

TIME MAGAZINE/SRBI – November 29 – December 1, 2005 Survey

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BASE= 1004 Adults Except Where Noted

Q1. TO START WITH, IN GENERAL, DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE WAY PRESIDENT BUSH IS HANDLING HIS JOB AS PRESIDENT?
BASE: Registered Voters (7/20/04-10/21/04)/Total Respondents (12/13/04-12/1/05)

	(Base)	Approve	Di sapprove	(VOL) Don' t Know	(VOL) Refused
11/29/05 - 12/1/05	(1004)	41	53	5	-
9/7/05 - 9/8/05	(1000)	42	52	6	-
5/10/05 - 5/12/05	(1011)	46	47	7	-
3/22/05 - 3/24/05	(1010)	48	46	6	-
3/15/05 - 3/17/05	(1010)	53	43	4	-
1/12/05 - 1/13/05	(995)	53	43	3	-
12/13/04 - 12/14/04	(1009)	49	43	6	2
10/19/04 - 10/21/04	(1059)	53	44	2	1
10/14/04 - 10/15/04	(1000)	49	49	2	*
10/6/04 - 10/7/04	(1024)	50	46	3	1
9/21/04 - 9/23/04	(1014)	53	43	4	*
9/7/04 - 9/9/04	(1013)	56	41	3	*
8/31/04 - 9/2/04	(1128)	55	42	3	*
8/24/04 - 8/26/04	(1026)	51	45	3	1
8/3/04 - 8/5/04	(1001)	50	46	3	*
7/20/04 - 7/22/04	(1059)	50	47	4	*

Q2. DO YOU THINK THAT THERE MIGHT BE A TIME IN THE FUTURE WHEN YOU DO APPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING OR ARE YOU UNLIKELY TO CHANGE YOUR MIND?

BASE: DISAPPROVE OF THE WAY PRESIDENT BUSH IS HANDLING HIS JOB AS PRESIDENT (524)

ALL
RESPONDENTS
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MIGHT APPROVE	19%
UNLIKELY TO CHANGE MIND	76%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	5%

Q3. SUPPOSE THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION WERE BEING HELD TODAY AND YOU HAD TO CHOOSE BETWEEN GEORGE BUSH AND JOHN KERRY. FOR WHOM WOULD YOU VOTE?

BASE: VOTE/REGISTERED TO VOTE (960)

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

GEORGE BUSH	47%
JOHN KERRY	48%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	5%

Q4. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN EACH OF THESE AREAS?

A) HANDLING THE ECONOMY

Base: Registered Voters (7/20/04-9/23/04)/Total Respondents (1/12/05-12/1/05)

	(Base)	Approve	Di sapprove	(VOL) Don' t Know	(VOL) Refused
11/29/05 - 12/1/05	(1004)	40	55	5	-
9/7/05 - 9/8/05	(1000)	40	55	5	-
5/10/05 - 5/12/05	(1011)	38	56	5	-
3/22/05 - 3/24/05	(1010)	42	54	4	-
3/15/05 - 3/17/05	(1010)	44	51	5	-
1/12/05 - 1/13/05	(999)	51	44	5	-
9/21/04 - 9/23/04	(1014)	46	49	5	*
9/7/04 - 9/9/04	(1013)	52	45	2	*
8/31/04 - 9/2/04	(1128)	48	48	4	*
8/24/04 - 8/26/04	(1026)	46	49	5	*
8/3/04 - 8/5/04	(1001)	43	54	3	*
7/20/04 - 7/22/04	(1059)	44	52	4	*

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Q4. DO YOU APPROVE OR DI SAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN EACH OF THESE AREAS?
B) HANDLING OF THE ILLEGAL IMMIGRANT PROBLEM

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

APPROVE	27%
DI SAPPROVE	57%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	17%

Q4. DO YOU APPROVE OR DI SAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN EACH OF THESE AREAS?
C) HANDLING THE SITUATION IN IRAQ

