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Survey ID 31103004: Question 25c

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right Poor people today have it easy because they can get government benefits without doing anything in return [OR] Poor people have hard lives because government benefits don't go far enough to help them live decently

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31103004: Question 25d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right The government should do more to help needy Americans, even if it means going deeper into debt [OR] The government today can't afford to do much more to help the needy

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31103004: Question 25f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right Racial discrimination is the main reason why many black people can't get ahead these days [OR] Blacks who can't get ahead in this country are mostly responsible for their own condition

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID 31103004: Question 25g

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31103004: Question 25i

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right The best way to ensure peace is through military strength [OR] Good diplomacy is the best way to ensure peace

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31103004: Question 25p

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right Americans need to sacrifice some privacy and freedoms in order to be safe from terrorism [OR] Americans do NOT need to sacrifice privacy and freedoms in order to be safe from terrorism

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID 31103004: Question 50cc

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. In foreign policy, the U.S. should take into account the interests of its allies even if it means making compromises with them [OR] In foreign policy, the U.S. should follow its OWN national interests even when its allies strongly disagree

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31103004: Question 50ee

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. It's best for the future of our country to be active in world affairs [OR] We should pay less attention to problems overseas and concentrate on problems here at home

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31103004: Question 50hh

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Our country has made the changes needed to give blacks equal rights with whites [OR] Our country needs to continue making changes to give blacks equal rights with whites

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID 31103004: Question 50u

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Homosexuality should be accepted by society [OR] Homosexuality should be discouraged by society

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID 31103004: Question 51jj

Question Wording: Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views. Religion should be kept separate from government policies [OR] Government policies should support religious values and beliefs

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID 31103004: Question 51ll

Question Wording: Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views. The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests [OR] The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID 31103004: Question 51nn

Question Wording: Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views. The obstacles that once made it harder for women than men to get ahead are now largely gone [OR] There are still significant obstacles that make it harder for women to get ahead than men

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID 31103004: Question 51qq

Question Wording: Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views. America's openness to people from all over the world is essential to who we are as a nation [OR] If America is too open to people from all over the world, we risk losing our identity as a nation

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31103004: Question a126

Question Wording: Do you think it is the responsibility of the federal government to make sure all Americans have health care coverage, or is that not the responsibility of the federal government? 1 Yes, government responsibility 2 No, not government responsibility 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31103004: Question a128

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID 31103004: Question a129

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ IN ORDER TO RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE, IN REVERSE ORDER TO OTHER HALF OF SAMPLE]? 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases [OR] 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. – DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID 31103004: Question b31

Question Wording: Do you think U.S. involvement in the global economy [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Is a good thing because it provides the U.S. with new markets and opportunities for growth [OR] 2 Is a bad thing because it lowers wages and costs jobs in the U.S. 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID 31114198: Question 86c

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view — even if neither is exactly right. Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31114198: Question 86e

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view — even if neither is exactly right. U.S. efforts to solve problems around the world usually end up making things worse [OR] Problems in the world would be even worse without U.S. involvement

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114198: Question xa

Question Wording: As you may know, the U.S. re-established diplomatic relations with Cuba last year. All in all, do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. re-establishing diplomatic relations with Cuba? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114198: Question xb

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. ending its trade embargo against Cuba, which would allow U.S. companies to do business in Cuba and Cuban companies to do business in the U.S.? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114648: Question 46

Question Wording: Do you think lowering taxes for large businesses and corporations would [RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2 WITH 3 ALWAYS LAST] 1 Help the economy 2 Hurt the economy [OR] 3 Not make a difference 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID 31114648: Question 47

Question Wording: Do you think lowering taxes for large businesses and corporations would [RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2 WITH 3 ALWAYS LAST] 1 Make the tax system more fair 2 Make the tax system less fair [OR] 3 Not make a difference 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID 31114648: Question 55

Question Wording: Do you think that using military force against countries that may seriously threaten our country, but have not attacked us, can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114648: Question 80

Question Wording: As you may know, NAFTA [PRONOUNCED: NAF-tah], or the North American Free Trade Agreement, is a trade agreement between the U.S. and other countries. All in all, would you say NAFTA is [READ]? 1 Good for the U.S. [OR] 2 Bad for the U.S. 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID 31114648: Question 81

Question Wording: Would you say NAFTA [READ AND RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2; WITH OPTION 3 ALWAYS LAST] 1 Benefits the U.S. more than Mexico [OR] 2 Benefits Mexico more than the U.S. [OR] 3 Benefits the U.S. and Mexico about equally 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID 31114648: Question 82

Question Wording: Would you say NAFTA [READ AND RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2; WITH OPTION 3 ALWAYS LAST] 1 Benefits the U.S. more than Canada [OR] 2 Benefits Canada more than the U.S. [OR] 3 Benefits the U.S. and Canada about equally 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID 31114648: Question 92

Question Wording: In your view, how seriously should the U.S. government take North Korea's threats to use nuclear missiles against the U.S. – [READ]? 1 Very seriously 2 Somewhat seriously 3 Not too seriously [OR] 4 Not at all seriously 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114648: Question 99

Question Wording: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. military campaign against Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114931: Question 51

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41af1

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Health care

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41bf1

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Anti-terrorism defenses in the U.S.

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41cf1

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Veterans benefits and services

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41df1

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for The State Department and American embassies

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41ef1

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Social Security

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41gf1

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Economic assistance to needy people in the U.S.

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41if2

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Military defense

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41jf2

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Government assistance for the unemployed

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41kf2

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Medicare

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41mf2

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Economic assistance to needy people around the world

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114967: Question 41nf2

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Education

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31114967: Question 70

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. has a responsibility to accept refugees from Syria into the country, or do you think the U.S. does NOT have a responsibility to do this? 1 U.S. has a responsibility to accept Syrian refugees 2 U.S. does not have a responsibility to accept Syrian refugees 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31114967: Question 71

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements between the U.S. and other countries have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114967: Question 83

Question Wording: Do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. conducting missile strikes against Syria in response to reports that the Syrian government used chemical weapons? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114968: Question 52

Question Wording: All in all, would you favor or oppose building a wall along the entire border with Mexico? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31114968: Question 68f1

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose building the Keystone XL pipeline that would transport oil from Canada's oil sands region through the Midwest to refineries in Texas? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID 31114968: Question 69f2

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose building the Dakota Access Pipeline that would transport oil from the shale oil region in North Dakota through the Midwest? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID 31114968: Question 70f1

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. has a responsibility to accept refugees into the country, or do you think the U.S. does NOT have a responsibility to do this? 1 U.S. has a responsibility to accept refugees 2 U.S. does not have a responsibility to accept refugees 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31114968: Question 71f2

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. has a responsibility to accept refugees from Syria into the country, or do you think the U.S. does NOT have a responsibility to do this? 1 U.S. has a responsibility to accept Syrian refugees 2 U.S. does not have a responsibility to accept Syrian refugees 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31114968: Question 88

Question Wording: Some people think targeting and killing civilians can be justified in order to further a political, social or religious cause. Other people believe that, no matter what the reason, this kind of violence can never be justified. Do you personally feel that this kind of violence can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Can often be justified 2 Can sometimes be justified 3 Can rarely be justified 4 Can never be justified 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114968: Question 91f2

Question Wording: When law enforcement officers have arrested Muslims in the U.S. suspected of PLOTTING terrorist acts, do you think [READ; RANDOMIZE], or do you think [INSERT]? 1 they have mostly arrested violent people who posed a real threat to others [OR] 2 they have mostly arrested people who were tricked by law enforcement and did NOT pose a real threat? 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Other/depends 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114969: Question 61

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31114969: Question 65

Question Wording: Do you think it is the responsibility of the federal government to make sure all Americans have health care coverage, or is that not the responsibility of the federal government? 1 Yes, government responsibility 2 No, not government responsibility 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31114969: Question 73

Question Wording: As you may know, the U.S. has imposed sanctions and taken actions against Russia as a response. Do you think these sanctions and actions against Russia ... [READ; RANDOMIZE ITEMS 1 AND 2 WITH ITEM 3 ALWAYS LAST]? 1 Go too far 2 Do not go far enough [OR] 3 Are about right 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31115014: Question 21

