Comfortable With Bush Making Supreme Court Nominations	**cCH02**	9/22/04–9/29/04	**rCH02**	All dates post-debates
Comfortable With Kerry Making Supreme Court Nominations	**cCH03**	9/22/04–9/29/04	**rCH03**	All dates post-debates

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	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Ⓓ Candidates' Biographies—Opinions and Knowledge					
Familiar With Kerry's Anti-War Statements	**cDA09**	All dates pre-debates		**rDA09**	All dates post-debates
Approve of Kerry's Anti-War Statements (Wording #1)	**cDA10**	All dates pre-debates		**rDA10**	All dates post-debates
Bush Fulfilled National Guard Obligations	**cDA15**	All dates pre-debates		**rDA15**	All dates post-debates
Bush in National Guard Will Affect Vote	**cDA16**	All dates pre-debates		**rDA16**	All dates post-debates
Know if Bush or Kerry Is Former Prosecutor	**cDA17**	All dates pre-debates		**rDA17**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cDA17/rDA17	**cDA18**	All dates pre-debates		**rDA18**	All dates post-debates
Ⓔ Media—Exposure and Opinions					
TV News					
Watched Network News in Past Week	**cEA01**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA01**	All dates post-debates
Network News Channel Watched Most	**cEA02**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA02**	All dates post-debates
Watched Cable News in Past Week	**cEA03**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA03**	All dates post-debates
Cable News Channel Watched Most	**cEA04***	All dates pre-debates		**rEA04***	All dates post-debates
Attention to Political News on Network or Cable TV in Past Week	**cEA05**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA05**	All dates post-debates
Watched Local News in Past Week	**cEA06**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA06**	All dates post-debates
Attention to Political News on Local TV in Past Week	**cEA07**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA07**	All dates post-debates
Watched Spanish News in Past Week	**cEA08**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA08**	All dates post-debates
Watched BET News in Past Week	**cEA09**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA09**	All dates post-debates
Newspapers					
Read Newspaper in Past Week	**cEA10**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA10**	All dates post-debates
Newspaper Read Most	**cEA11***	All dates pre-debates		**rEA11***	All dates post-debates

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Read Wall Street Journal Editorial Page	**cEA12**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA12**	All dates post-debates
Attention to Political News in Newspaper in Past Week	**cEA13**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA13**	All dates post-debates
Talk Radio					
Listened to NPR in Past Week	**cEA14**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA14**	All dates post-debates
Listened to Talk Radio Other Than NPR in Past Week	**cEA15**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA15**	All dates post-debates
Talk Radio Programs Listened to in Past Week	**cEA16***	All dates pre-debates		**rEA16***	All dates post-debates
Talk Radio Program Listen to Most	**cEA17***	All dates pre-debates		**rEA17***	All dates post-debates
Late-Night Comedy					
Watched Late-Night Comedy in Past Week	**cEA18**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA18**	All dates post-debates
Late-Night Comedy Program Watched Most (Wording #2)	**cEA20***	All dates pre-debates		**rEA20***	All dates post-debates
Online Political Information					
Have Online Access	**cEA21**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA21**	All dates post-debates
Accessed Political Information Online in Past Week (Wording #1)	**cEA22**	All dates pre-debates		**rEA22**	All dates post-debates
Accessed Political Information Online in Past Week (Wording #2)	**cEA23**	9/20/04–9/28/04		**rEA23**	All dates post-debates
Source of Online Political Information in Past Week	**cEA24***	All dates pre-debates		**rEA24***	All dates post-debates
(F) Political Discourse—Exposure and Opinions					
Debates					
First General Election Presidential Debate					
Watched Sept. 30 Bush-Kerry Debate				**rFA03**	All dates post-debates
Second Presidential Debate					
Watched Oct. 8 Bush-Kerry Debate				**rFA10**	All dates post-debates
Third Presidential Debate					
Watched Oct. 13 Bush-Kerry Debate				**rFA17**	All dates post-debates

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview		Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule	Variable Name	Schedule
Appropriate for Kerry to Mention Cheney's Lesbian Daughter in Debate			**rFA24**	10/18/04–10/24/04
Vice Presidential Debate				
Watched Cheney-Edwards Debate			**rFA25**	All dates post-debates
Cheney or Edwards Did Best in Debate (Watched Debate)			**rFA27**	All dates post-debates
Cheney Did Better Than Expected in Debate			**rFA28**	All dates post-debates
Edwards Did Better Than Expected in Debate			**rFA29**	All dates post-debates
Familiar With Cheney-Edwards Debate (Did Not Watch)			**rFA30**	All dates post-debates
Cheney or Edwards Did Best in Debate (Did Not Watch)			**rFA31**	All dates post-debates
General Election Debates Overall				
Bush or Kerry Did Best in Debates Overall (Watched Debates)			**rFA32**	All dates post-debates
Bush Did Better Than Expected in Debates Overall			**rFA33**	All dates post-debates
Kerry Did Better Than Expected in Debates Overall			**rFA34**	All dates post-debates
Familiar With Bush-Kerry Debates (Did Not Watch)			**rFA35**	All dates post-debates
Bush or Kerry Did Best in Debates Overall (Did Not Watch)			**rFA36**	All dates post-debates
Contact With Campaigns and Political Groups				
Offered Help to Get Early Ballot	**cFD12***	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rFD12***	All dates post-debates
Offered Help to Get Early Ballot by Republicans or Democrats	**cFD13***	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rFD13***	All dates post-debates
Offered Help to Get Early Ballot by Advocate for Candidate	**cFD14**	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rFD14**	All dates post-debates
Opinions of Political Discourse Overall				
Candidates' Rhetoric				
Bush Criticizing Opponent	**cFF04**	All dates pre-debates		
Kerry Criticizing Opponent	**cFF05**	All dates pre-debates		
Bush Talking About Solving Problems	**cFF06**	All dates pre-debates		
Kerry Talking About Solving Problems	**cFF07**	All dates pre-debates		

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Learning From Political Discourse					
Learned Enough About Candidates and Issues So Far	**cFF16**	All dates pre-debates		**rFF16**	All dates post-debates
Learned Enough About Candidates and Issues Before General Election	**cFF17**	9/23/04–9/29/04		**rFF17**	All dates post-debates
Ⓚ Political Participation					
Interest in Politics and the Campaign					
Follow Politics	**cKA01**	All dates pre-debates		**rKA01**	All dates post-debates
Following Campaign	**cKA04**	All dates pre-debates		**rKA04**	All dates post-debates
Interested in Campaign	**cKA05**	All dates pre-debates			
Political Discussion					
Discussed Politics With Family or Friends in Past Week	**cKB01**	All dates pre-debates		**rKB01**	All dates post-debates
Discussed Politics at Work in Past Week	**cKB03**	All dates pre-debates		**rKB03**	All dates post-debates
Discussed Politics Online in Past Week	**cKB05**	All dates pre-debates		**rKB05**	All dates post-debates
Involvement in Campaigning					
Tried to Influence Others' Voting	**cKC02**	All dates pre-debates		**rKC02**	All dates post-debates
Attended Political Meetings	**cKC03**	All dates pre-debates		**rKC03**	All dates post-debates
Did Other Work for Candidate	**cKC04**	All dates pre-debates		**rKC04**	All dates post-debates
Donated Money to Candidate	**cKC05**	All dates pre-debates		**rKC05**	All dates post-debates
Method of Donating Money to Candidate	**cKC06***	All dates pre-debates		**rKC06***	All dates post-debates
Wore Campaign Button or Displayed Sign	**cKC07**	All dates pre-debates		**rKC07**	All dates post-debates
Ⓜ Orientation to Politics					
Ideology					
Party ID	**cMA01***	All dates pre-debates		**rMA01***	All dates post-debates

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Strength of Party ID	**cMA02**	All dates pre-debates		**rMA02**	All dates post-debates
Lean Republican or Democrat	**cMA03**	All dates pre-debates		**rMA03**	All dates post-debates
Conservative or Liberal	**cMA06**	All dates pre-debates		**rMA06**	All dates post-debates
Confidence in Institutions, Political Efficacy, and Cynicism					
Politics Too Complicated	**cMB10**	All dates pre-debates		**rMB10**	All dates post-debates
General Political Knowledge					
Know Cheney Is Vice President	**cMC01***	All dates pre-debates		**rMC01***	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cMC01/rMC01	**cMC02**	All dates pre-debates		**rMC02**	All dates post-debates
Know Supreme Court Determines Constitutionality of Laws	**cMC03**	All dates pre-debates		**rMC03**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cMC03/rMC03	**cMC04**	All dates pre-debates		**rMC04**	All dates post-debates
Know Two-Thirds Majority Overrides Veto	**cMC05***	All dates pre-debates		**rMC05***	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cMC05/rMC05	**cMC06**	All dates pre-debates		**rMC06**	All dates post-debates
Know Republicans Are Majority Party in House	**cMC07**	All dates pre-debates		**rMC07**	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cMC07/rMC07	**cMC08**	All dates pre-debates		**rMC08**	All dates post-debates
Ⓝ Candidates' Electoral Chances and Endorsements					
Assessments of Candidates' Electoral Chances					
Candidates' General Election Chances					
Chance Kerry Will Beat Bush	**cNA21**	All dates pre-debates		**rNA21**	All dates post-debates
Chance Bush Will Beat Kerry	**cNA22**	All dates pre-debates		**rNA22**	All dates post-debates
Random Assignment to cNA21–cNA22 / rNA21–rNA22	**cNA23**	All dates pre-debates		**rNA23**	All dates post-debates

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview		Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule	Variable Name	Schedule
Ⓡ Voting Behavior and Attitudes				
Voter Registration				
Registered to Vote	**cRA01**	All dates pre-debates	**rRA01**	All dates post-debates
Voting in Presidential Primary				
Democratic Presidential Primary Election Status	**cRB01**	All dates pre-debates	**rRB01**	All dates post-debates
Actual Primary Voting				
Voted in Primary	**cRB11**	All dates pre-debates	**rRB11**	All dates post-debates
Voted in Republican or Democratic Primary	**cRB12**	All dates pre-debates	**rRB12**	All dates post-debates
Candidate Voted for in Democratic Primary	**cRB13**	All dates pre-debates	**rRB13**	All dates post-debates
Voting in General Election				
Intended General Election Voting				
Intend to Vote in General Election	**cRC01**	All dates pre-debates	**rRC01**	All dates post-debates
Chance of Voting in General Election	**cRC02**	All dates pre-debates	**rRC02**	All dates post-debates
Intend to Vote for Bush, Kerry, or Nader (Wording #5)	**cRC14**	All dates pre-debates	**rRC14**	All dates post-debates
Intend to Vote for Bush or Kerry if Nader Not on Ballot	**cRC15**	All dates pre-debates	**rRC15**	All dates post-debates
Definitely Intend to Vote for Bush in General Election	**cRC16**	All dates pre-debates	**rRC16**	All dates post-debates
Definitely Intend to Vote for Kerry in General Election	**cRC17**	All dates pre-debates	**rRC17**	All dates post-debates
Definitely Intend to Vote for Nader in General Election	**cRC18**	All dates pre-debates	**rRC18**	All dates post-debates
Supporting Bush Because Against Kerry	**cRC23**	All dates pre-debates	**rRC23**	All dates post-debates
Supporting Kerry Because Against Bush	**cRC24**	All dates pre-debates	**rRC24**	All dates post-debates
Intend to Early Vote in General Election	**cRC26**	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rRC26**	All dates post-debates
Intended Method of Early Voting in General Election	**cRC27**	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rRC27**	All dates post-debates

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview		Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule	Variable Name	Schedule
Actual General Election Voting				
Voted in General Election	**cRC28**	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rRC28**	All dates post-debates
Voted for Bush, Kerry, or Nader	**cRC29**	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rRC29**	All dates post-debates
Supported Bush Because Against Kerry	**cRC38**	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rRC38**	All dates post-debates
Supported Kerry Because Against Bush	**cRC39**	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rRC39**	All dates post-debates
Early Voted in General Election	**cRC40**	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rRC40**	All dates post-debates
Method of Early Voting in General Election	**cRC41**	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rRC41**	All dates post-debates
Date of Early Voting in General Election (Asked Pre-Election)	**cRC42**	9/23/04–9/29/04	**rRC42**	All dates post-debates
Voting in Past Elections				
Voted in 2000 General Election	**cRD01**	All dates pre-debates	**rRD01**	All dates post-debates
Random Question Order				
Random Response Option Order for Presidential Vote in Primary	**cRX01***	All dates pre-debates	**rRX01***	All dates post-debates
Random Response Option Order for Presidential Vote in General Election	**cRX02***	All dates pre-debates	**rRX02***	All dates post-debates
Ⓤ Congressional Election—Opinions and Voting				
Congressional District	**cUA01**⊗	All dates pre-debates		
Know Names of Incumbent Senators	**cUA02***	All dates pre-debates	**rUA02***	All dates post-debates
Don't-Know Prompt for cUA02/rUA02	**cUA03**	All dates pre-debates	**rUA03**	All dates post-debates
Voted in 2002 Election (Wording #1)	**cUA07**	All dates pre-debates	**rUA07**	All dates post-debates
Voted in 2002 Election (Wording #2)	**cUA08**	All dates pre-debates	**rUA08**	All dates post-debates
House Candidate Voted for in 2002	**cUA09**	All dates pre-debates	**rUA09**	All dates post-debates

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Ⓦ Demographics					
Sex, Age, Education, and Income					
Sex	**cWA01**	All dates pre-debates			
Age	**cWA02**	All dates pre-debates			
Education	**cWA03**	All dates pre-debates			
Household Income	**cWA04**	All dates pre-debates			
Employment					
Employment Status	**cWB01**	All dates pre-debates			
Line of Work (Employed)	**cWB02***	All dates pre-debates			
Self-Employed	**cWB04**	All dates pre-debates			
Employed by Government	**cWB05**	All dates pre-debates			
Anyone in Household Belongs to Labor Union	**cWB06**	All dates pre-debates			
Any Other Adults in Household Unemployed	**cWB07**	All dates pre-debates			
Know of Anyone Who Lost Job in Past Six Months (Wording #1)	**cWB08**	All dates pre-debates			
Know of Anyone Who Lost Job in Past Six Months (Wording #2)	**cWB09**	All dates pre-debates			
Race and Ethnicity, Citizenship, and Residency					
Hispanic	**cWC01**	All dates pre-debates			
Line of Hispanic Origin	**cWC02***	All dates pre-debates			
Race	**cWC03***	All dates pre-debates			
Born in U.S.	**cWC04**	All dates pre-debates			
U.S. Citizen	**cWC05**	All dates pre-debates			
Years Lived in U.S.	**cWC06**	All dates pre-debates			
Years at Present Address	**cWC07**	All dates pre-debates			

Variable Title	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Religion					
Attend Religious Services	**cWD01**	All dates pre-debates			
Religion (Attend Religious Services)	**cWD02***	All dates pre-debates			
Religion (Do Not Attend Religious Services)	**cWD03***	All dates pre-debates			
Born-Again Christian	**cWD04**	All dates pre-debates			
Military Service					
Anyone in Household Ever Served in Military	**cWE01**	All dates pre-debates			
Anyone in Household Currently in Military	**cWE04**	All dates pre-debates			
Branch of Military Respondent Currently Serving In	**cWE05***	All dates pre-debates			
Branch of Military Other Household Member Currently Serving In	**cWE06***	All dates pre-debates			
Household Composition and Location					
Household Size and Marital Status					
Total Adults in Household	**cWF01**	All dates pre-debates			
Total Children in Household	**cWF03**	All dates pre-debates			
Marital Status	**cWF07**	All dates pre-debates			
Household Location and Number of Phone Lines					
Census Division	**cWF08**	All dates pre-debates			
Metropolitan Statistical Area	**cWF09**⊗	All dates pre-debates			
County	**cWF10**⊗	All dates pre-debates			
Zip Code (Estimated From Phone)	**cWF11**⊗	All dates pre-debates			
Zip Code (Reported by Respondent)	**cWF12**⊗	All dates pre-debates			
Urbanity	**cWF13**	All dates pre-debates			
Media Market	**cWF14**⊗	All dates pre-debates			
Phone Landlines in Household	**cWF15**	All dates pre-debates			

	Pre-Debates Interview			Post-Debates Interview	
Variable Title	Variable Name	Schedule		Variable Name	Schedule
Have Cell Phone	**cWF16**	All dates pre-debates			
Other Demographics					
Anyone in Household Owns Gun (Wording #2)	**cWG02**	All dates pre-debates			
Anyone in Household Belongs to NRA (Wording #2)	**cWG04**	All dates pre-debates			
Know of Someone Gay or Lesbian	**cWG05**	All dates pre-debates			
Ⓨ Interview Language and Interviewer ID					
Interviewer ID	**cYA01**	All dates pre-debates		**rYA01**	All dates post-debates
Interviewer Sex	**cYA02**	All dates pre-debates		**rYA02**	All dates post-debates
Interviewer Race	**cYA03**	All dates pre-debates		**rYA03**	All dates post-debates
Interview Language	**cYA04**	All dates pre-debates		**rYA04**	All dates post-debates
Interviewer's Evaluation of Interview Overall	**cYA05**	All dates pre-debates		**rYA05**	All dates post-debates
Interviewer's Evaluation of Respondent's Political Knowledge	**cYA06**	All dates pre-debates		**rYA06**	All dates post-debates

NAES04

Debates Panel

Detailed Variable Listing

Debates Panel
Detailed Variable Listing

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

0 Study and Respondent ID, and Question Module Assignment

cINT **Interviewing Component, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

101 National Rolling Cross-Section

rINT **Interviewing Component, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

203 Post-Debates Re-Interview

cKEY **Respondent ID**

Schedule **All dates**

cKEY is a 10-digit number that uniquely identifies each NAES04 respondent. Respondents who were interviewed more than once for the NAES04 can be identified across interviewing components by cKEY.

Number **0–9999999999**

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cHKEY **Household ID**

Schedule **All dates**

cHKEY is a nine-digit number that uniquely identifies each household interviewed for the NAES04. Households interviewed more than once can be identified across interviewing components by cHKEY.

Number **0–999999999**

cAC⊗ **Area Code**

Schedule **All dates**

cAC is the area code of the respondent's phone number, that is, the first three digits of the randomly generated 10-digit phone number that was used to select and interview the respondent for the survey.

Number **201–989**

⊗ Restricted-access data (request from APPC)

cST State (Two-Letter Abbreviation)

Schedule **All dates**

cST indicates the respondent's state of residence as a two-letter U.S. Postal Service abbreviation.

See also cSTNUM.

AL	Alabama (1)
AR	Arkansas (5)
AZ	Arizona (4)
CA	California (6)
CO	Colorado (8)
CT	Connecticut (9)
DC	Washington, DC (11)
DE	Delaware (10)
FL	Florida (12)
GA	Georgia (13)
IA	Iowa (19)
ID	Idaho (16)
IL	Illinois (17)
IN	Indiana (18)
KS	Kansas (20)
KY	Kentucky (21)
LA	Louisiana (22)
MA	Massachusetts (25)
MD	Maryland (24)
ME	Maine (23)
MI	Michigan (26)
MN	Minnesota (27)
MO	Missouri (29)
MS	Mississippi (28)
MT	Montana (30)
NC	North Carolina (37)
ND	North Dakota (38)
NE	Nebraska (31)
NH	New Hampshire (33)

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← **NJ** New Jersey (34)
NM New Mexico (35)
NV Nevada (32)
NY New York (36)
OH Ohio (39)
OK Oklahoma (40)
OR Oregon (41)
PA Pennsylvania (42)
RI Rhode Island (44)
SC South Carolina (45)
SD South Dakota (46)
TN Tennessee (47)
TX Texas (48)
UT Utah (49)
VA Virginia (51)
VT Vermont (50)
WA Washington (53)
WI Wisconsin (55)
WV West Virginia (54)
WY Wyoming (56)

cSTNUM State (Numeric Code)

Schedule **All dates**

cSTNUM indicates the respondent's state of residence as a two-digit U.S. Census Bureau state code.

See also cST.

1 AL (Alabama)
4 AZ (Arizona)
5 AR (Arkansas)
6 CA (California)
8 CO (Colorado)
9 CT (Connecticut)
10 DE (Delaware)
11 DC (Washington, DC)
12 FL (Florida)
13 GA (Georgia)
16 ID (Idaho)
17 IL (Illinois)
18 IN (Indiana)
19 IA (Iowa)
20 KS (Kansas)
21 KY (Kentucky)
22 LA (Louisiana)
23 ME (Maine)
24 MD (Maryland)
25 MA (Massachusetts)
26 MI (Michigan)
27 MN (Minnesota)
28 MS (Mississippi)
29 MO (Missouri)
30 MT (Montana)
31 NE (Nebraska)
32 NV (Nevada)
33 NH (New Hampshire)
34 NJ (New Jersey)

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← **35** NM (New Mexico)
36 NY (New York)
37 NC (North Carolina)
38 ND (North Dakota)
39 OH (Ohio)
40 OK (Oklahoma)
41 OR (Oregon)
42 PA (Pennsylvania)
44 RI (Rhode Island)
45 SC (South Carolina)
46 SD (South Dakota)
47 TN (Tennessee)
48 TX (Texas)
49 UT (Utah)
50 VT (Vermont)
51 VA (Virginia)
53 WA (Washington)
54 WV (West Virginia)
55 WI (Wisconsin)
56 WY (Wyoming)

cDATE Interview Date, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cDATE indicates the calendar date that the interview was conducted. Date is recorded in the format YYYYMMDD; for example, 20040102 means Jan. 2, 2004.

The interview date is recorded in the respondent's time zone. For example, if a respondent in the Pacific time zone was interviewed on Jan. 2, 2004, at 9:01 pm local time (on Jan. 3 at 12:01 am Eastern time), the interview date is recorded as Jan. 2, 2004.

If the interview was conducted over multiple sessions, interview date is the date of the final interview session.

Number **20031007–20041116**

rDATE Interview Date, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

rDATE indicates the calendar date that the interview was conducted. Date is recorded in the format YYYYMMDD; for example, 20040102 means Jan. 2, 2004.

The interview date is recorded in the respondent's time zone. For example, if a respondent in the Pacific time zone was interviewed on Jan. 2, 2004, at 9:01 pm local time (on Jan. 3 at 12:01 am Eastern time), the interview date is recorded as Jan. 2, 2004.

If the interview was conducted over multiple sessions, interview date is the date of the final interview session.

Number **20041014–20041024**

cTIME Interview Start Time, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cTIME indicates the time of day that the interview started. Time is recorded in the 24-hour format HHMM; for example, 1000 means 10 am, 1200 means noon, 2130 means 9:30 pm, and 0000 means midnight.

The interview start time is recorded in the Eastern time zone. For example, if a respondent in the Pacific time zone was interviewed starting at 9:01 pm local time, the interview time is recorded as 12:01 am Eastern time.

The value 9999 indicates that the interview was conducted over multiple sessions.

Number **0–2359**
9999 Interview completed in multiple sessions

rTIME Interview Start Time, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

rTIME indicates the time of day that the interview started. Time is recorded in the 24-hour format HHMM; for example, 1000 means 10 am, 1200 means noon, 2130 means 9:30 pm, and 0000 means midnight.

The interview start time is recorded in the Eastern time zone. For example, if a respondent in the Pacific time zone was interviewed starting at 9:01 pm local time, the interview time is recorded as 12:01 am Eastern time.

The value 9999 indicates that the interview was conducted over multiple sessions.

Number **0–2359**
9999 Interview completed in multiple sessions

cXA Random Assignment to Question Module A1 or A2

Schedule **All dates**

Throughout the survey, some variables were measured only for respondents randomly assigned to particular question modules. cXA indicates random assignment to question module A1 or A2.

See also cXB–cXC. See the sample split summary for a listing of variables affected by question modules and other sample splits.

1 Question module A1
2 Question module A2

cXB Random Assignment to Question Module B1, B2, or B3

Schedule **All dates**

Throughout the survey, some variables were measured only for respondents randomly assigned to particular question modules. cXB indicates random assignment to question module B1, B2, or B3.

See also cXA, cXC. See the sample split summary for a listing of variables affected by question modules and other sample splits.

1 Question module B1
2 Question module B2
3 Question module B3

cXC Random Assignment to Question Module C1, C2, C3, or C4

Schedule **All dates**

Throughout the survey, some variables were measured only for respondents randomly assigned to particular question modules. cXC indicates random assignment to question module C1, C2, C3, or C4.

See also cXA–cXB. See the sample split summary for a listing of variables affected by question modules and other sample splits.

1 Question module C1
2 Question module C2
3 Question module C3
4 Question module C4

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Ⓐ General Opinions of Candidates, Political Figures, and Groups

Opinions of Bush

cAA01 Bush Favorability, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Questions 9, 91 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate George W. Bush? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize name
12	Know name but cannot rate
999	Refused

rAA01 Bush Favorability, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 91 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate George W. Bush? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize name
12	Know name but cannot rate
999	Refused

cAA02 Bush Job Approval, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 126 Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as president?

If approve/disapprove: Do you (approve/disapprove) strongly or only somewhat?

1 Strongly approve
2 Somewhat approve
3 Somewhat disapprove
4 Strongly disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rAA02 Bush Job Approval, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 126 Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as president?

If approve/disapprove: Do you (approve/disapprove) strongly or only somewhat?

1 Strongly approve
2 Somewhat approve
3 Somewhat disapprove
4 Strongly disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cAA03 Bush Favorability as Person, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 146 I'd like to ask you how you feel about George W. Bush, as a person, as opposed to how you feel about the job he is doing. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of him as a person?

If favorable/unfavorable: Is that very (favorable/unfavorable) or somewhat (favorable/unfavorable)?

1 Very favorable
2 Somewhat favorable
3 Somewhat unfavorable
4 Very unfavorable
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

rAA03 Bush Favorability as Person, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 146 I'd like to ask you how you feel about George W. Bush, as a person, as opposed to how you feel about the job he is doing. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of him as a person?

If favorable/unfavorable: Is that very (favorable/unfavorable) or somewhat (favorable/unfavorable)?

1 Very favorable
2 Somewhat favorable
3 Somewhat unfavorable
4 Very unfavorable
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

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cAA04 Bush Cares About People Like Me, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 152 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "cares about people like me" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA04 Bush Cares About People Like Me, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 152 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "cares about people like me" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA05 Bush Inspiring, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 153 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "inspiring" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA05 Bush Inspiring, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 153 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "inspiring" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA06 Bush Strong Leader, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 154 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "strong leader" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA06 Bush Strong Leader, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 154 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "strong leader" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA07 Bush Trustworthy, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 155 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "trustworthy" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA07 Bush Trustworthy, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 155 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "trustworthy" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cAA08 Bush Shares My Values, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 156 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "shares my values" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA08 Bush Shares My Values, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 156 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "shares my values" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA09 Bush Knowledgeable, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 157 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "knowledgeable" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA09 Bush Knowledgeable, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 157 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "knowledgeable" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA10 Bush Reckless, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 158 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "reckless" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA10 Bush Reckless, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 158 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "reckless" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA12 Bush Says One Thing, Does Another, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 160 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "says one thing but does another" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA12 Bush Says One Thing, Does Another, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 160 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "says one thing but does another" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

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cAA13 Bush Has Right Experience, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 161 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "has the right kind of experience to be president" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA13 Bush Has Right Experience, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 161 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "has the right kind of experience to be president" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA14 Bush Easy to Like, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 162 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "he's easy to like as a person" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA14 Bush Easy to Like, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 162 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "he's easy to like as a person" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA20 Bush Out of Touch, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 168 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "out of touch with people like me" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA20 Bush Out of Touch, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 168 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "out of touch with people like me" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA22 Bush Arrogant, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/27/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 170 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "arrogant" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA22 Bush Arrogant, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 170 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "arrogant" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

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cAA23 Bush Optimistic, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 171 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "optimistic" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA23 Bush Optimistic, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 171 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "optimistic" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA24 Bush Effective, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 172 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "effective, gets things done" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA24 Bush Effective, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 172 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "effective, gets things done" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA25 Bush Decisive, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 173 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "decisive" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA25 Bush Decisive, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 173 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "decisive" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA26 Bush Flip-Flops, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 174 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "flip-flops on the issues" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA26 Bush Flip-Flops, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 174 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "flip-flops on the issues" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA27 Bush Honest, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/20/04–9/26/04**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 175 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "honest" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAA28 Bush Not Willing to Admit Mistakes, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 176 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "not willing to admit it when he makes a mistake" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAA30 Bush Conservative or Liberal, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
cAA01 = 0–10

Question 237 Which of the following best describes the views of George W. Bush—very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal, or very liberal?

1 Very conservative
2 Conservative
3 Moderate
4 Liberal
5 Very liberal
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rAA30 Bush Conservative or Liberal, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Bush**
rAA01 = 0–10

Question 237 Which of the following best describes the views of George W. Bush—very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal, or very liberal?

1 Very conservative
2 Conservative
3 Moderate
4 Liberal
5 Very liberal
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cAA31 Bush Makes Me Angry, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 669 Does George W. Bush make you angry, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very angry, somewhat angry, a little angry, or not very angry at all?

1 Yes, very
2 Somewhat
3 Little
4 Not very
5 Does not make angry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rAA31 Bush Makes Me Angry, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 669 Does George W. Bush make you angry, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very angry, somewhat angry, a little angry, or not very angry at all?

1 Yes, very
2 Somewhat
3 Little
4 Not very
5 Does not make angry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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cAA32 Bush Makes Me Uneasy, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 671 Does George W. Bush make you uneasy, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very uneasy, somewhat uneasy, a little uneasy, or not very uneasy at all?

1	Yes, very
2	Somewhat
3	Little
4	Not very
5	Does not make uneasy
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rAA32 Bush Makes Me Uneasy, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 671 Does George W. Bush make you uneasy, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very uneasy, somewhat uneasy, a little uneasy, or not very uneasy at all?

1	Yes, very
2	Somewhat
3	Little
4	Not very
5	Does not make uneasy
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cAA33 Bush Makes Me Afraid, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 673 Does George W. Bush make you afraid, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very afraid, somewhat afraid, a little afraid, or not very afraid at all?

1	Yes, very
2	Somewhat
3	Little
4	Not very
5	Does not make afraid
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rAA33 Bush Makes Me Afraid, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 673 Does George W. Bush make you afraid, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very afraid, somewhat afraid, a little afraid, or not very afraid at all?

1	Yes, very
2	Somewhat
3	Little
4	Not very
5	Does not make afraid
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Opinions of Kerry

cAB01 Kerry Favorability, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Questions 12, 97 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate John Kerry? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number **0–10**
11 Do not recognize name
12 Know name but cannot rate
999 Refused

rAB01 Kerry Favorability, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 97 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate John Kerry? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number **0–10**
11 Do not recognize name
12 Know name but cannot rate
999 Refused

cAB02 Kerry Cares About People Like Me, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 205 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "cares about people like me" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB02 Kerry Cares About People Like Me, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 205 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "cares about people like me" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB03 Kerry Inspiring, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 206 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "inspiring" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB03 Kerry Inspiring, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 206 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "inspiring" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB04 Kerry Strong Leader, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 207 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "strong leader" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB04 Kerry Strong Leader, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 207 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "strong leader" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

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cAB05 Kerry Trustworthy, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 208 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "trustworthy" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB05 Kerry Trustworthy, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 208 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "trustworthy" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB06 Kerry Shares My Values, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 209 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "shares my values" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB06 Kerry Shares My Values, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 209 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "shares my values" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB07 Kerry Knowledgeable, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 210 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "knowledgeable" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB07 Kerry Knowledgeable, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 210 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "knowledgeable" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB08 Kerry Reckless, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 211 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "reckless" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB08 Kerry Reckless, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 211 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "reckless" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

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cAB10 Kerry Says One Thing, Does Another, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 213 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "says one thing but does another" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB10 Kerry Says One Thing, Does Another, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 213 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "says one thing but does another" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB11 Kerry Has Right Experience, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 214 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "has the right kind of experience to be president" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB11 Kerry Has Right Experience, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 214 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "has the right kind of experience to be president" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB12 Kerry Easy to Like, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 215 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "he's easy to like as a person" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB12 Kerry Easy to Like, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 215 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "he's easy to like as a person" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB18 Kerry Out of Touch, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 221 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "out of touch with people like me" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB18 Kerry Out of Touch, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 221 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "out of touch with people like me" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cAB20 Kerry Arrogant, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/27/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 223 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "arrogant" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB20 Kerry Arrogant, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 223 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "arrogant" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB21 Kerry Optimistic, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 224 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "optimistic" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB21 Kerry Optimistic, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 224 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "optimistic" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB22 Kerry Effective, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 225 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "effective, gets things done" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB22 Kerry Effective, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 225 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "effective, gets things done" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB23 Kerry Decisive, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 226 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "decisive" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB23 Kerry Decisive, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 226 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "decisive" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB24 Kerry Flip-Flops, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 227 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "flip-flops on the issues" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB24 Kerry Flip-Flops, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 227 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "flip-flops on the issues" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB25 Kerry Honest, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/20/04–9/26/04**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 228 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "honest" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

rAB26 Kerry Not Willing to Admit Mistakes, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 229 On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "not willing to admit it when he makes a mistake" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 2–3

cAB27 Kerry Conservative or Liberal, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 242 Which of the following best describes the views of John Kerry—very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal, or very liberal?

1 Very conservative
2 Conservative
3 Moderate
4 Liberal
5 Very liberal
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rAB27 Kerry Conservative or Liberal, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 242 Which of the following best describes the views of John Kerry—very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal, or very liberal?

1 Very conservative
2 Conservative
3 Moderate
4 Liberal
5 Very liberal
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cAB28 Kerry Makes Me Angry, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 670 Does John Kerry make you angry, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very angry, somewhat angry, a little angry, or not very angry at all?

1	Yes, very
2	Somewhat
3	Little
4	Not very
5	Does not make angry
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rAB28 Kerry Makes Me Angry, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 670 Does John Kerry make you angry, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very angry, somewhat angry, a little angry, or not very angry at all?

1	Yes, very
2	Somewhat
3	Little
4	Not very
5	Does not make angry
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cAB29 Kerry Makes Me Uneasy, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 672 Does John Kerry make you uneasy, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very uneasy, somewhat uneasy, a little uneasy, or not very uneasy at all?

1	Yes, very
2	Somewhat
3	Little
4	Not very
5	Does not make uneasy
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rAB29 Kerry Makes Me Uneasy, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 672 Does John Kerry make you uneasy, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very uneasy, somewhat uneasy, a little uneasy, or not very uneasy at all?

1	Yes, very
2	Somewhat
3	Little
4	Not very
5	Does not make uneasy
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cAB30 Kerry Makes Me Afraid, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 674 Does John Kerry make you afraid, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very afraid, somewhat afraid, a little afraid, or not very afraid at all?