Base: Registered Voters (7/20/04-9/23/04)/Total Respondents (1/12/05-12/1/05)

	(Base)	Approve	Di sapprove	(VOL) Don' t Know	(VOL) Refused
11/29/05 - 12/1/05	(1004)	38	60	2	-
9/7/05 - 9/8/05	(1000)	39	57	4	-
5/10/05 - 5/12/05	(1011)	41	55	4	-
3/22/05 - 3/24/05	(1010)	44	52	4	-
3/15/05 - 3/17/05	(1010)	47	50	3	-
1/12/05 - 1/13/05	(999)	45	51	4	-
9/21/04 - 9/23/04	(1014)	48	48	3	*
9/7/04 - 9/9/04	(1013)	51	45	3	-
8/31/04 - 9/2/04	(1128)	50	46	3	*
8/24/04 - 8/26/04	(1026)	48	48	3	1
8/3/04 - 8/5/04	(1001)	45	52	3	*
7/20/04 - 7/22/04	(1059)	41	55	5	*

Q4. DO YOU APPROVE OR DI SAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN EACH OF THESE AREAS?
D) HANDLING THE WAR ON TERRORISM

Base: Registered Voters (7/20/04-9/23/04)/Total Respondents (1/12/05-12/1/05)

	(Base)	Approve	Di sapprove	(VOL) Don' t Know	(VOL) Refused
11/29/05 - 12/1/05	(1004)	49	48	3	-
9/7/05 - 9/8/05	(1000)	46	48	6	-
5/10/05 - 5/12/05	(1011)	53	42	5	-
3/22/05 - 3/24/05	(1010)	52	43	4	-
3/15/05 - 3/17/05	(1010)	63	34	3	-
1/12/05 - 1/13/05	(998)	56	40	4	-
9/21/04 - 9/23/04	(1014)	57	39	3	*
9/7/04 - 9/9/04	(1013)	61	37	2	-
8/31/04 - 9/2/04	(1128)	59	38	3	1
8/24/04 - 8/26/04	(1026)	55	40	4	1
8/3/04 - 8/5/04	(1001)	56	41	3	*
7/20/04 - 7/22/04	(1059)	51	46	3	*

Q4. DO YOU APPROVE OR DI SAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN EACH OF THESE AREAS?
E) PROVIDING LEADERSHIP IN TIMES OF CRISIS

Base: Total Respondents

	(Base)	Approve	Di sapprove	(VOL) Don' t Know	(VOL) Refused
11/29/05 - 12/1/05	(1004)	51	46	4	-
9/7/05 - 9/8/05	(1000)	48	49	4	-

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Q5. GENERALLY SPEAKING, WOULD YOU SAY THINGS IN THIS COUNTRY ARE HEADING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION, OR ARE THEY OFF ON THE WRONG TRACK?

BASE: Registered Voters (7/20/04-9/23/04)/Total Respondents (12/13/04-12/1/05)

	(Base)	Right Direction	Wrong Track	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
11/29/05 - 12/1/05	(1004)	34	60	6	-
3/15/05 - 3/17/05	(1010)	44	51	5	-
1/12/05 - 1/13/05	(1002)	46	49	5	*
12/13/04 - 12/14/04	(1009)	40	50	10	*
9/21/04 - 9/23/04	(1014)	43	51	6	*
9/7/04 - 9/9/04	(1013)	46	49	5	*
8/31/04 - 9/2/04	(1128)	45	50	4	*
8/3/04 - 8/5/04	(1001)	44	51	5	*
7/20/04 - 7/22/04	(1059)	42	52	6	*

Q6. DO YOU THINK THAT, OVERALL, THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION HAS BEEN MORE OR LESS HONEST AND TRUSTWORTHY THAN MOST OTHER PRESIDENTIAL ADMINISTRATIONS OR ABOUT THE SAME?