Question Wording: In terms of solving world problems, does the United States do too much, too little, or the right amount in helping solve world problems? 1 United States does too much 2 United States does too little 3 United States does right amount 4 United States does nothing (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31115014: Question 22

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements between the U.S. and other countries have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know / Refused. (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31115014: Question 45

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. has a responsibility to accept refugees into the country, or do you think the U.S. does NOT have a responsibility to do this? 1 U.S. has a responsibility to accept refugees 2 U.S. does not have a responsibility to accept refugees 9 Don't know / Refused. (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31115014: Question 72

Question Wording: Do you think that raising tariffs on steel and aluminum imports would be a good thing or a bad thing for the U.S.? [IF NECESSARY: tariffs or fees on steel and aluminum that is imported into the U.S. from other countries] 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know / Refused. (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31115014: Question 75

Question Wording: From what you know, do you approve or disapprove of this agreement? [IF NECESSARY: The agreement on Iran's nuclear program between Iran, the United States and other nations] 1 Approve 2 Disapprove

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31115014: Question 82

Question Wording: From what you know, do you approve or disapprove of the United States negotiating directly with North Korea over the issue of its nuclear program? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31115228: Question 82

Question Wording: As you may know, many immigrants who came illegally to the U.S. when they were children now have temporary legal status that may be ending. Would you favor or oppose Congress passing a law granting them permanent legal status? 1 Favor 2 Oppose

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31115228: Question 83

Question Wording: As you may know, there is a proposal to substantially expand the wall along the U.S. border with Mexico. In general, do you favor or oppose this proposal? 1 Favor 2 Oppose

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31115228: Question 90a

Question Wording: When it comes to undocumented immigrants who are currently living in the U.S illegally, which comes closer to your view ? even if neither is exactly right. Undocumented immigrants mostly fill jobs that American citizens would like to have [OR] Undocumented immigrants mostly fill jobs American citizents don't want

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31115228: Question 90c

Question Wording: When it comes to undocumented immigrants who are currently living in the U.S illegally, which comes closer to your view even if neither is exactly right. Undocumented immigrants living in the U.S. are more likely than American citizens to commit serious crimes [OR] Undocumented immigrants living in the U.S. are NO more likely than American citizens to commit serious crimes

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31115228: Question 94

Question Wording: Should LEGAL immigration into the United States be kept at its present level, increased or decreased? 1 Kept at present level 2 Increased 3 Decreased

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31115590: Question 66b

Question Wording: As I read some pairs of statements, please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views even if neither is exactly right. The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests [OR] The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID 31115590: Question 66c

Question Wording: As I read some pairs of statements, please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views even if neither is exactly right. America's opennes to people from all over the world is essential to who we are as a nation [OR] If America is too open to people from all over the world, we risk losing our identity as a nation

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID 31115590: Question 66df1

Question Wording: As I read some pairs of statements, please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views even if neither is exactly right. In foreign policy, the U.S. should take into account the interests of its allies even if it means making compromises with them [OR] In foreign policy, the U.S. should follow its OWN national interests even when its allies strongly disagree

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID 31115590: Question 66e

Question Wording: As I read some pairs of statements, please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views even if neither is exactly right. Our country has made the changes needed to give blacks equal rights with whites [OR] Our country needs to continue making changes to give blacks equal rights with whites

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID 31115590: Question 74

Question Wording: Do you think it is the responsibility of the federal government to make sure all Americans have health care coverage, or is that not the responsibility of the federal government? 1 Yes, government responsibility 2 No, not government responsibility 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID 31115590: Question 78

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ IN ORDER TO RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE, IN REVERSE ORDER TO OTHER HALF OF SAMPLE]? 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases [OR] 4 Illegal in all cases

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID 31115590: Question 98

Question Wording: Do you think the United States' initial decision to use military force in Afghanistan in 2001 was the right decision or the wrong decision? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-01nii: Question 28_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-01nii: Question 31_f

Question Wording: Which concerns you more... [READ AND ROTATE] 1 That the U.S. will leave Iraq before a stable democracy is in place OR 2 That the U.S. will wait too long to withdraw its troops from Iraq 3 Neither (VOL. DO NOT READ) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL. DO NOT READ)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 1_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 29_f

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose using American military force to maintain order in Haiti? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 29_f

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose using American military force to maintain order in Haiti? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 3_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 30_f

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements like NAFTA, and the World Trade Organization, have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 31a_f

Question Wording: In deciding U.S. policies about trading with other countries, how much priority should be given to each of the following. First, (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE). Do you think this should have top priority, some priority or no priority at all in deciding U.S. trade policy? Protecting the jobs of American workers 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority at all 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 31b_f

Question Wording: In deciding U.S. policies about trading with other countries, how much priority should be given to each of the following. First, (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE). Do you think this should have top priority, some priority or no priority at all in deciding U.S. trade policy? Promoting and defending human and worker rights in other countries 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority at all 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 31c_f

Question Wording: In deciding U.S. policies about trading with other countries, how much priority should be given to each of the following. First, (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE). Do you think this should have top priority, some priority or no priority at all in deciding U.S. trade policy? Protecting the global environment 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority at all 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 31d_f

Question Wording: In deciding U.S. policies about trading with other countries, how much priority should be given to each of the following. First, (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE). Do you think this should have top priority, some priority or no priority at all in deciding U.S. trade policy? Keeping the American economy growing 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority at all 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 31e_f

Question Wording: In deciding U.S. policies about trading with other countries, how much priority should be given to each of the following. First, (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE). Do you think this should have top priority, some priority or no priority at all in deciding U.S. trade policy? Making sure that products are available in the U.S. at affordable prices 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority at all 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 37_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? Strongly favor Favor Oppose Strongly oppose Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-03nii: Question 38_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gay and lesbian couples to enter into legal agreements with each other that would give them many of the same rights as married couples? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-04late: Question 3_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-04late: Question 5_f

Question Wording: 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 troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-04nii: Question 4_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-04nii: Question 6_f

Question Wording: 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 troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-04nii: Question 9_f

Question Wording: Which concerns you more... [READ AND ROTATE] 1 That the U.S. will leave Iraq before a stable democracy is in place OR 2 That the U.S. will wait too long to withdraw its troops from Iraq 3 Neither (VOL. DO NOT READ) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL. DO NOT READ)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-06vote: Question 51_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-06vote: Question 53_f

Question Wording: 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? {5-04} 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-06vote: Question 56_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 25_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? Strongly favor Favor Oppose Strongly oppose Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 26_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gay and lesbian couples to enter into legal agreements with each other that would give them many of the same rights as married couples? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 34_f

Question Wording: All in all, how should the U.S. determine its foreign policy? Should it be based mostly on the national interests of the U.S., or should it strongly take into account the interests of its allies? 1 Own estimates of national interest 2 Interests and views of allies 3 Both [VOL.] 4 Neither [VOL.] 9 Don't Know [VOL.] 9 Don't Know [VOL.]

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 36_f

Question Wording: Do you think the partnership between the US and Western Europe should remain as close as it has been or do you think that the U.S. should take a more independent approach to security and diplomatic affairs than it has in the past? 1 Remain as close 2 More independent 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 37_f

Question Wording: Do you think that using military force against countries that may seriously threaten our country, but have not attacked us, can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 45_f

Question Wording: Do you think that we should increase our spending on national defense, keep it about the same, or cut it back? 1 Increase 2 Keep same 3 Cut back 9 Don't know/Refused [VOL.]

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 46_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should increase the size of the military, keep it about the same, or reduce the size of the military? 1 Increase 2 Keep same 3 Cut back 9 Don't know/Refused [VOL.]

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 47_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both [VOL.] 4 Neither [VOL.] 9 Don't know/Refused [VOL.]