1	Yes, very
2	Somewhat
3	Little
4	Not very
5	Does not make afraid
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rAB30 Kerry Makes Me Afraid, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 674 Does John Kerry make you afraid, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very afraid, somewhat afraid, a little afraid, or not very afraid at all?

1	Yes, very
2	Somewhat
3	Little
4	Not very
5	Does not make afraid
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

Opinions of Other Candidates

cAC01 Cheney Favorability, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Questions 10, 92 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate Dick Cheney? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize name
12	Know name but cannot rate
999	Refused

rAC01 Cheney Favorability, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 92 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate Dick Cheney? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize name
12	Know name but cannot rate
999	Refused

rAC03 Cheney Has Right Experience to Be President, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 507 On a scale of zero to 10, where zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well, please tell me how well the phrase "has the right kind of experience to be president" applies to Dick Cheney.

Number	**0–10**
998	Don't know
999	Refused

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cAC04 Edwards Favorability, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Questions 11, 95 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate John Edwards? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize name
12	Know name but cannot rate
999	Refused

rAC04 Edwards Favorability, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 95 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate John Edwards? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize name
12	Know name but cannot rate
999	Refused

rAC13 Edwards Has Right Experience to Be President, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 506 On a scale of zero to 10, where zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well, please tell me how well the phrase "has the right kind of experience to be president" applies to John Edwards.

Number	**0–10**
998	Don't know
999	Refused

cAC15 Nader Favorability, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Questions 13, 106 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate Ralph Nader? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize name
12	Know name but cannot rate
999	Refused

Sample Split **9/20/04–9/28/04: 1/3 sample**
cXB = 2

9/29/04: 1/2 sample
cXC = 3–4

rAC15 Nader Favorability, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 106 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate Ralph Nader? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize name
12	Know name but cannot rate
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 2

Opinions of Other Political Figures

cAD09 McCain Favorability, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/20/04–9/28/04**

Question 111 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate John McCain? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize name
12	Know name but cannot rate
999	Refused

Opinions of Groups

cAE08 AARP Favorability, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 118 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate AARP, formerly known as the American Association of Retired Persons? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the group, or you know the group but not well enough to rate it?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize group
12	Know group but cannot rate
999	Refused

Sample Split	**1/4 sample** cXC = 1

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cAE09 NRA Favorability, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 119 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate the National Rifle Association, also known as the NRA? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the group, or you know the group but not well enough to rate it?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize group
12	Know group but cannot rate
999	Refused
Sample Split	**1/4 sample** cXC = 1

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rAE09 NRA Favorability, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 119 On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate the National Rifle Association, also known as the NRA? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the group, or you know the group but not well enough to rate it?

Number	**0–10**
11	Do not recognize group
12	Know group but cannot rate
999	Refused
Sample Split	**1/4 sample** cXC = 1

Random Question Order

cAX01* Random Order for Favorability Questions, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Questions about favorability of candidates and political figures were read in a series in random order. cAX01.01–cAX01.18 indicate the random order:

cAX01.01: George W. Bush (cAA01)
cAX01.02: John Kerry (cAB01)
cAX01.03: Dick Cheney (cAC01)
cAX01.04: John Edwards (cAC04)
cAX01.05: Ralph Nader (cAC15)
cAX01.18: John McCain (cAD09)

A value of 1 denotes that the question was read first in the series, 2 denotes that the question was read second, and so on. A null value denotes that the question was not asked.

See the questionnaire for additional information about question order.

Number **1–6**

rAX01* Random Order for Favorability Questions, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Questions about favorability of candidates and political figures were read in a series in random order. rAX01.01–rAX01.05 indicate the random order:

rAX01.01: George W. Bush (rAA01)
rAX01.02: John Kerry (rAB01)
rAX01.03: Dick Cheney (rAC01)
rAX01.04: John Edwards (rAC04)
rAX01.05: Ralph Nader (rAC15)

A value of 1 denotes that the question was read first in the series, 2 denotes that the question was read second, and so on. A null value denotes that the question was not asked.

See the questionnaire for additional information about question order.

Number **1–5**

cAX02* Random Candidate Order for Trait Questions, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Questions about candidate traits were read in a series, randomized by candidate and trait. cAX02.1–cAX02.2 indicate the random candidate order:

cAX02.1: George W. Bush (cAA04–cAA27)
cAX02.2: John Kerry (cAB02–cAB25)

A value of 1 denotes that questions about the candidate were read first in the series, 2 denotes that questions about the candidate were read second, and so on. A null value denotes that questions about the candidate were not asked.

See also cAX03–cAX04. See the questionnaire for additional information about question order.

Number **1–2**

rAX02* Random Candidate Order for Trait Questions, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Questions about candidate traits were read in a series, randomized by candidate and trait. rAX02.1–rAX02.2 indicate the random candidate order:

rAX02.1: George W. Bush (rAA04–rAA28)
rAX02.2: John Kerry (rAB02–rAB26)

A value of 1 denotes that questions about the candidate were read first in the series, 2 denotes that questions about the candidate were read second, and so on. A null value denotes that questions about the candidate were not asked.

See also rAX03–rAX04. See the questionnaire for additional information about question order.

Number **1–2**

cAX03* Random Order for Questions About Bush's Traits, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Questions about candidate traits were read in a series, randomized by candidate and trait. cAX03.01–cAX03.24 indicate the random trait order for George W. Bush:

cAX03.01: Cares about people like me (cAA04)
cAX03.02: Inspiring (cAA05)
cAX03.03: Strong leader (cAA06)
cAX03.04: Trustworthy (cAA07)
cAX03.05: Shares my values (cAA08)
cAX03.06: Knowledgeable (cAA09)
cAX03.07: Reckless (cAA10)
cAX03.09: Says one thing, does another (cAA12)
cAX03.10: Has right experience (cAA13)
cAX03.11: Easy to like (cAA14)
cAX03.17: Out of touch (cAA20)
cAX03.19: Arrogant (cAA22)
cAX03.20: Optimistic (cAA23)
cAX03.21: Effective (cAA24)
cAX03.22: Decisive (cAA25)
cAX03.23: Flip-flops (cAA26)
cAX03.24: Honest (cAA27)

A value of 1 denotes that the trait was read first in the series, 2 denotes that the trait was read second, and so on. A null value denotes that the trait was not asked.

See also cAX02. See the questionnaire for additional information about question order.

Number **1–17**

rAX03* Random Order for Questions About Bush's Traits, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Questions about candidate traits were read in a series, randomized by candidate and trait. rAX03.01–rAX03.25 indicate the random trait order for George W. Bush:

rAX03.01: Cares about people like me (rAA04)
rAX03.02: Inspiring (rAA05)
rAX03.03: Strong leader (rAA06)
rAX03.04: Trustworthy (rAA07)
rAX03.05: Shares my values (rAA08)
rAX03.06: Knowledgeable (rAA09)
rAX03.07: Reckless (rAA10)
rAX03.09: Says one thing, does another (rAA12)
rAX03.10: Has right experience (rAA13)
rAX03.11: Easy to like (rAA14)
rAX03.17: Out of touch (rAA20)
rAX03.19: Arrogant (rAA22)
rAX03.20: Optimistic (rAA23)
rAX03.21: Effective (rAA24)
rAX03.22: Decisive (rAA25)
rAX03.23: Flip-flops (rAA26)
rAX03.25: Not willing to admit mistakes (rAA28)

A value of 1 denotes that the trait was read first in the series, 2 denotes that the trait was read second, and so on. A null value denotes that the trait was not asked.

See also rAX02. See the questionnaire for additional information about question order.

Number **1–17**

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cAX04* Random Order for Questions About Kerry's Traits, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Questions about candidate traits were read in a series, randomized by candidate and trait. cAX04.01–cAX04.24 indicate the random trait order for John Kerry:

cAX04.01: Cares about people like me (cAB02)
cAX04.02: Inspiring (cAB03)
cAX04.03: Strong leader (cAB04)
cAX04.04: Trustworthy (cAB05)
cAX04.05: Shares my values (cAB06)
cAX04.06: Knowledgeable (cAB07)
cAX04.07: Reckless (cAB08)
cAX04.09: Says one thing, does another (cAB10)
cAX04.10: Has right experience (cAB11)
cAX04.11: Easy to like (cAB12)
cAX04.17: Out of touch (cAB18)
cAX04.19: Arrogant (cAB20)
cAX04.20: Optimistic (cAB21)
cAX04.21: Effective (cAB22)
cAX04.22: Decisive (cAB23)
cAX04.23: Flip-flops (cAB24)
cAX04.24: Honest (cAB25)

A value of 1 denotes that the trait was read first in the series, 2 denotes that the trait was read second, and so on. A null value denotes that the trait was not asked.

See also cAX02. See the questionnaire for additional information about question order.

Number **1–17**

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rAX04* Random Order for Questions About Kerry's Traits, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Questions about candidate traits were read in a series, randomized by candidate and trait. rAX04.01–rAX04.25 indicate the random trait order for John Kerry:

rAX04.01: Cares about people like me (rAB02)
rAX04.02: Inspiring (rAB03)
rAX04.03: Strong leader (rAB04)
rAX04.04: Trustworthy (rAB05)
rAX04.05: Shares my values (rAB06)
rAX04.06: Knowledgeable (rAB07)
rAX04.07: Reckless (rAB08)
rAX04.09: Says one thing, does another (rAB10)
rAX04.10: Has right experience (rAB11)
rAX04.11: Easy to like (rAB12)
rAX04.17: Out of touch (rAB18)
rAX04.19: Arrogant (rAB20)
rAX04.20: Optimistic (rAB21)
rAX04.21: Effective (rAB22)
rAX04.22: Decisive (rAB23)
rAX04.23: Flip-flops (rAB24)
rAX04.25: Not willing to admit mistakes (rAB26)

A value of 1 denotes that the trait was read first in the series, 2 denotes that the trait was read second, and so on. A null value denotes that the trait was not asked.

See also rAX02. See the questionnaire for additional information about question order.

Number **1–17**

Ⓒ Policy Issues—Opinions and Knowledge

Current Events in General

cCA01 Country Going in Right Direction (Wording #1), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 4 Do you feel things in this country are generally going in the right direction, or do you think things are seriously off on the wrong track?

1	Right
2	Wrong
998	Don't know
999	Refused

rCA01 Country Going in Right Direction (Wording #1), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 4 Do you feel things in this country are generally going in the right direction, or do you think things are seriously off on the wrong track?

1	Right
2	Wrong
998	Don't know
999	Refused

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cCA03* Most Important Problem (Wording #1), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 6 In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing our country today?

If don't know: Just your best guess.

See also cCA04–cCA05.

* Multi-Part Data Coded data: Up to five problems in **cCA03.1–cCA03.5**
Verbatim data for code 22 in **cCA03$**

1 Economy
2 Education / education problems
3 Children's issues
4 Poverty/homelessness
5 Lack of religion/faith
6 Lack of moral/family values
7 Health care
8 Violence/crime
9 Drugs
10 Energy / rising gas prices
11 Environment
12 Politicians/government
13 Taxes
14 Terrorism / war on terrorism
15 Iraq war/situation
16 Foreign policy
17 National/homeland security
18 Unemployment / job security / layoffs
19 Immigration / illegal aliens
20 Jobs going to other countries / outsourcing
21 Dislike Bush / current leaders

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rCA03* Most Important Problem (Wording #1), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 6 In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing our country today?

If don't know: Just your best guess.

See also rCA04–rCA05.

* Multi-Part Data Coded data: Up to five problems in **rCA03.1–rCA03.5**
Verbatim data for code 22 in **rCA03$**

1 Economy
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16 Foreign policy
17 National/homeland security
18 Unemployment / job security / layoffs
19 Immigration / illegal aliens
20 Jobs going to other countries / outsourcing
21 Dislike Bush / current leaders

→

← **22**	Other*
998	Don't know
999	Refused
Sample Split	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1

← **22**	Other*
998	Don't know
999	Refused
Sample Split	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1

cCA04 **Don't-Know Prompt for cCA03, Pre-Debates**

Schedule	**All dates pre-debates**
0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Just your best guess"
Sample Split	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1

rCA04 **Don't-Know Prompt for rCA03, Post-Debates**

Schedule	**All dates post-debates**
0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Just your best guess"
Sample Split	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1

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cCA05* Most Important Problem (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 7 In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing the country today?

If don't know: Just your best guess.

See also cCA03, cCA06.

* Multi-Part Data Coded data: Up to five problems in **cCA05.1–cCA05.5**
Verbatim data for code 22 in **cCA05$**

1 Economy
2 Education / education problems
3 Children's issues
4 Poverty/homelessness
5 Lack of religion/faith
6 Lack of moral/family values
7 Health care
8 Violence/crime
9 Drugs
10 Energy / rising gas prices
11 Environment
12 Politicians/government
13 Taxes
14 Terrorism / war on terrorism
15 Iraq war/situation
16 Foreign policy
17 National/homeland security
18 Unemployment / job security / layoffs
19 Immigration / illegal aliens
20 Jobs going to other countries / outsourcing
21 Dislike Bush / current leaders

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rCA05* Most Important Problem (Wording #2), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 7 In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing the country today?

If don't know: Just your best guess.

See also rCA03, rCA06.

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21 Dislike Bush / current leaders

→

← **22**	Other*
998	Don't know
999	Refused
Sample Split	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2

← **22**	Other*
998	Don't know
999	Refused
Sample Split	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2

cCA06 **Don't-Know Prompt for cCA05, Pre-Debates**

Schedule	**All dates pre-debates**
0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Just your best guess"
Sample Split	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2

rCA06 **Don't-Know Prompt for rCA05, Post-Debates**

Schedule	**All dates post-debates**
0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Just your best guess"
Sample Split	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2

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Economic Issues

Economic Issues in General

cCB01 **Country's Economy Today, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 508 How would you rate economic conditions in this country today—would you say they are excellent, good, fair, or poor?

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCB01 **Country's Economy Today, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 508 How would you rate economic conditions in this country today—would you say they are excellent, good, fair, or poor?

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCB02 **Country's Economy Last Year, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **9/29/04**

Question 509 Thinking about one year ago, in your opinion, were the economic conditions in this country much better than they are right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCB02 **Country's Economy Last Year, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 509 Thinking about one year ago, in your opinion, were the economic conditions in this country much better than they are right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCB03 Country's Economy Next Year, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 511 Thinking about one year from now, do you think economic conditions in the country will be much better than they are right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCB03 Country's Economy Next Year, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 511 Thinking about one year from now, do you think economic conditions in the country will be much better than they are right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCB04 Personal Economic Situation Today, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 510 How would you rate your own personal economic situation today—is it excellent, good, only fair, or poor?

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCB04 Personal Economic Situation Today, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 510 How would you rate your own personal economic situation today—is it excellent, good, only fair, or poor?

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCB05 Personal Economic Situation Last Year, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 512 Thinking about one year ago, was your personal economic situation much better than it is right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCB05 Personal Economic Situation Last Year, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 512 Thinking about one year ago, was your personal economic situation much better than it is right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCB09 Approve of Bush Handling Economy, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 128 Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the nation's economy?

1 Approve
2 Disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCB09 Approve of Bush Handling Economy, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 128 Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the nation's economy?

1 Approve
2 Disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCB10 Bush Policies Are Improving Economy, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 143 Would you say that the economic policies of the Bush administration are making the economy better, worse, or are having no effect one way or the other?

1 Better
2 Worse
3 No effect
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCB10 Bush Policies Are Improving Economy, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 143 Would you say that the economic policies of the Bush administration are making the economy better, worse, or are having no effect one way or the other?

1 Better
2 Worse
3 No effect
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCB11 Trust Bush or Kerry on Economy, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 349 Who do you trust to do a better job handling the economy—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Trust both the same
4 Trust neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCB11 Trust Bush or Kerry on Economy, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 349 Who do you trust to do a better job handling the economy—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Trust both the same
4 Trust neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Taxes

rCB14 Taxes Will Increase if Bush Elected, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 749 If George W. Bush were to win the election in November, do you think your federal income taxes would go up, down, or remain the same?

1	Up
2	Down
3	Same
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB15 Taxes Will Increase if Kerry Elected, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 748 If John Kerry were to win the election in November, do you think your federal income taxes would go up, down, or remain the same?

1	Up
2	Down
3	Same
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB17 Favor Making Bush Tax Cuts Permanent (Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 79 Making recent federal tax cuts permanent—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB17 Favor Making Bush Tax Cuts Permanent (Strongly Follow-Up), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 79 Making recent federal tax cuts permanent—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cCB21 Personally Benefited From Bush Tax Cuts, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 516 How much have you benefited from the tax cuts proposed by George W. Bush and passed by Congress—a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

1	Great deal
2	Some
3	Not much
4	Not at all
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 2

rCB21 Personally Benefited From Bush Tax Cuts, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 516 How much have you benefited from the tax cuts proposed by George W. Bush and passed by Congress—a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

1	Great deal
2	Some
3	Not much
4	Not at all
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 2

cCB25 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Bush Tax Cuts Permanent, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 383 To the best of your knowledge, who favors making the recent tax cuts permanent—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCB26.

1	Bush (correct)
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB25 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Bush Tax Cuts Permanent, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 383 To the best of your knowledge, who favors making the recent tax cuts permanent—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCB26.

1	Bush (correct)
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB26 Don't-Know Prompt for cCB25, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB26 Don't-Know Prompt for rCB25, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB27 Know Income Level at Which Kerry Would Repeal Bush Tax Cuts, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 381 John Kerry says that he would eliminate George W. Bush's tax cuts on those making how much money—over $50,000 a year; over $100,000 a year; over $200,000 a year; or over $500,000 a year?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

See also cCB28.

1	$50,000
2	$100,000
3	$200,000 (correct)
4	$500,000
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB27 Know Income Level at Which Kerry Would Repeal Bush Tax Cuts, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 381 John Kerry says that he would eliminate George W. Bush's tax cuts on those making how much money—over $50,000 a year; over $100,000 a year; over $200,000 a year; or over $500,000 a year?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

See also rCB28.

1	$50,000
2	$100,000
3	$200,000 (correct)
4	$500,000
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB28 Don't-Know Prompt for cCB27, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anything come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB28 Don't-Know Prompt for rCB27, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anything come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB34 **Favor Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #1 and Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 74 Completely eliminating the estate tax, that is, the tax on property left by people who die—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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rCB35 **Favor Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #2), Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 75 Completely eliminating the estate tax, that is, the tax on property left by people worth more than $1.5 million who die—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB37 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #1), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 373 To the best of your knowledge, who favors completely eliminating the estate tax, that is, the tax on property left by people who die—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCB38.

1 Bush (correct)
2 Kerry
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB38 Don't-Know Prompt for cCB37, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB39 **Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #2), Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 374 To the best of your knowledge, who favors completely eliminating the estate tax, that is, the tax on property worth more than $1.5 million left by people who die—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCB40.

1	Bush (correct)
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB40 **Don't-Know Prompt for rCB39, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB45 Favor Eliminating Overseas Tax Breaks to Cut Taxes for Companies That Create Jobs (Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 82 Eliminating tax breaks for overseas profits and using money to cut taxes for businesses that create jobs in the United States—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB45 Favor Eliminating Overseas Tax Breaks to Cut Taxes for Companies That Create Jobs (Strongly Follow-Up), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 82 Eliminating tax breaks for overseas profits and using money to cut taxes for businesses that create jobs in the United States—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cCB48 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Eliminating Overseas Tax Breaks to Cut Taxes for Companies That Create Jobs, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 372 To the best of your knowledge, who favors eliminating tax breaks for overseas profits of American corporations and using the money to cut taxes for businesses that create jobs in the United States—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCB49.

1 Bush
2 Kerry (correct)
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB48 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Eliminating Overseas Tax Breaks to Cut Taxes for Companies That Create Jobs, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 372 To the best of your knowledge, who favors eliminating tax breaks for overseas profits of American corporations and using the money to cut taxes for businesses that create jobs in the United States—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCB49.

1 Bush
2 Kerry (correct)
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB49 Don't-Know Prompt for cCB48, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB49 Don't-Know Prompt for rCB48, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

Labor

rCB63 Know Number of Jobs Gained Under Bush, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 144 To the best of your knowledge, has the economy gained more jobs than it lost, or has it lost more jobs than it gained since George W. Bush became president?

1 Gained more
2 Lost more
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCB65 Favor Increasing Minimum Wage, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 88 Do you favor or oppose increasing the $5.15 minimum wage employers now must pay their workers?

If favor/oppose: Is that strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB66 **Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Increasing Minimum Wage, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 404 To the best of your knowledge, which candidate favors increasing the $5.15 minimum wage employers must pay their workers—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCB67.

1	Bush
2	Kerry (correct)
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCB67 **Don't-Know Prompt for rCB66, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB72 **Favor Making Union Organizing Easier (Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 81 Making it easier for labor unions to organize—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB75 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Union Organizing Easier (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 385 To the best of your knowledge, who wants to make it easier for labor unions to organize—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCB76.

1 Bush
2 Kerry (correct)
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCB76 Don't-Know Prompt for cCB75, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

Trade

rCB86 Bush or Kerry Better at Preventing Outsourcing, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 350 Who would do a better job of preventing U.S. corporations from outsourcing jobs to other countries—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both would do the same
4 Neither would do well
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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Health and Human Issues

Health Insurance

cCC04 **Favor Government Health Insurance for Children (Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 77 The federal government helping to pay for health insurance for all children—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC04 **Favor Government Health Insurance for Children (Strongly Follow-Up), Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 77 The federal government helping to pay for health insurance for all children—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCC06 Favor Government Health Insurance for Workers (Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 78 The federal government helping employers pay the cost of their workers' health insurance—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC06 Favor Government Health Insurance for Workers (Strongly Follow-Up), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 78 The federal government helping employers pay the cost of their workers' health insurance—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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cCC09 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Government Health Insurance for Children and Workers (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 379 To the best of your knowledge, who favors a health insurance plan that would do both of the following—help to pay for health insurance for all children and help employers pay the cost of the workers' health insurance—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCC10.

1 Bush
2 Kerry (correct)
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC09 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Government Health Insurance for Children and Workers (Wording #2), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 379 To the best of your knowledge, who favors a health insurance plan that would do both of the following—help to pay for health insurance for all children and help employers pay the cost of the workers' health insurance—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCC10.

1 Bush
2 Kerry (correct)
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCC10 Don't-Know Prompt for cCC09, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC10 Don't-Know Prompt for rCC09, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

Medicare

rCC21 Seniors or Companies Will Benefit More From Medicare Prescription Law, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 747 Who do you think will benefit more from the new Medicare prescription drug plan—seniors on Medicare or the drug manufacturers?

1	Seniors
2	Drug manufacturers
3	Both will benefit equally
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cCC25 Favor Re-Importing Drugs (Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 76 Changing the recently passed Medicare prescription drug law to allow re-importing drugs from Canada—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC25 Favor Re-Importing Drugs (Strongly Follow-Up), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 76 Changing the recently passed Medicare prescription drug law to allow re-importing drugs from Canada—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCC26 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Re-Importing Drugs, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 377 To the best of your knowledge, who favors changing the recently passed Medicare prescription drug law to allow re-importing drugs from Canada—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCC27.

1 Bush
2 Kerry (correct)
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC26 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Re-Importing Drugs, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 377 To the best of your knowledge, who favors changing the recently passed Medicare prescription drug law to allow re-importing drugs from Canada—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCC27.

1 Bush
2 Kerry (correct)
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCC27 Don't-Know Prompt for cCC26, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC27 Don't-Know Prompt for rCC26, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC28 **Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Negotiating With Drug Companies, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 403 To the best of your knowledge, which candidate favors allowing the federal government to negotiate with drug companies for lower prescription drug prices for senior citizens—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCC29.

1 Bush
2 Kerry (correct)
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC29 **Don't-Know Prompt for rCC28, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

Social Security

cCC32 Favor Social Security in Stock Market (Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 72 Do you favor or oppose allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market?

If favor/oppose: Is that strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC32 Favor Social Security in Stock Market (Strongly Follow-Up), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 72 Do you favor or oppose allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market?

If favor/oppose: Is that strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cCC34 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Social Security in Stock Market, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 367 To the best of your knowledge, who favors allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCC35.

1	Bush (correct)
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC34 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Social Security in Stock Market, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 367 To the best of your knowledge, who favors allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCC35.

1	Bush (correct)
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCC35 Don't-Know Prompt for cCC34, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCC35 Don't-Know Prompt for rCC34, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

Education

cCC36 Familiar With No Child Left Behind, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 733 How familiar are you with the No Child Left Behind education law—very familiar, somewhat familiar, not too familiar, or not familiar at all?

1	Very
2	Somewhat
3	Not too
4	Not at all
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 3

rCC36 Familiar With No Child Left Behind, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 733 How familiar are you with the No Child Left Behind education law—very familiar, somewhat familiar, not too familiar, or not familiar at all?

1	Very
2	Somewhat
3	Not too
4	Not at all
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 3

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

cCC37 No Child Left Behind Has Improved Schools (Wording #1), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If familiar with No Child Left Behind**
cCC36 = 1–3

Question 734 As far as you know, has the No Child Left Behind law made American public schools much better, somewhat better, somewhat worse, much worse, or hasn't it made a difference?

1	Much better
2	Somewhat better
3	Somewhat worse
4	Much worse
5	No difference
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 3

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

rCC37 No Child Left Behind Has Improved Schools (Wording #1), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If familiar with No Child Left Behind**
rCC36 = 1–3

Question 734 As far as you know, has the No Child Left Behind law made American public schools much better, somewhat better, somewhat worse, much worse, or hasn't it made a difference?

1	Much better
2	Somewhat better
3	Somewhat worse
4	Much worse
5	No difference
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 3

Foreign Affairs

Foreign Affairs in General

cCD01 **U.S. Is Regarded Differently Because of Bush, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 140 As a result of the George W. Bush presidency, in general, how well regarded is the United States by countries around the world—better than before he came into office, worse than before he came into office, or no different than before he came into office?

1	Better
2	Worse
3	No different
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/4 sample**
cXC = 3

rCD01 **U.S. Is Regarded Differently Because of Bush, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 140 As a result of the George W. Bush presidency, in general, how well regarded is the United States by countries around the world—better than before he came into office, worse than before he came into office, or no different than before he came into office?

1	Better
2	Worse
3	No different
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/4 sample**
cXC = 3

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

cCD02 Matters How U.S. Is Regarded Because of Bush, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If think U.S. regarded differently because of Bush**
cCD01 = 1–2

Question 141 How much does that matter, that the United States is regarded as (from cCD01: better/worse) than before he came into office—a great deal, some, not too much, or not at all?

1	Great deal
2	Some
3	Not much
4	Not at all
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/4 sample**
cXC = 3

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

rCD02 Matters How U.S. Is Regarded Because of Bush, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If think U.S. regarded differently because of Bush**
rCD01 = 1–2

Question 141 How much does that matter, that the United States is regarded as (from rCD01: better/worse) than before he came into office—a great deal, some, not too much, or not at all?

1	Great deal
2	Some
3	Not much
4	Not at all
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/4 sample**
cXC = 3

Military Defense

cCD04 Trust Bush or Kerry to Be Commander-in-Chief, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 347 Who do you trust more to handle the responsibilities of commander-in-chief of the military—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Trust both the same
4 Trust neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCD04 Trust Bush or Kerry to Be Commander-in-Chief, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 347 Who do you trust more to handle the responsibilities of commander-in-chief of the military—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Trust both the same
4 Trust neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCD08 **Favor Moving Troops From Europe and Korea (Strongly Follow-Up), Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 86 Moving 60,000 to 70,000 troops stationed in Europe and South Korea to other locations, including the United States, in the next decade—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCD09 **Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Moving Troops From Europe and Korea, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 394 To the best of your knowledge, which candidate proposes moving 60,000 to 70,000 troops stationed in Europe and South Korea to other locations, including the United States, in the next decade—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCD10.

1	Bush (correct)
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCD10 **Don't-Know Prompt for rCD09, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCD11 Favor Reinstating Draft, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/27/04–9/29/04**

Question 787 Do you think the United States should put the military draft back into operation?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

cCD12 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Reinstating Draft, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/24/04–9/29/04**

Question 396 To the best of your knowledge, who favors reinstating the military draft—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCD13.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both
4 Neither (correct)
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCD13 Don't-Know Prompt for cCD12, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/24/04–9/29/04**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCD14 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Reinstating Draft, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 397 To the best of your knowledge, which candidate has stated he favors reinstating the military draft—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCD15.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both
4 Neither (correct)
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCD15 **Don't-Know Prompt for rCD14, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCD16 **Think Bush Will Reinstate Draft, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 398 If George W. Bush is re-elected, do you think he will reinstate the military draft, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCD17 **Think Kerry Will Reinstate Draft, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 399 If John Kerry is elected, do you think he will reinstate the military draft, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCD18 **Veterans Getting Health Care They Were Promised, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **9/27/04–9/29/04**

Question 783 Do you think military veterans are getting the health care they were promised, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

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Iraq

cCD19 Approve of Bush Handling Iraq, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 130 Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is currently handling the situation in Iraq?

1 Approve
2 Disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCD19 Approve of Bush Handling Iraq, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 130 Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is currently handling the situation in Iraq?

1 Approve
2 Disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCD21 Iraq War Was Worth It, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 134 All in all, do you think the situation in Iraq was worth going to war over, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

rCD21 Iraq War Was Worth It, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 134 All in all, do you think the situation in Iraq was worth going to war over, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

cCD22 **Iraq War Was Worth It Despite Counterarguments, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **9/24/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If think Iraq war was worth it**
cCD21 = 1

Question 135 Some people say that the continuing deaths of American troops in Iraq and the cost in dollars outweigh the benefits. Considering that, are you sure the situation was worth going to war over, or are you uncertain about it?

1 Sure was worth it
2 Uncertain
3 Not worth it
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

cCD23 Iraq War Was Not Worth It Despite Counterarguments, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/24/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If think Iraq war was not worth it**
cCD21 = 2

Question 136 Some people say that the benefits of removing Saddam Hussein, a tyrant who used chemical weapons on his own people and threatened other countries, outweigh the costs. Considering that, are you sure the situation was not worth going to war over, or are you uncertain about it?

1 Sure was not worth it
2 Uncertain
3 Worth it
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

cCD25 Cost of Iraq War Was Necessary, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 743 Some people say the war in Iraq has cost $200 billion and that money would have been better spent on domestic programs like education, health care and jobs. Others say the cost of going to war in Iraq was necessary even if it meant that some of these programs were not funded. What do you think—would it have been better to spend the money on domestic programs, or was it necessary to spend the money on the war in Iraq?

1 Domestic programs
2 Iraq
3 Should not have spent on either
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **9/24/04–9/29/04: 2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

9/20/04–9/23/04: No sample split

rCD25 Cost of Iraq War Was Necessary, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 743 Some people say the war in Iraq has cost $200 billion and that money would have been better spent on domestic programs like education, health care and jobs. Others say the cost of going to war in Iraq was necessary even if it meant that some of these programs were not funded. What do you think—would it have been better to spend the money on domestic programs, or was it necessary to spend the money on the war in Iraq?

1 Domestic programs
2 Iraq
3 Should not have spent on either
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCD31 Iraq War Reduced Risk of Terrorism, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 695 Has the war in Iraq reduced the risk of terrorism against the United States or increased the risk of terrorism against the United States?

1 Reduced
2 Increased
3 Made no difference
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCD31 Iraq War Reduced Risk of Terrorism, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 695 Has the war in Iraq reduced the risk of terrorism against the United States or increased the risk of terrorism against the United States?

1 Reduced
2 Increased
3 Made no difference
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCD35 **Favor Keeping Troops in Iraq Until Government Stable, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 696 Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until a stable government is established there, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible?

1 Keep in Iraq
2 Bring home
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCD35 **Favor Keeping Troops in Iraq Until Government Stable, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 696 Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until a stable government is established there, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible?

1 Keep in Iraq
2 Bring home
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCD42 **Bush Has Plan for Iraq, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 697 Do you think George W. Bush has a clear plan for bringing the situation in Iraq to a successful conclusion, or don't you think so?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

rCD42 **Bush Has Plan for Iraq, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 697 Do you think George W. Bush has a clear plan for bringing the situation in Iraq to a successful conclusion, or don't you think so?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

cCD43 **Kerry Has Plan for Iraq, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 698 Do you think John Kerry has a clear plan for bringing the situation in Iraq to a successful conclusion, or don't you think so?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

rCD43 **Kerry Has Plan for Iraq, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 698 Do you think John Kerry has a clear plan for bringing the situation in Iraq to a successful conclusion, or don't you think so?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

cCD50 **Regular Military Sent to Iraq Properly Prepared, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **9/27/04–9/29/04**

Question 784 Do you think the regular forces sent to Iraq were properly trained and equipped for service there, or weren't they properly trained and equipped for service there?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Properly trained, not equipped
4 Properly equipped, not trained
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

cCD51 Guard and Reserves Sent to Iraq Properly Prepared, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/27/04–9/29/04**

Question 785 Do you think the National Guard and Reserves forces sent to Iraq were properly trained and equipped for service there, or weren't they properly trained and equipped for service there?

1	Yes
2	No
3	Properly trained, not equipped
4	Properly equipped, not trained
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

cCD52 Pentagon Overburdened Guard and Reserves, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/27/04–9/29/04**

Question 788 Do you agree or disagree with the following statement—the Pentagon has put too much of a burden on the National Guard and Reserves when it should have expanded the regular forces instead?

If agree/disagree: Is that (agree/disagree) strongly or somewhat?

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

rCD54 **Halliburton Awarded Contracts Because of Cheney, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 701 Please tell me if you agree or disagree with the following statement—the company Halliburton was awarded contracts in Iraq because of the influence of Vice President Dick Cheney.

If agree/disagree: Is that strongly (agree/disagree) or somewhat (agree/disagree)?

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Terrorism and Homeland Security

cCD59 Feel Safer Because of Government Efforts After 9/11 (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 138 Since the attacks on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon on Sept. 11, 2001, the United States government has done a number of things both at home and abroad intended to protect Americans from future attacks. How safe have these efforts made you feel—much more safe, somewhat more safe, somewhat less safe, or much less safe?

1	Much more
2	Somewhat more
3	Somewhat less
4	Much less
5	Made no difference
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

rCD59 Feel Safer Because of Government Efforts After 9/11 (Wording #2), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 138 Since the attacks on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon on Sept. 11, 2001, the United States government has done a number of things both at home and abroad intended to protect Americans from future attacks. How safe have these efforts made you feel—much more safe, somewhat more safe, somewhat less safe, or much less safe?

