

US0714 Additional Crosstabs

1,446 Registered Voters

	REGION.....					WHITE.....		
	Tot	NEast	MWest	South	West	COLLEGE DEG		
Weighted Percentage	100%	18%	24%	37%	22%	Yes	No	
MoE (+/-%)	2.58	5.50	5.14	4.39	6.00	33%	66%	25%
						48%		73%
						13%	7%	
						2.85	9.10	11.55

(Note: Hispanic subgroup size less than 75, additional caution should be taken when interpreting findings of this group because of the large margin of error)

3. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

	REGION.....					WHITE.....		
	Tot	NEast	MWest	South	West	COLLEGE DEG		
Approve	40%	44%	36%	40%	40%	Yes	No	
Disapprove	53	49	57	53	50	45%	26%	33%
DK/NA	7	6	7	7	10	62	10	39
						6	8	4
						7		6
						7	14	

35. Thinking about the United States Presidents we have had since World War II: Harry Truman, Dwight Eisenhower, John Kennedy, Lyndon Johnson, Richard Nixon, Gerald Ford, Jimmy Carter, Ronald Reagan, George Bush Senior, Bill Clinton, George W. Bush and Barack Obama, which one would you consider the best president?

	Tot	REGION.....			
		NEast	MWest	South	West
Harry Truman	4%	6%	5%	4%	4%
Dwight Eisenhower	5	5	6	4	6
John Kennedy	15	15	16	15	12
Lyndon Johnson	3	4	2	2	5
Richard Nixon	1	-	1	2	1
Gerald Ford	1	-	-	-	2
Jimmy Carter	2	2	3	4	1
Ronald Reagan	35	31	36	34	38
George Bush Senior	3	5	5	3	2
Bill Clinton	18	20	17	19	15
George W. Bush	1	1	1	2	-
Barack Obama	8	7	5	8	11
DK/NA	4	5	4	4	4

	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	Yes	No	Yes	No			
	Harry Truman	6%	4%	7%			
Dwight Eisenhower	4	5	5	6	6	2	6
John Kennedy	10	17	9	15	13	22	13
Lyndon Johnson	7	1	8	1	3	1	3
Richard Nixon	1	1	1	1	1	-	2
Gerald Ford	-	1	-	1	1	-	-
Jimmy Carter	3	2	3	3	3	1	3
Ronald Reagan	36	34	41	40	41	1	29
George Bush Senior	2	4	3	5	4	1	3
Bill Clinton	19	17	16	14	15	34	18
George W. Bush	1	1	1	2	1	-	-
Barack Obama	7	8	4	3	3	29	16
DK/NA	4	4	3	4	4	6	2

36. Which of these twelve presidents we have had since World War II would you consider the worst president: Harry Truman, Dwight Eisenhower, John Kennedy, Lyndon Johnson, Richard Nixon, Gerald Ford, Jimmy Carter, Ronald Reagan, George Bush Senior, Bill Clinton, George W. Bush or Barack Obama?

	Tot	REGION.....			
		NEast	MWest	South	West
Harry Truman	-	-	-	-	-
Dwight Eisenhower	1	-	-	1	1
John Kennedy	-	-	-	-	-
Lyndon Johnson	3	4	4	2	3
Richard Nixon	13	14	14	11	16
Gerald Ford	2	2	-	2	2
Jimmy Carter	8	7	9	8	9
Ronald Reagan	3	2	3	5	2
George Bush Senior	2	1	1	2	2
Bill Clinton	3	4	2	2	4
George W. Bush	28	35	26	28	22
Barack Obama	33	26	36	35	33
DK/NA	4	4	4	3	5

	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	Yes	No	Yes	No			
	Harry Truman	-	-	-			
Dwight Eisenhower	-	1	-	-	-	2	1
John Kennedy	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Lyndon Johnson	3	3	3	3	3	1	2
Richard Nixon	15	13	14	14	14	9	21
Gerald Ford	2	1	2	1	1	3	-
Jimmy Carter	8	8	10	11	10	-	5
Ronald Reagan	4	3	4	3	3	8	1
George Bush Senior	-	3	-	1	1	5	3
Bill Clinton	1	3	1	3	3	1	6
George W. Bush	35	24	29	16	21	59	29
Barack Obama	29	35	33	44	40	3	21
DK/NA	3	5	2	4	3	8	9

37. Do you think Barack Obama has been a better President than George W. Bush, worse, or about the same as President Bush?