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 48_f

Question Wording: What's your opinion of US policies in the Middle East – would you say they are fair or do they favor Israel too much or do they favor the Palestinians too much? 1 Fair 2 Favor Israel 3 Favor Palestinians 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 52_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of China today. . . Do you think China is (READ): 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 (DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 54_f

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements like NAFTA, and the World Trade Organization, have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 60_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 62_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 64_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 72_f

Question Wording: Thinking back. . . Do you think there is anything that the U.S. did wrong in its dealings with other countries that might have motivated the 9/11 terrorist attacks, or not? 1 Yes, U.S. wrongdoing may have motivated attacks 2 No 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 73_f

Question Wording: Thinking back. . . Do you think there is any way that the U.S. was unfair in its dealings with other countries that might have motivated the 9/11 terrorist attacks, or not? 1 Yes, unfair dealings may have motivated attacks 2 No 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-07fp: Question 77_f

Question Wording: Do you think the use of torture against suspected terrorists in order to gain important information can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-08nii: Question 36_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? Strongly favor Favor Oppose Strongly oppose Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-08nii: Question 37_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gay and lesbian couples to enter into legal agreements with each other that would give them many of the same rights as married couples? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-08nii: Question 51_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-08nii: Question 53_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-08nii: Question 55_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-08nii: Question 61_f

Question Wording: Which of these statements comes closest to your view? [READ AND ROTATE] 1 The government is putting out too many warnings that turn out to be false alarms OR... 2 The government should be giving the public all the warnings it can, even if they turn out to be false alarms 3 [DO NOT READ] Both (VOL) 4 [DO NOT READ] Neither (VOL) 9 [DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-09ear: Question 28_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-09ear: Question 30_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-09ear: Question 32_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-09ear: Question 36a_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose... The U.S. government guaranteeing health insurance for all citizens, even if it means repealing most of the recent tax cuts 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know (VOL. DO NOT READ)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2004-09ear: Question 36b_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose... The U.S. government guaranteeing health insurance for all citizens, even if it means raising taxes 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know (VOL. DO NOT READ)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2004-09ear: Question 38_d

Question Wording: Generally, do you favor or oppose this proposal? [which would allow younger workers to invest a portion of their payroll taxes in private retirement accounts, which might include stocks or mutual funds, rather than having all of it go toward Social Security] 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2004-09ear: Question 39_f

Question Wording: What is the best way to pay for increased spending for military defense and homeland security. Should the U.S. ... 1 Add to the budget deficit 2 Reduce spending on domestic programs [OR] 3 Postpone or reduce the tax cuts passed under President Bush 4 None [VOL, DO NOT READ] 5 Multiple [VOL, DO NOT READ] 6 Other [VOL, DO NOT READ] 9 Don't know/Refused [VOL, DO NOT READ]

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2004-09ear: Question 39_f

Question Wording: What is the best way to pay for increased spending for military defense and homeland security. Should the U.S. ... 1 Add to the budget deficit 2 Reduce spending on domestic programs [OR] 3 Postpone or reduce the tax cuts passed under President Bush 4 None [VOL, DO NOT READ] 5 Multiple [VOL, DO NOT READ] 6 Other [VOL, DO NOT READ] 9 Don't know/Refused [VOL, DO NOT READ]

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-09mid: Question 10_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-09mid: Question 12_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-10earpol: Question 23_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-elecwknd: Question 14_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 1_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 101_f

Question Wording: Which one of the following statements comes closest to your own view on free trade with other countries... 1 Free trade agreements like NAFTA and the WTO have been mostly good for the US economy and American workers 2 Free Trade agreements like NAFTA and the WTO have been mostly bad for the US economy and American workers 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 107a_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Free trade results in better products and better prices for American consumers 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 107b_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Free trade creates demand for US products abroad, which stimulates economic growth and creates jobs here at home 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 107c_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Free trade is good for the United States because it improves our relationships with other countries 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 107d_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Free trade creates a strong global economy, which benefits everyone 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 109a_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Free trade allows companies to exploit workers in developing countries with low wages, poor working conditions and no job security 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 109b_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Because of free trade, corporations have laid off American workers and sent their jobs overseas 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 109b_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Because of free trade, corporations have laid off American workers and sent their jobs overseas 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 109c_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Free trade is bad for the environment because a lot of countries have lower environmental standards than the United States 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 109d_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Free trade widens the gap between rich and poor in the United States and in the world as a whole 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 11_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose allowing gay and lesbian couples to marry legally? 1 Favor gay marriage 2 Oppose gay marriage 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 17a_d

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Gay couples are entitled to the same legal rights as heterosexual couples when it comes to things like health insurance, inheritance, or pensions 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 17b_d

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? It is not the government's role to tell people who they can and cannot marry 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 17c_d

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Legalizing gay marriage benefits everyone because it encourages long-term, monogamous relationships between two people who love one another 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 17d_d

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Legalizing gay marriage is an important civil rights issue, protecting a group of Americans who have been discriminated against in the past 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 19a_d

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Marriage is a sacred religious institution that should be between a man and a woman 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 19b_d

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Legalizing gay marriage sends the message that homosexuality is an acceptable lifestyle 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 19c_d

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Legalizing gay marriage would open the door to legalizing other forms of marriage, such as polygamy 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 19d_d

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Legalizing gay marriage would result in more gay couples raising children, and children should only be raised in households where there is a mother and a father 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 23a_f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you a short list of issues facing our country today. Please tell me if you think each one is very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important. The war in Iraq 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 23b_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you a short list of issues facing our country today. Please tell me if you think each one is very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important. Gay marriage 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 23c_f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you a short list of issues facing our country today. Please tell me if you think each one is very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important. c. Free trade and its impact on American workers 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 23d_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you a short list of issues facing our country today. Please tell me if you think each one is very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important. d. Health care 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 23e_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you a short list of issues facing our country today. Please tell me if you think each one is very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important.

e. Abortion 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 7a_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Iraq posed an imminent threat to American security 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 7b_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Saddam Hussein was seeking weapons of mass destruction, which he might someday use against the United States 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 7c_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Saddam Hussein had connections with Al-Qaeda and may have played a role in the September 11th terrorist attacks on the Pentagon and World Trade Center 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 7d_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Saddam Hussein was a brutal dictator who murdered and tortured his own people 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 9b_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? We should not have gone to war with Iraq without the support of the United Nations and our allies 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-ialsel: Question 9d_f

Question Wording: Do you AGREE or DISAGREE with this argument, or have you not really thought much about it? Going to war with Iraq will only increase anti-American sentiment in the Muslim world 1 Agree 2 Disagree 3 Haven't thought much about it 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 11b_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND

statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Government regulation of business is necessary to protect the public interest OR... Government regulation of business usually does more harm than good 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 11d_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The government should do more to help needy Americans, even if it means going deeper into debt OR... The government today can't afford to do much more to help the needy 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 11g_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents OR... Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 11i_f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The best way to ensure peace is through military strength OR... Good diplomacy is the best way to ensure peace 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 20bb_f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Using overwhelming military force is the best way to defeat terrorism around the world OR... Relying too much on military force to defeat terrorism creates hatred that leads to more terrorism 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 20cc_f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. In foreign policy, the U.S. should take into account the interests of its allies even if it means making compromises with them OR... In foreign policy, the U.S. should follow its OWN national interests even when its allies strongly disagree 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 20dd_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The growing number of newcomers from other countries threaten traditional American customs and values OR... The growing number of newcomers from other countries strengthens American society 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 20ff_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Americans need to be willing to give up more privacy and freedom in order to be safe from terrorism OR Americans shouldn't have to give up more privacy and freedom in order to be safe from terrorism 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 20q_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. This country should do whatever it takes to protect the environment OR... This country has gone too far in its efforts to protect the environment 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 20r_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Stricter environmental laws and regulations cost too many jobs and hurt the economy OR... Stricter environmental laws and regulations are worth the cost 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 20u_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Homosexuality is a way of life that should be accepted by society OR... Homosexuality is a way of life that should be discouraged by society 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 20v_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Books that contain dangerous ideas should be banned from public school libraries OR... Public school libraries should be allowed to carry any books they want 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOLUNTEERED) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 32_d