1	Much more
2	Somewhat more
3	Somewhat less
4	Much less
5	Made no difference
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

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cCD60 Chance of Terrorist Attack in Next Year, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 139 How likely do you think there will be a terrorist attack on American soil in the next 12 months? Please use a scale from zero to 10, where zero means you are certain there will not be an attack, 10 means you are certain there will be an attack, and five means there is a 50-50 chance. Of course you can use any number from zero to 10.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **9/24/04–9/29/04: 2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

9/20/04–9/23/04: No sample split

rCD60 Chance of Terrorist Attack in Next Year, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 139 How likely do you think there will be a terrorist attack on American soil in the next 12 months? Please use a scale from zero to 10, where zero means you are certain there will not be an attack, 10 means you are certain there will be an attack, and five means there is a 50-50 chance. Of course you can use any number from zero to 10.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCD61 Approve of Bush Handling Terrorism, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 129 Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the war on terrorism?

1 Approve
2 Disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

rCD61 Approve of Bush Handling Terrorism, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 129 Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the war on terrorism?

1 Approve
2 Disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

cCD62 **Trust Bush or Kerry on Terrorism, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 348 Who do you trust to do a better job handling the U.S. war on terrorism—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Trust both the same
4 Trust neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCD62 **Trust Bush or Kerry on Terrorism, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 348 Who do you trust to do a better job handling the U.S. war on terrorism—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Trust both the same
4 Trust neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Social Issues

Abortion

cCE01 **Favor Banning All Abortions, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **9/20/04**

Question 20 The federal government banning all abortions—do you favor or oppose the federal government doing this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose) the federal government doing this?

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cCE02 Favor Making Abortion More Difficult, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/21/04–9/29/04**

Question 85 Laws making it more difficult for a woman to get an abortion—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCE02 Favor Making Abortion More Difficult, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 85 Laws making it more difficult for a woman to get an abortion—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCE03 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Abortion More Difficult, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/21/04–9/29/04**

Question 395 To the best of your knowledge, who favors laws making it more difficult for a woman to get an abortion—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCE04.

1	Bush (correct)
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCE03 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Abortion More Difficult, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 395 To the best of your knowledge, who favors laws making it more difficult for a woman to get an abortion—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCE04.

1	Bush (correct)
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCE04 Don't-Know Prompt for cCE03, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/21/04–9/29/04**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCE04 Don't-Know Prompt for rCE03, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Stem Cell Research

cCE09 Favor Stem Cell Funding (Wording #2 and Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 83 Federal funding of research on diseases like Parkinson's using stem cells taken from human embryos—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCE12 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Stem Cell Funding (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 391 To the best of your knowledge, who favors federal funding of research on diseases like Parkinson's using stem cells taken from human embryos—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCE13.

1 Bush
2 Kerry (correct)
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCE13 Don't-Know Prompt for cCE12, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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rCE14 **Favor Additional Stem Cell Lines, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 84 Making additional stem cell lines from human embryos available for federally funded research on diseases like Parkinson's—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCE15 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Additional Stem Cell Lines, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 392 To the best of your knowledge, which candidate wants to make additional stem cell lines from human embryos available for federally funded research on diseases like Parkinson's—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCE16.

1	Bush
2	Kerry (correct)
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCE16 Don't-Know Prompt for rCE15, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

Gay Rights

cCE21 Favor Federal Marriage Amendment (Wording #5), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 17 Would you favor or oppose an amendment to the U.S. Constitution saying that no state can allow two men to marry each other or two women to marry each other?

If favor/oppose: Would you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose) the amendment?

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rCE21 Favor Federal Marriage Amendment (Wording #5), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 17 Would you favor or oppose an amendment to the U.S. Constitution saying that no state can allow two men to marry each other or two women to marry each other?

If favor/oppose: Would you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose) the amendment?

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cCE28 Favor Gays in Military, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/27/04–9/29/04**

Question 786 Should gays and lesbians be allowed to serve openly in the military, or shouldn't they be allowed to serve openly?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

Other Civil Rights Issues

cCE30 Offended by Redskins' Name, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/20/04–9/26/04**

Filter **If Native American**
cWC03 = 4

Question 806 The professional football team in Washington calls itself the Washington Redskins. As a Native American, do you find that name offensive, or doesn't it bother you?

1 Offensive
2 Does not bother
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Gun Control

cCE31 Favor Gun Control, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 32 Restricting the kinds of guns that people can buy—should the federal government do more about it, do the same as now, do less about it, or do nothing at all?

1 More
2 Same
3 Less
4 Nothing
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

rCE31 Favor Gun Control, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 32 Restricting the kinds of guns that people can buy—should the federal government do more about it, do the same as now, do less about it, or do nothing at all?

1 More
2 Same
3 Less
4 Nothing
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cCE34 **Favor Assault Weapons Ban (Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 73 Extending the federal law banning assault weapons—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCE34 **Favor Assault Weapons Ban (Strongly Follow-Up), Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 73 Extending the federal law banning assault weapons—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCE37 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Assault Weapons Ban (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 370 To the best of your knowledge, who urges Congress to extend the federal law banning assault weapons—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCE38.

1	Bush
2	Kerry
3	Both (correct)
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCE37 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Assault Weapons Ban (Wording #2), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 370 To the best of your knowledge, who urges Congress to extend the federal law banning assault weapons—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCE38.

1	Bush
2	Kerry
3	Both (correct)
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCE38 Don't-Know Prompt for cCE37, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCE38 Don't-Know Prompt for rCE37, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Energy and Environment

Energy

cCF02 **Bush or Kerry Would Do More on Foreign Oil, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **9/29/04**

Question 400 Who do you think would do more to reduce the United States' dependence on foreign oil—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cCF03.

1	Bush
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCF02 **Bush or Kerry Would Do More on Foreign Oil, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 400 Who do you think would do more to reduce the United States' dependence on foreign oil—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCF03.

1	Bush
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCF03 **Don't-Know Prompt for cCF02, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **9/29/04**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCF03 **Don't-Know Prompt for rCF02, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

Legal Issues

cCG02 Favor Limiting Lawsuits (Strongly Follow-Up), Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/20/04–9/22/04**

Question 80 Limiting the amount of money people can be awarded in lawsuits—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCG07 Favor Limiting Malpractice Awards, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 87 The government placing limits on how much people could collect when a jury finds that a doctor has committed medical malpractice—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

1	Strongly favor
2	Somewhat favor
3	Somewhat oppose
4	Strongly oppose
5	Neither favor nor oppose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCG08 Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Limiting Malpractice Awards, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 402 To the best of your knowledge, which candidate favors placing limits on how much people can collect when a jury finds that a doctor has committed medical malpractice—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rCG09.

1	Bush (correct)
2	Kerry
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCG09 Don't-Know Prompt for rCG08, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Other Policy Issues

cCH01 Supreme Court Important in Vote, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/22/04–9/29/04**

Question 744 Thinking about all the factors you are considering in your presidential vote choice this year, how important is the factor of the next president possibly nominating one or two new justices to the Supreme Court to replace retiring ones? Please use a scale of zero to 10, where zero means that it is not an important factor at all, and 10 means that it is an extremely important factor.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCH01 Supreme Court Important in Vote, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 744 Thinking about all the factors you are considering in your presidential vote choice this year, how important is the factor of the next president possibly nominating one or two new justices to the Supreme Court to replace retiring ones? Please use a scale of zero to 10, where zero means that it is not an important factor at all, and 10 means that it is an extremely important factor.

Number **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cCH02 Comfortable With Bush Making Supreme Court Nominations, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/22/04–9/29/04**

Question 745 In the next administration, the president may have the opportunity to nominate two or three Supreme Court justices to replace retiring ones. How comfortable are you with George W. Bush making those nominations—very comfortable, somewhat comfortable, neither comfortable nor uncomfortable, somewhat uncomfortable, or very uncomfortable?

1	Very comfortable
2	Somewhat comfortable
3	Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable
4	Somewhat uncomfortable
5	Very uncomfortable
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCH02 Comfortable With Bush Making Supreme Court Nominations, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 745 In the next administration, the president may have the opportunity to nominate two or three Supreme Court justices to replace retiring ones. How comfortable are you with George W. Bush making those nominations—very comfortable, somewhat comfortable, neither comfortable nor uncomfortable, somewhat uncomfortable, or very uncomfortable?

1	Very comfortable
2	Somewhat comfortable
3	Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable
4	Somewhat uncomfortable
5	Very uncomfortable
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cCH03 Comfortable With Kerry Making Supreme Court Nominations, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/22/04–9/29/04**

Question 746 In the next administration, the president may have the opportunity to nominate two or three Supreme Court justices to replace retiring ones. How comfortable are you with John Kerry making those nominations—very comfortable, somewhat comfortable, neither comfortable nor uncomfortable, somewhat uncomfortable, or very uncomfortable?

1	Very comfortable
2	Somewhat comfortable
3	Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable
4	Somewhat uncomfortable
5	Very uncomfortable
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rCH03 Comfortable With Kerry Making Supreme Court Nominations, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 746 In the next administration, the president may have the opportunity to nominate two or three Supreme Court justices to replace retiring ones. How comfortable are you with John Kerry making those nominations—very comfortable, somewhat comfortable, neither comfortable nor uncomfortable, somewhat uncomfortable, or very uncomfortable?

1	Very comfortable
2	Somewhat comfortable
3	Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable
4	Somewhat uncomfortable
5	Very uncomfortable
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

Ⓓ Candidates' Biographies—Opinions and Knowledge

cDA09 Familiar With Kerry's Anti-War Statements, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 736 Have you seen, heard, or read anti-Vietnam war statements John Kerry made to Congress after returning from service in Vietnam?

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	Refused

rDA09 Familiar With Kerry's Anti-War Statements, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 736 Have you seen, heard, or read anti-Vietnam war statements John Kerry made to Congress after returning from service in Vietnam?

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	Refused

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cDA10 Approve of Kerry's Anti-War Statements (Wording #1), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If familiar with Kerry's anti-war activities**
cDA09 = 1

Question 737 From what you know about it, do you approve or disapprove of what he said?

If approve/disapprove: Is that (approve/disapprove) strongly or (approve/disapprove) somewhat?

1 Strongly approve
2 Somewhat approve
3 Somewhat disapprove
4 Strongly disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rDA10 Approve of Kerry's Anti-War Statements (Wording #1), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If familiar with Kerry's anti-war activities**
rDA09 = 1

Question 737 From what you know about it, do you approve or disapprove of what he said?

If approve/disapprove: Is that (approve/disapprove) strongly or (approve/disapprove) somewhat?

1 Strongly approve
2 Somewhat approve
3 Somewhat disapprove
4 Strongly disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cDA15 Bush Fulfilled National Guard Obligations, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 661 Some people say that when George W. Bush was in the Texas Air National Guard in the 1970s, he often did not show up for duty. Bush says he did fulfill his obligations and has presented records that he says prove that he did. From what you have heard or read, do you think he fulfilled his military obligations, or do you think he did not fulfill them?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rDA15 Bush Fulfilled National Guard Obligations, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 661 Some people say that when George W. Bush was in the Texas Air National Guard in the 1970s, he often did not show up for duty. Bush says he did fulfill his obligations and has presented records that he says prove that he did. From what you have heard or read, do you think he fulfilled his military obligations, or do you think he did not fulfill them?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cDA16 Bush in National Guard Will Affect Vote, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If have opinion about whether Bush fulfilled National Guard obligations**
cDA15 = 1–2

Question 662 When you decide how to vote for president, how much will this matter to you—a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

1	Great deal
2	Some
3	Not much
4	Not at all
5	Would not vote
998	Don't know
999	Refused

rDA16 Bush in National Guard Will Affect Vote, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If have opinion about whether Bush fulfilled National Guard obligations**
rDA15 = 1–2

Question 662 When you decide how to vote for president, how much will this matter to you—a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

1	Great deal
2	Some
3	Not much
4	Not at all
5	Would not vote
998	Don't know
999	Refused

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cDA17 Know if Bush or Kerry Is Former Prosecutor, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 382 To the best of your knowledge, who is a former prosecutor—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also cDA18.

1	Bush
2	Kerry (correct)
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rDA17 Know if Bush or Kerry Is Former Prosecutor, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 382 To the best of your knowledge, who is a former prosecutor—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

See also rDA18.

1	Bush
2	Kerry (correct)
3	Both
4	Neither
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cDA18 Don't-Know Prompt for cDA17, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rDA18 Don't-Know Prompt for rDA17, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anyone come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

Ⓔ Media—Exposure and Opinions

TV News

cEA01 Watched Network News in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 609 How many days in the past week did you watch the national network news on TV? By national network news, I mean Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, and the Jim Lehrer "NewsHour" on PBS.

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA01 Watched Network News in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 609 How many days in the past week did you watch the national network news on TV? By national network news, I mean Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, and the Jim Lehrer "NewsHour" on PBS.

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cEA02 Network News Channel Watched Most, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If watched network news in past week**
cEA01 = 1–7

Question 610 Which of the following would you say you watch most often—Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, or the Jim Lehrer "NewsHour" on PBS?

1 ABC
2 CBS
3 NBC
4 PBS
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA02 Network News Channel Watched Most, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If watched network news in past week**
rEA01 = 1–7

Question 610 Which of the following would you say you watch most often—Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, or the Jim Lehrer "NewsHour" on PBS?

1 ABC
2 CBS
3 NBC
4 PBS
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cEA03 Watched Cable News in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 611 How many days in the past week did you watch a 24-hour cable news channel, such as CNN, FOX News Channel, or MSNBC?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA03 Watched Cable News in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 611 How many days in the past week did you watch a 24-hour cable news channel, such as CNN, FOX News Channel, or MSNBC?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cEA04*	Cable News Channel Watched Most, Pre-Debates
Schedule	**All dates pre-debates**
Filter	**If watched cable news in past week** cEA03 = 1–7
Question 612	Which of the cable news networks would you say you watch most often—FOX News Channel, CNN, or MSNBC?
* Multi-Part Data	Coded data in **cEA04** Verbatim data for code 5 in **cEA04$**
1	FOX
2	CNN
3	MSNBC
4	All three equally
5	Other*
998	Don't know
999	Refused

rEA04*	Cable News Channel Watched Most, Post-Debates
Schedule	**All dates post-debates**
Filter	**If watched cable news in past week** rEA03 = 1–7
Question 612	Which of the cable news networks would you say you watch most often—FOX News Channel, CNN, or MSNBC?
* Multi-Part Data	Coded data in **rEA04** Verbatim data for code 5 in **rEA04$**
1	FOX
2	CNN
3	MSNBC
4	All three equally
5	Other*
998	Don't know
999	Refused

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cEA05 Attention to Political News on Network or Cable TV in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If watched network or cable news in past week**
cEA01 = 1–7 Or cEA03 = 1–7

Question 632 During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on national network or cable TV news—a great deal of attention, some, not too much, or no attention at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cEA06 Watched Local News in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 615 How many days in the past week did you watch local TV news, for example, "Eyewitness News" or "Action News"?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

rEA05 Attention to Political News on Network or Cable TV in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If watched network or cable news in past week**
rEA01 = 1–7 Or rEA03 = 1–7

Question 632 During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on national network or cable TV news—a great deal of attention, some, not too much, or no attention at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA06 Watched Local News in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 615 How many days in the past week did you watch local TV news, for example, "Eyewitness News" or "Action News"?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cEA07 Attention to Political News on Local TV in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If watched local news in past week**
cEA06 = 1–7

Question 633 During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on local TV news—a great deal of attention, some, not too much, or no attention at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA07 Attention to Political News on Local TV in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If watched local news in past week**
rEA06 = 1–7

Question 633 During the past week, how much attention did you pay to stories about the campaign for president on local TV news—a great deal of attention, some, not too much, or no attention at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cEA08 Watched Spanish News in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 613 How many days in the past week did you watch news on a Spanish language channel such as, Univision or Telemundo?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA08 Watched Spanish News in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 613 How many days in the past week did you watch news on a Spanish language channel such as, Univision or Telemundo?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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cEA09 Watched BET News in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 614 How many days in the past week did you watch news on Black Entertainment Television, also known as BET?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA09 Watched BET News in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 614 How many days in the past week did you watch news on Black Entertainment Television, also known as BET?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Newspapers

cEA10 Read Newspaper in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 616 How many days in the past week did you read a daily newspaper?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA10 Read Newspaper in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 616 How many days in the past week did you read a daily newspaper?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cEA11* Newspaper Read Most, Pre-Debates

Schedule	**All dates pre-debates**
Filter	**If read newspaper in past week** cEA10 = 1–7
Question 617	What newspaper did you read most in the past week?
* Multi-Part Data	Coded data in **cEA11** Verbatim data for code 35 in **cEA11$**

1 Arizona Republic
2 Atlanta Constitution
3 Baltimore Sun
4 Boston Globe
5 Chicago Sun-Times
6 Chicago Tribune
7 Cleveland Plain Dealer
8 Concord Monitor
9 Dallas Morning News
10 Denver Post
11 Des Moines Register
12 Detroit Free Press
13 Houston Chronicle
14 Los Angeles Times
15 Manchester Union-Leader
16 Miami Herald
17 Minneapolis Star Tribune
18 New York Daily News
19 New York Post
20 New York Times
21 Newark Star-Ledger
22 Newsday
23 Orange County Register
24 Oregonian
25 Philadelphia Inquirer
26 Rocky Mountain News

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rEA11* Newspaper Read Most, Post-Debates

Schedule	**All dates post-debates**
Filter	**If read newspaper in past week** rEA10 = 1–7
Question 617	What newspaper did you read most in the past week?
* Multi-Part Data	Coded data in **rEA11** Verbatim data for code 35 in **rEA11$**

1 Arizona Republic
2 Atlanta Constitution
3 Baltimore Sun
4 Boston Globe
5 Chicago Sun-Times
6 Chicago Tribune
7 Cleveland Plain Dealer
8 Concord Monitor
9 Dallas Morning News
10 Denver Post
11 Des Moines Register
12 Detroit Free Press
13 Houston Chronicle
14 Los Angeles Times
15 Manchester Union-Leader
16 Miami Herald
17 Minneapolis Star Tribune
18 New York Daily News
19 New York Post
20 New York Times
21 Newark Star-Ledger
22 Newsday
23 Orange County Register
24 Oregonian
25 Philadelphia Inquirer
26 Rocky Mountain News

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← **27** San Diego Union-Tribune
28 San Francisco Chronicle
29 San Jose Mercury News
30 St. Louis Post-Dispatch
31 St. Petersburg Times
32 USA Today
33 Wall Street Journal
34 Washington Post
35 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

← **27** San Diego Union-Tribune
28 San Francisco Chronicle
29 San Jose Mercury News
30 St. Louis Post-Dispatch
31 St. Petersburg Times
32 USA Today
33 Wall Street Journal
34 Washington Post
35 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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cEA12 **Read Wall Street Journal Editorial Page, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If read The Wall Street Journal in past week**
cEA11 = 33

Question 620 When you read The Wall Street Journal, how often do you read the paper's editorial page—regularly, occasionally, rarely, or never?

1 Regularly
2 Occasionally
3 Rarely
4 Never
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA12 **Read Wall Street Journal Editorial Page, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If read The Wall Street Journal in past week**
rEA11 = 33

Question 620 When you read The Wall Street Journal, how often do you read the paper's editorial page—regularly, occasionally, rarely, or never?

1 Regularly
2 Occasionally
3 Rarely
4 Never
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cEA13 Attention to Political News in Newspaper in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If read newspaper in past week**
cEA10 = 1–7

Question 634 During the past week, how much attention did you pay to newspaper articles about the campaign for president—a great deal of attention, some, not too much, or no attention at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA13 Attention to Political News in Newspaper in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If read newspaper in past week**
rEA10 = 1–7

Question 634 During the past week, how much attention did you pay to newspaper articles about the campaign for president—a great deal of attention, some, not too much, or no attention at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Talk Radio

cEA14 Listened to NPR in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 621 How many days in the past week did you listen to NPR, also known as National Public Radio?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA14 Listened to NPR in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 621 How many days in the past week did you listen to NPR, also known as National Public Radio?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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cEA15 Listened to Talk Radio Other Than NPR in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Questions 622–623 If listened to NPR in cEA14: Apart from NPR, how many days in the past week did you listen to radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues, or politics?

If did not listen to NPR in cEA14: How many days in the past week did you listen to radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues, or politics?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA15 Listened to Talk Radio Other Than NPR in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Questions 622–623 If listened to NPR in rEA14: Apart from NPR, how many days in the past week did you listen to radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues, or politics?

If did not listen to NPR in rEA14: How many days in the past week did you listen to radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues, or politics?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cEA16* Talk Radio Programs Listened to in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule: **All dates pre-debates**

Filter: **If listened to NPR or other talk radio in past week**
cEA14 = 1–7 Or cEA15 = 1–7

Question 624 Which talk radio hosts or radio programs did you listen to in the past week?

* Multi-Part Data: Coded data: Up to five hosts or programs in **cEA16.1–cEA16.5**
Verbatim data for code 28 in **cEA16$**

1 "All Things Considered"
2 Art Bell
3 Jim Bohannon
4 Bob Brinker
5 Dr. Joy Browne
6 Howie Carr
7 Ken and Daria Dolan
8 Don and Mike
9 Dr. Dean Edell
10 Sean Hannity
11 Don Imus
12 John and Ken
13 Tom Joyner
14 Tom Leykis
15 G. Gordon Liddy
16 Rush Limbaugh
17 "Morning Edition" with Bob Edwards
18 NPR (unspecified)
19 Bill O'Reilly
20 Diane Rehm
21 Michael Savage
22 Tavis Smiley
23 Doug Stephan

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rEA16* Talk Radio Programs Listened to in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule: **All dates post-debates**

Filter: **If listened to NPR or other talk radio in past week**
rEA14 = 1–7 Or rEA15 = 1–7

Question 624 Which talk radio hosts or radio programs did you listen to in the past week?

* Multi-Part Data: Coded data: Up to five hosts or programs in **rEA16.1–rEA16.5**
Verbatim data for code 28 in **rEA16$**

1 "All Things Considered"
2 Art Bell
3 Jim Bohannon
4 Bob Brinker
5 Dr. Joy Browne
6 Howie Carr
7 Ken and Daria Dolan
8 Don and Mike
9 Dr. Dean Edell
10 Sean Hannity
11 Don Imus
12 John and Ken
13 Tom Joyner
14 Tom Leykis
15 G. Gordon Liddy
16 Rush Limbaugh
17 "Morning Edition" with Bob Edwards
18 NPR (unspecified)
19 Bill O'Reilly
20 Diane Rehm
21 Michael Savage
22 Tavis Smiley
23 Doug Stephan

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← **24** Howard Stern
25 "Talk of the Nation"
26 Armstrong Williams
27 Bruce Williams
28 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

← **24** Howard Stern
25 "Talk of the Nation"
26 Armstrong Williams
27 Bruce Williams
28 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cEA17* Talk Radio Program Listen to Most, Pre-Debates

Schedule	**All dates pre-debates**
Filter	**If listened to more than one talk radio program in past week** cEA16.2 = 1–28

Question 625 Which radio host or radio program would you say you listen to most often?

* Multi-Part Data	Coded data in **cEA17** Verbatim data for code 28 in **cEA17$**

1 "All Things Considered"
2 Art Bell
3 Jim Bohannon
4 Bob Brinker
5 Dr. Joy Browne
6 Howie Carr
7 Ken and Daria Dolan
8 Don and Mike
9 Dr. Dean Edell
10 Sean Hannity
11 Don Imus
12 John and Ken
13 Tom Joyner
14 Tom Leykis
15 G. Gordon Liddy
16 Rush Limbaugh
17 "Morning Edition" with Bob Edwards
18 NPR (unspecified)
19 Bill O'Reilly
20 Diane Rehm
21 Michael Savage
22 Tavis Smiley
23 Doug Stephan
24 Howard Stern
25 "Talk of the Nation"

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rEA17* Talk Radio Program Listen to Most, Post-Debates

Schedule	**All dates post-debates**
Filter	**If listened to more than one talk radio program in past week** rEA16.2 = 1–28

Question 625 Which radio host or radio program would you say you listen to most often?

* Multi-Part Data	Coded data in **rEA17** Verbatim data for code 28 in **rEA17$**

1 "All Things Considered"
2 Art Bell
3 Jim Bohannon
4 Bob Brinker
5 Dr. Joy Browne
6 Howie Carr
7 Ken and Daria Dolan
8 Don and Mike
9 Dr. Dean Edell
10 Sean Hannity
11 Don Imus
12 John and Ken
13 Tom Joyner
14 Tom Leykis
15 G. Gordon Liddy
16 Rush Limbaugh
17 "Morning Edition" with Bob Edwards
18 NPR (unspecified)
19 Bill O'Reilly
20 Diane Rehm
21 Michael Savage
22 Tavis Smiley
23 Doug Stephan
24 Howard Stern
25 "Talk of the Nation"

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← **26** Armstrong Williams
27 Bruce Williams
28 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

← **26** Armstrong Williams
27 Bruce Williams
28 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Late-Night Comedy

cEA18 Watched Late-Night Comedy in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 626 How many days in the past week did you watch late-night comedy programs like the "Late Show" with David Letterman, "The Tonight Show" with Jay Leno, or "The Daily Show" with Jon Stewart?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA18 Watched Late-Night Comedy in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 626 How many days in the past week did you watch late-night comedy programs like the "Late Show" with David Letterman, "The Tonight Show" with Jay Leno, or "The Daily Show" with Jon Stewart?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cEA20* **Late-Night Comedy Program Watched Most (Wording #2), Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If watched late-night comedy in past week**
cEA18 = 1–7

Question 628 Which of the following late-night comedy programs do you watch most often—the "Late Show" with David Letterman, "The Tonight Show" with Jay Leno, or "The Daily Show" with Jon Stewart, or "Late Night" with Conan O'Brien?

* Multi-Part Data Coded data in **cEA20**
Verbatim data for code 5 in **cEA20$**

1 Letterman
2 Leno
3 Stewart
4 O'Brien
5 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA20* **Late-Night Comedy Program Watched Most (Wording #2), Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If watched late-night comedy in past week**
rEA18 = 1–7

Question 628 Which of the following late-night comedy programs do you watch most often—the "Late Show" with David Letterman, "The Tonight Show" with Jay Leno, or "The Daily Show" with Jon Stewart, or "Late Night" with Conan O'Brien?

* Multi-Part Data Coded data in **rEA20**
Verbatim data for code 5 in **rEA20$**

1 Letterman
2 Leno
3 Stewart
4 O'Brien
5 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Online Political Information

cEA21 **Have Online Access, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 604 Do you have access to the Internet or the World Wide Web at home, at work or someplace else?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA21 **Have Online Access, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 604 Do you have access to the Internet or the World Wide Web at home, at work or someplace else?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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cEA22 Accessed Political Information Online in Past Week (Wording #1), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If have online access**
cEA21 = 1

Question 629 How many days in the past week did you access information about the campaign for president online?

See also cEA23.

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **9/20/04–9/28/04: 1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

9/29/04: No sample split

rEA22 Accessed Political Information Online in Past Week (Wording #1), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If have online access**
rEA21 = 1

Question 629 How many days in the past week did you access information about the campaign for president online?

See also rEA23.

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

cEA23 Accessed Political Information Online in Past Week (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/20/04–9/28/04**

Filter **If have online access**
cEA21 = 1

Question 630 How many days in the past week did you read information about the campaign for president online?

See also cEA22.

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

rEA23 Accessed Political Information Online in Past Week (Wording #2), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If have online access**
rEA21 = 1

Question 630 How many days in the past week did you read information about the campaign for president online?

See also rEA22.

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

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cEA24* Source of Online Political Information in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If accessed political information online in past week**
9/20/04–9/28/04: cEA22 = 1–7 Or cEA23 = 1–7
9/29/04: cEA22 = 1–7

Question 631 During the past week, which of the following did you access to get information about the presidential campaigns online—a candidate's website or web log, a news organization's website or web log, or some other website or web log?

* Multi-Part Data Coded data: Up to three websites or web logs in **cEA24.1–cEA24.3**
Verbatim data for code 3 in **cEA24$**

1 Candidate's
2 News organization's
3 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rEA24* Source of Online Political Information in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If accessed political information online in past week**
rEA22 = 1–7 Or rEA23 = 1–7

Question 631 During the past week, which of the following did you access to get information about the presidential campaigns online—a candidate's website or web log, a news organization's website or web log, or some other website or web log?

* Multi-Part Data Coded data: Up to three websites or web logs in **rEA24.1–rEA24.3**
Verbatim data for code 3 in **rEA24$**

1 Candidate's
2 News organization's
3 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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Debates

First General Election Presidential Debate

rFA03 **Watched Sept. 30 Bush-Kerry Debate, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 587 Did you happen to watch the presidential debate on Thursday, Sept. 30, between George W. Bush and John Kerry focusing on foreign policy?

If yes: Did you watch all, most, or just some of it?

1 Yes, all
2 Most
3 Some
4 Did not watch
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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Second Presidential Debate

rFA10 Watched Oct. 8 Bush-Kerry Debate, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 585 Did you happen to watch the presidential debate on Friday, Oct. 8, between George W. Bush and John Kerry where voters got to ask questions of the candidates?

If yes: Did you watch all, most, or just some of it?

1 Yes, all
2 Most
3 Some
4 Did not watch
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Third Presidential Debate

rFA17 Watched Oct. 13 Bush-Kerry Debate, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 584 Did you happen to watch the presidential debate on Wednesday, Oct. 13, between George W. Bush and John Kerry focusing on domestic issues?

If yes: Did you watch all, most, or just some of it?

1 Yes, all
2 Most
3 Some
4 Did not watch
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFA24 Appropriate for Kerry to Mention Cheney's Lesbian Daughter in Debate, Post-Debates

Schedule **10/18/04–10/24/04**

Question 750 In response to a question on homosexuality in the last presidential debate, John Kerry mentioned that Vice President Dick Cheney's daughter is a lesbian. That's something Cheney has acknowledged. Do you think it was appropriate or inappropriate for Kerry to mention it?

1 Appropriate
2 Inappropriate
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Vice Presidential Debate

rFA25 Watched Cheney-Edwards Debate, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 586 Did you happen to watch the vice presidential debate on Tuesday, Oct. 5, between Dick Cheney and John Edwards?

If yes: Did you watch all, most, or just some of it?

1 Yes, all
2 Most
3 Some
4 Did not watch
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFA27 Cheney or Edwards Did Best in Debate (Watched Debate), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If watched Cheney-Edwards debate**
rFA25 = 1–3

Question 593 Who do you think did best in the vice presidential debate—Dick Cheney or John Edwards?

See also rFA31.

1 Cheney
2 Edwards
3 Both did the same
4 Neither did well
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFA28 Cheney Did Better Than Expected in Debate, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If watched Cheney-Edwards debate**
rFA25 = 1–3

Question 594 Did Dick Cheney do better than you expected, less well than you expected, or about as you expected?

1 Better
2 Less well
3 As expected
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFA29 **Edwards Did Better Than Expected in Debate, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If watched Cheney-Edwards debate**
rFA25 = 1–3

Question 595 Did John Edwards do better than you expected, less well than you expected, or about as you expected?

1 Better
2 Less well
3 As expected
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFA30 **Familiar With Cheney-Edwards Debate (Did Not Watch), Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If did not watch Cheney-Edwards debate**
rFA25 = 4, 998–999

Question 596 Have you heard or read anything about the vice presidential debate on Tuesday, Oct. 5, between Dick Cheney and John Edwards?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFA31 **Cheney or Edwards Did Best in Debate (Did Not Watch), Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If did not watch but familiar with Cheney-Edwards debate**
rFA30 = 1

Question 597 From what you have heard or read, who do you think did best in this debate—Dick Cheney or John Edwards?

See also rFA27.

1 Cheney
2 Edwards
3 Both did the same
4 Neither did well
998 Don't know
999 Refused

General Election Debates Overall

rFA32 Bush or Kerry Did Best in Debates Overall (Watched Debates), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If watched at least one Bush-Kerry debate**
rFA17 = 1–3 Or rFA10 = 1–3 Or rFA03 = 1–3

Question 588 Thinking about all the debates that you saw, overall who do you think did best in the presidential debates—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

See also rFA36.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both did the same
4 Neither did well
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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rFA33 **Bush Did Better Than Expected in Debates Overall, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If watched at least one Bush-Kerry debate**
rFA17 = 1–3 Or rFA10 = 1–3 Or rFA03 = 1–3

Question 589 Overall, did George W. Bush do better than you expected, less well than you expected, or about as you expected in the debates you saw?

1 Better
2 Less well
3 As expected
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFA34 **Kerry Did Better Than Expected in Debates Overall, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If watched at least one Bush-Kerry debate**
rFA17 = 1–3 Or rFA10 = 1–3 Or rFA03 = 1–3

Question 590 Overall, did John Kerry do better than you expected, less well than you expected, or about as you expected in the debates you saw?

1 Better
2 Less well
3 As expected
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFA35 **Familiar With Bush-Kerry Debates (Did Not Watch), Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If did not watch any Bush-Kerry debates**

rFA17 = 4, 998–999 And rFA10 = 4, 998–999 And rFA03 = 4, 998–999

Question 591 Have you heard or read anything about the presidential debates held in the past two weeks?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFA36 **Bush or Kerry Did Best in Debates Overall (Did Not Watch), Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If did not watch any Bush-Kerry debates but familiar with them**

rFA35 = 1

Question 592 From what you have heard or read, who do you think did best in the presidential debates—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

See also rFA32.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both did the same
4 Neither did well
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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Contact With Campaigns and Political Groups

cFD12* Offered Help to Get Early Ballot, Pre-Debates

Schedule	**9/23/04–9/29/04**
Filter	**9/23/04–9/28/04: If early voted or intend to early vote in general election** cRC28 = 1 Or cRC26 = 1 9/29/04: No filter

Question 328 Has any political party, government office, or other group or individual offered to help you get an early or absentee ballot?

* Multi-Part Data	Up to four "yes" answers in **cFD12.1–cFD12.4**

1	Yes, party
2	Government office
3	Individual
4	Other group
5	No
998	Don't know
999	Refused

rFD12* Offered Help to Get Early Ballot, Post-Debates

Schedule	**All dates post-debates**
Filter	No filter

Question 328 Has any political party, government office, or other group or individual offered to help you get an early or absentee ballot?