ALL RESPONDENTS
=====

MORE HONEST AND TRUSTWORTHY	17%
LESS HONEST AND TRUSTWORTHY	34%
SAME	48%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q7. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB THAT THE FOLLOWING PERSON HAS DONE IN THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION?

A. VICE PRESIDENT DICK CHENEY

Base: Registered Voters (7/20/04-10/7/04)/Total Respondents (11/29/05-12/1/05)

	(Base)	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
11/29/05 - 12/1/05	(1004)	32	45	23	-
10/6/04 - 10/7/04	(1024)	51	38	11	-
8/24/04 - 8/26/04	(1026)	43	39	17	1
7/20/04 - 7/22/04	(1059)	43	43	13	1

Q7. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB THAT THE FOLLOWING PERSON HAS DONE IN THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION?

B. SECRETARY OF DEFENSE DONALD RUMSFELD

Base: Registered Voters (8/24/04-8/26/04)/Total Respondents (11/29/05-12/1/05)

	(Base)	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
11/29/05 - 12/1/05	(1004)	35	42	23	-
8/24/04 - 8/26/04	(1026)	39	37	23	*

Q7. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB THAT THE FOLLOWING PERSON HAS DONE IN THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION?

C. SECRETARY OF STATE CONDOLLEEZZA RICE

Base: Registered Voters (8/24/04-8/26/04)/Total Respondents (11/29/05-12/1/05)

	(Base)	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
11/29/05 - 12/1/05	(1004)	53	21	25	-
8/24/04 - 8/26/04	(1026)	52	25	23	1

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Q8. PRESIDENT BUSH'S APPROVAL RATINGS IN THE PAST FEW MONTHS HAVE BEEN AMONG THE LOWEST OF HIS PRESIDENCY. DO YOU THINK THAT THE PRESIDENT CAN RECOVER FROM RECENT SETBACKS AND REGAIN HIS HIGHER APPROVAL RATINGS IN THE FINAL THREE YEARS OF HIS PRESIDENCY, OR IS HE NOT LIKELY TO RECOVER?

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

CAN RECOVER	46%
NOT LIKELY TO RECOVER	49%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

Q9. HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING HAD A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HOW YOU PERSONALLY RATE PRESIDENT BUSH'S JOB PERFORMANCE?
1) HIS POLICIES IN IRAQ

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

VERY NEGATIVE	45%
SOMEWHAT NEGATIVE	18%
NEGATIVE, BUT NOT VERY OR SOMEWHAT	1%
NO NEGATIVE IMPACT	33%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

Q9. HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING HAD A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HOW YOU PERSONALLY RATE PRESIDENT BUSH'S JOB PERFORMANCE?
2) HIS HANDLING OF THE ECONOMY

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

VERY NEGATIVE	35%
SOMEWHAT NEGATIVE	23%
NEGATIVE, BUT NOT VERY OR SOMEWHAT	1%
NO NEGATIVE IMPACT	39%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

Q9. HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING HAD A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HOW YOU PERSONALLY RATE PRESIDENT BUSH'S JOB PERFORMANCE?
3) HIGHER GAS AND ENERGY PRICES

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

VERY NEGATIVE	45%
SOMEWHAT NEGATIVE	18%
NEGATIVE, BUT NOT VERY OR SOMEWHAT	2%
NO NEGATIVE IMPACT	34%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

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Q9. HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING HAD A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HOW YOU PERSONALLY RATE PRESIDENT BUSH'S JOB PERFORMANCE?
4) THE FEDERAL BUDGET DEFICIT

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

VERY NEGATIVE	39%
SOMEWHAT NEGATIVE	22%
NEGATIVE, BUT NOT VERY OR SOMEWHAT	1%
NO NEGATIVE IMPACT	33%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