Question Wording: Generally, do you favor or oppose this proposal? [which would allow younger workers to invest a portion of their Social Security taxes in private retirement accounts, which might include stocks or mutual funds] 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 36a_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Making it more DIFFICULT for a woman to get an abortion 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 36b_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 36c_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose An increase in the minimum wage, from $5.15 an hour to $6.45 an hour 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 36d_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose The U.S. government guaranteeing health insurance for all citizens, even if it means raising taxes 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 36e_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Limiting the amount that patients can be awarded in medical malpractice lawsuits 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 37_f

Question Wording: Do you think that we should increase our spending on national defense, keep it about the same, or cut it back? 1 Increase 2 Keep same 3 Cut back 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 38_f

Question Wording: Do you think that using military force against countries that may seriously threaten our country, but have not attacked us, can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 41_f

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements like NAFTA, and the World Trade Organization, have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 44_d

Question Wording: All in all, which do you think should be the higher priority right now – cutting taxes or reducing the federal budget deficit? 1 Cutting taxes 2 Reducing the federal budget deficit 3 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 45_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 47_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2004-typo: Question 49_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view... Is the Patriot Act a necessary tool that helps the government find terrorists or does it go too far and pose a threat to civil liberties? 1 Necessary tool 2 Goes too far 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2005-01nii: Question 34_d

Question Wording: People have different opinions about how the Social Security system might be changed for the future. When decisions about Social Security's future are being made, which do you think is MORE important... (READ; ROTATE ITEMS 1 AND 2) 1 Keeping Social Security as a program with a GUARANTEED monthly benefit based on a person's earnings during their working life? OR 2 Letting younger workers DECIDE for THEMSELVES how some of their own contributions to Social Security are invested, which would cause their future benefits to be higher or lower depending on how well their investments perform? 3 Both equally important (VOL.) 4 Neither is important (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-01nii: Question 40_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-01nii: Question 42_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-01nii: Question 53_f

Question Wording: If you had to choose, what should get a higher priority now? [READ AND ROTATE] 1 Building our defenses at home to prevent future terrorist attacks –OR– 2 Taking military action to destroy terrorist networks around the world 3 [DO NOT READ] Both (VOL.) 9 [DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-01nii: Question 54_f

Question Wording: What is the best way to pay for increased spending for military defense and homeland security. Should the U.S. ... [READ AND ROTATE] 1 Add to the budget deficit 2 Reduce spending on domestic programs [OR] 3 Postpone or reduce the tax cuts passed under President Bush 4 None [VOL, DO NOT READ] 5 Multiple [VOL, DO NOT READ] 6 Other [VOL, DO NOT READ] 9 Don't know/Refused [VOL, DO NOT READ]

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2005-01nii: Question 54_f

Question Wording: What is the best way to pay for increased spending for military defense and homeland security. Should the U.S. ... [READ AND ROTATE] 1 Add to the budget deficit 2 Reduce spending on

domestic programs [OR] 3 Postpone or reduce the tax cuts passed under President Bush 4 None [VOL, DO NOT READ] 5 Multiple [VOL, DO NOT READ] 6 Other [VOL, DO NOT READ] 9 Don't know/Refused [VOL, DO NOT READ]

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 1_f

Question Wording: Right now, the U.S. is the most powerful nation in the world. In the future, should U.S. policies try to keep it so America is the only superpower, or would it be OK if Europe, China or another country became as powerful as the U.S.? 1 Should keep the U.S. as the sole superpower 2 OK if other countries become as powerful 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 12_d

Question Wording: Generally, do you favor or oppose this proposal? [which would allow younger workers to invest a portion of their Social Security taxes in private retirement accounts, which might include stocks or mutual funds] 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 19a_d

Question Wording: I am going to read you a list of some ways that have been suggested to address concerns about the Social Security program. Please tell me if you would favor or oppose each one. Increasing Social Security payroll taxes for all workers 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 19b_d

Question Wording: I am going to read you a list of some ways that have been suggested to address concerns about the Social Security program. Please tell me if you would favor or oppose each one. Raising the retirement age 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 19c_d

Question Wording: I am going to read you a list of some ways that have been suggested to address concerns about the Social Security program. Please tell me if you would favor or oppose each one. Limiting benefits for wealthy retirees 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 19d_d

Question Wording: I am going to read you a list of some ways that have been suggested to address concerns about the Social Security program. Please tell me if you would favor or oppose each one. Lowering the amount that Social Security benefits go up each year for changes in the cost of living 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 19e_d

Question Wording: I am going to read you a list of some ways that have been suggested to address concerns about the Social Security program. Please tell me if you would favor or oppose each one. Collecting Social Security taxes on ALL of a worker's wages, rather than just the first $90,000 they earn per year 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 2_f

Question Wording: Right now, the U.S. is the most powerful nation in the world. In the future, should the U.S. do whatever is necessary to make sure America remains the world's only superpower, or would it be OK if Europe, China or another country became as powerful as the U.S. 1 Should keep the U.S. as the sole superpower 2 OK if other countries become as powerful 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 20_d

Question Wording: If the Social Security program needs changes, when do you think those changes need to be made [READ]? 1 Right away 2 Within the next few years 3 Within the next decade 4 Or can changes be made further in the future 5 (VOL. DO NOT READ) No changes needed 9 (VOL. DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 26_d

Question Wording: When decisions about Social Security=s future are being made, which do you think is MORE important... [READ AND ROTATE] 1 AVOIDING any tax INCREASES for workers and employers? OR... 2 AVOIDING any future CUTS in Social Security benefit amounts? 3 Both/Neither/Other (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused/Can't answer

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 3_f

Question Wording: Right now, the U.S. has the most powerful military capability in the world. In the future, should U.S. policies try to keep it so America is the only military superpower, or would it be OK if Europe, China or another country became as powerful as the U.S.? 1 Should keep the U.S. as the sole superpower 2 OK if other countries become as powerful 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 36_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 38_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-02nii: Question 40_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-05nii: Question 22_d

Question Wording: Generally, do you favor or oppose this proposal? [that would allow younger workers to invest a portion of their Social Security taxes in private retirement accounts, which might include stocks or mutual funds] 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2005-05nii: Question 24_d

Question Wording: One proposal for dealing with Social Security's financial situation is to keep the system as it is now for lower income retirees, but limit the growth of future benefits for wealthy and middle income retirees. Would you favor or oppose this proposal? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-05nii: Question 29a_d

Question Wording: Next, I'd like to ask you some more about the nation's economy. Do you think the job situation is/are a very big problem, a big problem, a small problem, or not a problem for the nation's economy today? Very big problem Big problem Small problem Not a problem Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2005-05nii: Question 29b_d

Question Wording: Next, I'd like to ask you some more about the nation's economy. Do you think Inflation is/are a very big problem, a big problem, a small problem, or not a problem for the nation's economy today? Very big problem Big problem Small problem Not a problem Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2005-05nii: Question 29c_d

Question Wording: Next, I'd like to ask you some more about the nation's economy. Do you think Interest rates is/are a very big problem, a big problem, a small problem, or not a problem for the nation's economy today? Very big problem Big problem Small problem Not a problem Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2005-05nii: Question 29d_d

Question Wording: Next, I'd like to ask you some more about the nation's economy. Do you think Gasoline prices is/are a very big problem, a big problem, a small problem, or not a problem for the nation's economy today? Very big problem Big problem Small problem Not a problem Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2005-05nii: Question 29e_d

Question Wording: Next, I'd like to ask you some more about the nation's economy. Do you think The trade deficit is/are a very big problem, a big problem, a small problem, or not a problem for the nation's economy today? Very big problem Big problem Small problem Not a problem Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2005-05nii: Question 29f_d

Question Wording: Next, I'd like to ask you some more about the nation's economy. Do you think The federal budget deficit is/are a very big problem, a big problem, a small problem, or not a problem for the nation's economy today? Very big problem Big problem Small problem Not a problem Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2005-06nii: Question 20_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-06nii: Question 22_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-06nii: Question 37_d

Question Wording: In 1973 the Roe versus Wade decision established a woman's constitutional right to an abortion, at least in the first three months of pregnancy. Would you like to see the Supreme Court completely overturn its Roe versus Wade decision, or not? 1 Yes, overturn Roe versus Wade 2 No, not overturn Roe versus Wade 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 11_f