* Multi-Part Data	Up to four "yes" answers in **rFD12.1–rFD12.4**

1	Yes, party
2	Government office
3	Individual
4	Other group
5	No
998	Don't know
999	Refused

cFD13* Offered Help to Get Early Ballot by Republicans or Democrats, Pre-Debates

Schedule	**9/23/04–9/29/04**
Filter	**9/23/04–9/28/04: If offered help to get early ballot by political party, and early voted or intend to early vote in general election** cFD12 = 1 **9/29/04: If offered help to get early ballot by political party** cFD12 = 1
Question 329	Was the political party the Republicans or the Democrats that offered to help?
* Multi-Part Data	Coded data in **cFD13** Verbatim data for code 3 in **cFD13$**

1	Republicans
2	Democrats
3	Other*
998	Don't know
999	Refused

rFD13* Offered Help to Get Early Ballot by Republicans or Democrats, Post-Debates

Schedule	**All dates post-debates**
Filter	**If offered help to get early ballot by political party** rFD12 = 1
Question 329	Was the political party the Republicans or the Democrats that offered to help?
* Multi-Part Data	Coded data in **rFD13** Verbatim data for code 3 in **rFD13$**

1	Republicans
2	Democrats
3	Other*
998	Don't know
999	Refused

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cFD14 Offered Help to Get Early Ballot by Advocate for Candidate, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Filter **9/23/04–9/28/04: If offered help by individual or group other than a political party, and early voted or intend to early vote in general election**
cFD12 = 3–4

9/29/04: If offered help by individual or group other than a political party
cFD12 = 3–4

Question 330 As far as you know, was the individual or group offering help because they want you to vote for a particular candidate or set of candidates?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFD14 Offered Help to Get Early Ballot by Advocate for Candidate, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If offered help by individual or group other than a political party**
rFD12 = 3–4

Question 330 As far as you know, was the individual or group offering help because they want you to vote for a particular candidate or set of candidates?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Opinions of Political Discourse Overall

Candidates' Rhetoric

cFF04 **Bush Criticizing Opponent, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 434 Thinking about what George W. Bush is saying in the presidential campaign, how much of the time would you say he is spending criticizing his opponent—a great deal of time, some, not too much, or isn't he doing this at all?

1	Great deal
2	Some
3	Not much
4	Not doing this
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/4 sample**
cXC = 4

cFF05 Kerry Criticizing Opponent, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 433 Thinking about what John Kerry is saying in the presidential campaign, how much of the time would you say he is spending criticizing his opponent—a great deal of time, some, not too much, or isn't he doing this at all?

1	Great deal
2	Some
3	Not much
4	Not doing this
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/4 sample**
cXC = 3

cFF06 Bush Talking About Solving Problems, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 436 Thinking about what George W. Bush is saying in the presidential campaign, how much of the time would you say he is talking about how he would solve the problems facing the country—a great deal of time, some, not too much, or isn't he doing this at all?

1	Great deal
2	Some
3	Not much
4	Not doing this
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/4 sample**
cXC = 4

cFF07 Kerry Talking About Solving Problems, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 435 Thinking about what John Kerry is saying in the presidential campaign, how much of the time would you say he is talking about how he would solve the problems facing the country—a great deal of time, some, not too much, or isn't he doing this at all?

1	Great deal
2	Some
3	Not much
4	Not doing this
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/4 sample**
cXC = 3

Learning From Political Discourse

cFF16 Learned Enough About Candidates and Issues So Far, Pre-Debates

Schedule: **All dates pre-debates**

Filter: **9/23/04–9/29/04: If did not vote in general election**
cRC28 = 2, 998–999

9/20/04–9/22/04: No filter

Question 338 So far, have you learned enough about the candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or have you found it difficult to choose because you feel you have not learned enough?

1	Learned enough
2	Difficult to choose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

rFF16 Learned Enough About Candidates and Issues So Far, Post-Debates

Schedule: **All dates post-debates**

Filter: **If did not vote in general election**
rRC28 = 2, 998–999

Question 338 So far, have you learned enough about the candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or have you found it difficult to choose because you feel you have not learned enough?

1	Learned enough
2	Difficult to choose
998	Don't know
999	Refused

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cFF17 Learned Enough About Candidates and Issues Before General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If voted in general election**
cRC28 = 1

Question 339 By the time you voted in the presidential election, did you learn enough about the candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or did you find it difficult to choose because you felt you had not learned enough?

1 Learned enough
2 Difficult to choose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rFF17 Learned Enough About Candidates and Issues Before General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If voted in general election**
rRC28 = 1

Question 339 By the time you voted in the presidential election, did you learn enough about the candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or did you find it difficult to choose because you felt you had not learned enough?

1 Learned enough
2 Difficult to choose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Ⓚ Political Participation

Interest in Politics and the Campaign

cKA01 Follow Politics, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 522 Some people seem to follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, whether there is an election or not. Others are not that interested, or are interested in other things. Would you say you follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, some of the time, only now and then, or hardly at all?

1	Most times
2	Sometime
3	Now and then
4	Hardly at all
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rKA01 Follow Politics, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 522 Some people seem to follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, whether there is an election or not. Others are not that interested, or are interested in other things. Would you say you follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, some of the time, only now and then, or hardly at all?

1	Most times
2	Sometime
3	Now and then
4	Hardly at all
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cKA04 Following Campaign, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 331 How closely are you following the campaign for president—very closely, somewhat closely, not too closely, or not closely at all?

1 Very
2 Somewhat
3 Not too
4 Not at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

rKA04 Following Campaign, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 331 How closely are you following the campaign for president—very closely, somewhat closely, not too closely, or not closely at all?

1 Very
2 Somewhat
3 Not too
4 Not at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split No sample split

cKA05 Interested in Campaign, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 332 Would you say you have been very much interested, somewhat interested, or not much interested in the presidential campaign so far this year?

1 Very
2 Somewhat
3 Not much
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

Political Discussion

cKB01 Discussed Politics With Family or Friends in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 600 How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with your family or friends?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rKB01 Discussed Politics With Family or Friends in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 600 How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with your family or friends?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cKB03 Discussed Politics at Work in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 602 How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with people at work?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rKB03 Discussed Politics at Work in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 602 How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with people at work?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cKB05 Discussed Politics Online in Past Week, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If have online access**
cEA21 = 1

Question 605 How many days in the past week did you discuss politics online with people over email, in chat rooms, or using listservs or instant messaging services?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rKB05 Discussed Politics Online in Past Week, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If have online access**
rEA21 = 1

Question 605 How many days in the past week did you discuss politics online with people over email, in chat rooms, or using listservs or instant messaging services?

Number **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Involvement in Campaigning

cKC02 Tried to Influence Others' Voting, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 284 During this presidential campaign, have you talked to any people and tried to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

rKC02 Tried to Influence Others' Voting, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 284 During this presidential campaign, have you talked to any people and tried to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

cKC03 Attended Political Meetings, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 285 During this presidential campaign, have you gone to any political meetings, rallies, speeches, dinners, or things like that in support of a particular presidential candidate?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

rKC03 Attended Political Meetings, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 285 During this presidential campaign, have you gone to any political meetings, rallies, speeches, dinners, or things like that in support of a particular presidential candidate?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

cKC04 Did Other Work for Candidate, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 286 During this presidential campaign, have you done any other work for one of the presidential candidates?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

rKC04 Did Other Work for Candidate, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 286 During this presidential campaign, have you done any other work for one of the presidential candidates?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cKC05 Donated Money to Candidate, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 287 During this presidential campaign, have you given money to any of the presidential candidates?

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

rKC05 Donated Money to Candidate, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 287 During this presidential campaign, have you given money to any of the presidential candidates?

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

cKC06* Method of Donating Money to Candidate, Pre-Debates

Schedule	**All dates pre-debates**
Filter	**If donated money to candidate** cKC05 = 1

Question 288 You said that you have given money to one of the presidential candidates. Please tell me which of the following ways you donated money to the candidate—through the mail, through the Internet, in person at a fundraiser or other campaign event, or some other way?

* Multi-Part Data	Coded data: Up to four ways in **cKC06.1–cKC06.4** Verbatim data for code 4 in **cKC06$**

1	Mail
2	Internet
3	In person
4	Other*
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1

rKC06* Method of Donating Money to Candidate, Post-Debates

Schedule	**All dates post-debates**
Filter	**If donated money to candidate** rKC05 = 1

Question 288 You said that you have given money to one of the presidential candidates. Please tell me which of the following ways you donated money to the candidate—through the mail, through the Internet, in person at a fundraiser or other campaign event, or some other way?

* Multi-Part Data	Coded data: Up to four ways in **rKC06.1–rKC06.4** Verbatim data for code 4 in **rKC06$**

1	Mail
2	Internet
3	In person
4	Other*
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cKC07 Wore Campaign Button or Displayed Sign, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 289 During this presidential campaign, have you worn a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car, or placed a sign in your window or in front of your house?

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

rKC07 Wore Campaign Button or Displayed Sign, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 289 During this presidential campaign, have you worn a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car, or placed a sign in your window or in front of your house?

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

Ⓜ Orientation to Politics

Ideology

cMA01* Party ID, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 258 Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else?

* Multi-Part Data: Coded data in **cMA01**
Verbatim data for code 4 in **cMA01$**

1 Republican
2 Democrat
3 Independent
4 Something else*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rMA01* Party ID, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 258 Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else?

* Multi-Part Data: Coded data in **rMA01**
Verbatim data for code 4 in **rMA01$**

1 Republican
2 Democrat
3 Independent
4 Something else*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cMA02 Strength of Party ID, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If Republican, Democrat, or Independent**
cMA01 = 1–3

Question 259 Do you consider yourself a strong or not a very strong (from cMA01: Republican/Democrat/Independent)?

1 Strong
2 Not strong
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rMA02 Strength of Party ID, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If Republican, Democrat, or Independent**
rMA01 = 1–3

Question 259 Do you consider yourself a strong or not a very strong (from rMA01: Republican/Democrat/Independent)?

1 Strong
2 Not strong
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cMA03 Lean Republican or Democrat, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If not Republican or Democrat**
cMA01 = 3–4, 998–999

Question 260 Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or Democratic Party?

1 Republican
2 Democratic
3 Neither Republican nor Democrat
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rMA03 Lean Republican or Democrat, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If not Republican or Democrat**
rMA01 = 3–4, 998–999

Question 260 Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or Democratic Party?

1 Republican
2 Democratic
3 Neither Republican nor Democrat
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cMA06 Conservative or Liberal, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 263 Generally speaking, would you describe your political views as very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal, or very liberal?

1 Very conservative
2 Conservative
3 Moderate
4 Liberal
5 Very liberal
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rMA06 Conservative or Liberal, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 263 Generally speaking, would you describe your political views as very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal, or very liberal?

1 Very conservative
2 Conservative
3 Moderate
4 Liberal
5 Very liberal
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Confidence in Institutions, Political Efficacy, and Cynicism

cMB10 Politics Too Complicated, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 545 Do you agree or disagree that sometimes politics seems so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on?

If agree/disagree: Do you strongly (agree/disagree) or somewhat (agree/disagree)?

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Neither agree nor disagree
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rMB10 Politics Too Complicated, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 545 Do you agree or disagree that sometimes politics seems so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on?

If agree/disagree: Do you strongly (agree/disagree) or somewhat (agree/disagree)?

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Neither agree nor disagree
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

General Political Knowledge

cMC01* Know Cheney Is Vice President, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 639 Do you happen to know what job or political office is now held by Dick Cheney?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

See also cMC02.

* Multi-Part Data: Coded data in **cMC01**
Verbatim data for code 2 in **cMC01$**

1 Vice president (correct)
2 Other answer*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split: **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rMC01* Know Cheney Is Vice President, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 639 Do you happen to know what job or political office is now held by Dick Cheney?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

See also rMC02.

* Multi-Part Data: Coded data in **rMC01**
Verbatim data for code 2 in **rMC01$**

1 Vice president (correct)
2 Other answer*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split: **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cMC02 Don't-Know Prompt for cMC01, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anything come to mind?"

Sample Split: **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rMC02 Don't-Know Prompt for rMC01, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anything come to mind?"

Sample Split: **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cMC03 Know Supreme Court Determines Constitutionality of Laws, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 640 Who has the final responsibility to determine if a law is constitutional or not? Is it the president, the Congress, or the Supreme Court?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

See also cMC04.

1 President
2 Congress
3 Supreme Court (correct)
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rMC03 Know Supreme Court Determines Constitutionality of Laws, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 640 Who has the final responsibility to determine if a law is constitutional or not? Is it the president, the Congress, or the Supreme Court?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

See also rMC04.

1 President
2 Congress
3 Supreme Court (correct)
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cMC04 Don't-Know Prompt for cMC03, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anything come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rMC04 Don't-Know Prompt for rMC03, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anything come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cMC05* Know Two-Thirds Majority Overrides Veto, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 641 How much of a majority is required for the U.S. Senate and House to override a presidential veto?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

See also cMC06.

* Multi-Part Data: Coded data in **cMC05**
Verbatim data for code 2 in **cMC05$**

1	Two-thirds (correct)
2	Other answer*
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split: **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rMC05* Know Two-Thirds Majority Overrides Veto, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 641 How much of a majority is required for the U.S. Senate and House to override a presidential veto?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

See also rMC06.

* Multi-Part Data: Coded data in **rMC05**
Verbatim data for code 2 in **rMC05$**

1	Two-thirds (correct)
2	Other answer*
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split: **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cMC06 Don't-Know Prompt for cMC05, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anything come to mind?"

Sample Split: **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rMC06 Don't-Know Prompt for rMC05, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anything come to mind?"

Sample Split: **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cMC07 Know Republicans Are Majority Party in House, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 642 Do you happen to know which party has the most members in the United States House of Representatives?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

See also cMC08.

1 Democratic
2 Republican (correct)
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rMC07 Know Republicans Are Majority Party in House, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 642 Do you happen to know which party has the most members in the United States House of Representatives?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

See also rMC08.

1 Democratic
2 Republican (correct)
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

cMC08 Don't-Know Prompt for cMC07, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anything come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

rMC08 Don't-Know Prompt for rMC07, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

0 Respondent answered without prompting
1 Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Anything come to mind?"

Sample Split **2/3 sample**
cXB = 1–2

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Ⓝ Candidates' Electoral Chances and Endorsements

Assessments of Candidates' Electoral Chances

Candidates' General Election Chances

cNA21 **Chance Kerry Will Beat Bush, Pre-Debates**

Schedule: **All dates pre-debates**

Filter: **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 359 Using a 100-point scale, please tell me the chances that John Kerry will beat George W. Bush in the general election. A zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win. You may use any number from zero to 100.

Number: **0–100**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split: **1/2 sample**
cNA23 = 1

rNA21 **Chance Kerry Will Beat Bush, Post-Debates**

Schedule: **All dates post-debates**

Filter: **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 359 Using a 100-point scale, please tell me the chances that John Kerry will beat George W. Bush in the general election. A zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win. You may use any number from zero to 100.

Number: **0–100**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split: **1/2 sample**
rNA23 = 1

cNA22 Chance Bush Will Beat Kerry, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

Question 360 Using a 100-point scale, please tell me the chances that George W. Bush will beat John Kerry in the general election. A zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win. You may use any number from zero to 100.

Number **0–100**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cNA23 = 2

rNA22 Chance Bush Will Beat Kerry, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

Question 360 Using a 100-point scale, please tell me the chances that George W. Bush will beat John Kerry in the general election. A zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win. You may use any number from zero to 100.

Number **0–100**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
rNA23 = 2

cNA23 Random Assignment to cNA21–cNA22, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
cAB01 = 0–10

1 cNA21 (Kerry will beat Bush)
2 cNA22 (Bush will beat Kerry)

rNA23 Random Assignment to rNA21–rNA22, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If recognize Kerry**
rAB01 = 0–10

1 rNA21 (Kerry will beat Bush)
2 rNA22 (Bush will beat Kerry)

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Ⓡ Voting Behavior and Attitudes

Voter Registration

cRA01 Registered to Vote, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 256 These days, many people are so busy they cannot find time to register to vote, or they move around so often they do not get a chance to re-register. Are you currently registered to vote in your precinct or election district, or haven't you been able to register so far?

1 Registered
2 Not registered
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRA01 Registered to Vote, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 256 These days, many people are so busy they cannot find time to register to vote, or they move around so often they do not get a chance to re-register. Are you currently registered to vote in your precinct or election district, or haven't you been able to register so far?

1 Registered
2 Not registered
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Voting in Presidential Primary

cRB01 Democratic Presidential Primary Election Status, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cRB01 indicates if the respondent was interviewed before or after his or her state's Democratic presidential primary election.

If a respondent was interviewed on the day of the primary election, he or she is classified as interviewed pre-election.

See the National Rolling Cross-Section codebook for a table of primary election dates.

1 Interviewed before state's Democratic primary
2 Interviewed after state's Democratic primary

rRB01 Democratic Presidential Primary Election Status, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

rRB01 indicates if the respondent was interviewed before or after his or her state's Democratic presidential primary election.

If a respondent was interviewed on the day of the primary election, he or she is classified as interviewed pre-election.

See the National Rolling Cross-Section codebook for a table of primary election dates.

1 Interviewed before state's Democratic primary
2 Interviewed after state's Democratic primary

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Actual Primary Voting

cRB11 Voted in Primary, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 304 If interviewed before primary in cRB01: Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you—have you already voted in your state's presidential primary election, or not?

If interviewed after primary in cRB01: In talking with people about politics and elections, we often find that they don't get a chance to vote. Did you happen to vote in your state's recent presidential primary election or caucus?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Intend to vote in different primary
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRB11 Voted in Primary, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 304 If interviewed before primary in rRB01: Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you—have you already voted in your state's presidential primary election, or not?

If interviewed after primary in rRB01: In talking with people about politics and elections, we often find that they don't get a chance to vote. Did you happen to vote in your state's recent presidential primary election or caucus?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Intend to vote in different primary
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRB12 Voted in Republican or Democratic Primary, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If voted in primary**
cRB11 = 1

Question 306 Did you vote in the Republican presidential primary or the Democratic primary?

1 Republican
2 Democratic
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRB12 Voted in Republican or Democratic Primary, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If voted in primary**
rRB11 = 1

Question 306 Did you vote in the Republican presidential primary or the Democratic primary?

1 Republican
2 Democratic
998 Don't know
999 Refused

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

cRB13 Candidate Voted for in Democratic Primary, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If voted in Democratic primary**
cRB12 = 2

Question 441 For whom did you vote in the Democratic presidential primary election or caucus in your state—

Wesley Clark,
Howard Dean,
John Edwards,
Richard Gephardt,
John Kerry,
Dennis Kucinich,
Joe Lieberman,
Carol Moseley Braun,
or Al Sharpton?

1	Clark
2	Dean
3	Edwards
4	Gephardt
5	Kerry
6	Kucinich
7	Lieberman
8	Moseley Braun
9	Sharpton
10	Other
11	Did not vote for presidential nominee
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

rRB13 Candidate Voted for in Democratic Primary, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If voted in Democratic primary**
rRB12 = 2

Question 441 For whom did you vote in the Democratic presidential primary election or caucus in your state—

Wesley Clark,
Howard Dean,
John Edwards,
Richard Gephardt,
John Kerry,
Dennis Kucinich,
Joe Lieberman,
Carol Moseley Braun,
or Al Sharpton?

1	Clark
2	Dean
3	Edwards
4	Gephardt
5	Kerry
6	Kucinich
7	Lieberman
8	Moseley Braun
9	Sharpton
10	Other
11	Did not vote for presidential nominee
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Voting in General Election

Intended General Election Voting

cRC01 **Intend to Vote in General Election, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **9/23/04–9/29/04: If did not early vote in general election**
cRC28 = 2, 998–999

9/20/04–9/22/04: No filter

Question 314 Do you plan to vote in the general election in November, or don't you plan to vote?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC01 **Intend to Vote in General Election, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If did not early vote in general election**
rRC28 = 2, 998–999

Question 314 Do you plan to vote in the general election in November, or don't you plan to vote?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC02 **Chance of Voting in General Election, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote in general election**
cRC01 = 1

Question 315 I would like you to rate your chances of voting in the general election on a scale of one to 10. Ten means you will definitely vote, and one means you will definitely not vote. Of course you may use any number in between.

Number **1–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC02 **Chance of Voting in General Election, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote in general election**
rRC01 = 1

Question 315 I would like you to rate your chances of voting in the general election on a scale of one to 10. Ten means you will definitely vote, and one means you will definitely not vote. Of course you may use any number in between.

Number **1–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

cRC14 Intend to Vote for Bush, Kerry, or Nader (Wording #5), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **9/23/04–9/29/04: If did not early vote in general election**
cRC28 = 2, 998–999

9/20/04–9/22/04: No filter

Question 470 If the 2004 presidential election were being held today, would you vote for George W. Bush and Dick Cheney, the Republicans; John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats; or Ralph Nader and Peter Camejo of the Reform Party?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Nader
4 Other
5 Would not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

rRC14 Intend to Vote for Bush, Kerry, or Nader (Wording #5), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If did not early vote in general election**
rRC28 = 2, 998–999

Question 470 If the 2004 presidential election were being held today, would you vote for George W. Bush and Dick Cheney, the Republicans; John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats; or Ralph Nader and Peter Camejo of the Reform Party?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Nader
4 Other
5 Would not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC15 Intend to Vote for Bush or Kerry if Nader Not on Ballot, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Nader or undecided**
cRC14 = 3, 998

Question 471 If Ralph Nader is not on the ballot in your state, who would you vote for George W. Bush or John Kerry?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Write in Nader
4 Other
5 Would not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC15 Intend to Vote for Bush or Kerry if Nader Not on Ballot, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Nader or undecided**
rRC14 = 3, 998

Question 471 If Ralph Nader is not on the ballot in your state, who would you vote for George W. Bush or John Kerry?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Write in Nader
4 Other
5 Would not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

cRC16 Definitely Intend to Vote for Bush in General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Bush in general election**
cRC14 = 1

Question 473 Will you definitely vote for George W. Bush for president, or is there a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

If could change mind: Is there a good chance you'll change your mind, or would you say it's pretty unlikely?

1 Definitely will vote for candidate
2 Good chance will change mind
3 Unlikely will change mind
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

rRC16 Definitely Intend to Vote for Bush in General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Bush in general election**
rRC14 = 1

Question 473 Will you definitely vote for George W. Bush for president, or is there a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

If could change mind: Is there a good chance you'll change your mind, or would you say it's pretty unlikely?

1 Definitely will vote for candidate
2 Good chance will change mind
3 Unlikely will change mind
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC17 Definitely Intend to Vote for Kerry in General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Kerry in general election**
cRC14 = 2

Question 472 Will you definitely vote for John Kerry for president, or is there a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

If could change mind: Is there a good chance you'll change your mind, or would you say it's pretty unlikely?

1 Definitely will vote for candidate
2 Good chance will change mind
3 Unlikely will change mind
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC17 Definitely Intend to Vote for Kerry in General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Kerry in general election**
rRC14 = 2

Question 472 Will you definitely vote for John Kerry for president, or is there a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

If could change mind: Is there a good chance you'll change your mind, or would you say it's pretty unlikely?

1 Definitely will vote for candidate
2 Good chance will change mind
3 Unlikely will change mind
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC18 Definitely Intend to Vote for Nader in General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Nader**
cRC14 = 3

Question 474 Will you definitely vote for Ralph Nader for president, or is there a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

If could change mind: Is there a good chance you'll change your mind, or would you say it's pretty unlikely?

1 Definitely will vote for candidate
2 Good chance will change mind
3 Unlikely will change mind
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC18 Definitely Intend to Vote for Nader in General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Nader**
rRC14 = 3

Question 474 Will you definitely vote for Ralph Nader for president, or is there a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

If could change mind: Is there a good chance you'll change your mind, or would you say it's pretty unlikely?

1 Definitely will vote for candidate
2 Good chance will change mind
3 Unlikely will change mind
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC23 Supporting Bush Because Against Kerry, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Bush in general election**
cRC14 = 1

Question 478 Would you say you are supporting George W. Bush for president more because you are for Bush or more because you are against John Kerry?

1 For Bush
2 Against Kerry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC23 Supporting Bush Because Against Kerry, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Bush in general election**
rRC14 = 1

Question 478 Would you say you are supporting George W. Bush for president more because you are for Bush or more because you are against John Kerry?

1 For Bush
2 Against Kerry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC24 Supporting Kerry Because Against Bush, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Kerry in general election**
cRC14 = 2

Question 479 Would you say you are supporting John Kerry for president more because you are for Kerry or more because you are against George W. Bush?

1 For Kerry
2 Against Bush
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC24 Supporting Kerry Because Against Bush, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote for Kerry in general election**
rRC14 = 2

Question 479 Would you say you are supporting John Kerry for president more because you are for Kerry or more because you are against George W. Bush?

1 For Kerry
2 Against Bush
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC26 Intend to Early Vote in General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If intend to vote in general election**
cRC01 = 1

Question 322 Do you plan to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot, in the presidential election?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC26 Intend to Early Vote in General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If intend to vote in general election**
rRC01 = 1

Question 322 Do you plan to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot, in the presidential election?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

cRC27 Intended Method of Early Voting in General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If intend to early vote in general election**
cRC26 = 1

Question 327 How will you cast your ballot?

As necessary: By voting at an early polling station; by sending in a ballot by mail; by sending in a ballot by fax; by personally dropping off a ballot at an election office; by having someone else drop a ballot at an election office for you; by voting over the telephone; by voting online, that is, over the Internet; or some other way?

1 Polling station
2 Mail
3 Fax
4 Personally dropping off
5 Someone else dropping off
6 Phone
7 Online
8 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

rRC27 Intended Method of Early Voting in General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If intend to early vote in general election**
rRC26 = 1

Question 327 How will you cast your ballot?

As necessary: By voting at an early polling station; by sending in a ballot by mail; by sending in a ballot by fax; by personally dropping off a ballot at an election office; by having someone else drop a ballot at an election office for you; by voting over the telephone; by voting online, that is, over the Internet; or some other way?

1 Polling station
2 Mail
3 Fax
4 Personally dropping off
5 Someone else dropping off
6 Phone
7 Online
8 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Actual General Election Voting

cRC28 Voted in General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Question 308 Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you—have you already voted in this year's presidential election, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC28 Voted in General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 308 Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you—have you already voted in this year's presidential election, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC29 Voted for Bush, Kerry, or Nader, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If voted in general election**
cRC28 = 1

Question 475 In the 2004 presidential election, who did you vote for—George W. Bush and Dick Cheney, the Republicans; John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats; or Ralph Nader and Peter Camejo of the Reform Party?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Nader
4 Other
5 Did not vote for president
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC29 Voted for Bush, Kerry, or Nader, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If voted in general election**
rRC28 = 1

Question 475 In the 2004 presidential election, who did you vote for—George W. Bush and Dick Cheney, the Republicans; John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats; or Ralph Nader and Peter Camejo of the Reform Party?

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Nader
4 Other
5 Did not vote for president
998 Don't know
999 Refused

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cRC38 **Supported Bush Because Against Kerry, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If voted for Bush in general election**
cRC29 = 1

Question 480 Would you say you are supporting George W. Bush for president more because you are for Bush or more because you are against John Kerry?

1 For Bush
2 Against Kerry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC38 **Supported Bush Because Against Kerry, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If voted for Bush in general election**
rRC29 = 1

Question 480 Would you say you are supporting George W. Bush for president more because you are for Bush or more because you are against John Kerry?

1 For Bush
2 Against Kerry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC39 **Supported Kerry Because Against Bush, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If voted for Kerry in general election**
cRC29 = 2

Question 481 Would you say you are supporting John Kerry for president more because you are for Kerry or more because you are against George W. Bush?

1 For Kerry
2 Against Bush
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC39 **Supported Kerry Because Against Bush, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If voted for Kerry in general election**
rRC29 = 2

Question 481 Would you say you are supporting John Kerry for president more because you are for Kerry or more because you are against George W. Bush?

1 For Kerry
2 Against Bush
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC40 Early Voted in General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If voted in general election**
cRC28 = 1

Question 308 Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you—have you already voted in this year's presidential election, or not?

1 Voted early
2 Did not vote early
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC40 Early Voted in General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If voted in general election**
rRC28 = 1

Question 308 Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you—have you already voted in this year's presidential election, or not?

1 Voted early
2 Did not vote early
998 Don't know
999 Refused

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

cRC41 Method of Early Voting in General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If early voted in general election**
cRC40 = 1

Question 323 How did you cast your ballot?

As necessary: By voting at an early polling station; by sending in a ballot by mail; by sending in a ballot by fax; by personally dropping off a ballot at an election office; by having someone else drop a ballot at an election office for you; by voting over the telephone; by voting online, that is, over the Internet; or some other way?

1 Polling station
2 Mail
3 Fax
4 Personally dropping off
5 Someone else dropping off
6 Phone
7 Online
8 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

rRC41 Method of Early Voting in General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If early voted in general election**
rRC40 = 1

Question 323 How did you cast your ballot?

As necessary: By voting at an early polling station; by sending in a ballot by mail; by sending in a ballot by fax; by personally dropping off a ballot at an election office; by having someone else drop a ballot at an election office for you; by voting over the telephone; by voting online, that is, over the Internet; or some other way?

1 Polling station
2 Mail
3 Fax
4 Personally dropping off
5 Someone else dropping off
6 Phone
7 Online
8 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cRC42 Date of Early Voting in General Election (Asked Pre-Election), Pre-Debates

Schedule **9/23/04–9/29/04**

Filter **If early voted in general election**
cRC40 = 1

Question 324 On what date did you cast your ballot early in the general election?

1 Today
2 Yesterday
3 Two to three days ago
4 Four to seven days
5 More than one week ago
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRC42 Date of Early Voting in General Election (Asked Pre-Election), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If early voted in general election**
rRC40 = 1

Question 324 On what date did you cast your ballot early in the general election?

1 Today
2 Yesterday
3 Two to three days ago
4 Four to seven days
5 More than one week ago
998 Don't know
999 Refused

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Voting in Past Elections

cRD01 Voted in 2000 General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 651 Did you vote in the 2000 presidential election when George W. Bush ran against Al Gore?

If yes: Did you vote for George W. Bush, the Republican; Al Gore, the Democrat; Pat Buchanan of the Reform Party; Ralph Nader of the Green Party; or someone else?

1 Yes, Bush
2 Gore
3 Buchanan
4 Nader
5 Someone else
6 Did not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

rRD01 Voted in 2000 General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 651 Did you vote in the 2000 presidential election when George W. Bush ran against Al Gore?

If yes: Did you vote for George W. Bush, the Republican; Al Gore, the Democrat; Pat Buchanan of the Reform Party; Ralph Nader of the Green Party; or someone else?

1 Yes, Bush
2 Gore
3 Buchanan
4 Nader
5 Someone else
6 Did not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Random Question Order

cRX01* Random Response Option Order for Presidential Vote in Primary, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

For question cRB13, the candidate response options were read in random order. cRX01.1–cRX01.9 indicate the random order:

cRX01.1: Wesley Clark
cRX01.2: Howard Dean
cRX01.3: John Edwards
cRX01.4: Richard Gephardt
cRX01.5: John Kerry
cRX01.6: Dennis Kucinich
cRX01.7: Joseph Lieberman
cRX01.8: Carol Moseley Braun
cRX01.9: Al Sharpton

A value of 1 denotes that the response option was read first, 2 denotes that the response option was read second, and so on.

See the questionnaire for additional information about response option order.

Number **1–9**

rRX01* Random Response Option Order for Presidential Vote in Primary, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

For question rRB13, the candidate response options were read in random order. rRX01.1–rRX01.9 indicate the random order:

rRX01.1: Wesley Clark
rRX01.2: Howard Dean
rRX01.3: John Edwards
rRX01.4: Richard Gephardt
rRX01.5: John Kerry
rRX01.6: Dennis Kucinich
rRX01.7: Joseph Lieberman
rRX01.8: Carol Moseley Braun
rRX01.9: Al Sharpton

A value of 1 denotes that the response option was read first, 2 denotes that the response option was read second, and so on.

See the questionnaire for additional information about response option order.

Number **1–9**

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cRX02* Random Response Option Order for Presidential Vote in General Election, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

For questions cRC14 and cRC29, the candidate response options were read in random order. cRX02.1–cRX02.3 indicate the random order:

cRX02.1: George W. Bush
cRX02.2: Democratic candidate
cRX02.3: Ralph Nader

A value of 1 denotes that the response option was read first, 2 denotes that the response option was read second, and 3 denotes that the response option was read third.

See the questionnaire for additional information about response option order.

Number **1–3**

rRX02* Random Response Option Order for Presidential Vote in General Election, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

For questions rRC14 and rRC29, the candidate response options were read in random order. rRX02.1–rRX02.3 indicate the random order:

rRX02.1: George W. Bush
rRX02.2: Democratic candidate
rRX02.3: Ralph Nader

A value of 1 denotes that the response option was read first, 2 denotes that the response option was read second, and 3 denotes that the response option was read third.

See the questionnaire for additional information about response option order.

Number **1–3**

Ⓤ Congressional Election—Opinions and Voting

cUA01⊗ Congressional District, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cUA01 is an estimate of the Congressional district of the respondent's place of residence, derived from the respondent's phone number.

Congressional district is recorded as a four-digit code, where the first two digits indicate the state, and the last two digits indicate the district number within the state.

See the National Rolling Cross-Section codebook for a table of Congressional district codes.

Number **101–5601**
9999 Unavailable

⊗ Restricted-access data (request from APPC)

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cUA02* Know Names of Incumbent Senators, Pre-Debates

Schedule: **All dates pre-debates**

Filter: **If do not live in DC**
cST Not DC

Question 90 Your state has two U.S. senators in Washington, DC. Do you happen to remember their names? (Probe for two names.)

If don't know: Just your best guess.

See also cUA03. See the National Rolling Cross-Section codebook for a table of senators.

* Multi-Part Data: Coded data in **cUA02**
Verbatim data for code 1 in **cUA02$**

1	Gave name or names*
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split: **1/4 sample**
cXC = 3

rUA02* Know Names of Incumbent Senators, Post-Debates

Schedule: **All dates post-debates**

Filter: **If do not live in DC**
cST Not DC

Question 90 Your state has two U.S. senators in Washington, DC. Do you happen to remember their names? (Probe for two names.)

If don't know: Just your best guess.

See also rUA03. See the National Rolling Cross-Section codebook for a table of senators.

* Multi-Part Data: Coded data in **rUA02**
Verbatim data for code 1 in **rUA02$**

1	Gave name or names*
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split: **1/4 sample**
cXC = 3

cUA03 Don't-Know Prompt for cUA02, Pre-Debates

Schedule: **All dates pre-debates**

Filter: **If do not live in DC**
cST Not DC

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Just your best guess"

Sample Split: **1/4 sample**
cXC = 3

rUA03 Don't-Know Prompt for rUA02, Post-Debates

Schedule: **All dates post-debates**

Filter: **If do not live in DC**
cST Not DC

0	Respondent answered without prompting
1	Respondent said don't know and was prompted, "Just your best guess"

Sample Split: **1/4 sample**
cXC = 3

cUA07 Voted in 2002 Election (Wording #1), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 648 In talking with people about politics and elections, we often find that they do not get a chance to vote. Did you vote in the November 2002 mid-term election?