	Tot	REGION.....			
		NEast	MWest	South	West
Better	39%	45%	35%	39%	37%
Worse	40	33	43	41	41
About the same	20	22	20	18	21
DK/NA	1	1	2	1	1

	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	Yes	No	Yes	No			
	Better	47%	35%	42%			
Worse	35	42	41	52	48	1	27
About the same	18	21	17	20	19	23	23
DK/NA	1	2	-	2	1	1	3

38. How much of the time do you think you can trust the government in Washington to do what is right; almost all of the time, most of the time, only some of the time, or hardly ever?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Almost all the time	2%	1%	1%	1%	4%			
Most of the time	12	15	10	12	10			
Some of the time	49	52	49	47	48			
Hardly ever	37	31	39	39	38			
DK/NA	1	1	1	1	1			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Yes	No	COLLEGE DEG	COLLEGE DEG			
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
Almost all the time	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	8%	1%	
Most of the time	12	11	11	9	9	25	14	
Some of the time	55	46	55	46	50	44	55	
Hardly ever	30	40	31	44	40	22	29	
DK/NA	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	

39. Would you say that Barack Obama - is honest and trustworthy or not?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Yes	48%	57%	41%	48%	47%			
No	48	40	53	48	49			
DK/NA	4	3	6	4	4			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Yes	No	COLLEGE DEG	COLLEGE DEG			
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
Yes	55%	44%	51%	36%	41%	86%	55%	
No	43	50	47	59	55	10	40	
DK/NA	2	5	2	5	4	5	6	

40. Would you say that Barack Obama - has strong leadership qualities or not?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Yes	47%	50%	45%	47%	48%			
No	51	49	53	51	50			
DK/NA	2	1	1	2	2			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Yes	No	COLLEGE DEG	COLLEGE DEG			
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
Yes	51%	45%	48%	35%	39%	89%	59%	
No	48	53	52	63	59	10	37	
DK/NA	1	2	1	2	1	1	4	

41. Would you say that Barack Obama - cares about the needs and problems of people like you or not?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Yes	51%	56%	47%	52%	51%			
No	47	43	50	47	46			
DK/NA	2	2	3	2	2			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....				
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Yes	57%	49%	53%	39%	44%	92%
No	41	49	46	59	54	8	39	
DK/NA	2	2	1	2	2	1	5	

42. In the Presidential election of 2012, if Mitt Romney had become President instead of Barack Obama, do you think that, in general, the nation would be better off than it is today or worse off than it is today?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Better off	45%	41%	49%	43%	48%			
Worse off	38	43	36	39	35			
SAME (VOL)	10	11	10	10	8			
DK/NA	7	5	5	8	9			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....				
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Better off	40%	48%	45%	57%	53%	8%
Worse off	45	35	41	27	32	72	38	
SAME (VOL)	8	11	8	10	9	12	11	
DK/NA	6	7	5	6	6	7	11	

43. What do you think is the most important problem facing the country today?  
 [Additional tables not available]

44. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling - the economy?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Approve	40%	44%	35%	40%	42%			
Disapprove	55	52	60	55	54			
DK/NA	4	4	4	5	4			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....				
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Approve	47%	37%	45%	28%	33%	82%
Disapprove	51	58	54	68	63	16	46	
DK/NA	3	5	1	5	4	2	9	

45. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling - foreign policy?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Approve	37%	41%	38%	37%	35%			
Disapprove	57	53	56	57	59			
DK/NA	6	7	6	5	6			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....				
		Yes	No	COLLEGE DEG		Wht	Blk	Hsp
				Yes	No			
Approve	42%	35%	38%	27%	31%	74%	42%	
Disapprove	55	58	59	67	64	15	51	
DK/NA	4	7	3	6	5	12	7	

46. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling - health care?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Approve	40%	48%	36%	39%	37%			
Disapprove	58	49	61	58	60			
DK/NA	3	3	2	3	3			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....				
		Yes	No	COLLEGE DEG		Wht	Blk	Hsp
				Yes	No			
Approve	48%	36%	43%	26%	32%	82%	48%	
Disapprove	51	61	54	70	65	16	52	
DK/NA	2	3	2	3	3	2	-	

47. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling - the environment?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Approve	50%	57%	48%	47%	52%			
Disapprove	40	33	39	43	42			
DK/NA	10	10	13	10	6			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....				
		Yes	No	COLLEGE DEG		Wht	Blk	Hsp
				Yes	No			
Approve	56%	47%	53%	39%	44%	81%	64%	
Disapprove	37	42	40	48	45	15	29	
DK/NA	7	11	7	13	11	4	7	

48. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling - terrorism?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Approve	44%	46%	45%	43%	44%			
Disapprove	51	51	48	53	49			
DK/NA	5	3	8	4	7			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
Approve	51%	41%	48%	32%	37%	79%	49%	
Disapprove	46	53	48	61	57	14	47	
DK/NA	3	6	4	7	6	7	3	

52. Would you describe the state of the nation's economy these days as excellent, good, not so good, or poor?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Excellent	1%	1%	1%	-	1%			
Good	22	20	20	24	22			
Not so good	43	48	46	41	39			
Poor	34	32	33	34	38			
DK/NA	-	-	-	1	-			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
Excellent	-	1%	-	-	-	3%	-	
Good	28	19	28	17	21	35	20	
Not so good	44	42	45	43	43	43	50	
Poor	27	38	27	40	36	18	30	
DK/NA	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	

53. Do you think the nation's economy is getting better, getting worse, or staying about the same?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Better	26%	23%	24%	27%	28%			
Worse	31	27	29	32	32			
The same	43	49	47	39	39			
DK/NA	1	-	-	2	1			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
Better	33%	22%	31%	18%	22%	51%	20%	
Worse	24	34	25	37	33	12	33	
The same	42	43	44	45	44	37	47	
DK/NA	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	

54. Do you think Barack Obama has been better for the economy than George W. Bush, worse, or about the same as George W. Bush?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Better	37%	38%	35%	37%	37%			
Worse	34	28	39	36	32			
The same	27	33	24	24	30			
DK/NA	2	1	2	2	1			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
Better	42%	35%	36%	25%	28%	80%	42%	
Worse	34	35	37	42	41	4	27	
The same	23	29	26	31	29	15	31	
DK/NA	1	2	1	2	2	1	-	

55. Do you think that in general the Obama administration has been competent in running the government, or don't you think so?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Yes/Competent	44%	47%	41%	43%	44%			
No/Not competent	54	50	53	55	55			
DK/NA	3	3	5	3	-			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
Yes/Competent	52%	39%	48%	32%	37%	83%	41%	
No/Not competent	46	58	51	65	60	14	55	
DK/NA	2	3	2	3	2	3	4	

56. Do you think President Barack Obama is paying enough attention to what his administration is doing, or don't you think so?

	Tot	REGION.....						
		NEast	MWest	South	West			
Yes	47%	53%	43%	43%	51%			
No	48	41	51	53	44			
DK/NA	5	6	6	4	5			

  

	Tot	COLLEGE DEG		WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
		Yes	No	Yes	No			
Yes	53%	43%	50%	35%	40%	76%	53%	
No	43	51	46	60	55	21	39	
DK/NA	4	6	4	5	4	3	8	



57. Do you support or oppose the health care law passed by Barack Obama and Congress in 2010?

	REGION.....					WHITE.....				
	Tot	NEast	MWest	South	West	COLLEGE DEG Yes	COLLEGE DEG No	Whit	Blk	Hsp
Support	43%	51%	38%	40%	46%	52%	39%	36%	85%	46%
Oppose	55	46	59	58	53	46	59	62	14	50
DK/NA	2	3	3	2	1	2	2	2	1	4