Question Wording: In the future, should U.S. policies try to keep it so America is the only military superpower, OR would it be acceptable if China, another country or the European Union became as militarily powerful as the U.S.? 1 Should keep the U.S. as the only military superpower, OR 2 Acceptable if another country became as militarily powerful 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 13_f

Question Wording: Do you think it's important that the partnership between the U.S. and Western Europe be as close as it has been in the past, or don't you think this is important? 1 Important to be as close as in past 2 Not important 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 14a_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? China's emergence as a world power RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 14b_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Growing authoritarianism in Russia RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 14c_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Possible military conflict between China and Taiwan RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 14d_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Possible military conflict between India and Pakistan RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 14e_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? North Korea's nuclear program {mod.} RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 14f_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Iran's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 14g_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being

of the United States? The amount of American debt held by foreign investors RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 19_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 21_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 24_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 25_f

Question Wording: Do you think a stronger European Union is a good thing for the U.S., a bad thing for the U.S., or doesn't it matter for the U.S.? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 3 Doesn't matter 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 26_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of China today... Do you think China is (READ, IN ORDER): 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 Not much of a problem 9 (DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 27_f

Question Wording: So far, do you think that NAFTA has been a good thing or a bad thing from a U.S. point of view? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 34_f

Question Wording: Increased security measures have made it more difficult for foreign students to get visas to study in American universities. Do you think these restrictions [INSERT OPTION; ROTATE], OR do you think these restrictions [NEXT OPTION]? 1 Go too far because the U.S. loses too many good students to other countries 2 Are worth it in order to prevent terrorists from getting into the country 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 34_f

Question Wording: Increased security measures have made it more difficult for foreign students to get visas to study in American universities. Do you think these restrictions [INSERT OPTION; ROTATE], OR do you think these restrictions [NEXT OPTION]? 1 Go too far because the U.S. loses too many good students to other countries 2 Are worth it in order to prevent terrorists from getting into the country 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 35_f

Question Wording: Do you think that using military force against countries that may seriously threaten our country, but have not attacked us, can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 36_f

Question Wording: Do you think the use of torture against suspected terrorists in order to gain important information can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 41_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. signing a treaty with other nations to reduce and eventually eliminate all nuclear weapons, including our own? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 43_f

Question Wording: If another nation seriously threatened to use nuclear weapons against the U.S., would the U.S. be justified in using nuclear weapons first, or don't you think this would be justified? 1 Justified 2 Not justified 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 45_f

Question Wording: If another nation seriously threatened to use nuclear weapons against a U.S. ally, would the U.S. be justified in using nuclear weapons first, or don't you think this would be justified? 1 Justified 2 Not justified 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-apw: Question 9_f

Question Wording: What kind of leadership role should the United States play in the world? Should it be the SINGLE world leader, or should it play a SHARED leadership role, or shouldn't it play any leadership role? 1 Single leader 2 Shared leadership 3 No leadership 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-die: Question 42_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view? Abortion should be generally available to those who want it; Abortion should be available but under stricter limits than it is now; Abortion should be against the law except in cases of rape, incest and to save the woman's life; Abortion should not be permitted at all. 1 Generally available 2 Available, but under stricter limits 3 Against law except rape/incest/save life 4 Abortion should not be permitted at all 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2005-die: Question 43_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose the death penalty for persons convicted of murder? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 22_f

Question Wording: Do you agree or disagree that the U.S. and other Western powers have a moral obligation to use military force if necessary, to prevent one group of people from committing genocide against another? 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don=t know/Refused [VOL.]

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 23_f

Question Wording: In your opinion, should the United States work to promote democracy around the world, or shouldn't the United States do this? 1 Yes, should work to promote democracy 2 No, shouldn't work to promote democracy 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 3a_d

Question Wording: I'd like to get your views on some issues that are being discussed in this country today. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose The death penalty for persons convicted of murder 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 3b_d

Question Wording: I'd like to get your views on some issues that are being discussed in this country today. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Making it legal for doctors to give terminally ill patients the means to end their lives 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 3c_d

Question Wording: I'd like to get your views on some issues that are being discussed in this country today. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Allowing churches and other houses of worship to apply, along with other organizations, for government funding to provide social services such as job training or drug treatment counseling to people who need them 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 3d_d

Question Wording: I'd like to get your views on some issues that are being discussed in this country today. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose The U.S. government guaranteeing health insurance for all citizens, even if it means raising taxes 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 3e_d

Question Wording: I'd like to get your views on some issues that are being discussed in this country today. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Passing a constitutional amendment that would allow federal and state governments to make flag burning illegal? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 3f_d

Question Wording: I'd like to get your views on some issues that are being discussed in this country today. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose The death penalty for persons convicted of murder when they were under the age of 18 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 3g_d

Question Wording: I'd like to get your views on some issues that are being discussed in this country today. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Making it legal for doctors to assist terminally ill patients in committing suicide 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 3h_d

Question Wording: I'd like to get your views on some issues that are being discussed in this country today. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Providing more generous government assistance to the poor 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 3i_d

Question Wording: I'd like to get your views on some issues that are being discussed in this country today. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Allowing gays and lesbians to serve openly in the military 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 3j_d

Question Wording: I'd like to get your views on some issues that are being discussed in this country today. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Taking some of the federal funds spent on government anti-poverty programs and giving them to religious groups to provide social services 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 6_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 The Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2005-relig: Question 8_f

Question Wording: Thinking about the Mideast situation these days, do you think the U.S. should take Israel's side more, less or about as much as it has in the past? 1 More 2 Less 3 As much as in the past 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 45_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose allowing oil and gas drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in Alaska? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 46_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose a policy allowing immigrants to enter the U.S. legally and work here for a limited period of time, but then they would have to go home? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 48_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view... Is the Patriot Act a necessary tool that helps the government find terrorists or does it go too far and pose a threat to civil liberties? 1 Necessar ytool 2 Goes too far 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 53_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 55_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 57_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 58_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 70a_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Requiring that all citizens carry a national identity card at all times to show to a police officer on request 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 70b_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Allowing the U.S. government to monitor your personal telephone calls and e-mails 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 70c_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Allowing the U.S. government to monitor your credit card purchases 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 70d_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Allowing airport personnel to do extra checks on passengers who appear to be of Middle-Eastern descent 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 71_d

Question Wording: Do you think it is generally right or generally wrong for the government to monitor telephone and e-mail communications of Americans suspected of having terrorist ties without first obtaining permission from the courts? 1 Generally right 2 Generally wrong 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-01nii: Question 73_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Afghanistan? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-03nii: Question 11_d

Question Wording: Recently, South Dakota passed a law that bans abortion in all cases except to save the life of the mother. Would you favor or oppose a law like this at the national level? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-03nii: Question 28_f

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade with other countries is good or bad for the United States? 1 Good 2 Bad 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-03nii: Question 29_d

Question Wording: There's been some discussion recently about "outsourcing" – meaning when American businesses hire workers in other parts of the world in order to save money. Which comes closer to your view on this issue? [READ AND ROTATE] 1 Outsourcing is bad for the American economy because it sends good jobs overseas 2 Outsourcing is good for the American economy because it keeps the cost of goods and services down 3 Both [VOL.] 4 Neither [VOL.] 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2006-03nii: Question 33_d

Question Wording: Thinking about the country as a whole, do you think we spend too much, too little or the right amount on health care? 1 Too much 2 Too little 3 Right amount 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2006-03nii: Question 34_d

Question Wording: Do you think the government spends too much, too little or the right amount on health care? 1 Too much 2 Too little 3 Right amount 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2006-03nii: Question 60_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-03nii: Question 63_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-03nii: Question 65_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-03nii: Question 69_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-04nii: Question 1_d

Question Wording: One proposal would allow undocumented immigrants who have been in the U.S. for several years to gain legal working status and the possibility of citizenship in the future. Would you favor or oppose this proposal? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2006-04nii: Question 2_d

Question Wording: One proposal would make it a criminal offense for an American to assist an undocumented immigrant to remain in the U.S. Would you favor or oppose this proposal? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2006-04nii: Question 45_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-04nii: Question 47_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-04nii: Question 53_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-06nii: Question 37_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-06nii: Question 39_d