See also cUA08.

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

rUA07 Voted in 2002 Election (Wording #1), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 648 In talking with people about politics and elections, we often find that they do not get a chance to vote. Did you vote in the November 2002 mid-term election?

See also rUA08.

1	Yes
2	No
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 1

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cUA08 Voted in 2002 Election (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 649 This question is about the Congressional elections held in November 2002. In talking to people about elections, we often find that a lot of people were not able to vote because they weren't registered, they were sick, or they just didn't have time. Which of the following statements best describes you—I did not vote in the November 2002 election, I thought about voting in that election but didn't, I usually vote but didn't in that election, or I am sure I voted in the November 2002 election?

See also cUA07.

1 Did not vote
2 Thought about voting but did not
3 Usually vote but did not
4 Voted
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

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rUA08 Voted in 2002 Election (Wording #2), Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Question 649 This question is about the Congressional elections held in November 2002. In talking to people about elections, we often find that a lot of people were not able to vote because they weren't registered, they were sick, or they just didn't have time. Which of the following statements best describes you—I did not vote in the November 2002 election, I thought about voting in that election but didn't, I usually vote but didn't in that election, or I am sure I voted in the November 2002 election?

See also rUA07.

1 Did not vote
2 Thought about voting but did not
3 Usually vote but did not
4 Voted
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/2 sample**
cXA = 2

cUA09 House Candidate Voted for in 2002, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If voted in 2002 election and do not live in DC**
(cUA07 = 1 Or cUA08 = 4) And cST Not DC

Question 650 In that election, you were able to vote for a member of Congress, that is the U.S. House of Representatives in Washington. Did you vote for the Republican or Democrat?

1	Republican
2	Democrat
3	Other
4	Did not vote for Congress
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/6 sample**
cXB = 3 And cXA = 1

rUA09 House Candidate Voted for in 2002, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Filter **If voted in 2002 election and do not live in DC**
(rUA07 = 1 Or rUA08 = 4) And cST Not DC

Question 650 In that election, you were able to vote for a member of Congress, that is the U.S. House of Representatives in Washington. Did you vote for the Republican or Democrat?

1	Republican
2	Democrat
3	Other
4	Did not vote for Congress
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/6 sample**
cXB = 3 And cXA = 1

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Ⓦ Demographics

Sex, Age, Education, and Income

cWA01 Sex, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

The interviewer observed the respondent's sex from his or her voice. If the voice was ambiguous, the interviewer asked for clarification.

1 Male
2 Female

cWA02 Age, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 789 What is your age?

Number **18–97**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWA03 **Education, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 833 What is the last grade or class you completed in school?

1 Grade 8 or lower
2 Some high school, no diploma
3 High school diploma or equivalent
4 Technical or vocational school after high school
5 Some college, no degree
6 Associate's or two-year college degree
7 Four-year college degree
8 Graduate or professional school, no degree
9 Graduate or professional degree
998 Don't know
999 Refused

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left | Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cWA04 Household Income, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 834 Last year, what was the total income before taxes of all the people living in your house or apartment? Just stop me when I get to the right category—less than $10,000; $10,000 to less than $15,000; $15,000 to less than $25,000; $25,000 to less than $35,000; $35,000 to less than $50,000; $50,000 to less than $75,000; $75,000 to less than $100,000; $100,000 to less than $150,000; or $150,000 or more.

1 Less than $10,000
2 $10,000–$15,000
3 $15,000–$25,000
4 $25,000–$35,000
5 $35,000–$50,000
6 $50,000–$75,000
7 $75,000–$100,000
8 $100,000–$150,000
9 More than $150,000
998 Don’t know
999 Refused

Employment

cWB01 Employment Status, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 791 Are you working full time or part time?

1 Working full time
2 Part time
3 Temporarily laid off or unemployed
4 Retired
5 Permanently disabled
6 Homemaker
7 Student
8 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWB02* Line of Work (Employed), Pre-Debates

Schedule	**All dates pre-debates**
Filter	**If employed** cWB01 = 1–2
Question 793	In your current job, what kind of work do you do?
* Multi-Part Data	Coded data in **cWB02** Verbatim data for code 10 in **cWB02$**

1 Profession worker (e.g., lawyer, doctor, scientist, teacher, engineer, registered nurse, accountant, programmer, musician)
2 Skilled tradesperson (e.g., printer, baker, tailor, electrician, machinist, linesperson, plumber, carpenter, mechanic)
3 Clerical or office worker (e.g., typist, secretary, postal clerk, telephone operator, computer operator, bank clerk)
4 Service worker (e.g., police officer, fire fighter, waiter or waitress, maid, nurse's aide, attendant, hairstylist)
5 Laborer (e.g., plumber's helper, construction worker, longshoreperson, garbage collector, other physical work)
6 Manager (e.g., store manager, sales manager, office manager)
7 Semi-skilled worker (e.g., machine operator, assembly line worker, truck driver, taxi driver, bus driver)
8 Salesperson
9 Business owner
10 Other* ⊗
998 Don't know
999 Refused

⊗ Restricted-access data (request from APPC)

cWB04 Self-Employed, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If employed**
cWB01 = 1–2

Question 795 Do you work for someone else, or are you self-employed?

1 Not self-employed
2 Self-employed
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWB05 Employed by Government, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If employed and not self-employed**
cWB04 = 1, 998–999

Question 796 Are you employed by a federal, state, or local government; the military; or aren't you employed by government?

1 Government or military employee
2 Not government employee
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWB06 Anyone in Household Belongs to Labor Union, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 801 Are you or any other member of your household, that is, any other adult living in your home or apartment, a member of a labor union?

If yes: Is that person you or someone else?

1 Yes, respondent
2 Other household member
3 Both respondent and other household member
4 No one is union member
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWB07 Any Other Adults in Household Unemployed, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If not unemployed**
cWB01 = 1–2, 4–8, 998–999

Question 792 Are there any adults age 18 or older living in your house or apartment who are currently laid off or unemployed?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWB08 Know of Anyone Who Lost Job in Past Six Months (Wording #1), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 519 In the last six months, have you or anyone you know personally lost his or her job because of economic conditions?

See also cWB09.

1	Yes, respondent
2	Other person
3	Respondent and other person
4	No one lost job
998	Don't know
999	Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 1

cWB09 Know of Anyone Who Lost Job in Past Six Months (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 520 In the last six months, have you or anyone you know personally lost his or her job?

See also cWB08.

1 Yes, respondent
2 Other person
3 Respondent and other person
4 No one lost job
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 3

Race and Ethnicity, Citizenship, and Residency

cWC01 Hispanic, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 803 Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWC02* Line of Hispanic Origin, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If Hispanic**
cWC01 = 1

Question 804 Which of these best describes your origin—Mexican, Cuban, Puerto Rican, or something else?

* Multi-Part Data
Coded data in **cWC02**
Verbatim data for code 4 in **cWC02$**

1 Mexican
2 Cuban
3 Puerto Rican
4 Something else*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWC03* Race, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 805 What is your race—white, black or African-American, Asian, Native American or American Indian, or some other race?

* Multi-Part Data
Coded data in **cWC03**
Verbatim data for code 5 in **cWC03$**

1 White
2 Black
3 Asian
4 American Indian
5 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWC04 Born in U.S., Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 812 Were you born in the United States, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWC05 U.S. Citizen, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If not born in U.S.**
cWC04 = 2

Question 813 Are you a citizen of the United States?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWC06 Years Lived in U.S., Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If not born in U.S.**
cWC04 = 2

Question 814 For how many years have you lived in the United States?

0 Less than six months
1 Six months to one year
Number **2–97**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWC07 Years at Present Address, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 802 How many years have you lived at your present address?

0 Less than six months
1 Six months to one year
Number **2–97**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Religion

cWD01 Attend Religious Services, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 815 How often do you attend religious services, apart from special events like weddings and funerals—more than once a week, once a week, once or twice a month, a few times a year, or never?

1 More than once a week
2 Once a week
3 Once or twice a month
4 Few times a year
5 Never
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWD02* Religion (Attend Religious Services), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If attend religious services**
cWD01 = 1–4

Question 816 Do you mostly attend a place of worship that is Protestant, Roman Catholic, Jewish, Mormon, an Orthodox Church, Muslim, or some other religion?

See also cWD03.

* Multi-Part Data
Coded data in **cWD02**
Verbatim data for code 7 in **cWD02$**

1 Protestant (including Baptist, Christian, Episcopal, Jehovah's Witness, Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian, and non-denominational Christian)
2 Catholic
3 Jewish
4 Mormon
5 Orthodox (including Greek, Russian, and Eastern)
6 Muslim
7 Other*
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWD03* Religion (Do Not Attend Religious Services), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If do not attend religious services**
cWD01 = 5, 998–999

Question 817 Regardless of whether you now attend any religious services do you ever think of yourself as part of a particular church or denomination?

If yes: Do you consider yourself as Protestant, Roman Catholic, Jewish, Mormon, an Orthodox Church, Muslim, or some other religion?

See also cWD02.

* Multi-Part Data
Coded data in **cWD03**
Verbatim data for code 7 in **cWD03$**

1	Yes, Protestant (including Baptist, Christian, Episcopal, Jehovah's Witness, Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian, and non-denominational Christian)
2	Catholic
3	Jewish
4	Mormon
5	Orthodox (including Greek, Russian, and Eastern)
6	Muslim
7	Other*
8	No denomination
9	Atheist or agnostic
998	Don't know
999	Refused

cWD04 **Born-Again Christian, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If of religion other than Jewish or Mormon**
cWD02 = 1–2, 4–5, 7, 998–999 Or cWD03 = 1–2, 4–5, 7, 998–999

Question 818 Do you consider yourself an evangelical or born-again Christian?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Military Service

cWE01 **Anyone in Household Ever Served in Military, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 819 Including yourself, has anyone living in your house or apartment ever served in the U.S. military? This includes the National Guard and the Reserves.

1 Yes, respondent
2 Other household member
3 Both respondent and other household member
4 No one served in military
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWE04 Anyone in Household Currently in Military, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If anyone in household ever served in military**
cWE01 = 1–3

Questions 822–823 (From cWE01: Are you / Is that person / Are you or the other member of your household) still serving?

1 Yes, respondent
2 Other household member
3 Both respondent and other household member
4 No one still serving
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWE05* Branch of Military Respondent Currently Serving In, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If respondent currently serving in military**
cWE04 = 1, 3

Question 826 Are you serving in the regular military, the Reserves, or the National Guard?

* Multi-Part Data Up to three divisions in **cWE05.1–cWE05.3**

1 Regular
2 Reserves
3 National Guard
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWE06* **Branch of Military Other Household Member Currently Serving In, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If other household member currently serving in military**
(cWE01 = 2 And cWE04 = 1) Or cWE04 = 2–3

Question 827 Is (from cWE01: that person / the other household member) serving in the regular military, the Reserves, or the National Guard?

* Multi-Part Data Up to three divisions in **cWE06.1–cWE06.3**

1 Regular
2 Reserves
3 National Guard
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Household Composition and Location

Household Size and Marital Status

cWF01 **Total Adults in Household, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 1 Including yourself, could you please tell me how many adults age 18 or over currently live in this house or apartment?

Number **1–97**

cWF03 Total Children in Household, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 808 How many children under age 18 now live in your house or apartment?

Number **0–97**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWF07 Marital Status, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 807 Are you married, living as married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?

1 Married
2 Living as married
3 Widowed
4 Divorced
5 Separated
6 Never married
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Household Location and Number of Phone Lines

cWF08 Census Division, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cWF08 is derived from the respondent's state of residence.

1 New England (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT)
2 Middle Atlantic (NJ, NY, PA)
3 East North Central (IL, IN, MI, OH, WI)
4 West North Central (IA, KS, MN, MO, ND, NE, SD)
5 South Atlantic (DC, DE, FL, GA, MD, NC, SC, VA, WV)
6 East South Central (AL, KY, MS, TN)
7 West South Central (AR, LA, OK, TX)
8 Mountain (AZ, CO, ID, MT, NM, NV, UT, WY)
9 Pacific (CA, OR, WA)

cWF09⊗ Metropolitan Statistical Area, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cWF09 is an estimate of the Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) of the respondent's place of residence, that is, the major city area that the respondent resides in or near. MSA is an estimate derived from the respondent's phone number, and is based on U.S. Census Bureau definitions.

MSA is recorded as a five-digit code.

See the National Rolling Cross-Section codebook for a table of MSA codes.

Number **10180–49740**
99999 None or unavailable

cWF10⊗ County, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cWF10 is an estimate of the county of the respondent's place of residence, derived from the respondent's phone number.

County is recorded as a five-digit Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) code, where the first two digits indicate the state, and the last three digits indicate the county number within the state.

See the National Rolling Cross-Section codebook for a table of FIPS county codes.

Number **1001–56045**

cWF11⊗ Zip Code (Estimated From Phone), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cWF11 is an estimate of the Zip code of the respondent's place of residence, derived from the respondent's phone number.

See also cWF12.

Number **1001–99403**

cWF12⊗ Zip Code (Reported by Respondent), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 835 What is your Zip code?

See also cWF11.

Number **0–99997**
99998 Don't know
99999 Refused

cWF13 Urbanity, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cWF13 is an estimate of the urbanity of the respondent's place of residence, derived from the respondent's phone number.

1 Urban
2 Suburban
3 Rural

cWF14⊗ Media Market, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cWF14 is an estimate of the media market of the respondent's place of residence, that is, the media center that serves the majority of households in and around the respondent's city or town. Media market is an estimate derived from the respondent's phone number, and is based on Designated Market Area (DMA) definitions developed by Nielsen Media Research, Inc.

Media market is recorded as a three-digit DMA code.

See the National Rolling Cross-Section codebook for a table of DMA media market codes.

Number **500–881**

cWF15 Phone Landlines in Household, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 836 Aside from cell phones, how many telephone numbers does your house or apartment have that you receive calls on? Please include only numbers that you use for phone calls, not ones you use for computers or fax machines.

Number **1–97**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWF16 Have Cell Phone, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 837 If you have a cell phone, is your cell phone number different from your landline or home phone, or is it the same number?

1 Different
2 Same
3 Do not have cell phone
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Other Demographics

cWG02 Anyone in Household Owns Gun (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 830 Do you or does anyone living in your house or apartment own a handgun, rifle, or other type of firearm?

If yes: Would that be you or someone else in your household or both?

1 Yes, respondent
2 Other household member
3 Both respondent and other household member
4 No one owns firearm
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWG04 Anyone in Household Belongs to NRA (Wording #2), Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Filter **If anyone in household owns gun**
cWG02 = 1–3

Question 831 (From cWG02: Are you / Is the other person living in your house or apartment / Are you or the other person) a member of the National Rifle Association, also known as the NRA?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

cWG05 Know of Someone Gay or Lesbian, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Question 832 Do you have a friend, colleague, or family member who is gay or lesbian?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Respondent is gay or lesbian
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Sample Split **1/3 sample**
cXB = 2

Ⓨ Interview Language and Interviewer ID

cYA01 Interviewer ID, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

cYA01 is a three-digit number that uniquely identifies each NAES04 interviewer.

Number **1–813**

rYA01 Interviewer ID, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

rYA01 is a three-digit number that uniquely identifies each NAES04 interviewer.

Number **1–813**

cYA02 Interviewer Sex, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

1 Male
2 Female

rYA02 Interviewer Sex, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

1 Male
2 Female

cYA03 Interviewer Race, Pre-Debates

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

1 White
2 Black
3 Asian
4 Other

rYA03 Interviewer Race, Post-Debates

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

1 White
2 Black
3 Asian
4 Other

◁ Pre-debates variables to the left

Post-debates variables to the right ▷

cYA04 **Interview Language, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

Interviews were conducted in English or Spanish at the respondent's preference.

1 English
2 Spanish

rYA04 **Interview Language, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

Interviews were conducted in English or Spanish at the respondent's preference.

1 English
2 Spanish

cYA05 **Interviewer's Evaluation of Interview Overall, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

At the conclusion of the interview, the interviewer assigned a grade for how the interview went overall. The grade is the interviewer's personal opinion.

1 A, excellent
2 B, good
3 C, average
4 D, poor
5 F, very poor
999 No data

rYA05 **Interviewer's Evaluation of Interview Overall, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

At the conclusion of the interview, the interviewer assigned a grade for how the interview went overall. The grade is the interviewer's personal opinion.

1 A, excellent
2 B, good
3 C, average
4 D, poor
5 F, very poor
999 No data

cYA06 **Interviewer's Evaluation of Respondent's Political Knowledge, Pre-Debates**

Schedule **All dates pre-debates**

At the conclusion of the interview, the interviewer assigned a grade for how knowledgeable the respondent was about politics. The grade is the interviewer's personal opinion.

1 A, excellent
2 B, good
3 C, average
4 D, poor
5 F, very poor
999 No data

rYA06 **Interviewer's Evaluation of Respondent's Political Knowledge, Post-Debates**

Schedule **All dates post-debates**

At the conclusion of the interview, the interviewer assigned a grade for how knowledgeable the respondent was about politics. The grade is the interviewer's personal opinion.

1 A, excellent
2 B, good
3 C, average
4 D, poor
5 F, very poor
999 No data

NAES04

Debates Panel

Questionnaire

Debates Panel Questionnaire

Pre-Debates Interview

Hello, my name is _____ calling from the University of Pennsylvania. We are conducting a national opinion survey about some current issues.

May I please speak with an adult age 18 or older who lives in this house or apartment? *If new person brought to phone, repeat greeting.*

We would like to speak with someone living in your house or apartment for our survey. To determine who we should speak with ...

Question 1 Variable cWF01

Including yourself, could you please tell me how many adults age 18 or over currently live in this house or apartment?

Number: **1–97**

May I please speak with the ...

(**If two adults in Q1, choose age randomly:** younger/older) of the two adults?

(**If three adults in Q1, choose age randomly:** youngest adult / oldest adult / adult whose age is in the middle)?

If four or more adults in Q1: adult who (**choose birthday randomly:** celebrated a birthday last / will celebrate a birthday next)?

If new person brought to phone, repeat greeting.

Question 4 Variable cCA01

Do you feel things in this country are generally going in the right direction, or do you think things are seriously off on the wrong track?

1 Right
2 Wrong
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 6–7

In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing _____ country today?

If don't know: Just your best guess.

Question 6 Variable cCA03

Ask Q6 only of 1/2 sample.

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Record up to five problems.

Record verbatim answer for code 22.

- **1** Economy
- **2** Education / education problems
- **3** Children's issues
- **4** Poverty/homelessness
- **5** Lack of religion/faith
- **6** Lack of moral/family values
- **7** Health care
- **8** Violence/crime
- **9** Drugs
- **10** Energy / rising gas prices
- **11** Environment
- **12** Politicians/government
- **13** Taxes
- **14** Terrorism / war on terrorism
- **15** Iraq war/situation
- **16** Foreign policy
- **17** National/homeland security
- **18** Unemployment / job security / layoffs
- **19** Immigration / illegal aliens
- **20** Jobs going to other countries / outsourcing
- **21** Dislike Bush / current leaders
- **22** Other
- **998** Don't know
- **999** Refused

Question 7 Variable cCA05

Ask Q7 only of 1/2 sample.

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Questions 9–13

Ask Q9–13 only on 9/29/04.

For each of the following people in politics, please tell me if your opinion is favorable or unfavorable using a scale from zero to 10.

On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate _____? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Read Q9–13 in random order.

Question 9 Variable cAA01

Ask Q9 only of 1/2 sample.

George W. Bush

Number: **0–10**

- **11** Do not recognize name
- **12** Know name but cannot rate
- **999** Refused

Question 10 Variable cAC01

Ask Q10 only of 1/2 sample.

Dick Cheney

Question 11 Variable cAC04

Ask Q11 only of 1/2 sample.

John Edwards

Question 12 Variable cAB01

Ask Q12 only of 1/2 sample.

John Kerry

Question 13 Variable cAC15

Ask Q13 only of 1/4 sample.

Ralph Nader

Read Q17–20 in random order.

Question 17

Variable cCE21

Would you favor or oppose an amendment to the U.S. Constitution saying that no state can allow two men to marry each other or two women to marry each other?

If favor/oppose: Would you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose) the amendment?

Read "favor" and "oppose" in random order.

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 20

Variable cCE01

Ask Q20 only on 9/20/04.

The federal government banning all abortions—do you favor or oppose the federal government doing this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose) the federal government doing this?

Read "favor" and "oppose" in random order.

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 32

Variable cCE31

Ask Q32 only of 1/2 sample.

Restricting the kinds of guns that people can buy—should the federal government do more about it, do the same as now, do less about it, or do nothing at all?

1 More
2 Same
3 Less
4 Nothing
998 Don't know
999 Refused

I am going to read you a list of some issues. For each one, please tell me if you personally favor or oppose it.

Questions 72–85

Ask Q72–85 only of 2/3 sample.

_____—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

Read Q72–85 in random order.

Question 72 Variable cCC32

Allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 73 Variable cCE34

Extending the federal law banning assault weapons

Question 74 Variable cCB34

Completely eliminating the estate tax, that is, the tax on property left by people who die

Question 76 Variable cCC25

Changing the recently passed Medicare prescription drug law to allow re-importing drugs from Canada

Question 77 Variable cCC04

The federal government helping to pay for health insurance for all children

Question 78 Variable cCC06

The federal government helping employers pay the cost of their workers' health insurance

Question 79 Variable cCB17

Making recent federal tax cuts permanent

Question 80 Variable cCG02

Ask Q80 only on 9/20/04–9/22/04.

Limiting the amount of money people can be awarded in lawsuits

Question 81 Variable cCB72

Making it easier for labor unions to organize

Question 82 Variable cCB45

Eliminating tax breaks for overseas profits and using money to cut taxes for businesses that create jobs in the United States

Question 83 Variable cCE09

Federal funding of research on diseases like Parkinson's using stem cells taken from human embryos

Question 85 Variable cCE02

Ask Q85 only on 9/21/04–9/29/04.

Laws making it more difficult for a woman to get an abortion

Question 90 Variable cUA02

Ask Q90 only if do not live in DC.

Ask only of 1/4 sample.

Your state has two U.S. senators in Washington, DC. Do you happen to remember their names? *Probe for two names.*

If don't know: Just your best guess.

Record verbatim answer for code 1.

1 Gave name or names
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 91–111

For each of the following people in politics, please tell me if your opinion is favorable or unfavorable using a scale from zero to 10.

On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate _____? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Read Q91–111 in random order.

Question 91 Variable cAA01

Ask Q91 only of {9/29/04: 1/2 sample}.

George W. Bush

Number: **0–10**
11 Do not recognize name
12 Know name but cannot rate
999 Refused

Question 92 Variable cAC01

Ask Q92 only of {9/29/04: 1/2 sample}.

Dick Cheney

Question 95 Variable cAC04

Ask Q95 only of {9/29/04: 1/2 sample}.

John Edwards

Question 97 Variable cAB01

Ask Q97 only of {9/29/04: 1/2 sample}.

John Kerry

Question 106 Variable cAC15

Ask Q106 only of {9/20/04–9/28/04: 1/3 sample | 9/29/04: 1/4 sample}.

Ralph Nader

Question 111 Variable cAD09

Ask Q111 only on 9/20/04–9/28/04.

John McCain

Questions 118–119

Ask Q118–119 only of 1/4 sample.

For each of the following groups, please tell me if your opinion is favorable or unfavorable using a scale from zero to 10.

On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate _____? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the group, or you know the group but not well enough to rate it?

Read Q118–119 in random order.

Question 118 Variable cAE08

AARP, formerly known as the American Association of Retired Persons

Number: **0–10**
11 Do not recognize group
12 Know group but cannot rate
999 Refused

Question 119 Variable cAE09

the National Rifle Association, also known as the NRA

Question 126 Variable cAA02

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

If approve/disapprove: Do you (approve/disapprove) strongly or only somewhat?

1 Strongly approve
2 Somewhat approve
3 Somewhat disapprove
4 Strongly disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 128–130

Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is _____?

Question 128 Variable cCB09

handling the nation's economy

1 Approve
2 Disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 129 Variable cCD61

Ask Q129 only of 1/2 sample.

handling the war on terrorism

Question 130 Variable cCD19

currently handling the situation in Iraq

Question 134 Variable cCD21

Ask Q134 only of 1/2 sample.

All in all, do you think the situation in Iraq was worth going to war over, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 135 Variable cCD22

Ask Q135 only on 9/24/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if think Iraq war was worth it (Q134).

Ask only of 1/2 sample.

Some people say that the continuing deaths of American troops in Iraq and the cost in dollars outweigh the benefits. Considering that, are you sure the situation was worth going to war over, or are you uncertain about it?

1 Sure was worth it
2 Uncertain
3 Not worth it
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 136 Variable cCD23

Ask Q136 only on 9/24/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if think Iraq war was not worth it (Q134).

Ask only of 1/2 sample.

Some people say that the benefits of removing Saddam Hussein, a tyrant who used chemical weapons on his own people and threatened other countries, outweigh the costs. Considering that, are you sure the situation was not worth going to war over, or are you uncertain about it?

1 Sure was not worth it
2 Uncertain
3 Worth it
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 138 Variable cCD59

Ask Q138 only of 1/2 sample.

Since the attacks on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon on Sept. 11, 2001, the United States government has done a number of things both at home and abroad intended to protect Americans from future attacks. How safe have these efforts made you feel—much more safe, somewhat more safe, somewhat less safe, or much less safe?

1 Much more
2 Somewhat more
3 Somewhat less
4 Much less
5 Made no difference
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 139 Variable cCD60

Ask Q139 only of {9/24/04–9/29/04: 2/3 sample}.

How likely do you think there will be a terrorist attack on American soil in the next 12 months? Please use a scale from zero to 10, where zero means you are certain there will not be an attack, 10 means you are certain there will be an attack, and five means there is a 50-50 chance. Of course you can use any number from zero to 10.

Number: **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 140 Variable cCD01

Ask Q140 only of 1/4 sample.

As a result of the George W. Bush presidency, in general, how well regarded is the United States by countries around the world—better than before he came into office, worse than before he came into office, or no different than before he came into office?

1 Better
2 Worse
3 No different
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 141 Variable cCD02

Ask Q141 only if think U.S. regarded differently because of Bush (Q140).

Ask only of 1/4 sample.

How much does that matter, that the United States is regarded as (**from Q140:** better/worse) than before he came into office—a great deal, some, not too much, or not at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 Not at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 143 Variable cCB10

Would you say that the economic policies of the Bush administration are making the economy better, worse, or are having no effect one way or the other?

1 Better
2 Worse
3 No effect
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 146 Variable cAA03

Ask Q146 only of 1/2 sample.

I'd like to ask you how you feel about George W. Bush, as a person, as opposed to how you feel about the job he is doing. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of him as a person?

If favorable/unfavorable: Is that very (favorable/unfavorable) or somewhat (favorable/unfavorable)?

1 Very favorable
2 Somewhat favorable
3 Somewhat unfavorable
4 Very unfavorable
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Read Q(152–175), (205–228) in random order.

Questions 152–175

Ask Q152–175 only if recognize Bush (Q9, 91).

Ask only of 2/3 sample.

I am going to read you some phrases. For each one, please tell me how well that phrase applies to George W. Bush. Please use a scale from zero to 10.

On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "_____" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Read Q152–175 in random order.

Question 152 Variable cAA04

cares about people like me

Number: **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 153 Variable cAA05

inspiring

Question 154 Variable cAA06

strong leader

Question 155 Variable cAA07

trustworthy

Question 156 Variable cAA08

shares my values

Question 157 Variable cAA09

knowledgeable

Question 158 Variable cAA10

reckless

Question 160 Variable cAA12

says one thing but does another

Question 161 Variable cAA13

has the right kind of experience to be president

Question 162 Variable cAA14

he's easy to like as a person

Question 168 Variable cAA20

out of touch with people like me

Question 170 Variable cAA22

Ask Q170 only on 9/27/04–9/29/04.

arrogant

Question 171 Variable cAA23

optimistic

Question 172 Variable cAA24

effective, gets things done

Question 173 Variable cAA25

decisive

Question 174 Variable cAA26

flip-flops on the issues

Question 175 Variable cAA27

Ask Q175 only on 9/20/04–9/26/04.

honest

Questions 205–228

Ask Q205–228 only if recognize Kerry (Q12, 97).

Ask only of 2/3 sample.

I am going to read you some phrases. For each one, please tell me how well that phrase applies to John Kerry. Please use a scale from zero to 10.

On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "_____" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Read Q205–228 in random order.

Question 205 Variable cAB02

cares about people like me

Number: **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 206 Variable cAB03

inspiring

Question 207 Variable cAB04

strong leader

Question 208 Variable cAB05

trustworthy

Question 209 Variable cAB06

shares my values

Question 210 Variable cAB07

knowledgeable

Question 211 Variable cAB08

reckless

Question 213 Variable cAB10

says one thing but does another

Question 214 Variable cAB11

has the right kind of experience to be president

Question 215 Variable cAB12

he's easy to like as a person

Question 221 Variable cAB18

out of touch with people like me

Question 223 Variable cAB20

Ask Q223 only on 9/27/04–9/29/04.

arrogant

Question 224 Variable cAB21

optimistic

Question 225 Variable cAB22

effective, gets things done

Question 226 Variable cAB23

decisive

Question 227 Variable cAB24

flip-flops on the issues

Question 228 Variable cAB25

Ask Q228 only on 9/20/04–9/26/04.

honest

Questions 237–242

Which of the following best describes the views of _____—very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal, or very liberal?

Read Q237–242 in random order.

Question 237 Variable cAA30

Ask Q237 only if recognize Bush (Q9, 91).

George W. Bush

For random half sample, read response options 1–5 last to first.

1 Very conservative
2 Conservative
3 Moderate
4 Liberal
5 Very liberal
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 242 Variable cAB27

Ask Q242 only if recognize Kerry (Q12, 97).

John Kerry

Question 256 Variable cRA01

These days, many people are so busy they cannot find time to register to vote, or they move around so often they do not get a chance to re-register. Are you currently registered to vote in your precinct or election district, or haven't you been able to register so far?

1 Registered
2 Not registered
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 258 Variable cMA01

Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else?

Record verbatim answer for code 4.

1 Republican
2 Democrat
3 Independent
4 Something else
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 259 Variable cMA02

Ask Q259 only if Republican, Democrat, or Independent (Q258).

Do you consider yourself a strong or not a very strong (**from Q258:** Republican/Democrat/Independent)?

1 Strong
2 Not strong
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 260 Variable cMA03

Ask Q260 only if not Republican or Democrat (Q258).

Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or Democratic Party?

1 Republican
2 Democratic
3 Neither Republican nor Democrat
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 263 Variable cMA06

Generally speaking, would you describe your political views as very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal, or very liberal?

For random half sample, read response options 1–5 last to first.

1 Very conservative
2 Conservative
3 Moderate
4 Liberal
5 Very liberal
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Now I'd like to ask you about the 2004 presidential campaign.

Read Q284–286, (287–288), 289 in random order.

Questions 284–287

Ask Q284–287 only of 1/3 sample.

During the presidential campaign, have you _____?

Question 284 — Variable cKC02

talked to any people and tried to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 285 — Variable cKC03

gone to any political meetings, rallies, speeches, dinners, or things like that in support of a particular presidential candidate

Question 286 — Variable cKC04

done any other work for one of the presidential candidates

Question 287 — Variable cKC05

given money to any of the presidential candidates

Question 288 — Variable cKC06

Ask Q288 only if donated money to candidate (Q287).

Ask only of 1/3 sample.

Please tell me which of the following ways you donated money to the candidate—through the mail, through the Internet, in person at a fundraiser or other campaign event, or some other way?

Record up to four ways.

Record verbatim answer for code 4.

1 Mail
2 Internet
3 In person
4 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 289 — Variable cKC07

Ask Q289 only of 1/3 sample.

During the presidential campaign, have you worn a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car, or placed a sign in your window or in front of your house?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 304 — Variable cRB11

Ask Q304 only if interviewed after primary.

In talking with people about politics and elections, we often find that they don't get a chance to vote. Did you happen to vote in your state's recent presidential primary election or caucus?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Intend to vote in different primary
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 306 Variable cRB12

Ask Q306 only if voted in primary (Q304).

Did you vote in the Republican presidential primary or the Democratic primary?

1 Republican
2 Democratic
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 308 Variables cRC28, cRC40

Ask Q308 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you—have you already voted in this year's presidential election, or not?

1 Voted early
2 Did not vote early
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 314 Variable cRC01

Ask Q314 only if {9/23/04–9/29/04: did not early vote in general election} (Q308).

Do you plan to vote in the general election in November, or don't you plan to vote?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 315 Variable cRC02

Ask Q315 only if intend to vote in general election (Q314).

I would like you to rate your chances of voting in the general election on a scale of one to 10. Ten means you will definitely vote, and one means you will definitely not vote. Of course you may use any number in between.

Number: **1–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 322 Variable cRC26

Ask Q322 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if intend to vote in general election (Q314).

Do you plan to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot, in the presidential election?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 323 Variable cRC41

Ask Q323 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if early voted in general election (Q308).

How did you cast your ballot?

As necessary: By voting at an early polling station; by sending in a ballot by mail; by sending in a ballot by fax; by personally dropping off a ballot at an election office; by having someone else drop a ballot at an election office for you; by voting over the telephone; by voting online, that is, over the Internet; or some other way?

1 Polling station
2 Mail
3 Fax
4 Personally dropping off
5 Someone else dropping off
6 Phone
7 Online
8 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 324

Variable cRC42

Ask Q324 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if early voted in general election (Q308).

On what date did you cast your ballot early in the general election?

1 Today
2 Yesterday
3 Two to three days ago
4 Four to seven days
5 More than one week ago
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 327

Variable cRC27

Ask Q327 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if intend to early vote in general election (Q322).

How will you cast your ballot?

As necessary: By voting at an early polling station; by sending in a ballot by mail; by sending in a ballot by fax; by personally dropping off a ballot at an election office; by having someone else drop a ballot at an election office for you; by voting over the telephone; by voting online, that is, over the Internet; or some other way?

1 Polling station
2 Mail
3 Fax
4 Personally dropping off
5 Someone else dropping off
6 Phone
7 Online
8 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 328

Variable cFD12

Ask Q328 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if {9/23/04–9/28/04: early voted or intend to early vote in general election} (Q308, 322).

Has any political party, government office, or other group or individual offered to help you get an early or absentee ballot?

Record up to four "yes" answers.