Q9. HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING HAD A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HOW YOU PERSONALLY RATE PRESIDENT BUSH'S JOB PERFORMANCE?
5) HIS HANDLING OF THE HURRICANE RECOVERY EFFORTS IN NEW ORLEANS AND THE GULF COAST AREA

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

VERY NEGATIVE	37%
SOMEWHAT NEGATIVE	19%
NEGATIVE, BUT NOT VERY OR SOMEWHAT	1%
NO NEGATIVE IMPACT	42%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q9. HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING HAD A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HOW YOU PERSONALLY RATE PRESIDENT BUSH'S JOB PERFORMANCE?
6) CONTINUING INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE OUTING OF A CIA AGENT BY PERSONS IN HIS ADMINISTRATION AND THE INDICTMENT OF A HIGH RANKING
AIDE TO VICE PRESIDENT CHENEY

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

VERY NEGATIVE	26%
SOMEWHAT NEGATIVE	22%
NEGATIVE, BUT NOT VERY OR SOMEWHAT	1%
NO NEGATIVE IMPACT	41%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	10%

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Q9. HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING HAD A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HOW YOU PERSONALLY RATE PRESIDENT BUSH'S JOB PERFORMANCE?
7) THE FAILURE OF HIS SOCIAL SECURITY INITIATIVE

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

VERY NEGATIVE	32%
SOMEWHAT NEGATIVE	20%
NEGATIVE, BUT NOT VERY OR SOMEWHAT	1%
NO NEGATIVE IMPACT	40%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

Q9. HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING HAD A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HOW YOU PERSONALLY RATE PRESIDENT BUSH'S JOB PERFORMANCE?
8) PUTTING PEOPLE CLOSE TO HIM IN HIGH PLACES IN THE GOVERNMENT REGARDLESS OF THEIR EXPERIENCE

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

VERY NEGATIVE	39%
SOMEWHAT NEGATIVE	23%
NEGATIVE, BUT NOT VERY OR SOMEWHAT	1%
NO NEGATIVE IMPACT	32%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

Q9. HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING HAD A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON HOW YOU PERSONALLY RATE PRESIDENT BUSH'S JOB PERFORMANCE?
9) HIS PROPOSALS FOR DEALING WITH ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

VERY NEGATIVE	24%
SOMEWHAT NEGATIVE	26%
NEGATIVE, BUT NOT VERY OR SOMEWHAT	2%
NO NEGATIVE IMPACT	36%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	13%

Q11. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB THAT CONGRESS IS DOING?

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

APPROVE	33%
DISAPPROVE	55%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	13%

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Q12. THERE WILL BE ELECTIONS FOR THE U. S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES NEXT YEAR. IF THE ELECTION WERE BEING HELD TODAY, WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY TO VOTE FOR THE REPUBLICAN OR THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE IN THE DISTRICT WHERE YOU LIVE?
BASE: VOTE/REGISTERED TO VOTE (940)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
REPUBLICAN	36%
DEMOCRATIC	48%
OTHER	4%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	11%

Q13. HOW WOULD YOU RATE ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN THIS COUNTRY TODAY?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXCELLENT	4%
GOOD	29%
ONLY FAIR	42%
POOR	24%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q13B. GOING INTO 2006, DO YOU THINK THAT ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN THE COUNTRY AS A WHOLE WILL BE GETTING BETTER, GETTING WORSE OR WILL THEY REMAIN THE SAME?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
GETTING BETTER	26%
GETTING WORSE	27%
SAME	43%
DEPENDS	1%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

Q13C. ON YOUR HOLIDAY SHOPPING THIS YEAR, ARE YOU SPENDING MORE MONEY, LESS MONEY, OR ABOUT THE SAME AMOUNT OF MONEY AS LAST YEAR?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MORE MONEY	15%
LESS MONEY	38%
ABOUT THE SAME AMOUNT OF MONEY	46%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