Question Wording: Congress is currently debating immigration policy. Which of these proposals do you favor? 1 Focusing MOSTLY on strong border protection and stiffer penalties on people who enter the U.S.

illegally OR 2 Increasing border protection and ALSO creating a way for some illegal immigrants already here to become citizens if they meet certain requirements 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2006-06nii: Question 50_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-06nii: Question 52_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-06nii: Question 53_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-06nii: Question 54_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-08nii: Question 19_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-08nii: Question 21_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-08nii: Question 27_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-08nii: Question 28_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? {7-06} 1 Israel 2 The Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-08nii: Question 64_f

Question Wording: What should the United States do in this conflict? Should the United States government publicly support Israel, should it say or do nothing, or should it publicly criticize Israel? 1 Support 2 Say or do nothing 3 Criticize 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-08nii: Question 65_f

Question Wording: Do you approve or disapprove of the military action Israel has taken in Lebanon? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-08nii: Question 66_f

Question Wording: What do you think about the way Israel is responding in the current conflict with Hezbollah militants in Lebanon? Has Israel gone too far, not gone far enough, or has Israel's response been about right? 1 Gone too far 2 Not far enough 3 About right 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-08nii: Question 68_f

Question Wording: In terms of resolving this conflict, do you think the United States should be more involved than it is now, less involved than it is now, or is it as involved as it should be? 1 More involved 2 Less involved 3 As involved as it should be 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-09nii: Question 31_d

Question Wording: There is now a new Medicare law that includes some coverage of prescription drug costs for seniors. Overall, would you say you strongly approve, approve, DISapprove, or strongly disapprove of the way Medicare will now cover prescription drug costs? 1 Strongly approve 2 Approve 3 Disapprove 4 Strongly disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2006-09nii: Question 41_d

Question Wording: In order to curb terrorism in this country, do you think it is necessary for the average person to give up some civil liberties, or not? 1 Yes, it is necessary 2 No, it is not necessary 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-09nii: Question 42_d

Question Wording: Do you think it is generally right or generally wrong for the government to monitor telephone and e-mail communications of Americans suspected of having terrorist ties without first obtaining permission from the courts? 1 Generally right 2 Generally wrong 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-09nii: Question 44_f

Question Wording: From what you know, would you favor or oppose the United States negotiating directly with Iran over the issue of its nuclear program? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-09nii: Question 45_f

Question Wording: Who should take the lead in dealing with Iran's nuclear program? 1 The United States OR 2 The United Nations 3 (VOL. DO NOT READ) Other 9 (VOL. DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-09nii: Question 46_f

Question Wording: Which is your greater concern when it comes to dealing with Iran's nuclear program . . . that we will take action TOO QUICKLY, or that we will wait TOO LONG? 1 Take action too quickly 2 Wait too long 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-09nii: Question 55_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-09nii: Question 58_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-09nii: Question 59_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-09nii: Question 61_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 12_f

Question Wording: Do you think the United States has a responsibility to do something about the ethnic genocide in the Darfur region of Sudan, or doesn't the United States have this responsibility? 1 U.S. has a responsibility 2 U.S. does not have responsibility 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 13_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the use of U.S. troops in the Darfur region of Sudan as part of a multinational force to help end the ethnic genocide there? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 19c_d

Question Wording: Which concerns you more [READ AND ROTATE]? 1 That the government is spending too MUCH money on hurricane relief in the Gulf OR 2 That the government is spending too LITTLE money on hurricane relief in the Gulf 3 (VOL. DO NOT READ) Neither 9 (VOL. DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 20_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 22_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 26_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 31a_f

Question Wording: A number of suggestions have been made about how the U.S. might change its policies in Iraq. As I read a few, tell me if you would favor or oppose each. Starting talks with Iran and Syria to encourage their cooperation in the Iraq effort 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 31b_f

Question Wording: A number of suggestions have been made about how the U.S. might change its policies in Iraq. As I read a few, tell me if you would favor or oppose each. Trying harder to resolve the Israeli-Palestinian conflict 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 31c_f

Question Wording: A number of suggestions have been made about how the U.S. might change its policies in Iraq. As I read a few, tell me if you would favor or oppose each. Shifting the primary mission of U.S. troops from fighting insurgents to supporting the Iraqi Army 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 31d_f

Question Wording: A number of suggestions have been made about how the U.S. might change its policies in Iraq. As I read a few, tell me if you would favor or oppose each. Ending our support of the Iraqi government if they fail to make substantial progress 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 37_f

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements like NAFTA, and the World Trade Organization, have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 42a_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Requiring that all citizens carry a national identity card at all times to show to a police officer on request 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 42b_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Allowing the U.S. government to monitor personal telephone calls and e-mails 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 42bb_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Allowing the U.S. government to monitor your personal telephone calls and e-mails 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 42c_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Allowing the U.S. government to monitor credit card purchases 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 42cc_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Allowing the U.S. government to monitor your credit card purchases 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 42d_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Allowing airport personnel to do extra checks on passengers who appear to be of Middle- Eastern descent 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 42d_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism: Allowing airport personnel to do extra checks on passengers who appear to be of Middle- Eastern descent 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-12nii: Question 44_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Afghanistan? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-elec: Question 23_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-elec: Question 24_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view? Abortion should be generally available to those who want it; Abortion should be available but under stricter limits than it is now; Abortion should be against the law except in cases of rape, incest and to save the woman's life; Abortion should not be permitted at all. 1 Generally available 2 Available, but under stricter limits 3 Against law except rape/incest/save life 4 Abortion should not be permitted at all 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2006-elec: Question 28_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-elec: Question 30_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-postelec: Question 42_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-postelec: Question 44_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-postelec: Question 49_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-postelec: Question 50_f

Question Wording: Which concerns you more... [READ AND ROTATE] 1 That the U.S. will leave Iraq before a stable democracy is in place OR 2 That the U.S. will wait too long to withdraw its troops from Iraq 3 Neither (VOL. DO NOT READ) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL. DO NOT READ)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-postelec: Question 51_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-turnout: Question 54_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-turnout: Question 56_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-turnout: Question 57_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2006-turnout: Question 58_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-01nii: Question 30_d

Question Wording: Do you think global warming is a problem that requires immediate government action, or don't you think it requires immediate government action? 1 Yes, it is a problem that requires immediate government action 2 No, don't think global warming requires immediate government action 9 Don't know/refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2007-01nii: Question 37_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-01nii: Question 39_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-01nii: Question 44_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-02pol: Question 33_d

Question Wording: There has been some talk about the federal budget deficit recently. Which one of the following do you think is the BEST way to reduce the federal budget deficit? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 Increase taxes 2 Reduce defense and military spending 3 Reduce domestic spending 4 None [VOL, DO NOT READ] 5 Multiple [VOL, DO NOT READ] 6 Other [VOL, DO NOT READ] 9 Don't know/Refused [VOL, DO NOT READ]

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2007-02pol: Question 37_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-02pol: Question 39_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-02pol: Question 44_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-02pol: Question 45_f

Question Wording: Which concerns you more... [READ AND ROTATE] 1 That the U.S. will leave Iraq before a stable democracy is in place OR 2 That the U.S. will wait too long to withdraw its troops from Iraq 3 Neither (VOL. DO NOT READ) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL. DO NOT READ)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-02pol: Question 57_f

Question Wording: In your opinion, which is more important [READ AND ROTATE] 1 To take a firm stand against Iranian actions OR 2 To avoid a military conflict with Iran 3 (VOL. DO NOT READ) Neither 4 (VOL. DO NOT READ) Both 9 (VOL. DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-03pol: Question 45_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-03pol: Question 47_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-03pol: Question 51_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 20_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose a law that banned the sale of handguns? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 21_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 36_d

Question Wording: Under the 'No Child Left Behind' Act, do you think there is too much emphasis on standardized testing, too little, or the right amount? 1 Too much 2 Too little 3 Right amount 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 45_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 47_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 50_f