1 Yes, party
2 Government office
3 Individual
4 Other group
5 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 329

Variable cFD13

Ask Q329 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if {9/23/04–9/28/04: offered help to get early ballot by political party, and early voted or intend to early vote in general election | 9/29/04: offered help to get early ballot by political party} (Q328).

Was the political party the Republicans or the Democrats that offered to help?

Record verbatim answer for code 3.

1 Republicans
2 Democrats
3 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 330 Variable cFD14

Ask Q330 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if {9/23/04–9/28/04: offered help by individual or group other than a political party, and early voted or intend to early vote in general election | 9/29/04: offered help by individual or group other than a political party} (Q328).

As far as you know, was the individual or group offering help because they want you to vote for a particular candidate or set of candidates?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 331 Variable cKA04

Ask Q331 only of 1/2 sample.

How closely are you following the campaign for president—very closely, somewhat closely, not too closely, or not closely at all?

1 Very
2 Somewhat
3 Not too
4 Not at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 332 Variable cKA05

Ask Q332 only of 1/2 sample.

Would you say you have been very much interested, somewhat interested, or not much interested in the presidential campaign so far this year?

1 Very
2 Somewhat
3 Not much
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 338 Variable cFF16

Ask Q338 only if {9/23/04–9/29/04: did not vote in general election} (Q308).

So far, have you learned enough about the candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or have you found it difficult to choose because you feel you have not learned enough?

1 Learned enough
2 Difficult to choose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 339 Variable cFF17

Ask Q339 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if voted in general election (Q308).

By the time you voted in the presidential election, did you learn enough about the candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or did you find it difficult to choose because you felt you had not learned enough?

1 Learned enough
2 Difficult to choose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 347–349

Who do you trust _____—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

Read Q347–349 in random order.

Question 347 Variable cCD04

more to handle the responsibilities of commander-in-chief of the military

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Trust both the same
4 Trust neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 348 Variable cCD62

to do a better job handling the U.S. war on terrorism

Question 349 Variable cCB11

to do a better job handling the economy

Questions 359–360

Ask Q359–360 only if recognize Kerry (Q12, 97).

Using a 100-point scale, please tell me the chances that _____ in the general election. A zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win. You may use any number from zero to 100.

Read Q359–360 in random order.

Question 359 Variable cNA21

Ask Q359 only of 1/2 sample.

John Kerry will beat George W. Bush

Number: **0–100**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 360 Variable cNA22

Ask Q360 only of 1/2 sample.

George W. Bush will beat John Kerry

Read Q367–400 in random order.

Questions 367–379

Ask Q367–379 only of 2/3 sample.

To the best of your knowledge, who _____—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

Question 367 Variable cCC34

favors allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 370 Variable cCE37

urges Congress to extend the federal law banning assault weapons

Question 372 Variable cCB48

favors eliminating tax breaks for overseas profits of American corporations and using the money to cut taxes for businesses that create jobs in the United States

Question 373 Variable cCB37

favors completely eliminating the estate tax, that is, the tax on property left by people who die

Question 377 Variable cCC26

favors changing the recently passed Medicare prescription drug law to allow re-importing drugs from Canada

Question 379 Variable cCC09

favors a health insurance plan that would do both of the following—help to pay for health insurance for all children and help employers pay the cost of the workers' health insurance

Question 381 Variable cCB27

Ask Q381 only of 2/3 sample.

John Kerry says that he would eliminate George W. Bush's tax cuts on those making how much money—over $50,000 a year; over $100,000 a year; over $200,000 a year; or over $500,000 a year?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

1 $50,000
2 $100,000
3 $200,000
4 $500,000
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 382–396

Ask Q382–396 only of 2/3 sample.

To the best of your knowledge, _____—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

Question 382 Variable cDA17

who is a former prosecutor

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 383 Variable cCB25

who favors making the recent tax cuts permanent

Question 385 Variable cCB75

who wants to make it easier for labor unions to organize

Question 391 Variable cCE12

who favors federal funding of research on diseases like Parkinson's using stem cells taken from human embryos

Question 395 Variable cCE03

Ask Q395 only on 9/21/04–9/29/04.

who favors laws making it more difficult for a woman to get an abortion

Question 396 Variable cCD12

Ask Q396 only on 9/24/04–9/29/04.

who favors reinstating the military draft

Question 400 Variable cCF02

Ask Q400 only on 9/29/04.

Ask only of 2/3 sample.

Who do you think would do more to reduce the United States' dependence on foreign oil—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 433–434

Thinking about what _____ is saying in the presidential campaign, how much of the time would you say he is spending criticizing his opponent—a great deal of time, some, not too much, or isn't he doing this at all?

Read Q433–434 in random order.

Question 433 Variable cFF05

Ask Q433 only of 1/4 sample.

John Kerry

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 Not doing this
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 434 Variable cFF04

Ask Q434 only of 1/4 sample.

George W. Bush

Questions 435–436

Thinking about what _____ is saying in the presidential campaign, how much of the time would you say he is talking about how he would solve the problems facing the country—a great deal of time, some, not too much, or isn't he doing this at all?

Read Q435–436 in random order.

Question 435 Variable cFF07

Ask Q435 only of 1/4 sample.

John Kerry

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 Not doing this
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 436 Variable cFF06

Ask Q436 only of 1/4 sample.

George W. Bush

Question 441 Variable cRB13

Ask Q441 only if voted in Democratic primary (Q306).

For whom did you vote in the Democratic presidential primary election or caucus in your state—

Wesley Clark,
Howard Dean,
John Edwards,
Richard Gephardt,
John Kerry,
Dennis Kucinich,
Joe Lieberman,
Carol Moseley Braun,
or Al Sharpton?

Read response options 1–9 in random order.

1 Clark
2 Dean
3 Edwards
4 Gephardt
5 Kerry
6 Kucinich
7 Lieberman
8 Moseley Braun
9 Sharpton
10 Other
11 Did not vote for presidential nominee
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 470 Variable cRC14

Ask Q470 only if {9/23/04–9/29/04: did not early vote in general election} (Q308).

If the 2004 presidential election were being held today, would you vote for George W. Bush and Dick Cheney, the Republicans; John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats; or Ralph Nader and Peter Camejo of the Reform Party?

Read response options 1–3 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Nader
4 Other
5 Would not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 471 Variable cRC15

Ask Q471 only if intend to vote for Nader or undecided (Q470).

If Ralph Nader is not on the ballot in your state, who would you vote for George W. Bush or John Kerry?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Write in Nader
4 Other
5 Would not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 472–474

Will you definitely vote for _____ for president, or is there a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

If could change mind: Is there a good chance you'll change your mind, or would you say it's pretty unlikely?

Question 472 Variable cRC17

Ask Q472 only if intend to vote for Kerry in general election (Q470).

John Kerry

1 Definitely will vote for candidate
2 Good chance will change mind
3 Unlikely will change mind
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 473 Variable cRC16

Ask Q473 only if intend to vote for Bush in general election (Q470).

George W. Bush

Question 474 Variable cRC18

Ask Q474 only if intend to vote for Nader (Q470).

Ralph Nader

Question 475 Variable cRC29

Ask Q475 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if voted in general election (Q308).

In the 2004 presidential election, who did you vote for—George W. Bush and Dick Cheney, the Republicans; John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats; or Ralph Nader and Peter Camejo of the Reform Party?

Read response options 1–3 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Nader
4 Other
5 Did not vote for president
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 478 Variable cRC23

Ask Q478 only if intend to vote for Bush in general election (Q470).

Would you say you are supporting George W. Bush for president more because you are for Bush or more because you are against John Kerry?

1 For Bush
2 Against Kerry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 479 Variable cRC24

Ask Q479 only if intend to vote for Kerry in general election (Q470).

Would you say you are supporting John Kerry for president more because you are for Kerry or more because you are against George W. Bush?

1 For Kerry
2 Against Bush
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 480 Variable cRC38

Ask Q480 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if voted for Bush in general election (Q475).

Would you say you are supporting George W. Bush for president more because you are for Bush or more because you are against John Kerry?

1 For Bush
2 Against Kerry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 481 Variable cRC39

Ask Q481 only on 9/23/04–9/29/04.

Ask only if voted for Kerry in general election (Q475).

Would you say you are supporting John Kerry for president more because you are for Kerry or more because you are against George W. Bush?

1 For Kerry
2 Against Bush
998 Don't know
999 Refused

I'd like to talk to you about the state of the economy.

Question 508 Variable cCB01

How would you rate economic conditions in this country today—would you say they are excellent, good, fair, or poor?

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 509 Variable cCB02

Ask Q509 only on 9/29/04.

Thinking about one year ago, in your opinion, were the economic conditions in this country much better than they are right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 510 Variable cCB04

How would you rate your own personal economic situation today—is it excellent, good, only fair, or poor?

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 511 Variable cCB03

Thinking about one year from now, do you think economic conditions in the country will be much better than they are right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 512 Variable cCB05

Thinking about one year ago, was your personal economic situation much better than it is right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 516 Variable cCB21

Ask Q516 only of 1/3 sample.

How much have you benefited from the tax cuts proposed by George W. Bush and passed by Congress—a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 Not at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 519–520

In the last six months, have you or anyone you know personally lost his or her _____?

Question 519 Variable cWB08

Ask Q519 only of 1/3 sample.

job because of economic conditions

1 Yes, respondent
2 Other person
3 Respondent and other person
4 No one lost job
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 520 Variable cWB09

Ask Q520 only of 1/3 sample.

job

Question 522 Variable cKA01

Ask Q522 only of 2/3 sample.

Some people seem to follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, whether there is an election or not. Others are not that interested, or are interested in other things. Would you say you follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, some of the time, only now and then, or hardly at all?

1 Most times
2 Sometime
3 Now and then
4 Hardly at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 545 Variable cMB10

Ask Q545 only of 2/3 sample.

Do you agree or disagree that sometimes politics seems so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on?

If agree/disagree: Do you strongly (agree/disagree) or somewhat (agree/disagree)?

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Neither agree nor disagree
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Read Q600–602 in random order.

Question 600 Variable cKB01

How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with your family or friends?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 602 Variable cKB03

How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with people at work?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 604 Variable cEA21

Do you have access to the Internet or the World Wide Web at home, at work or someplace else?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 605 Variable cKB05

Ask Q605 only if have online access (Q604).

How many days in the past week did you discuss politics online with people over email, in chat rooms, or using listservs or instant messaging services?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

I would like to ask about where you got your news during the past week. Please tell me how many days in the past week you did each of the following.

Read Q(609–610), (611–612), 613–615, (616–620), (621–625), (626–628), (629–631) in random order.

Question 609 Variable cEA01

How many days in the past week did you watch the national network news on TV? By national network news, I mean Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, and the Jim Lehrer "NewsHour" on PBS.

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 610 Variable cEA02

Ask Q610 only if watched network news in past week (Q609).

Which of the following would you say you watch most often—Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, or the Jim Lehrer "NewsHour" on PBS?

Read response options 1–4 in random order.

1 ABC
2 CBS
3 NBC
4 PBS
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 611 Variable cEA03

How many days in the past week did you watch a 24-hour cable news channel, such as CNN, FOX News Channel, or MSNBC?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 612 Variable cEA04

Ask Q612 only if watched cable news in past week (Q611).

Which of the cable news networks would you say you watch most often—FOX News Channel, CNN, or MSNBC?

Record verbatim answer for code 5.

Read response options 1–3 in random order.

1 FOX
2 CNN
3 MSNBC
4 All three equally
5 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 613–616

How many days in the past week did you _____?

Question 613 Variable cEA08

watch news on a Spanish language channel such as, Univision or Telemundo

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 614 Variable cEA09

watch news on Black Entertainment Television, also known as BET

Question 615 Variable cEA06

watch local TV news, for example, "Eyewitness News" or "Action News"

Question 616 Variable cEA10

read a daily newspaper

Question 617 Variable cEA11

Ask Q617 only if read newspaper in past week (Q616).

What newspaper did you read most in the past week?

Record verbatim answer for code 35.

1 Arizona Republic
2 Atlanta Constitution
3 Baltimore Sun
4 Boston Globe
5 Chicago Sun-Times
6 Chicago Tribune
7 Cleveland Plain Dealer
8 Concord Monitor
9 Dallas Morning News
10 Denver Post
11 Des Moines Register
12 Detroit Free Press
13 Houston Chronicle
14 Los Angeles Times
15 Manchester Union-Leader
16 Miami Herald
17 Minneapolis Star Tribune
18 New York Daily News
19 New York Post
20 New York Times
21 Newark Star-Ledger
22 Newsday
23 Orange County Register
24 Oregonian
25 Philadelphia Inquirer
26 Rocky Mountain News
27 San Diego Union-Tribune
28 San Francisco Chronicle
29 San Jose Mercury News
30 St. Louis Post-Dispatch
31 St. Petersburg Times
32 USA Today
33 Wall Street Journal
34 Washington Post
35 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 620 Variable cEA12

Ask Q620 only if read The Wall Street Journal in past week (Q617).

When you read The Wall Street Journal, how often do you read the paper's editorial page—regularly, occasionally, rarely, or never?

1 Regularly
2 Occasionally
3 Rarely
4 Never
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 621 Variable cEA14

How many days in the past week did you listen to NPR, also known as National Public Radio?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 622 Variable cEA15

Ask Q622 only if listened to NPR in past week (Q621).

Apart from NPR, how many days in the past week did you listen to radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues, or politics?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 623 Variable cEA15

Ask Q623 only if did not listen to NPR in past week (Q621).

How many days in the past week did you listen to radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues, or politics?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 624 Variable cEA16

Ask Q624 only if listened to NPR or other talk radio in past week (Q621, 623).

Which talk radio hosts or radio programs did you listen to in the past week?

Record up to five hosts or programs.

Record verbatim answer for code 28.

1 "All Things Considered"
2 Art Bell
3 Jim Bohannon
4 Bob Brinker
5 Dr. Joy Browne
6 Howie Carr
7 Ken and Daria Dolan
8 Don and Mike
9 Dr. Dean Edell
10 Sean Hannity
11 Don Imus
12 John and Ken
13 Tom Joyner
14 Tom Leykis
15 G. Gordon Liddy
16 Rush Limbaugh
17 "Morning Edition" with Bob Edwards
18 NPR (unspecified)
19 Bill O'Reilly
20 Diane Rehm
21 Michael Savage
22 Tavis Smiley
23 Doug Stephan
24 Howard Stern
25 "Talk of the Nation"
26 Armstrong Williams
27 Bruce Williams
28 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 625 Variable cEA17

Ask Q625 only if listened to more than one talk radio program in past week (Q624).

Which radio host or radio program would you say you listen to most often?

Record verbatim answer for code 28.

1 "All Things Considered"
2 Art Bell
3 Jim Bohannon
4 Bob Brinker
5 Dr. Joy Browne
6 Howie Carr
7 Ken and Daria Dolan
8 Don and Mike
9 Dr. Dean Edell
10 Sean Hannity
11 Don Imus
12 John and Ken
13 Tom Joyner
14 Tom Leykis
15 G. Gordon Liddy
16 Rush Limbaugh
17 "Morning Edition" with Bob Edwards
18 NPR (unspecified)
19 Bill O'Reilly
20 Diane Rehm
21 Michael Savage
22 Tavis Smiley
23 Doug Stephan
24 Howard Stern
25 "Talk of the Nation"
26 Armstrong Williams
27 Bruce Williams
28 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 626 Variable cEA18

How many days in the past week did you watch late-night comedy programs like the "Late Show" with David Letterman, "The Tonight Show" with Jay Leno, or "The Daily Show" with Jon Stewart?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 628 Variable cEA20

Ask Q628 only if watched late-night comedy in past week (Q626).

Which of the following late-night comedy programs do you watch most often—the "Late Show" with David Letterman, "The Tonight Show" with Jay Leno, or "The Daily Show" with Jon Stewart, or "Late Night" with Conan O'Brien?

Record verbatim answer for code 5.

Read response options 1–4 in random order.

1 Letterman
2 Leno
3 Stewart
4 O'Brien
5 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 629–630

Ask Q629–630 only if have online access (Q604).

How many days in the past week did you _____ information about the campaign for president online?

Question 629 Variable cEA22

Ask Q629 only of {9/20/04–9/28/04: 1/2 sample}.

access

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 630 Variable cEA23

Ask Q630 only on 9/20/04–9/28/04.
Ask only of 1/2 sample.

read

Question 631 Variable cEA24

Ask Q631 only if accessed political information online in past week (Q629–630).

During the past week, which of the following did you access to get information about the presidential campaigns online—a candidate's website or web log, a news organization's website or web log, or some other website or web log?

Record up to three websites or web logs.
Record verbatim answer for code 3.

1 Candidate's
2 News organization's
3 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 632–634

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to _____—a great deal of attention, some, not too much, or no attention at all?

Question 632 Variable cEA05

Ask Q632 only if watched network or cable news in past week (Q609, 611).

stories about the campaign for president on national network or cable TV news

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 633 Variable cEA07

Ask Q633 only if watched local news in past week (Q615).

stories about the campaign for president on local TV news

Question 634 Variable cEA13

Ask Q634 only if read newspaper in past week (Q616).

newspaper articles about the campaign for president

Read Q639–642 in random order.

Question 639 Variable cMC01

Ask Q639 only of 2/3 sample.

Do you happen to know what job or political office is now held by Dick Cheney?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

Record verbatim answer for code 2.

1 Vice president
2 Other answer
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 640 Variable cMC03

Ask Q640 only of 2/3 sample.

Who has the final responsibility to determine if a law is constitutional or not? Is it the president, the Congress, or the Supreme Court?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

1 President
2 Congress
3 Supreme Court
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 641 Variable cMC05

Ask Q641 only of 2/3 sample.

How much of a majority is required for the U.S. Senate and House to override a presidential veto?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

Record verbatim answer for code 2.

1 Two-thirds
2 Other answer
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 642 Variable cMC07

Ask Q642 only of 2/3 sample.

Do you happen to know which party has the most members in the United States House of Representatives?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

1 Democratic
2 Republican
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 648 Variable cUA07

Ask Q648 only of 1/2 sample.

In talking with people about politics and elections, we often find that they do not get a chance to vote. Did you vote in the November 2002 mid-term election?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 649 Variable cUA08

Ask Q649 only of 1/2 sample.

This question is about the Congressional elections held in November 2002. In talking to people about elections, we often find that a lot of people were not able to vote because they weren't registered, they were sick, or they just didn't have time. Which of the following statements best describes you—I did not vote in the November 2002 election, I thought about voting in that election but didn't, I usually vote but didn't in that election, or I am sure I voted in the November 2002 election?

1 Did not vote
2 Thought about voting but did not
3 Usually vote but did not
4 Voted
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 650 Variable cUA09

Ask Q650 only if voted in 2002 election and do not live in DC (Q648–649).

Ask only of 1/6 sample.

In that election, you were able to vote for a member of Congress, that is the U.S. House of Representatives in Washington. Did you vote for the Republican or Democrat?

1 Republican
2 Democrat
3 Other
4 Did not vote for Congress
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 651 Variable cRD01

Did you vote in the 2000 presidential election when George W. Bush ran against Al Gore?

If yes: Did you vote for George W. Bush, the Republican; Al Gore, the Democrat; Pat Buchanan of the Reform Party; Ralph Nader of the Green Party; or someone else?

Read response options 1–4 in random order.

1 Yes, Bush
2 Gore
3 Buchanan
4 Nader
5 Someone else
6 Did not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 661 Variable cDA15

Some people say that when George W. Bush was in the Texas Air National Guard in the 1970s, he often did not show up for duty. Bush says he did fulfill his obligations and has presented records that he says prove that he did. From what you have heard or read, do you think he fulfilled his military obligations, or do you think he did not fulfill them?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 662 Variable cDA16

Ask Q662 only if have opinion about whether Bush fulfilled National Guard obligations (Q661).

When you decide how to vote for president, how much will this matter to you—a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 Not at all
5 Would not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

I'd like to ask you how you feel about some of the candidates.

Read Q(669–670), (671–672), (673–674) in random order.

Questions 669–670

Ask Q669–670 only of 2/3 sample.

Does _____ make you angry, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very angry, somewhat angry, a little angry, or not very angry at all?

Read Q669–670 in random order.

Question 669 Variable cAA31

George W. Bush

1 Yes, very
2 Somewhat
3 Little
4 Not very
5 Does not make angry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 670 Variable cAB28

John Kerry

Questions 671–672

Ask Q671–672 only of 2/3 sample.

Does _____ make you uneasy, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very uneasy, somewhat uneasy, a little uneasy, or not very uneasy at all?

Read Q671–672 in random order.

Question 671 Variable cAA32

George W. Bush

1 Yes, very
2 Somewhat
3 Little
4 Not very
5 Does not make uneasy
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 672 Variable cAB29

John Kerry

Questions 673–674

Ask Q673–674 only of 2/3 sample.

Does _____ make you afraid, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very afraid, somewhat afraid, a little afraid, or not very afraid at all?

Read Q673–674 in random order.

Question 673 Variable cAA33

George W. Bush

1 Yes, very
2 Somewhat
3 Little
4 Not very
5 Does not make afraid
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 674 Variable cAB30

John Kerry

Question 695 Variable cCD31

Has the war in Iraq reduced the risk of terrorism against the United States or increased the risk of terrorism against the United States?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Reduced
2 Increased
3 Made no difference
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 696 Variable cCD35

Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until a stable government is established there, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible?

1 Keep in Iraq
2 Bring home
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 697–698

Do you think _____ has a clear plan for bringing the situation in Iraq to a successful conclusion, or don't you think so?

Question 697 Variable cCD42

Ask Q697 only of 1/2 sample.

George W. Bush

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 698 Variable cCD43

Ask Q698 only of 1/2 sample.

John Kerry

Question 733 Variable cCC36

Ask Q733 only of 1/3 sample.

How familiar are you with the No Child Left Behind education law—very familiar, somewhat familiar, not too familiar, or not familiar at all?

1 Very
2 Somewhat
3 Not too
4 Not at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 734 Variable cCC37

Ask Q734 only if familiar with No Child Left Behind (Q733).

Ask only of 1/3 sample.

As far as you know, has the No Child Left Behind law made American public schools much better, somewhat better, somewhat worse, much worse, or hasn't it made a difference?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Somewhat worse
4 Much worse
5 No difference
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 736 Variable cDA09

Have you seen, heard, or read anti-Vietnam war statements John Kerry made to Congress after returning from service in Vietnam?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 737 Variable cDA10

Ask Q737 only if familiar with Kerry's anti-war activities (Q736).

From what you know about it, do you approve or disapprove of what he said?

If approve/disapprove: Is that (approve/disapprove) strongly or (approve/disapprove) somewhat?

1 Strongly approve
2 Somewhat approve
3 Somewhat disapprove
4 Strongly disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 743 Variable cCD25

Ask Q743 only of {9/24/04–9/29/04: 2/3 sample}.

Some people say the war in Iraq has cost $200 billion and that money would have been better spent on domestic programs like education, health care and jobs. Others say the cost of going to war in Iraq was necessary even if it meant that some of these programs were not funded. What do you think—would it have been better to spend the money on domestic programs, or was it necessary to spend the money on the war in Iraq?

1 Domestic programs
2 Iraq
3 Should not have spent on either
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 744 Variable cCH01

Ask Q744 only on 9/22/04–9/29/04.

Ask only of 2/3 sample.

Thinking about all the factors you are considering in your presidential vote choice this year, how important is the factor of the next president possibly nominating one or two new justices to the Supreme Court to replace retiring ones? Please use a scale of zero to 10, where zero means that it is not an important factor at all, and 10 means that it is an extremely important factor.

Number: **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 745–746

Ask Q745–746 only on 9/22/04–9/29/04.

Ask only of 2/3 sample.

In the next administration, the president may have the opportunity to nominate two or three Supreme Court justices to replace retiring ones. How comfortable are you with _____ making those nominations—very comfortable, somewhat comfortable, neither comfortable nor uncomfortable, somewhat uncomfortable, or very uncomfortable?

Read Q745–746 in random order.

Question 745 Variable cCH02

George W. Bush

1 Very comfortable
2 Somewhat comfortable
3 Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable
4 Somewhat uncomfortable
5 Very uncomfortable
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 746 Variable cCH03

John Kerry

Question 783 Variable cCD18

Ask Q783 only on 9/27/04–9/29/04.

Ask only of 1/2 sample.

Do you think military veterans are getting the health care they were promised, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 784–785

Ask Q784–785 only on 9/27/04–9/29/04.

Ask only of 1/2 sample.

Do you think the _____ forces sent to Iraq were properly trained and equipped for service there, or weren't they properly trained and equipped for service there?

Question 784 Variable cCD50

regular

1 Yes
2 No
3 Properly trained, not equipped
4 Properly equipped, not trained
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 785 Variable cCD51

National Guard and Reserves

Question 786 Variable cCE28

Ask Q786 only on 9/27/04–9/29/04.

Ask only of 1/2 sample.

Should gays and lesbians be allowed to serve openly in the military, or shouldn't they be allowed to serve openly?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 787 Variable cCD11

Ask Q787 only on 9/27/04–9/29/04.

Ask only of 1/2 sample.

Do you think the United States should put the military draft back into operation?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 788 Variable cCD52

Ask Q788 only on 9/27/04–9/29/04.

Ask only of 1/2 sample.

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement—the Pentagon has put too much of a burden on the National Guard and Reserves when it should have expanded the regular forces instead?

If agree/disagree: Is that (agree/disagree) strongly or somewhat?

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
998 Don't know
999 Refused

I have one last set of questions to help us understand the people who took part in our survey.

Question 789 Variable cWA02

What is your age?

Number: **18–97**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 791 Variable cWB01

Are you working full time or part time?

1 Working full time
2 Part time
3 Temporarily laid off or unemployed
4 Retired
5 Permanently disabled
6 Homemaker
7 Student
8 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 792 Variable cWB07

Ask Q792 only if not unemployed (Q791).

Are there any adults age 18 or older living in your house or apartment who are currently laid off or unemployed?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 793 Variable cWB02

Ask Q793 only if employed (Q791).

In your current job, what kind of work do you do?

Record verbatim answer for code 10.

1 Profession worker (e.g., lawyer, doctor, scientist, teacher, engineer, registered nurse, accountant, programmer, musician)
2 Skilled tradesperson (e.g., printer, baker, tailor, electrician, machinist, linesperson, plumber, carpenter, mechanic)
3 Clerical or office worker (e.g., typist, secretary, postal clerk, telephone operator, computer operator, bank clerk)
4 Service worker (e.g., police officer, fire fighter, waiter or waitress, maid, nurse's aide, attendant, hairstylist)
5 Laborer (e.g., plumber's helper, construction worker, longshoreperson, garbage collector, other physical work)
6 Manager (e.g., store manager, sales manager, office manager)
7 Semi-skilled worker (e.g., machine operator, assembly line worker, truck driver, taxi driver, bus driver)
8 Salesperson
9 Business owner
10 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 795 Variable cWB04

Ask Q795 only if employed (Q791).

Do you work for someone else, or are you self-employed?

1 Not self-employed
2 Self-employed
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 796 Variable cWB05

Ask Q796 only if employed and not self-employed (Q795).

Are you employed by a federal, state, or local government; the military; or aren't you employed by government?

1 Government or military employee
2 Not government employee
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 801 Variable cWB06

Are you or any other member of your household, that is, any other adult living in your home or apartment, a member of a labor union?

If yes: Is that person you or someone else?

1 Yes, respondent
2 Other household member
3 Both respondent and other household member
4 No one is union member
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 802 Variable cWC07

How many years have you lived at your present address?

0 Less than six months
1 Six months to one year
Number: **2–97**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 803 Variable cWC01

Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 804 Variable cWC02

Ask Q804 only if Hispanic (Q803).

Which of these best describes your origin—Mexican, Cuban, Puerto Rican, or something else?

Record verbatim answer for code 4.

1 Mexican
2 Cuban
3 Puerto Rican
4 Something else
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 805 Variable cWC03

What is your race—white, black or African-American, Asian, Native American or American Indian, or some other race?

Record verbatim answer for code 5.

1 White
2 Black
3 Asian
4 American Indian
5 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 806 Variable cCE30

Ask Q806 only on 9/20/04–9/26/04.

Ask only if Native American (Q805).

The professional football team in Washington calls itself the Washington Redskins. As a Native American, do you find that name offensive, or doesn't it bother you?

1 Offensive
2 Does not bother
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 807 Variable cWF07

Are you married, living as married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?

1 Married
2 Living as married
3 Widowed
4 Divorced
5 Separated
6 Never married
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 808 Variable cWF03

How many children under age 18 now live in your house or apartment?

Number: **0–97**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 812 Variable cWC04

Were you born in the United States, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 813 Variable cWC05

Ask Q813 only if not born in U.S. (Q812).

Are you a citizen of the United States?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 814 Variable cWC06

Ask Q814 only if not born in U.S. (Q812).

For how many years have you lived in the United States?

0 Less than six months
1 Six months to one year
Number: **2–97**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 815 Variable cWD01

How often do you attend religious services, apart from special events like weddings and funerals—more than once a week, once a week, once or twice a month, a few times a year, or never?

1 More than once a week
2 Once a week
3 Once or twice a month
4 Few times a year
5 Never
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 816 Variable cWD02

Ask Q816 only if attend religious services (Q815).

Do you mostly attend a place of worship that is Protestant, Roman Catholic, Jewish, Mormon, an Orthodox Church, Muslim, or some other religion?

Record verbatim answer for code 7.

1 Protestant (including Baptist, Christian, Episcopal, Jehovah's Witness, Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian, and non-denominational Christian)
2 Catholic
3 Jewish
4 Mormon
5 Orthodox (including Greek, Russian, and Eastern)
6 Muslim
7 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 817 Variable cWD03

Ask Q817 only if do not attend religious services (Q815).

Regardless of whether you now attend any religious services do you ever think of yourself as part of a particular church or denomination?

If yes: Do you consider yourself as Protestant, Roman Catholic, Jewish, Mormon, an Orthodox Church, Muslim, or some other religion?

Record verbatim answer for code 7.

1 Yes, Protestant (including Baptist, Christian, Episcopal, Jehovah's Witness, Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian, and non-denominational Christian)
2 Catholic
3 Jewish
4 Mormon
5 Orthodox (including Greek, Russian, and Eastern)
6 Muslim
7 Other
8 No denomination
9 Atheist or agnostic
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 818 Variable cWD04

Ask Q818 only if of religion other than Jewish or Mormon (Q816–817).

Do you consider yourself an evangelical or born-again Christian?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 819 Variable cWE01

Including yourself, has anyone living in your house or apartment ever served in the U.S. military? This includes the National Guard and the Reserves.

1 Yes, respondent
2 Other household member
3 Both respondent and other household member
4 No one served in military
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 822 Variable cWE04

Ask Q822 only if either respondent or other household member ever served in military (Q819).

(**From Q819:** Are you / Is that person) still serving?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 823 Variable cWE04

Ask Q823 only if both respondent and other household member ever served in military (Q819).

Are you or the other member of your household still serving?

1 Yes, respondent
2 Other household member
3 Both respondent and other household member
4 No one still serving
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 826–827

_____ serving in the regular military, the Reserves, or the National Guard?

Question 826 Variable cWE05

Ask Q826 only if respondent currently serving in military (Q819–823).

Are you

Record up to three divisions.

1 Regular
2 Reserves
3 National Guard
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 827 Variable cWE06

Ask Q827 only if other household member currently serving in military (Q819–823).

Is (**from Q819:** that person / the other household member)

Question 830 Variable cWG02

Do you or does anyone living in your house or apartment own a handgun, rifle, or other type of firearm?

If yes: Would that be you or someone else in your household or both?

1 Yes, respondent
2 Other household member
3 Both respondent and other household member
4 No one owns firearm
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 831 Variable cWG04

Ask Q831 only if anyone in household owns gun (Q830).

(**From Q830:** Are you / Is the other person living in your house or apartment / Are you or the other person) a member of the National Rifle Association, also known as the NRA?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 832 Variable cWG05

Ask Q832 only of 1/3 sample.

Do you have a friend, colleague, or family member who is gay or lesbian?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Respondent is gay or lesbian
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 833 Variable cWA03

What is the last grade or class you completed in school?

1 Grade 8 or lower
2 Some high school, no diploma
3 High school diploma or equivalent
4 Technical or vocational school after high school
5 Some college, no degree
6 Associate's or two-year college degree
7 Four-year college degree
8 Graduate or professional school, no degree
9 Graduate or professional degree
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 834 Variable cWA04

Last year, what was the total income before taxes of all the people living in your house or apartment? Just stop me when I get to the right category—less than $10,000; $10,000 to less than $15,000; $15,000 to less than $25,000; $25,000 to less than $35,000; $35,000 to less than $50,000; $50,000 to less than $75,000; $75,000 to less than $100,000; $100,000 to less than $150,000; or $150,000 or more.

1 Less than $10,000
2 $10,000–$15,000
3 $15,000–$25,000
4 $25,000–$35,000
5 $35,000–$50,000
6 $50,000–$75,000
7 $75,000–$100,000
8 $100,000–$150,000
9 More than $150,000
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 835 Variable cWF12

What is your Zip code?

Number: **0–99997**
99998 Don't know
99999 Refused

Question 836 Variable cWF15

Aside from cell phones, how many telephone numbers does your house or apartment have that you receive calls on? Please include only numbers that you use for phone calls, not ones you use for computers or fax machines.

Number: **1–97**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 837 Variable cWF16

If you have a cell phone, is your cell phone number different from your landline or home phone, or is it the same number?

1 Different
2 Same
3 Do not have cell phone
998 Don't know
999 Refused

For verification purposes, could you please tell me your first name?

That completes the survey. Thank you for participating. We really appreciate your time. Have a good (day/evening).

Post-Debates Interview

Hello, my name is _____ calling from the University of Pennsylvania. We are conducting a national opinion survey about some current issues.

If know respondent's name: A little while back we spoke with (**name**) about some current issues.
If do not know name: A little while back we spoke with an (**age**)-year-old (**male/female**) about some current issues.

I would like to speak with this same person again to ask just a few more questions. *If new person brought to phone, repeat greeting.*

Just to confirm, could you please tell me your age?

If sex and age do not match: Did you recently complete a national opinion survey with us about current issues?

Proceed with interview if sex and age match, or respondent recently says they recently completed an NAES04 survey.

Question 4

Variable rCA01

Do you feel things in this country are generally going in the right direction, or do you think things are seriously off on the wrong track?

1 Right
2 Wrong
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 6–7

In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing _____ country today?

If don't know: Just your best guess.

Question 6

Variable rCA03

Ask Q6 only of 1/2 sample.

our

Record up to five problems.

Record verbatim answer for code 22.