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Q13D. THIS HOLIDAY SEASON, ARE YOU SPENDING MORE MONEY ON PRACTICAL ITEMS OR MORE MONEY ON LUXURY ITEMS?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MORE MONEY ON PRACTICAL ITEMS	73%
MORE MONEY ON LUXURY ITEMS	16%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	11%

Q13E. ARE THE FOLLOWING ECONOMIC ISSUES A MAJOR CONCERN TO YOU GOING INTO 2006, A MINOR CONCERN OR NOT A CONCERN?
A) FUEL PRICES

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MAJOR CONCERN	69%
MINOR CONCERN	22%
NOT A CONCERN	8%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	*

Q13E. ARE THE FOLLOWING ECONOMIC ISSUES A MAJOR CONCERN TO YOU GOING INTO 2006, A MINOR CONCERN OR NOT A CONCERN?
B) THE JOB MARKET

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MAJOR CONCERN	50%
MINOR CONCERN	26%
NOT A CONCERN	23%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q13E. ARE THE FOLLOWING ECONOMIC ISSUES A MAJOR CONCERN TO YOU GOING INTO 2006, A MINOR CONCERN OR NOT A CONCERN?
C) POSSIBLE BURSTING OF THE HOUSING BUBBLE THAT CAUSED HOUSING PRICES TO INCREASE RAPIDLY IN THE LAST FEW YEARS

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MAJOR CONCERN	34%
MINOR CONCERN	38%
NOT A CONCERN	23%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

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Q13E. ARE THE FOLLOWING ECONOMIC ISSUES A MAJOR CONCERN TO YOU GOING INTO 2006, A MINOR CONCERN OR NOT A CONCERN?
D) INFLATION

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MAJOR CONCERN	52%
MINOR CONCERN	33%
NOT A CONCERN	14%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q13E. ARE THE FOLLOWING ECONOMIC ISSUES A MAJOR CONCERN TO YOU GOING INTO 2006, A MINOR CONCERN OR NOT A CONCERN?
E) RISING INTEREST RATES

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MAJOR CONCERN	47%
MINOR CONCERN	36%
NOT A CONCERN	16%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q14. DO YOU THINK THE UNITED STATES WAS RIGHT OR WRONG IN GOING TO WAR WITH IRAQ?
BASE: Registered Voters (7/20/04-10/7/04)/Total Respondents (1/12/05-12/1/05)

	(Base)	Right	Wrong	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
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3/15/05 - 3/17/05	(1010)	47	47	6	-
1/12/05 - 1/13/05	(1002)	42	51	6	1
10/6/04 - 10/7/04	(1024)	45	49	5	1
9/21/04 - 9/23/04	(1014)	48	46	6	*
9/7/04 - 9/9/04	(1013)	52	43	5	*
8/31/04 - 9/2/04	(1128)	52	41	6	*
8/24/04 - 8/26/04	(1026)	50	43	6	1
8/3/04 - 8/5/04	(1001)	47	47	5	*
7/20/04 - 7/22/04	(1059)	46	49	5	*

Q15. DO YOU THINK THAT PRESIDENT BUSH WAS TRUTHFUL AND HONEST, BASED ON THE INTELLIGENCE HE WAS GIVEN, WHEN HE PRESENTED THE CASE FOR WAR IN IRAQ, OR DO YOU THINK HE DELIBERATELY MISLED AMERICANS TO BUILD HIS CASE FOR WAR?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
TRUTHFUL AND HONEST	45%
DELIBERATELY MISLED	48%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	7%

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Q16. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING COMES CLOSEST TO YOUR VIEW ON U.S. TROOPS IN IRAQ?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
WITHDRAW MOST TROOPS IN THE NEXT 12 MONTHS OR SO REGARDLESS OF CONDITIONS IN IRAQ	47%
KEEP MOST OF THE TROOPS IN IRAQ UNTIL THE NEW IRAQI GOVERNMENT IS STABLE, EVEN IF IT MEANS KEEPING TROOPS IN IRAQ FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS	40%
SHOULD WE INCREASE THE NUMBER OF TROOPS IN IRAQ	8%
OTHER	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

Q17. HOW LIKELY IS IT THAT THE NEW IRAQI GOVERNMENT WILL BE ABLE TO BUILD A STABLE AND REASONABLY DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY LIKELY	12%
SOMEWHAT LIKELY	44%
NOT VERY LIKELY	24%
NOT AT ALL LIKELY	13%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

Q18. HOW WORRIED ARE YOU THAT THERE WILL BE ANOTHER TERRORIST ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS?