Question Wording: Do you think the war in Iraq has helped the war on terrorism, or has it hurt the war on terrorism? 1 Helped 2 Hurt 3 No effect (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 51_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should or should not set a timetable for when troops will be withdrawn from Iraq? 1 Should set a timetable 2 Should not set a timetable 3 Should get out now (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 57a_f

Question Wording: A number of suggestions have been made about how the U.S. might change its policies in Iraq. As I read a few, tell me if you would favor or oppose each. Starting talks with Iran and Syria to encourage their cooperation in the Iraq effort 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 57b_f

Question Wording: A number of suggestions have been made about how the U.S. might change its policies in Iraq. As I read a few, tell me if you would favor or oppose each. Trying harder to resolve the Israeli-Palestinian conflict 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 57c_f

Question Wording: A number of suggestions have been made about how the U.S. might change its policies in Iraq. As I read a few, tell me if you would favor or oppose each. Shifting the primary mission of U.S. troops from fighting insurgents to supporting the Iraqi Army 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-04pol: Question 57d_f

Question Wording: A number of suggestions have been made about how the U.S. might change its policies in Iraq. As I read a few, tell me if you would favor or oppose each. Ending our support of the Iraqi government if they fail to make substantial progress 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-06pol: Question 40_d

Question Wording: Thinking about immigrants who are currently living in the U.S. illegally... Do you favor or oppose providing amnesty to illegal immigrants currently in the country if they pass background checks, pay fines and have jobs? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2007-06pol: Question 41_d

Question Wording: Thinking about immigrants who are currently living in the U.S. illegally... Do you favor or oppose providing a way for illegal immigrants currently in the country to gain legal citizenship if they pass background checks, pay fines and have jobs? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2007-06pol: Question 42_d

Question Wording: Which of the following actions do you think would be MOST effective in reducing the number of illegal immigrants who come to the U.S. across the Mexican border [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 Increasing the number of border patrol agents 2 Building more fences on the border, OR 3 Increasing the penalties on employers who hire illegal immigrants

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2007-06pol: Question 55_f

Question Wording: Do you think the United States has a responsibility to do something about the ethnic genocide in Darfur, or doesn't the United States have this responsibility? 1 U.S. has a responsibility 2 U.S. does not have responsibility 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-06pol: Question 56_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the use of U.S. troops in Darfur as part of a multinational force to help end the ethnic genocide there? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-06pol: Question 57_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-06pol: Question 59_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-06pol: Question 65_f

Question Wording: Which concerns you more... [READ AND ROTATE] 1 That the U.S. will leave Iraq before a stable democracy is in place OR 2 That the U.S. will wait too long to withdraw its troops from Iraq 3 [DO NOT READ – VOL.] Neither 9 [DO NOT READ – VOL.] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-09pol: Question 47_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-09pol: Question 49_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-10pol: Question 56_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ IN ORDER ON FORM 1, REVERSE ORDER OF OPTIONS ON FORM 2] 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL, DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-10pol: Question 57_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-10pol: Question 59_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-10pol: Question 63_f

Question Wording: Which concerns you more... [READ AND ROTATE] 1 That the U.S. will leave Iraq before a stable democracy is in place OR 2 That the U.S. will wait too long to withdraw its troops from Iraq 3 [DO NOT READ – VOL.] Neither 9 [DO NOT READ – VOL.] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-11prim: Question 32_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-11prim: Question 35_d

Question Wording: Would you say you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-11prim: Question 36_d

Question Wording: And would you say you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose the U.S. government guaranteeing health insurance for all citizens, even if it means raising taxes? Strongly favor Favor Oppose Strongly oppose Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2007-11prim: Question 37_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be (READ) (PLEASE READ CATEGORIES IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF THE SAMPLE) 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL, DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-11prim: Question 38_d

Question Wording: Do you think it is generally right or generally wrong for the government to monitor telephone and e-mail communications of Americans suspected of having terrorist ties without first obtaining permission from the courts? 1 Generally right 2 Generally wrong 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-11prim: Question 39_d

Question Wording: Which of these statements comes closer to your own view? [READ] 1 Stricter environmental laws and regulations cost too many jobs and hurt the economy OR... 2 Stricter environmental laws and regulations are worth the cost 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.-DO NOT READ)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2007-11prim: Question 40_d

Question Wording: Which of these statements comes closer to your own view? [READ] 1 The growing number of newcomers from other countries threaten traditional American customs and values OR... 2 The growing number of newcomers from other countries strengthens American society 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.-DO NOT READ)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2007-11prim: Question 41_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect rights of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-11prim: Question 42_f

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements like NAFTA, and the policies of the World Trade Organization, have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-11prim: Question 44_f

Question Wording: Which is your greater concern when it comes to dealing with Iran's nuclear program ... that we will take action TOO QUICKLY, or that we will wait TOO LONG? 1 Take action too quickly 2 Wait too long 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-12pol: Question 48_d

Question Wording: Thinking about immigrants who are currently living in the U.S. illegally... Do you favor or oppose providing amnesty to illegal immigrants currently in the country if they pass background checks, pay fines and have jobs? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2007-12pol: Question 49_d

Question Wording: Thinking about immigrants who are currently living in the U.S. illegally... Do you favor or oppose providing a way for illegal immigrants currently in the country to gain legal citizenship if they pass background checks, pay fines and have jobs? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2007-12pol: Question 51_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-12pol: Question 53_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2007-sdt07: Question 22_d

Question Wording: Which of these statements comes closer to your own views—even if neither is exactly right. [READ] 1 Racial discrimination is the main reason why many black people can't get ahead these days OR... 2 Blacks who can't get ahead in this country are mostly responsible for their own condition 3 Neither/Both equally (VOLUNTEERED-DO NOT READ) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOLUNTEERED-DO NOT READ)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-sdt07: Question 29_d

Question Wording: Generally speaking, do you believe the death penalty is applied fairly or unfairly in this country today? 1 Fairly 2 Unfairly 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-sdt07: Question 31_d

Question Wording: Would you like to see the country become more integrated–in terms of minorities and whites living together in the same neighborhoods–would you like it to become less integrated, or is it about right? 1 More integrated 2 Less integrated 3 About right 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-sdt07: Question 34_d

Question Wording: Do you think white students and black students should go to the same schools or to separate schools? 1 Same schools 2 Separate schools 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-sdt07: Question 36_d

Question Wording: Which is more important?— (READ) 1 To have students go to racially mixed schools even if many of the students don't live nearby OR 2 To have students go to local community schools even if it means most students are of the same race 3 (VOLUNTEERED—DO NOT READ) Neither/Both 9 (VOLUNTEERED—DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-sdt07: Question 59_d

Question Wording: In order to overcome past discrimination, do you favor or oppose affirmative action programs designed to help blacks get better jobs and education? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-sdt07: Question 60_d

Question Wording: In order to overcome past discrimination, do you favor or oppose affirmative action programs, which give special preferences to qualified blacks in hiring and education? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2007-sdt07: Question 9a_d

Question Wording: Here are some statements about immigrants—people who come from other countries to live here in the United States. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each one. Black Americans would have more job opportunities if there were fewer immigrants. 1 Strongly agree 2 Somewhat agree 3 Somewhat disagree 4 Strongly disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2007-sdt07: Question 9b_d

Question Wording: Here are some statements about immigrants—people who come from other countries to live here in the United States. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each one. Most immigrants work harder than most black Americans at low-wage jobs. 1 Strongly agree 2 Somewhat agree 3 Somewhat disagree 4 Strongly disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2007-sdt07: Question 9c_d