1 Economy
2 Education / education problems
3 Children's issues
4 Poverty/homelessness
5 Lack of religion/faith
6 Lack of moral/family values
7 Health care
8 Violence/crime
9 Drugs
10 Energy / rising gas prices
11 Environment
12 Politicians/government
13 Taxes
14 Terrorism / war on terrorism
15 Iraq war/situation
16 Foreign policy
17 National/homeland security
18 Unemployment / job security / layoffs
19 Immigration / illegal aliens
20 Jobs going to other countries / outsourcing
21 Dislike Bush / current leaders
22 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 7

Variable rCA05

Ask Q7 only of 1/2 sample.

the

Question 17 Variable rCE21

Would you favor or oppose an amendment to the U.S. Constitution saying that no state can allow two men to marry each other or two women to marry each other?

If favor/oppose: Would you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose) the amendment?

Read "favor" and "oppose" in random order.

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 32 Variable rCE31

Ask Q32 only of 1/2 sample.

Restricting the kinds of guns that people can buy—should the federal government do more about it, do the same as now, do less about it, or do nothing at all?

1 More
2 Same
3 Less
4 Nothing
998 Don't know
999 Refused

I am going to read you a list of some issues. For each one, please tell me if you personally favor or oppose it.

Questions 72–88

Ask Q72–88 only of 2/3 sample.

_____—do you favor or oppose this?

If favor/oppose: Do you strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

Read Q72–88 in random order.

Question 72 Variable rCC32

Allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market

1 Strongly favor
2 Somewhat favor
3 Somewhat oppose
4 Strongly oppose
5 Neither favor nor oppose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 73 Variable rCE34

Extending the federal law banning assault weapons

Question 75 Variable rCB35

Completely eliminating the estate tax, that is, the tax on property left by people worth more than $1.5 million who die

Question 76 Variable rCC25

Changing the recently passed Medicare prescription drug law to allow re-importing drugs from Canada

Question 77 Variable rCC04

The federal government helping to pay for health insurance for all children

Question 78 Variable rCC06

The federal government helping employers pay the cost of their workers' health insurance

Question 79 Variable rCB17

Making recent federal tax cuts permanent

Question 82 Variable rCB45

Eliminating tax breaks for overseas profits and using money to cut taxes for businesses that create jobs in the United States

Question 84 Variable rCE14

Making additional stem cell lines from human embryos available for federally funded research on diseases like Parkinson's

Question 85 Variable rCE02

Laws making it more difficult for a woman to get an abortion

Question 86 Variable rCD08

Moving 60,000 to 70,000 troops stationed in Europe and South Korea to other locations, including the United States, in the next decade

Question 87 Variable rCG07

The government placing limits on how much people could collect when a jury finds that a doctor has committed medical malpractice

Question 88 Variable rCB65

Increasing the $5.15 minimum wage employers now must pay their workers

Question 90 Variable rUA02

Ask Q90 only if do not live in DC.

Ask only of 1/4 sample.

Your state has two U.S. senators in Washington, DC. Do you happen to remember their names? *Probe for two names.*

If don't know: Just your best guess.

Record verbatim answer for code 1.

1 Gave name or names
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 91–106

For each of the following people in politics, please tell me if your opinion is favorable or unfavorable using a scale from zero to 10.

On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate _____? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the name, or you know the name but not well enough to rate them?

Read Q91–106 in random order.

Question 91 — Variable rAA01

George W. Bush

Number: **0–10**
- **11** Do not recognize name
- **12** Know name but cannot rate
- **999** Refused

Question 92 — Variable rAC01

Dick Cheney

Question 95 — Variable rAC04

John Edwards

Question 97 — Variable rAB01

John Kerry

Question 106 — Variable rAC15

Ask Q106 only of 1/3 sample.

Ralph Nader

Question 119 — Variable rAE09

Ask Q119 only of 1/4 sample.

On a scale of zero to 10, how would you rate the National Rifle Association, also known as the NRA? Zero means very unfavorable, and 10 means very favorable. Five means you do not feel favorable or unfavorable. Of course you can use any number between zero and 10.

If don't know: Do you mean you don't recognize the group, or you know the group but not well enough to rate it?

Number: **0–10**
- **11** Do not recognize group
- **12** Know group but cannot rate
- **999** Refused

Question 126 — Variable rAA02

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

If approve/disapprove: Do you (approve/disapprove) strongly or only somewhat?

- **1** Strongly approve
- **2** Somewhat approve
- **3** Somewhat disapprove
- **4** Strongly disapprove
- **998** Don't know
- **999** Refused

Questions 128–130

Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is _____?

Question 128 Variable rCB09

handling the nation's economy

1 Approve
2 Disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 129 Variable rCD61

Ask Q129 only of 1/2 sample.

handling the war on terrorism

Question 130 Variable rCD19

currently handling the situation in Iraq

Question 134 Variable rCD21

Ask Q134 only of 1/2 sample.

All in all, do you think the situation in Iraq was worth going to war over, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 138 Variable rCD59

Ask Q138 only of 1/2 sample.

Since the attacks on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon on Sept. 11, 2001, the United States government has done a number of things both at home and abroad intended to protect Americans from future attacks. How safe have these efforts made you feel—much more safe, somewhat more safe, somewhat less safe, or much less safe?

1 Much more
2 Somewhat more
3 Somewhat less
4 Much less
5 Made no difference
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 139 Variable rCD60

Ask Q139 only of 2/3 sample.

How likely do you think there will be a terrorist attack on American soil in the next 12 months? Please use a scale from zero to 10, where zero means you are certain there will not be an attack, 10 means you are certain there will be an attack, and five means there is a 50-50 chance. Of course you can use any number from zero to 10.

Number: **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 140 Variable rCD01

Ask Q140 only of 1/4 sample.

As a result of the George W. Bush presidency, in general, how well regarded is the United States by countries around the world—better than before he came into office, worse than before he came into office, or no different than before he came into office?

1 Better
2 Worse
3 No different
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 141 Variable rCD02

Ask Q141 only if think U.S. regarded differently because of Bush (Q140).

Ask only of 1/4 sample.

How much does that matter, that the United States is regarded as (**from Q140:** better/worse) than before he came into office—a great deal, some, not too much, or not at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 Not at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 143 Variable rCB10

Would you say that the economic policies of the Bush administration are making the economy better, worse, or are having no effect one way or the other?

1 Better
2 Worse
3 No effect
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 144 Variable rCB63

To the best of your knowledge, has the economy gained more jobs than it lost, or has it lost more jobs than it gained since George W. Bush became president?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Gained more
2 Lost more
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 146 Variable rAA03

Ask Q146 only of 1/2 sample.

I'd like to ask you how you feel about George W. Bush, as a person, as opposed to how you feel about the job he is doing. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of him as a person?

If favorable/unfavorable: Is that very (favorable/unfavorable) or somewhat (favorable/unfavorable)?

1 Very favorable
2 Somewhat favorable
3 Somewhat unfavorable
4 Very unfavorable
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Read Q(152–176), (205–229) in random order.

Questions 152–176

Ask Q152–176 only if recognize Bush (Q91).

Ask only of 2/3 sample.

I am going to read you some phrases. For each one, please tell me how well that phrase applies to George W. Bush. Please use a scale from zero to 10.

On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "_____" apply to George W. Bush? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Read Q152–176 in random order.

Question 152 Variable rAA04

cares about people like me

Number: **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 153 Variable rAA05

inspiring

Question 154 Variable rAA06

strong leader

Question 155 Variable rAA07

trustworthy

Question 156 Variable rAA08

shares my values

Question 157 Variable rAA09

knowledgeable

Question 158 Variable rAA10

reckless

Question 160 Variable rAA12

says one thing but does another

Question 161 Variable rAA13

has the right kind of experience to be president

Question 162 Variable rAA14

he's easy to like as a person

Question 168 Variable rAA20

out of touch with people like me

Question 170 Variable rAA22

arrogant

Question 171 Variable rAA23

optimistic

Question 172 Variable rAA24

effective, gets things done

Question 173 Variable rAA25

decisive

Question 174 Variable rAA26

flip-flops on the issues

Question 176 Variable rAA28

not willing to admit it when he makes a mistake

Questions 205–229

Ask Q205–229 only if recognize Kerry (Q97).

Ask only of 2/3 sample.

I am going to read you some phrases. For each one, please tell me how well that phrase applies to John Kerry. Please use a scale from zero to 10.

On a scale of zero to 10, how well does "_____" apply to John Kerry? Zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well.

Read Q205–229 in random order.

Question 205 Variable rAB02

cares about people like me

Number: **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 206 Variable rAB03

inspiring

Question 207 Variable rAB04

strong leader

Question 208 Variable rAB05

trustworthy

Question 209 Variable rAB06

shares my values

Question 210 Variable rAB07

knowledgeable

Question 211 Variable rAB08

reckless

Question 213 Variable rAB10

says one thing but does another

Question 214 Variable rAB11

has the right kind of experience to be president

Question 215 Variable rAB12

he's easy to like as a person

Question 221 Variable rAB18

out of touch with people like me

Question 223 Variable rAB20

arrogant

Question 224 Variable rAB21

optimistic

Question 225 Variable rAB22

effective, gets things done

Question 226 Variable rAB23

decisive

Question 227 Variable rAB24

flip-flops on the issues

Question 229 Variable rAB26

not willing to admit it when he makes a mistake

Questions 237–242

Which of the following best describes the views of _____—very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal, or very liberal?

Read Q237–242 in random order.

Question 237 Variable rAA30

Ask Q237 only if recognize Bush (Q91).

George W. Bush

For random half sample, read response options 1–5 last to first.

1 Very conservative
2 Conservative
3 Moderate
4 Liberal
5 Very liberal
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 242 Variable rAB27

Ask Q242 only if recognize Kerry (Q97).

John Kerry

Question 256 Variable rRA01

These days, many people are so busy they cannot find time to register to vote, or they move around so often they do not get a chance to re-register. Are you currently registered to vote in your precinct or election district, or haven't you been able to register so far?

1 Registered
2 Not registered
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 258 Variable rMA01

Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else?

Record verbatim answer for code 4.

1 Republican
2 Democrat
3 Independent
4 Something else
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 259 Variable rMA02

Ask Q259 only if Republican, Democrat, or Independent (Q258).

Do you consider yourself a strong or not a very strong (**from Q258:** Republican/Democrat/Independent)?

1 Strong
2 Not strong
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 260 Variable rMA03

Ask Q260 only if not Republican or Democrat (Q258).

Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or Democratic Party?

1 Republican
2 Democratic
3 Neither Republican nor Democrat
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 263 Variable rMA06

Generally speaking, would you describe your political views as very conservative, conservative, moderate, liberal, or very liberal?

For random half sample, read response options 1–5 last to first.

1 Very conservative
2 Conservative
3 Moderate
4 Liberal
5 Very liberal
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Now I'd like to ask you about the 2004 presidential campaign.

Read Q284–286, (287–288), 289 in random order.

Questions 284–287

Ask Q284–287 only of 1/3 sample.

During the presidential campaign, have you _____?

Question 284 Variable rKC02

talked to any people and tried to show them why they should vote for or against one of the presidential candidates

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 285 Variable rKC03

gone to any political meetings, rallies, speeches, dinners, or things like that in support of a particular presidential candidate

Question 286 Variable rKC04

done any other work for one of the presidential candidates

Question 287 Variable rKC05

given money to any of the presidential candidates

Question 288 Variable rKC06

Ask Q288 only if donated money to candidate (Q287).

Ask only of 1/3 sample.

Please tell me which of the following ways you donated money to the candidate—through the mail, through the Internet, in person at a fundraiser or other campaign event, or some other way?

Record up to four ways.

Record verbatim answer for code 4.

1 Mail
2 Internet
3 In person
4 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 289 Variable rKC07

Ask Q289 only of 1/3 sample.

During the presidential campaign, have you worn a presidential campaign button, put a campaign sticker on your car, or placed a sign in your window or in front of your house?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 304 Variable rRB11

Ask Q304 only if interviewed after primary.

In talking with people about politics and elections, we often find that they don't get a chance to vote. Did you happen to vote in your state's recent presidential primary election or caucus?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Intend to vote in different primary
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 306 Variable rRB12

Ask Q306 only if voted in primary (Q304).

Did you vote in the Republican presidential primary or the Democratic primary?

1 Republican
2 Democratic
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 308 Variables rRC28, rRC40

Some states allow individuals to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot. How about you—have you already voted in this year's presidential election, or not?

1 Voted early
2 Did not vote early
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 314 Variable rRC01

Ask Q314 only if did not early vote in general election (Q308).

Do you plan to vote in the general election in November, or don't you plan to vote?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 315 Variable rRC02

Ask Q315 only if intend to vote in general election (Q314).

I would like you to rate your chances of voting in the general election on a scale of one to 10. Ten means you will definitely vote, and one means you will definitely not vote. Of course you may use any number in between.

Number: **1–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 322 Variable rRC26

Ask Q322 only if intend to vote in general election (Q314).

Do you plan to vote before Election Day, that is, vote early at a polling station or by filling out an absentee ballot, in the presidential election?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 323 Variable rRC41

Ask Q323 only if early voted in general election (Q308).

How did you cast your ballot?

As necessary: By voting at an early polling station; by sending in a ballot by mail; by sending in a ballot by fax; by personally dropping off a ballot at an election office; by having someone else drop a ballot at an election office for you; by voting over the telephone; by voting online, that is, over the Internet; or some other way?

1 Polling station
2 Mail
3 Fax
4 Personally dropping off
5 Someone else dropping off
6 Phone
7 Online
8 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 324 Variable rRC42

Ask Q324 only if early voted in general election (Q308).

On what date did you cast your ballot early in the general election?

1 Today
2 Yesterday
3 Two to three days ago
4 Four to seven days
5 More than one week ago
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 327 Variable rRC27

Ask Q327 only if intend to early vote in general election (Q322).

How will you cast your ballot?

As necessary: By voting at an early polling station; by sending in a ballot by mail; by sending in a ballot by fax; by personally dropping off a ballot at an election office; by having someone else drop a ballot at an election office for you; by voting over the telephone; by voting online, that is, over the Internet; or some other way?

1 Polling station
2 Mail
3 Fax
4 Personally dropping off
5 Someone else dropping off
6 Phone
7 Online
8 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 328 Variable rFD12

Has any political party, government office, or other group or individual offered to help you get an early or absentee ballot?

Record up to four "yes" answers.

1 Yes, party
2 Government office
3 Individual
4 Other group
5 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 329 Variable rFD13

Ask Q329 only if offered help to get early ballot by political party (Q328).

Was the political party the Republicans or the Democrats that offered to help?

Record verbatim answer for code 3.

1 Republicans
2 Democrats
3 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 330 Variable rFD14

Ask Q330 only if offered help by individual or group other than a political party (Q328).

As far as you know, was the individual or group offering help because they want you to vote for a particular candidate or set of candidates?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 331 Variable rKA04

How closely are you following the campaign for president—very closely, somewhat closely, not too closely, or not closely at all?

1 Very
2 Somewhat
3 Not too
4 Not at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 338 Variable rFF16

Ask Q338 only if did not vote in general election (Q308).

So far, have you learned enough about the candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or have you found it difficult to choose because you feel you have not learned enough?

1 Learned enough
2 Difficult to choose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 339 Variable rFF17

Ask Q339 only if voted in general election (Q308).

By the time you voted in the presidential election, did you learn enough about the candidates and the issues to make an informed choice between the candidates, or did you find it difficult to choose because you felt you had not learned enough?

1 Learned enough
2 Difficult to choose
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 347–349

Who do you trust _____—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

Read Q347–349 in random order.

Question 347 Variable rCD04

more to handle the responsibilities of commander-in-chief of the military

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Trust both the same
4 Trust neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 348 Variable rCD62

to do a better job handling the U.S. war on terrorism

Question 349 Variable rCB11

to do a better job handling the economy

Question 350 Variable rCB86

Who would do a better job of preventing U.S. corporations from outsourcing jobs to other countries—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both would do the same
4 Neither would do well
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 359–360

Ask Q359–360 only if recognize Kerry (Q97).

Using a 100-point scale, please tell me the chances that _____ in the general election. A zero means no chance, 50 a 50-50 chance and 100 a certain win. You may use any number from zero to 100.

Read Q359–360 in random order.

Question 359 Variable rNA21

Ask Q359 only of 1/2 sample.

John Kerry will beat George W. Bush

Number: **0–100**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 360 Variable rNA22

Ask Q360 only of 1/2 sample.

George W. Bush will beat John Kerry

Read Q367–395, (397–399), 400–404 in random order.

Questions 367–379

Ask Q367–379 only of 2/3 sample.

To the best of your knowledge, who _____—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

Question 367 Variable rCC34

favors allowing workers to invest some of their Social Security contributions in the stock market

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 370 Variable rCE37

urges Congress to extend the federal law banning assault weapons

Question 372 Variable rCB48

favors eliminating tax breaks for overseas profits of American corporations and using the money to cut taxes for businesses that create jobs in the United States

Question 374 Variable rCB39

favors completely eliminating the estate tax, that is, the tax on property worth more than $1.5 million left by people who die

Question 377 Variable rCC26

favors changing the recently passed Medicare prescription drug law to allow re-importing drugs from Canada

Question 379 Variable rCC09

favors a health insurance plan that would do both of the following—help to pay for health insurance for all children and help employers pay the cost of the workers' health insurance

Question 381 Variable rCB27

Ask Q381 only of 2/3 sample.

John Kerry says that he would eliminate George W. Bush's tax cuts on those making how much money—over $50,000 a year; over $100,000 a year; over $200,000 a year; or over $500,000 a year?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

1 $50,000
2 $100,000
3 $200,000
4 $500,000
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 382–397

Ask Q382–397 only of 2/3 sample.

To the best of your knowledge, _____—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

Question 382 Variable rDA17

who is a former prosecutor

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 383 Variable rCB25

who favors making the recent tax cuts permanent

Question 392 Variable rCE15

which candidate wants to make additional stem cell lines from human embryos available for federally funded research on diseases like Parkinson's

Question 394 Variable rCD09

which candidate proposes moving 60,000 to 70,000 troops stationed in Europe and South Korea to other locations, including the United States, in the next decade

Question 395 Variable rCE03

who favors laws making it more difficult for a woman to get an abortion

Question 397 Variable rCD14

which candidate has stated he favors reinstating the military draft

Questions 398–399

Ask Q398–399 only of 2/3 sample.

_____, do you think he will reinstate the military draft, or not?

Read Q398–399 in random order.

Question 398 Variable rCD16

If George W. Bush is re-elected

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 399 Variable rCD17

If John Kerry is elected

Question 400 Variable rCF02

Ask Q400 only of 2/3 sample.

Who do you think would do more to reduce the United States' dependence on foreign oil—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 402–404

Ask Q402–404 only of 2/3 sample.

To the best of your knowledge, which candidate favors _____—George W. Bush, John Kerry, both, or neither?

If don't know: Anyone come to mind?

Question 402 Variable rCG08

placing limits on how much people can collect when a jury finds that a doctor has committed medical malpractice

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both
4 Neither
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 403 Variable rCC28

allowing the federal government to negotiate with drug companies for lower prescription drug prices for senior citizens

Question 404 Variable rCB66

increasing the $5.15 minimum wage employers must pay their workers

Question 441

Variable rRB13

Ask Q441 only if voted in Democratic primary (Q306).

For whom did you vote in the Democratic presidential primary election or caucus in your state—

Wesley Clark,
Howard Dean,
John Edwards,
Richard Gephardt,
John Kerry,
Dennis Kucinich,
Joe Lieberman,
Carol Moseley Braun,
or Al Sharpton?

Read response options 1–9 in random order.

1 Clark
2 Dean
3 Edwards
4 Gephardt
5 Kerry
6 Kucinich
7 Lieberman
8 Moseley Braun
9 Sharpton
10 Other
11 Did not vote for presidential nominee
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 470

Variable rRC14

Ask Q470 only if did not early vote in general election (Q308).

If the 2004 presidential election were being held today, would you vote for George W. Bush and Dick Cheney, the Republicans; John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats; or Ralph Nader and Peter Camejo of the Reform Party?

Read response options 1–3 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Nader
4 Other
5 Would not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 471

Variable rRC15

Ask Q471 only if intend to vote for Nader or undecided (Q470).

If Ralph Nader is not on the ballot in your state, who would you vote for George W. Bush or John Kerry?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Write in Nader
4 Other
5 Would not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 472–474

Will you definitely vote for _____ for president, or is there a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

If could change mind: Is there a good chance you'll change your mind, or would you say it's pretty unlikely?

Question 472 — Variable rRC17

Ask Q472 only if intend to vote for Kerry in general election (Q470).

John Kerry

1 Definitely will vote for candidate
2 Good chance will change mind
3 Unlikely will change mind
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 473 — Variable rRC16

Ask Q473 only if intend to vote for Bush in general election (Q470).

George W. Bush

Question 474 — Variable rRC18

Ask Q474 only if intend to vote for Nader (Q470).

Ralph Nader

Question 475 — Variable rRC29

Ask Q475 only if voted in general election (Q308).

In the 2004 presidential election, who did you vote for—George W. Bush and Dick Cheney, the Republicans; John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats; or Ralph Nader and Peter Camejo of the Reform Party?

Read response options 1–3 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Nader
4 Other
5 Did not vote for president
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 478 — Variable rRC23

Ask Q478 only if intend to vote for Bush in general election (Q470).

Would you say you are supporting George W. Bush for president more because you are for Bush or more because you are against John Kerry?

1 For Bush
2 Against Kerry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 479 — Variable rRC24

Ask Q479 only if intend to vote for Kerry in general election (Q470).

Would you say you are supporting John Kerry for president more because you are for Kerry or more because you are against George W. Bush?

1 For Kerry
2 Against Bush
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 480 Variable rRC38

Ask Q480 only if voted for Bush in general election (Q475).

Would you say you are supporting George W. Bush for president more because you are for Bush or more because you are against John Kerry?

1 For Bush
2 Against Kerry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 481 Variable rRC39

Ask Q481 only if voted for Kerry in general election (Q475).

Would you say you are supporting John Kerry for president more because you are for Kerry or more because you are against George W. Bush?

1 For Kerry
2 Against Bush
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 506–507

On a scale of zero to 10, where zero means it does not apply at all, and 10 means it applies extremely well, please tell me how well the phrase "has the right kind of experience to be president" applies to _____.

Read Q506–507 in random order.

Question 506 Variable rAC13

John Edwards

Number: **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 507 Variable rAC03

Dick Cheney

I'd like to talk to you about the state of the economy.

Question 508 Variable rCB01

How would you rate economic conditions in this country today—would you say they are excellent, good, fair, or poor?

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 509 Variable rCB02

Thinking about one year ago, in your opinion, were the economic conditions in this country much better than they are right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 510 Variable rCB04

How would you rate your own personal economic situation today—is it excellent, good, only fair, or poor?

1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Fair
4 Poor
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 511 Variable rCB03

Thinking about one year from now, do you think economic conditions in the country will be much better than they are right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 512 Variable rCB05

Thinking about one year ago, was your personal economic situation much better than it is right now, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Same
4 Somewhat worse
5 Much worse
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 516 Variable rCB21

Ask Q516 only of 1/3 sample.

How much have you benefited from the tax cuts proposed by George W. Bush and passed by Congress—a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 Not at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 522 Variable rKA01

Ask Q522 only of 2/3 sample.

Some people seem to follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, whether there is an election or not. Others are not that interested, or are interested in other things. Would you say you follow what is going on in government and public affairs most of the time, some of the time, only now and then, or hardly at all?

1 Most times
2 Sometime
3 Now and then
4 Hardly at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 545 Variable rMB10

Ask Q545 only of 2/3 sample.

Do you agree or disagree that sometimes politics seems so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on?

If agree/disagree: Do you strongly (agree/disagree) or somewhat (agree/disagree)?

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Neither agree nor disagree
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 584–587

Did you happen to watch the _____?

If yes: Did you watch all, most, or just some of it?

Question 584 Variable rFA17

presidential debate on Wednesday, Oct. 13, between George W. Bush and John Kerry focusing on domestic issues

1 Yes, all
2 Most
3 Some
4 Did not watch
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 585 Variable rFA10

presidential debate on Friday, Oct. 8, between George W. Bush and John Kerry where voters got to ask questions of the candidates

Question 586 Variable rFA25

vice presidential debate on Tuesday, Oct. 5, between Dick Cheney and John Edwards

Question 587 Variable rFA03

presidential debate on Thursday, Sept. 30, between George W. Bush and John Kerry focusing on foreign policy

Read Q588, (589–590) in random order.

Question 588 Variable rFA32

Ask Q588 only if watched at least one Bush-Kerry debate (Q584–585, 587).

Thinking about all the debates that you saw, overall who do you think did best in the presidential debates—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both did the same
4 Neither did well
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 589–590

Ask Q589–590 only if watched at least one Bush-Kerry debate (Q584–585, 587).

Overall, did _____ do better than you expected, less well than you expected, or about as you expected in the debates you saw?

Read Q589–590 in random order.

Question 589 Variable rFA33

George W. Bush

1 Better
2 Less well
3 As expected
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 590 Variable rFA34

John Kerry

Question 591 Variable rFA35

Ask Q591 only if did not watch any Bush-Kerry debates (Q584–585, 587).

Have you heard or read anything about the presidential debates held in the past two weeks?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 592 Variable rFA36

Ask Q592 only if did not watch any Bush-Kerry debates but familiar with them (Q591).

From what you have heard or read, who do you think did best in the presidential debates—George W. Bush or John Kerry?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Bush
2 Kerry
3 Both did the same
4 Neither did well
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Read Q593, (594–595) in random order.

Question 593 Variable rFA27

Ask Q593 only if watched Cheney-Edwards debate (Q586).

Who do you think did best in the vice presidential debate—Dick Cheney or John Edwards?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Cheney
2 Edwards
3 Both did the same
4 Neither did well
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 594–595

Ask Q594–595 only if watched Cheney-Edwards debate (Q586).

Did _____ do better than you expected, less well than you expected, or about as you expected?

Read Q594–595 in random order.

Question 594 Variable rFA28

Dick Cheney

1 Better
2 Less well
3 As expected
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 595 Variable rFA29

John Edwards

Question 596 Variable rFA30

Ask Q596 only if did not watch Cheney-Edwards debate (Q586).

Have you heard or read anything about the vice presidential debate on Tuesday, Oct. 5, between Dick Cheney and John Edwards?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 597 Variable rFA31

Ask Q597 only if did not watch but familiar with Cheney-Edwards debate (Q596).

From what you have heard or read, who do you think did best in this debate—Dick Cheney or John Edwards?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Cheney
2 Edwards
3 Both did the same
4 Neither did well
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Read Q600–602 in random order.

Question 600 Variable rKB01

How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with your family or friends?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 602 Variable rKB03

How many days in the past week did you discuss politics with people at work?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 604 Variable rEA21

Do you have access to the Internet or the World Wide Web at home, at work or someplace else?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 605 Variable rKB05

Ask Q605 only if have online access (Q604).

How many days in the past week did you discuss politics online with people over email, in chat rooms, or using listservs or instant messaging services?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

I would like to ask about where you got your news during the past week. Please tell me how many days in the past week you did each of the following.

Read Q(609–610), (611–612), 613–615, (616–620), (621–625), (626–628), (629–631) in random order.

Question 609 Variable rEA01

How many days in the past week did you watch the national network news on TV? By national network news, I mean Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, and the Jim Lehrer "NewsHour" on PBS.

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 610 Variable rEA02

Ask Q610 only if watched network news in past week (Q609).

Which of the following would you say you watch most often—Peter Jennings on ABC, Dan Rather on CBS, Tom Brokaw on NBC, or the Jim Lehrer "NewsHour" on PBS?

Read response options 1–4 in random order.

1 ABC
2 CBS
3 NBC
4 PBS
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 611 Variable rEA03

How many days in the past week did you watch a 24-hour cable news channel, such as CNN, FOX News Channel, or MSNBC?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 612 Variable rEA04

Ask Q612 only if watched cable news in past week (Q611).

Which of the cable news networks would you say you watch most often—FOX News Channel, CNN, or MSNBC?

Record verbatim answer for code 5.

Read response options 1–3 in random order.

1 FOX
2 CNN
3 MSNBC
4 All three equally
5 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 613–616

How many days in the past week did you _____?

Question 613 Variable rEA08

watch news on a Spanish language channel such as, Univision or Telemundo

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 614 Variable rEA09

watch news on Black Entertainment Television, also known as BET

Question 615 Variable rEA06

watch local TV news, for example, "Eyewitness News" or "Action News"

Question 616 Variable rEA10

read a daily newspaper

Question 617 Variable rEA11

Ask Q617 only if read newspaper in past week (Q616).

What newspaper did you read most in the past week?

Record verbatim answer for code 35.

1 Arizona Republic
2 Atlanta Constitution
3 Baltimore Sun
4 Boston Globe
5 Chicago Sun-Times
6 Chicago Tribune
7 Cleveland Plain Dealer
8 Concord Monitor
9 Dallas Morning News
10 Denver Post
11 Des Moines Register
12 Detroit Free Press
13 Houston Chronicle
14 Los Angeles Times
15 Manchester Union-Leader
16 Miami Herald
17 Minneapolis Star Tribune
18 New York Daily News
19 New York Post
20 New York Times
21 Newark Star-Ledger
22 Newsday
23 Orange County Register
24 Oregonian
25 Philadelphia Inquirer
26 Rocky Mountain News
27 San Diego Union-Tribune
28 San Francisco Chronicle
29 San Jose Mercury News
30 St. Louis Post-Dispatch
31 St. Petersburg Times
32 USA Today
33 Wall Street Journal
34 Washington Post
35 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 620 Variable rEA12

Ask Q620 only if read The Wall Street Journal in past week (Q617).

When you read The Wall Street Journal, how often do you read the paper's editorial page—regularly, occasionally, rarely, or never?

1 Regularly
2 Occasionally
3 Rarely
4 Never
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 621 Variable rEA14

How many days in the past week did you listen to NPR, also known as National Public Radio?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 622 Variable rEA15

Ask Q622 only if listened to NPR in past week (Q621).

Apart from NPR, how many days in the past week did you listen to radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues, or politics?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 623 Variable rEA15

Ask Q623 only if did not listen to NPR in past week (Q621).

How many days in the past week did you listen to radio shows that invite listeners to call in to discuss current events, public issues, or politics?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 624

Variable rEA16

Ask Q624 only if listened to NPR or other talk radio in past week (Q621, 623).

Which talk radio hosts or radio programs did you listen to in the past week?

Record up to five hosts or programs.

Record verbatim answer for code 28.

1 "All Things Considered"
2 Art Bell
3 Jim Bohannon
4 Bob Brinker
5 Dr. Joy Browne
6 Howie Carr
7 Ken and Daria Dolan
8 Don and Mike
9 Dr. Dean Edell
10 Sean Hannity
11 Don Imus
12 John and Ken
13 Tom Joyner
14 Tom Leykis
15 G. Gordon Liddy
16 Rush Limbaugh
17 "Morning Edition" with Bob Edwards
18 NPR (unspecified)
19 Bill O'Reilly
20 Diane Rehm
21 Michael Savage
22 Tavis Smiley
23 Doug Stephan
24 Howard Stern
25 "Talk of the Nation"
26 Armstrong Williams
27 Bruce Williams
28 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 625

Variable rEA17

Ask Q625 only if listened to more than one talk radio program in past week (Q624).

Which radio host or radio program would you say you listen to most often?

Record verbatim answer for code 28.

1 "All Things Considered"
2 Art Bell
3 Jim Bohannon
4 Bob Brinker
5 Dr. Joy Browne
6 Howie Carr
7 Ken and Daria Dolan
8 Don and Mike
9 Dr. Dean Edell
10 Sean Hannity
11 Don Imus
12 John and Ken
13 Tom Joyner
14 Tom Leykis
15 G. Gordon Liddy
16 Rush Limbaugh
17 "Morning Edition" with Bob Edwards
18 NPR (unspecified)
19 Bill O'Reilly
20 Diane Rehm
21 Michael Savage
22 Tavis Smiley
23 Doug Stephan
24 Howard Stern
25 "Talk of the Nation"
26 Armstrong Williams
27 Bruce Williams
28 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 626

Variable rEA18

How many days in the past week did you watch late-night comedy programs like the "Late Show" with David Letterman, "The Tonight Show" with Jay Leno, or "The Daily Show" with Jon Stewart?

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 628 Variable rEA20

Ask Q628 only if watched late-night comedy in past week (Q626).

Which of the following late-night comedy programs do you watch most often—the "Late Show" with David Letterman, "The Tonight Show" with Jay Leno, or "The Daily Show" with Jon Stewart, or "Late Night" with Conan O'Brien?

Record verbatim answer for code 5.

Read response options 1–4 in random order.

1 Letterman
2 Leno
3 Stewart
4 O'Brien
5 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 629–630

Ask Q629–630 only if have online access (Q604).

How many days in the past week did you _____ information about the campaign for president online?

Question 629 Variable rEA22

Ask Q629 only of 1/2 sample.

access

Number: **0–7**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 630 Variable rEA23

Ask Q630 only of 1/2 sample.

read

Question 631 Variable rEA24

Ask Q631 only if accessed political information online in past week (Q629–630).

During the past week, which of the following did you access to get information about the presidential campaigns online—a candidate's website or web log, a news organization's website or web log, or some other website or web log?

Record up to three websites or web logs.
Record verbatim answer for code 3.

1 Candidate's
2 News organization's
3 Other
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 632–634

During the past week, how much attention did you pay to _____—a great deal of attention, some, not too much, or no attention at all?

Question 632 Variable rEA05

Ask Q632 only if watched network or cable news in past week (Q609, 611).

stories about the campaign for president on national network or cable TV news

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 None
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 633 Variable rEA07

Ask Q633 only if watched local news in past week (Q615).

stories about the campaign for president on local TV news

Question 634 Variable rEA13

Ask Q634 only if read newspaper in past week (Q616).

newspaper articles about the campaign for president

Read Q639–642 in random order.

Question 639 Variable rMC01

Ask Q639 only of 2/3 sample.

Do you happen to know what job or political office is now held by Dick Cheney?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

Record verbatim answer for code 2.

1 Vice president
2 Other answer
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 640 Variable rMC03

Ask Q640 only of 2/3 sample.

Who has the final responsibility to determine if a law is constitutional or not? Is it the president, the Congress, or the Supreme Court?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

1 President
2 Congress
3 Supreme Court
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 641 Variable rMC05

Ask Q641 only of 2/3 sample.

How much of a majority is required for the U.S. Senate and House to override a presidential veto?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

Record verbatim answer for code 2.

1 Two-thirds
2 Other answer
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 642 Variable rMC07

Ask Q642 only of 2/3 sample.

Do you happen to know which party has the most members in the United States House of Representatives?