Base: Registered Voters (7/20/04-8/5/04)/Total Respondents (11/29/05-12/1/05)

	(Base)	Very Worried	Somewhat Worried	Not Very Worried	Not Worried at All	Don't Know	Refused
11/29/05 - 12/1/05	(1004)	15	45	28	13	1	-
8/3/04 - 8/5/04	(1001)	21	51	15	12	1	*
7/20/04 - 7/22/04	(1059)	17	48	20	13	1	-

Q19. SINCE THE TERRORIST ATTACKS ON SEPTEMBER 11, 2001, DO YOU THINK THAT THE UNITED STATES IS NOW BETTER PREPARED TO RESPOND TO A TERRORIST ATTACK, OR NOT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BETTER PREPARED	63%
NOT	34%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

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Q20. DO YOU THINK THAT THE UNITED STATES ACTIONS IN IRAQ HAVE MADE THE U.S. SAFER FROM TERRORIST ATTACKS OR MORE DANGEROUS?

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

SAFER	41%
MORE DANGEROUS	51%
BOTH	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

Q21. SEVERAL WEEKS AGO, A SPECIAL PROSECUTOR CHARGED A TOP WHITE HOUSE ADVISER, LEWIS "SCOOTER" LIBBY, WITH LYING TO A GRAND JURY AND OBSTRUCTING AN INVESTIGATION INTO WHO LEAKED THE NAME OF A FORMER UNDERCOVER CIA OFFICER WHOSE HUSBAND PUBLICLY OPPOSED THE WAR IN IRAQ. DO YOU THINK THE CHARGES AGAINST LIBBY ARE SERIOUS OR JUST A TECHNICALITY AND NOT THAT SERIOUS?

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

SERIOUS	59%
JUST A TECHNICALITY	27%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	14%

Q23. TURNING TO PROBLEMS WITH ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS ENTERING THE UNITED STATES, HOW SERIOUS A PROBLEM IS ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION INTO THE UNITED STATES?

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

EXTREMELY SERIOUS	30%
VERY SERIOUS	34%
SOMEWHAT SERIOUS	28%
NOT VERY SERIOUS	7%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q24. DO YOU THINK THE U.S. IS DOING ENOUGH ALONG ITS BORDERS TO KEEP ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS FROM CROSSING INTO THIS COUNTRY, DOING TOO MUCH, OR NOT DOING ENOUGH TO KEEP ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS FROM CROSSING OVER INTO THE U.S.?

ALL
RESPONDENTS
=====

DOING ENOUGH NOW	15%
TOO MUCH	7%
NOT DOING ENOUGH	74%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

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Q25. OVERALL, DO YOU THINK ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS HURT OR HELP THE U.S. ECONOMY?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
HURT THE ECONOMY	64%
HELP THE ECONOMY	26%
DEPENDS	5%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

Q26. WOULD YOU FAVOR OR OPPOSE A PROGRAM THAT WOULD ALLOW ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS WHO HAVE JOBS IN THE UNITED STATES TO LIVE AND WORK LEGALLY IN THE UNITED STATES FOR A FIXED PERIOD OF TIME IF THEY REGISTERED WITH THE GOVERNMENT AS TEMPORARY GUEST WORKERS SO THE U.S. GOVERNMENT COULD KEEP TRACK OF THEM?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
FAVOR	72%
OPPOSE	24%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	4%

Q27. IF THERE IS A GUEST WORKER PROGRAM, SHOULD THE ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS NOW IN THE UNITED STATES BE ELIGIBLE TO REGISTER FOR THE PROGRAM WHILE IN THE UNITED STATES WITHOUT HAVING TO RETURN TO THEIR OWN COUNTRIES TO APPLY, OR SHOULD THEY HAVE TO GO BACK TO THEIR OWN COUNTRIES TO APPLY?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
SHOULD BE ELIGIBLE TO REGISTER IN THE UNITED STATES	50%
SHOULD HAVE TO GO BACK TO REGISTER	45%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

Q28. NOW, THINKING AHEAD TO THE 2008 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, WOULD YOU LIKE THE NEXT PRESIDENT TO BE SIMILAR TO GEORGE W. BUSH IN TERMS OF POLICIES AND PROGRAMS OR SOMEONE WHO IS COMPLETELY DIFFERENT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
SIMILAR TO GEORGE W. BUSH	36%
COMPLETELY DIFFERENT	60%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

* = less than 1%

- = question not asked/zero respondents

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	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MALE	48%
FEMALE	52%

F1. WHAT IS YOUR AGE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
18-24	11%
25-29	8%
30-34	10%
35-39	11%
40-44	11%
45-54	19%
55-64	13%
65 OR OLDER	17%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	*

F2. WHAT IS THE HIGHEST GRADE OF SCHOOLING THAT YOU' VE COMPLETED?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
8TH GRADE OR LESS	1%
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	6%
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	25%
SOME COLLEGE	29%
COLLEGE GRADUATE	27%
POSTGRADUATE STUDY/LAW OR MEDICAL SCHOOL	12%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	-

F3. ARE YOU OF HISPANIC ORIGIN OR DESCENT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES	10%
NO	89%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	*

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F4. WHAT IS YOUR RACE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
WHI TE	76%
BLACK	11%
ASI AN	2%
HI SPANI C	6%
OTHER	5%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	*

F5. DO YOU RECALL VOTING IN LAST YEAR' S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, BETWEEN GEORGE W. BUSH AND JOHN KERRY?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES, VOTED	84%
NO, DI D NOT VOTE	13%
TOO YOUNG TO VOTE/UNDER 18 AT THAT TIME	2%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	*

F6. DID YOU VOTE FOR GEORGE BUSH OR JOHN KERRY?
BASE: VOTED IN 2004 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION (874)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BUSH	48%
KERRY	47%
OTHER	2%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	3%

F10. GENERALLY SPEAKING, DO YOU USUALLY THINK OF YOURSELF AS...

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A REPUBLICAN	28%
A DEMOCRAT	31%
AN I NDEPENDENT	29%
SOMETHI NG ELSE	10%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	2%

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F11. JUST FOR CLASSIFICATION PURPOSES, DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF PROTESTANT, CATHOLIC, JEWISH, MUSLIM, OF SOME OTHER RELIGIOUS FAITH, OR DON'T YOU HAVE A RELIGIOUS PREFERENCE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
PROTESTANT	39%
CATHOLIC	24%
JEWISH	2%
MUSLIM	1%
OTHER	18%
NO PREFERENCE/ATHEIST	17%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

F8. DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF AN EVANGELICAL OR BORN-AGAIN CHRISTIAN?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES	39%
NO	58%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

F9. FINALLY, JUST FOR CLASSIFICATION PURPOSES, WAS YOUR TOTAL FAMILY INCOME BEFORE TAXES LAST YEAR...

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LESS THAN \$20,000	14%
\$20,000 TO JUST UNDER \$35,000	16%
\$35,000 TO JUST UNDER \$50,000	17%
\$50,000 TO JUST UNDER \$75,000	18%
\$75,000 TO JUST UNDER \$100,000	13%
\$100,000 OR MORE	15%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

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