If don't know: Anything come to mind?

1 Democratic
2 Republican
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 648 Variable rUA07

Ask Q648 only of 1/2 sample.

In talking with people about politics and elections, we often find that they do not get a chance to vote. Did you vote in the November 2002 mid-term election?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 649 Variable rUA08

Ask Q649 only of 1/2 sample.

This question is about the Congressional elections held in November 2002. In talking to people about elections, we often find that a lot of people were not able to vote because they weren't registered, they were sick, or they just didn't have time. Which of the following statements best describes you—I did not vote in the November 2002 election, I thought about voting in that election but didn't, I usually vote but didn't in that election, or I am sure I voted in the November 2002 election?

1 Did not vote
2 Thought about voting but did not
3 Usually vote but did not
4 Voted
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 650 Variable rUA09

Ask Q650 only if voted in 2002 election and do not live in DC (Q648–649).

Ask only of 1/6 sample.

In that election, you were able to vote for a member of Congress, that is the U.S. House of Representatives in Washington. Did you vote for the Republican or Democrat?

1 Republican
2 Democrat
3 Other
4 Did not vote for Congress
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 651 Variable rRD01

Did you vote in the 2000 presidential election when George W. Bush ran against Al Gore?

If yes: Did you vote for George W. Bush, the Republican; Al Gore, the Democrat; Pat Buchanan of the Reform Party; Ralph Nader of the Green Party; or someone else?

Read response options 1–4 in random order.

1 Yes, Bush
2 Gore
3 Buchanan
4 Nader
5 Someone else
6 Did not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 661 Variable rDA15

Some people say that when George W. Bush was in the Texas Air National Guard in the 1970s, he often did not show up for duty. Bush says he did fulfill his obligations and has presented records that he says prove that he did. From what you have heard or read, do you think he fulfilled his military obligations, or do you think he did not fulfill them?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 662 Variable rDA16

Ask Q662 only if have opinion about whether Bush fulfilled National Guard obligations (Q661).

When you decide how to vote for president, how much will this matter to you—a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

1 Great deal
2 Some
3 Not much
4 Not at all
5 Would not vote
998 Don't know
999 Refused

I'd like to ask you how you feel about some of the candidates.

Read Q(669–670), (671–672), (673–674) in random order.

Questions 669–670

Ask Q669–670 only of 2/3 sample.

Does _____ make you angry, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very angry, somewhat angry, a little angry, or not very angry at all?

Read Q669–670 in random order.

Question 669 — Variable rAA31

George W. Bush

1 Yes, very
2 Somewhat
3 Little
4 Not very
5 Does not make angry
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 670 — Variable rAB28

John Kerry

Questions 671–672

Ask Q671–672 only of 2/3 sample.

Does _____ make you uneasy, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very uneasy, somewhat uneasy, a little uneasy, or not very uneasy at all?

Read Q671–672 in random order.

Question 671 — Variable rAA32

George W. Bush

1 Yes, very
2 Somewhat
3 Little
4 Not very
5 Does not make uneasy
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 672 — Variable rAB29

John Kerry

Questions 673–674

Ask Q673–674 only of 2/3 sample.

Does _____ make you afraid, or not?

If yes: would you say he makes you feel very afraid, somewhat afraid, a little afraid, or not very afraid at all?

Read Q673–674 in random order.

Question 673 — Variable rAA33

George W. Bush

1 Yes, very
2 Somewhat
3 Little
4 Not very
5 Does not make afraid
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 674 — Variable rAB30

John Kerry

Question 695 Variable rCD31

Has the war in Iraq reduced the risk of terrorism against the United States or increased the risk of terrorism against the United States?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Reduced
2 Increased
3 Made no difference
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 696 Variable rCD35

Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until a stable government is established there, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible?

1 Keep in Iraq
2 Bring home
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 697–698

Do you think _____ has a clear plan for bringing the situation in Iraq to a successful conclusion, or don't you think so?

Question 697 Variable rCD42

Ask Q697 only of 1/2 sample.

George W. Bush

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 698 Variable rCD43

Ask Q698 only of 1/2 sample.

John Kerry

Question 701 Variable rCD54

Please tell me if you agree or disagree with the following statement—the company Halliburton was awarded contracts in Iraq because of the influence of Vice President Dick Cheney.

If agree/disagree: Is that strongly (agree/disagree) or somewhat (agree/disagree)?

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 733 Variable rCC36

Ask Q733 only of 1/3 sample.

How familiar are you with the No Child Left Behind education law—very familiar, somewhat familiar, not too familiar, or not familiar at all?

1 Very
2 Somewhat
3 Not too
4 Not at all
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 734 Variable rCC37

Ask Q734 only if familiar with No Child Left Behind (Q733).

Ask only of 1/3 sample.

As far as you know, has the No Child Left Behind law made American public schools much better, somewhat better, somewhat worse, much worse, or hasn't it made a difference?

1 Much better
2 Somewhat better
3 Somewhat worse
4 Much worse
5 No difference
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 736 Variable rDA09

Have you seen, heard, or read anti-Vietnam war statements John Kerry made to Congress after returning from service in Vietnam?

1 Yes
2 No
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 737 Variable rDA10

Ask Q737 only if familiar with Kerry's anti-war activities (Q736).

From what you know about it, do you approve or disapprove of what he said?

If approve/disapprove: Is that (approve/disapprove) strongly or (approve/disapprove) somewhat?

1 Strongly approve
2 Somewhat approve
3 Somewhat disapprove
4 Strongly disapprove
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 743 Variable rCD25

Ask Q743 only of 2/3 sample.

Some people say the war in Iraq has cost $200 billion and that money would have been better spent on domestic programs like education, health care and jobs. Others say the cost of going to war in Iraq was necessary even if it meant that some of these programs were not funded. What do you think—would it have been better to spend the money on domestic programs, or was it necessary to spend the money on the war in Iraq?

1 Domestic programs
2 Iraq
3 Should not have spent on either
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 744 Variable rCH01

Ask Q744 only of 2/3 sample.

Thinking about all the factors you are considering in your presidential vote choice this year, how important is the factor of the next president possibly nominating one or two new justices to the Supreme Court to replace retiring ones? Please use a scale of zero to 10, where zero means that it is not an important factor at all, and 10 means that it is an extremely important factor.

Number: **0–10**
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Questions 745–746

Ask Q745–746 only of 2/3 sample.

In the next administration, the president may have the opportunity to nominate two or three Supreme Court justices to replace retiring ones. How comfortable are you with _____ making those nominations—very comfortable, somewhat comfortable, neither comfortable nor uncomfortable, somewhat uncomfortable, or very uncomfortable?

Read Q745–746 in random order.

Question 745 Variable rCH02

George W. Bush

1 Very comfortable
2 Somewhat comfortable
3 Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable
4 Somewhat uncomfortable
5 Very uncomfortable
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 746 Variable rCH03

John Kerry

Question 747 Variable rCC21

Ask Q747 only of 2/3 sample.

Who do you think will benefit more from the new Medicare prescription drug plan—seniors on Medicare or the drug manufacturers?

Read response options 1–2 in random order.

1 Seniors
2 Drug manufacturers
3 Both will benefit equally
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Read Q748–749 in random order.

Question 748 Variable rCB15

Ask Q748 only of 2/3 sample.

If John Kerry were to win the election in November, do you think your federal income taxes would go up, down, or remain the same?

1 Up
2 Down
3 Same
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 749 Variable rCB14

Ask Q749 only of 2/3 sample.

If George W. Bush were to win the election in November, do you think your federal income taxes would go up, down, or remain the same?

1 Up
2 Down
3 Same
998 Don't know
999 Refused

Question 750 Variable rFA24

Ask Q750 only on 10/18/04–10/24/04.

In response to a question on homosexuality in the last presidential debate, John Kerry mentioned that Vice President Dick Cheney's daughter is a lesbian. That's something Cheney has acknowledged. Do you think it was appropriate or inappropriate for Kerry to mention it?

1 Appropriate
2 Inappropriate
998 Don't know
999 Refused

That completes the survey. Thank you for participating. We really appreciate your time. Have a good (day/evening).

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Ⓐ General Opinions of Candidates, Political Figures, and Groups																						
Opinions of Bush																						
Bush Favorability as Person	**cAA03**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●									**rAA03**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●								
Bush Cares About People Like Me	**cAA04**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA04**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Inspiring	**cAA05**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA05**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				

* Only variables with sample splits are listed.

● Split in effect all dates

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Bush Strong Leader	**cAA06**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA06**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Trustworthy	**cAA07**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA07**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Shares My Values	**cAA08**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA08**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Knowledgeable	**cAA09**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA09**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Reckless	**cAA10**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA10**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Says One Thing, Does Another	**cAA12**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA12**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Has Right Experience	**cAA13**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA13**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Easy to Like	**cAA14**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA14**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Out of Touch	**cAA20**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA20**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Arrogant	**cAA22**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA22**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				

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Bush Optimistic	**cAA23**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA23**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Effective	**cAA24**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA24**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Decisive	**cAA25**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA25**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Flip-Flops	**cAA26**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAA26**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Honest	**cAA27**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●															
Bush Not Willing to Admit Mistakes												**rAA28**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Bush Makes Me Angry	**cAA31**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rAA31**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Bush Makes Me Uneasy	**cAA32**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rAA32**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Bush Makes Me Afraid	**cAA33**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rAA33**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					

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Opinions of Kerry																						
Kerry Cares About People Like Me	**cAB02**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB02**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Inspiring	**cAB03**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB03**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Strong Leader	**cAB04**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB04**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Trustworthy	**cAB05**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB05**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Shares My Values	**cAB06**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB06**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Knowledgeable	**cAB07**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB07**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Reckless	**cAB08**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB08**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Says One Thing, Does Another	**cAB10**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB10**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Has Right Experience	**cAB11**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB11**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				

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Kerry Easy to Like	**cAB12**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB12**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Out of Touch	**cAB18**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB18**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Arrogant	**cAB20**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB20**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Optimistic	**cAB21**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB21**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Effective	**cAB22**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB22**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Decisive	**cAB23**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB23**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Flip-Flops	**cAB24**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●					**rAB24**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Honest	**cAB25**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●															
Kerry Not Willing to Admit Mistakes												**rAB26**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 2–3				●	●				
Kerry Makes Me Angry	**cAB28**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rAB28**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					

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Kerry Makes Me Uneasy	**cAB29**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rAB29**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Kerry Makes Me Afraid	**cAB30**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rAB30**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Opinions of Other Candidates																						
Nader Favorability	**cAC15**	**9/20/04–9/28/04: 1/3 sample** cXB = 2				○						**rAC15**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 2				●					
		9/29/04: 1/2 sample cXC = 3–4								○	○											
Opinions of Groups																						
AARP Favorability	**cAE08**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 1						●														
NRA Favorability	**cAE09**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 1						●				**rAE09**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 1						●			

○ Split in effect selected dates

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Ⓒ Policy Issues—Opinions and Knowledge																						
Current Events in General																						
Most Important Problem (Wording #1)	**cCA03**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●									**rCA03**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●								
Most Important Problem (Wording #2)	**cCA05**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●								**rCA05**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●							
Economic Issues																						
Taxes																						
Taxes Will Increase if Bush Elected												**rCB14**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2				●	●				
Taxes Will Increase if Kerry Elected												**rCB15**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2				●	●				
Favor Making Bush Tax Cuts Permanent (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCB17**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCB17**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2				●	●				
Personally Benefited From Bush Tax Cuts	**cCB21**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 2				●						**rCB21**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 2					●				
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Bush Tax Cuts Permanent	**cCB25**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCB25**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2				●	●				

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Know Income Level at Which Kerry Would Repeal Bush Tax Cuts	**cCB27**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCB27**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Favor Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #1 and Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCB34**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●																
Favor Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #2)												**rCB35**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #1)	**cCB37**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●																
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Eliminating Estate Tax (Wording #2)												**rCB39**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Favor Eliminating Overseas Tax Breaks to Cut Taxes for Companies That Create Jobs (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCB45**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCB45**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Eliminating Overseas Tax Breaks to Cut Taxes for Companies That Create Jobs	**cCB48**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCB48**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Labor																						
Favor Increasing Minimum Wage												**rCB65**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Increasing Minimum Wage												**rCB66**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					

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Favor Making Union Organizing Easier (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCB72**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●																
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Union Organizing Easier (Wording #2)	**cCB75**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●																
Health and Human Issues																						
Health Insurance																						
Favor Government Health Insurance for Children (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCC04**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCC04**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Favor Government Health Insurance for Workers (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCC06**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCC06**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Government Health Insurance for Children and Workers (Wording #2)	**cCC09**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCC09**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Medicare																						
Seniors or Companies Will Benefit More From Medicare Prescription Law												**rCC21**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Favor Re-Importing Drugs (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCC25**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCC25**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Re-Importing Drugs	**cCC26**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCC26**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					

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Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Negotiating With Drug Companies												**rCC28**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Social Security																						
Favor Social Security in Stock Market (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCC32**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCC32**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Social Security in Stock Market	**cCC34**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCC34**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Education																						
Familiar With No Child Left Behind	**cCC36**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 3					●					**rCC36**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 3					●				
No Child Left Behind Has Improved Schools (Wording #1)	**cCC37**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 3					●					**rCC37**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 3					●				
Foreign Affairs																						
Foreign Affairs in General																						
U.S. Is Regarded Differently Because of Bush	**cCD01**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 3								●		**rCD01**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 3								●	
Matters How U.S. Is Regarded Because of Bush	**cCD02**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 3								●		**rCD02**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 3								●	

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Military Defense																						
Favor Moving Troops From Europe and Korea (Strongly Follow-Up)												**rCD08**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Moving Troops From Europe and Korea												**rCD09**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Favor Reinstating Draft	**cCD11**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●																		
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Reinstating Draft	**cCD12**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●																
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Reinstating Draft												**rCD14**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Think Bush Will Reinstate Draft												**rCD16**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Think Kerry Will Reinstate Draft												**rCD17**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Veterans Getting Health Care They Were Promised	**cCD18**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●																		
Iraq																						
Iraq War Was Worth It	**cCD21**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●									**rCD21**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●								

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Iraq War Was Worth It Despite Counterarguments	**cCD22**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●																			
Iraq War Was Not Worth It Despite Counterarguments	**cCD23**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●																			
Cost of Iraq War Was Necessary	**cCD25**	**9/24/04–9/29/04: 2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			○	○						**rCD25**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
		9/20/04–9/23/04: No sample split																				
Bush Has Plan for Iraq	**cCD42**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●									**rCD42**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●								
Kerry Has Plan for Iraq	**cCD43**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●								**rCD43**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●							
Regular Military Sent to Iraq Properly Prepared	**cCD50**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●																		
Guard and Reserves Sent to Iraq Properly Prepared	**cCD51**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●																		
Pentagon Overburdened Guard and Reserves	**cCD52**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●																		

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Terrorism and Homeland Security																						
Feel Safer Because of Government Efforts After 9/11 (Wording #2)	**cCD59**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●									**rCD59**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●								
Chance of Terrorist Attack in Next Year	**cCD60**	**9/24/04–9/29/04: 2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			○	○						**rCD60**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
		9/20/04–9/23/04: No sample split																				
Approve of Bush Handling Terrorism	**cCD61**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●									**rCD61**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●								
Social Issues																						
Abortion																						
Favor Making Abortion More Difficult	**cCE02**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCE02**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Making Abortion More Difficult	**cCE03**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCE03**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Stem Cell Research																						
Favor Stem Cell Funding (Wording #2 and Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCE09**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●																
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Stem Cell Funding (Wording #2)	**cCE12**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●																

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Favor Additional Stem Cell Lines												**rCE14**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Additional Stem Cell Lines												**rCE15**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Gay Rights																						
Favor Gays in Military	**cCE28**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●																		
Gun Control																						
Favor Gun Control	**cCE31**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●									**rCE31**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●								
Favor Assault Weapons Ban (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCE34**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCE34**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Assault Weapons Ban (Wording #2)	**cCE37**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCE37**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Energy and Environment																						
Energy																						
Bush or Kerry Would Do More on Foreign Oil	**cCF02**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCF02**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					

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Legal Issues																						
Favor Limiting Lawsuits (Strongly Follow-Up)	**cCG02**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●																
Favor Limiting Malpractice Awards												**rCG07**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know if Bush or Kerry Favors Limiting Malpractice Awards												**rCG08**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Other Policy Issues																						
Supreme Court Important in Vote	**cCH01**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCH01**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Comfortable With Bush Making Supreme Court Nominations	**cCH02**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCH02**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Comfortable With Kerry Making Supreme Court Nominations	**cCH03**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rCH03**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
(D) Candidates' Biographies—Opinions and Knowledge																						
Know if Bush or Kerry Is Former Prosecutor	**cDA17**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rDA17**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					

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(E) Media—Exposure and Opinions																						
Online Political Information																						
Accessed Political Information Online in Past Week (Wording #1)	**cEA22**	**9/20/04–9/28/04: 1/2 sample** cXA = 2		○								**rEA22**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●							
		9/29/04: No sample split																				
Accessed Political Information Online in Past Week (Wording #2)	**cEA23**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●									**rEA23**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●								
(F) Political Discourse—Exposure and Opinions																						
Opinions of Political Discourse Overall																						
Candidates' Rhetoric																						
Bush Criticizing Opponent	**cFF04**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 4									●											
Kerry Criticizing Opponent	**cFF05**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 3								●												

Variable Title*	Pre-Debates Interview: Variable Name	Pre-Debates Interview: Sample Split	A 1	A 2	B 1	B 2	B 3	C 1	C 2	C 3	C 4	Post-Debates Interview: Variable Name	Post-Debates Interview: Sample Split	A 1	A 2	B 1	B 2	B 3	C 1	C 2	C 3	C 4
Bush Talking About Solving Problems	**cFF06**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 4									●											
Kerry Talking About Solving Problems	**cFF07**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 3								●												
Ⓚ Political Participation																						
Interest in Politics and the Campaign																						
Follow Politics	**cKA01**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rKA01**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Following Campaign	**cKA04**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●									**rKA04**	No sample split									
Interested in Campaign	**cKA05**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●																		
Involvement in Campaigning																						
Tried to Influence Others' Voting	**cKC02**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●							**rKC02**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●						
Attended Political Meetings	**cKC03**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●							**rKC03**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●						
Did Other Work for Candidate	**cKC04**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●							**rKC04**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●						

Variable Title*	Pre-Debates Interview: Variable Name	Pre-Debates Interview: Sample Split	Pre-Debates Interview: Question Module A 1	A 2	B 1	B 2	B 3	C 1	C 2	C 3	C 4	Post-Debates Interview: Variable Name	Post-Debates Interview: Sample Split	Post-Debates Interview: Question Module A 1	A 2	B 1	B 2	B 3	C 1	C 2	C 3	C 4
Donated Money to Candidate	**cKC05**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●							**rKC05**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●						
Method of Donating Money to Candidate	**cKC06**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●							**rKC06**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●						
Wore Campaign Button or Displayed Sign	**cKC07**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●							**rKC07**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●						
Ⓜ Orientation to Politics																						
Confidence in Institutions, Political Efficacy, and Cynicism																						
Politics Too Complicated	**cMB10**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rMB10**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
General Political Knowledge																						
Know Cheney Is Vice President	**cMC01**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rMC01**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know Supreme Court Determines Constitutionality of Laws	**cMC03**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rMC03**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know Two-Thirds Majority Overrides Veto	**cMC05**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rMC05**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					
Know Republicans Are Majority Party in House	**cMC07**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●						**rMC07**	**2/3 sample** cXB = 1–2			●	●					

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Ⓝ Candidates' Electoral Chances and Endorsements																						
Assessments of Candidates' Electoral Chances																						
Candidates' General Election Chances																						
Chance Kerry Will Beat Bush	**cNA21**	**1/2 sample** cNA23 = 1										**rNA21**	**1/2 sample** rNA23 = 1									
Chance Bush Will Beat Kerry	**cNA22**	**1/2 sample** cNA23 = 2										**rNA22**	**1/2 sample** rNA23 = 2									
Ⓤ Congressional Election—Opinions and Voting																						
Know Names of Incumbent Senators	**cUA02**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 3								●		**rUA02**	**1/4 sample** cXC = 3								●	
Voted in 2002 Election (Wording #1)	**cUA07**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●									**rUA07**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 1	●								
Voted in 2002 Election (Wording #2)	**cUA08**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●								**rUA08**	**1/2 sample** cXA = 2		●							

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House Candidate Voted for in 2002	**cUA09**	**1/6 sample** cXB = 3 And cXA = 1	●				●					**rUA09**	**1/6 sample** cXB = 3 And cXA = 1	●				●				
Ⓦ Demographics																						
Employment																						
Know of Anyone Who Lost Job in Past Six Months (Wording #1)	**cWB08**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 1			●																	
Know of Anyone Who Lost Job in Past Six Months (Wording #2)	**cWB09**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 3					●															
Other Demographics																						
Know of Someone Gay or Lesbian	**cWG05**	**1/3 sample** cXB = 2				●																

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rAA06	rAA06	Numeric	396
rAA07	rAA07	Numeric	397
rAA08	rAA08	Numeric	398
rAA09	rAA09	Numeric	399
rAA10	rAA10	Numeric	400
rAA12	rAA12	Numeric	401
rAA13	rAA13	Numeric	402
rAA14	rAA14	Numeric	403
rAA20	rAA20	Numeric	404
rAA22	rAA22	Numeric	405
rAA23	rAA23	Numeric	406
rAA24	rAA24	Numeric	407
rAA25	rAA25	Numeric	408
rAA26	rAA26	Numeric	409
rAA28	rAA28	Numeric	410

Variable	Data Column		
	Name	Data Type	Position
rAA30	rAA30	Numeric	411
rAA31	rAA31	Numeric	412
rAA32	rAA32	Numeric	413
rAA33	rAA33	Numeric	414
rAB01	rAB01	Numeric	415
rAB02	rAB02	Numeric	416
rAB03	rAB03	Numeric	417
rAB04	rAB04	Numeric	418
rAB05	rAB05	Numeric	419
rAB06	rAB06	Numeric	420
rAB07	rAB07	Numeric	421
rAB08	rAB08	Numeric	422
rAB10	rAB10	Numeric	423
rAB11	rAB11	Numeric	424
rAB12	rAB12	Numeric	425
rAB18	rAB18	Numeric	426
rAB20	rAB20	Numeric	427
rAB21	rAB21	Numeric	428
rAB22	rAB22	Numeric	429
rAB23	rAB23	Numeric	430
rAB24	rAB24	Numeric	431
rAB26	rAB26	Numeric	432
rAB27	rAB27	Numeric	433
rAB28	rAB28	Numeric	434
rAB29	rAB29	Numeric	435
rAB30	rAB30	Numeric	436
rAC01	rAC01	Numeric	437
rAC03	rAC03	Numeric	438
rAC04	rAC04	Numeric	439
rAC13	rAC13	Numeric	440
rAC15	rAC15	Numeric	441
rAE09	rAE09	Numeric	442
rAX01	rAX01.01	Numeric	443
	rAX01.02	Numeric	444
	rAX01.03	Numeric	445
	rAX01.04	Numeric	446
	rAX01.05	Numeric	447
rAX02	rAX02.1	Numeric	448
	rAX02.2	Numeric	449

Variable	Data Column		
	Name	Data Type	Position
rAX03	rAX03.01	Numeric	450
	rAX03.02	Numeric	451
	rAX03.03	Numeric	452
	rAX03.04	Numeric	453
	rAX03.05	Numeric	454
	rAX03.06	Numeric	455
	rAX03.07	Numeric	456
	rAX03.09	Numeric	457
	rAX03.10	Numeric	458
	rAX03.11	Numeric	459
	rAX03.17	Numeric	460
	rAX03.19	Numeric	461
	rAX03.20	Numeric	462
	rAX03.21	Numeric	463
	rAX03.22	Numeric	464
	rAX03.23	Numeric	465
	rAX03.25	Numeric	466
rAX04	rAX04.01	Numeric	467
	rAX04.02	Numeric	468
	rAX04.03	Numeric	469
	rAX04.04	Numeric	470
	rAX04.05	Numeric	471
	rAX04.06	Numeric	472
	rAX04.07	Numeric	473
	rAX04.09	Numeric	474
	rAX04.10	Numeric	475
	rAX04.11	Numeric	476
	rAX04.17	Numeric	477
	rAX04.19	Numeric	478
	rAX04.20	Numeric	479
	rAX04.21	Numeric	480
	rAX04.22	Numeric	481
	rAX04.23	Numeric	482
	rAX04.25	Numeric	483
rCA01	rCA01	Numeric	484
rCA03	rCA03.1	Numeric	485
	rCA03.2	Numeric	486
	rCA03.3	Numeric	487
	rCA03.4	Numeric	488
	rCA03.5	Numeric	489
	rCA03$	Text (255)	490
rCA04	rCA04	Numeric	491

Variable	Data Column		
	Name	Data Type	Position
rCA05	rCA05.1	Numeric	492
	rCA05.2	Numeric	493
	rCA05.3	Numeric	494
	rCA05.4	Numeric	495
	rCA05.5	Numeric	496
	rCA05$	Text (255)	497
rCA06	rCA06	Numeric	498
rCB01	rCB01	Numeric	499
rCB02	rCB02	Numeric	500
rCB03	rCB03	Numeric	501
rCB04	rCB04	Numeric	502
rCB05	rCB05	Numeric	503
rCB09	rCB09	Numeric	504
rCB10	rCB10	Numeric	505
rCB11	rCB11	Numeric	506
rCB14	rCB14	Numeric	507
rCB15	rCB15	Numeric	508
rCB17	rCB17	Numeric	509
rCB21	rCB21	Numeric	510
rCB25	rCB25	Numeric	511
rCB26	rCB26	Numeric	512
rCB27	rCB27	Numeric	513
rCB28	rCB28	Numeric	514
rCB35	rCB35	Numeric	515
rCB39	rCB39	Numeric	516
rCB40	rCB40	Numeric	517
rCB45	rCB45	Numeric	518
rCB48	rCB48	Numeric	519
rCB49	rCB49	Numeric	520
rCB63	rCB63	Numeric	521
rCB65	rCB65	Numeric	522
rCB66	rCB66	Numeric	523
rCB67	rCB67	Numeric	524
rCB86	rCB86	Numeric	525
rCC04	rCC04	Numeric	526
rCC06	rCC06	Numeric	527
rCC09	rCC09	Numeric	528
rCC10	rCC10	Numeric	529
rCC21	rCC21	Numeric	530
rCC25	rCC25	Numeric	531
rCC26	rCC26	Numeric	532
rCC27	rCC27	Numeric	533
rCC28	rCC28	Numeric	534

Variable	Data Column		
	Name	Data Type	Position
rCC29	rCC29	Numeric	535
rCC32	rCC32	Numeric	536
rCC34	rCC34	Numeric	537
rCC35	rCC35	Numeric	538
rCC36	rCC36	Numeric	539
rCC37	rCC37	Numeric	540
rCD01	rCD01	Numeric	541
rCD02	rCD02	Numeric	542
rCD04	rCD04	Numeric	543
rCD08	rCD08	Numeric	544
rCD09	rCD09	Numeric	545
rCD10	rCD10	Numeric	546
rCD14	rCD14	Numeric	547
rCD15	rCD15	Numeric	548
rCD16	rCD16	Numeric	549
rCD17	rCD17	Numeric	550
rCD19	rCD19	Numeric	551
rCD21	rCD21	Numeric	552
rCD25	rCD25	Numeric	553
rCD31	rCD31	Numeric	554
rCD35	rCD35	Numeric	555
rCD42	rCD42	Numeric	556
rCD43	rCD43	Numeric	557
rCD54	rCD54	Numeric	558
rCD59	rCD59	Numeric	559
rCD60	rCD60	Numeric	560
rCD61	rCD61	Numeric	561
rCD62	rCD62	Numeric	562
rCE02	rCE02	Numeric	563
rCE03	rCE03	Numeric	564
rCE04	rCE04	Numeric	565
rCE14	rCE14	Numeric	566
rCE15	rCE15	Numeric	567
rCE16	rCE16	Numeric	568
rCE21	rCE21	Numeric	569
rCE31	rCE31	Numeric	570
rCE34	rCE34	Numeric	571
rCE37	rCE37	Numeric	572
rCE38	rCE38	Numeric	573
rCF02	rCF02	Numeric	574
rCF03	rCF03	Numeric	575
rCG07	rCG07	Numeric	576
rCG08	rCG08	Numeric	577
rCG09	rCG09	Numeric	578

Variable	Data Column		
	Name	Data Type	Position
rCH01	rCH01	Numeric	579
rCH02	rCH02	Numeric	580
rCH03	rCH03	Numeric	581
rDA09	rDA09	Numeric	582
rDA10	rDA10	Numeric	583
rDA15	rDA15	Numeric	584
rDA16	rDA16	Numeric	585
rDA17	rDA17	Numeric	586
rDA18	rDA18	Numeric	587
rEA01	rEA01	Numeric	588
rEA02	rEA02	Numeric	589
rEA03	rEA03	Numeric	590
rEA04	rEA04	Numeric	591
	rEA04$	Text (255)	592
rEA05	rEA05	Numeric	593
rEA06	rEA06	Numeric	594
rEA07	rEA07	Numeric	595
rEA08	rEA08	Numeric	596
rEA09	rEA09	Numeric	597
rEA10	rEA10	Numeric	598
rEA11	rEA11	Numeric	599
	rEA11$	Text (255)	600
rEA12	rEA12	Numeric	601
rEA13	rEA13	Numeric	602
rEA14	rEA14	Numeric	603
rEA15	rEA15	Numeric	604
rEA16	rEA16.1	Numeric	605
	rEA16.2	Numeric	606
	rEA16.3	Numeric	607
	rEA16.4	Numeric	608
	rEA16.5	Numeric	609
	rEA16$	Text (255)	610
rEA17	rEA17	Numeric	611
	rEA17$	Text (255)	612
rEA18	rEA18	Numeric	613
rEA20	rEA20	Numeric	614
	rEA20$	Text (255)	615
rEA21	rEA21	Numeric	616
rEA22	rEA22	Numeric	617
rEA23	rEA23	Numeric	618

Variable	Data Column		
	Name	Data Type	Position
rEA24	rEA24.1	Numeric	619
	rEA24.2	Numeric	620
	rEA24.3	Numeric	621
	rEA24$	Text (255)	622
rFA03	rFA03	Numeric	623
rFA10	rFA10	Numeric	624
rFA17	rFA17	Numeric	625
rFA24	rFA24	Numeric	626
rFA25	rFA25	Numeric	627
rFA27	rFA27	Numeric	628
rFA28	rFA28	Numeric	629
rFA29	rFA29	Numeric	630
rFA30	rFA30	Numeric	631
rFA31	rFA31	Numeric	632
rFA32	rFA32	Numeric	633
rFA33	rFA33	Numeric	634
rFA34	rFA34	Numeric	635
rFA35	rFA35	Numeric	636
rFA36	rFA36	Numeric	637
rFD12	rFD12.1	Numeric	638
	rFD12.2	Numeric	639
	rFD12.3	Numeric	640
	rFD12.4	Numeric	641
rFD13	rFD13	Numeric	642
	rFD13$	Text (255)	643
rFD14	rFD14	Numeric	644
rFF16	rFF16	Numeric	645
rFF17	rFF17	Numeric	646
rKA01	rKA01	Numeric	647
rKA04	rKA04	Numeric	648
rKB01	rKB01	Numeric	649
rKB03	rKB03	Numeric	650
rKB05	rKB05	Numeric	651
rKC02	rKC02	Numeric	652
rKC03	rKC03	Numeric	653
rKC04	rKC04	Numeric	654
rKC05	rKC05	Numeric	655
rKC06	rKC06.1	Numeric	656
	rKC06.2	Numeric	657
	rKC06.3	Numeric	658
	rKC06.4	Numeric	659
	rKC06$	Text (255)	660
rKC07	rKC07	Numeric	661

Variable	Data Column		
	Name	Data Type	Position
rMA01	rMA01	Numeric	662
	rMA01$	Text (255)	663
rMA02	rMA02	Numeric	664
rMA03	rMA03	Numeric	665
rMA06	rMA06	Numeric	666
rMB10	rMB10	Numeric	667
rMC01	rMC01	Numeric	668
	rMC01$	Text (255)	669
rMC02	rMC02	Numeric	670
rMC03	rMC03	Numeric	671
rMC04	rMC04	Numeric	672
rMC05	rMC05	Numeric	673
	rMC05$	Text (255)	674
rMC06	rMC06	Numeric	675
rMC07	rMC07	Numeric	676
rMC08	rMC08	Numeric	677
rNA21	rNA21	Numeric	678
rNA22	rNA22	Numeric	679
rNA23	rNA23	Numeric	680
rRA01	rRA01	Numeric	681
rRB01	rRB01	Numeric	682
rRB11	rRB11	Numeric	683
rRB12	rRB12	Numeric	684
rRB13	rRB13	Numeric	685
rRC01	rRC01	Numeric	686
rRC02	rRC02	Numeric	687
rRC14	rRC14	Numeric	688
rRC15	rRC15	Numeric	689
rRC16	rRC16	Numeric	690
rRC17	rRC17	Numeric	691
rRC18	rRC18	Numeric	692
rRC23	rRC23	Numeric	693
rRC24	rRC24	Numeric	694
rRC26	rRC26	Numeric	695
rRC27	rRC27	Numeric	696
rRC28	rRC28	Numeric	697
rRC29	rRC29	Numeric	698
rRC38	rRC38	Numeric	699
rRC39	rRC39	Numeric	700
rRC40	rRC40	Numeric	701
rRC41	rRC41	Numeric	702
rRC42	rRC42	Numeric	703
rRD01	rRD01	Numeric	704

Variable	Data Column		
	Name	Data Type	Position
rRX01	rRX01.1	Numeric	705
	rRX01.2	Numeric	706
	rRX01.3	Numeric	707
	rRX01.4	Numeric	708
	rRX01.5	Numeric	709
	rRX01.6	Numeric	710
	rRX01.7	Numeric	711
	rRX01.8	Numeric	712
	rRX01.9	Numeric	713
rRX02	rRX02.1	Numeric	714
	rRX02.2	Numeric	715
	rRX02.3	Numeric	716
rUA02	rUA02	Numeric	717
	rUA02$	Text (255)	718
rUA03	rUA03	Numeric	719
rUA07	rUA07	Numeric	720
rUA08	rUA08	Numeric	721
rUA09	rUA09	Numeric	722
rYA01	rYA01	Numeric	723
rYA02	rYA02	Numeric	724
rYA03	rYA03	Numeric	725
rYA04	rYA04	Numeric	726
rYA05	rYA05	Numeric	727
rYA06	rYA06	Numeric	728