Question Wording: Here are some statements about immigrants—people who come from other countries to live here in the United States. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each one. Most immigrants work harder than most white Americans at low-wage jobs. 1 Strongly agree 2 Somewhat agree 3 Somewhat disagree 4 Strongly disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2008-01pol: Question 35a_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Government regulation of business is necessary to protect the public interest OR... Government regulation of business usually does more harm than good Statement #1 Statement #2 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) DK/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2008-01pol: Question 35b_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Poor people today have it easy because they can get government benefits without doing anything in return OR... Poor people have hard

lives because government benefits don't go far enough to help them live decently Statement #1 Statement #2 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) DK/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2008-01pol: Question 35c_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Business corporations make too much profit OR... Most corporations make a fair and reasonable amount of profit Statement #1 Statement #2 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) DK/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2008-01pol: Question 35d_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Racial discrimination is the main reason why many black people can't get ahead these days OR... Blacks who can't get ahead in this country are mostly responsible for their own condition Statement #1 Statement #2 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) DK/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 55_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 57_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 65_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose allowing oil and gas drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in Alaska? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 66a_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Promoting the increased use of nuclear power 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 66b_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Spending more on subway, rail and bus systems 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 66c_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing taxes on gasoline to encourage carpooling and conservation 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 66d_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Giving tax cuts to energy companies to do more exploration for oil 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 66e_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Requiring better fuel efficiency for cars, trucks and SUVs 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 66f_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on wind, solar and hydrogen technology 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 66g_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on ethanol 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 72_d

Question Wording: Do you think it is generally right or generally wrong for the government to monitor telephone and e-mail communications of Americans suspected of having terrorist ties without first obtaining permission from the courts? 1 Generally right 2 Generally wrong 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 73_f

Question Wording: Do you think the use of torture against suspected terrorists in order to gain important information can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 74_f

Question Wording: As you may know, the U.S. government is holding a number of detainees at a military base in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. In your opinion, are the government's policies toward these prisoners fair or unfair? 1 Fair 2 Unfair 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 74_f

Question Wording: As you may know, the U.S. government is holding a number of detainees at a military base in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. In your opinion, are the government's policies toward these prisoners fair or unfair? 1 Fair 2 Unfair 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 79_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Afghanistan? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-02pol: Question 81_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. and NATO should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. and NATO should remove their troops as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Afghanistan 2 Remove their troops 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-03pol: Question 82a_d

Question Wording: Here are a few statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. We have gone too far in pushing equal rights in this country 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-03pol: Question 82b_d

Question Wording: Here are a few statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. I think it's all right for blacks and whites to date each other 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-03pol: Question 82c_d

Question Wording: Here are a few statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. Women should return to their traditional roles in society 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-03pol: Question 82f_d

Question Wording: Here are a few statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. The growing number of newcomers from other countries are a threat to traditional American customs and values 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2008-05pol: Question 30a_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? China's emergence as a world power RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-05pol: Question 30b_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Growing authoritarianism in Russia RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-05pol: Question 30c_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? North Korea's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-05pol: Question 30d_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Iran's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-05pol: Question 30e_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Political instability in Pakistan RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-05pol: Question 30f_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Islamic extremist groups like al Qaeda RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-05pol: Question 34_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gay and lesbian couples to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-05pol: Question 35_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gay and lesbian couples to enter into legal agreements with each other that would give them many of the same rights as married couples? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-09late: Question 44_d

Question Wording: As you may know, the government is potentially investing billions to try to keep financial institutions and markets secure. Do you think this is the right thing or the wrong thing for the government to be doing? 1 Right thing 2 Wrong thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2008-09late: Question 45_d

Question Wording: As you may know, the government is potentially committing billions to try to keep financial institutions and markets secure. Do you think this is the right thing or the wrong thing for the government to be doing? 1 Right thing 2 Wrong thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2008-09late: Question 47a_d

Question Wording: As I read some statements about the current financial situation, please tell me how concerned, if at all, you are about each. The government is becoming too involved in financial markets Very concerned Somewhat concerned Not too concerned Not at all concerned Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2008-09late: Question 47d_d

Question Wording: As I read some statements about the current financial situation, please tell me how concerned, if at all, you are about each. The government's actions won't do enough to help homeowners in danger of losing their homes Very concerned Somewhat concerned Not too concerned Not at all concerned Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 47_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 49_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 51_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of China today. . . Do you think China is [READ]: 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 (VOL. DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 53_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of Russia today. . . Do you think Russia is [READ]: 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 (VOL. DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 55_d

Question Wording: Right now, which ONE of the following do you think should be the more important priority for U.S. energy policy... [READ AND ROTATE] 1 Expanding exploration, mining and drilling, and the construction of new power plants [OR] 2 More energy conservation and regulation on energy use and prices 9 Don't know/Refused [VOL, DO NOT READ]

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 56_d

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose allowing oil and gas drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in Alaska? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 57a_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Promoting the increased use of nuclear power 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 57b_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Requiring better fuel efficiency for cars, trucks and SUVs 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 57c_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on wind, solar and hydrogen technology 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 57d_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on ethanol 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 57e_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Allowing more offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 57f_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Establishing tax incentives to encourage conservation 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 64_f

Question Wording: As you may know, the U.S. government is holding a number of detainees at a military base in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. In your opinion, are the government's policies toward these prisoners fair or unfair? 1 Fair 2 Unfair 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 64_f

Question Wording: As you may know, the U.S. government is holding a number of detainees at a military base in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. In your opinion, are the government's policies toward these prisoners fair or unfair? 1 Fair 2 Unfair 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-09mid: Question 65_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. and NATO should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. and NATO should remove their troops as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Afghanistan 2 Remove their troops 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-10late: Question 16a_d

Question Wording: All in all, do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? The U.S. government guaranteeing health insurance for all citizens, even if it means raising taxes 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2008-10late: Question 16b_d

Question Wording: All in all, do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-10late: Question 16c_d

Question Wording: All in all, do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Providing a way for illegal immigrants currently in the country to gain legal citizenship if they pass background checks, pay fines, and have jobs? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2008-10late: Question 16d_d

Question Wording: All in all, do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Allowing more offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2008-10late: Question 17_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be (READ) 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-10late: Question 19_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-10late: Question 22a_d

Question Wording: Here are a few statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. We have gone too far in pushing equal rights in this country 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-10late: Question 22b_d

Question Wording: Here are a few statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. I think it's all right for blacks and whites to date each other 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-10late: Question 22d_d

Question Wording: Here are a few statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. The growing number of newcomers from other countries are a threat to traditional American customs and values 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2008-10mid: Question 34_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be (READ) 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. – DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2008-10mid: Question 36_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-10mid: Question 38_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Iraq until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should bring its troops home as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Iraq 2 Bring troops home 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-11elec: Question 17_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2008-12pol: Question 15b_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. 1 – Government regulation of business is necessary to protect the public interest OR... 2 – Government regulation of business usually does more harm than good 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2008-12pol: Question 15c_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. 1 – The government should do more to help needy Americans, even if it means going deeper into debt OR... 2 – The government today can't afford to do much more to help the needy 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2008-12pol: Question 15e_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. 1 – Business corporations make too much profit OR... 2 – Most corporations make a fair and reasonable amount of profit 1 Statement #1 — strongly 2 Statement #1 — not strongly 3 Statement #2 — strongly 4 Statement #2 — not strongly 5 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2008-12pol: Question 50_d

Question Wording: As you may know, the government is investing billions of dollars to try to keep financial institutions and markets secure. Do you think this is the right thing or the wrong thing for the government to be doing? 1 Right thing 2 Wrong thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2008-12pol: Question 53b_d

Question Wording: As you may know, the government is considering several other proposals to address economic problems facing the nation. Do you think it is the right thing or the wrong thing for the government to spend billions of dollars To help homeowners facing foreclosure on mortgages they cannot afford 1 Right thing 2 Wrong thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2008-12pol: Question 53c_d

Question Wording: As you may know, the government is considering several other proposals to address economic problems facing the nation. Do you think it is the right thing or the wrong thing for the government to spend billions of dollars In loans to General Motors, Ford and Chrysler to keep them in business 1 Right thing 2 Wrong thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2008-sdt08: Question 10_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 3_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 2 The Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 33a_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? China's emergence as a world power RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 33b_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Growing tension between Russia and its neighbors RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 33c_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? North Korea's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 33d_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Iran's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 33e_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Political instability in Pakistan RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 33f_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Islamic extremist groups like al Qaeda RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 33g_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? The conflict between Israelis and Palestinians RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 34_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force against Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 36_f

Question Wording: Over the next year, do you think the number of troops in Iraq should be increased, decreased, or kept the same as it is now? 1 Increased 2 Decreased 3 Kept the same as it is now 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 49_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Afghanistan? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 51_f

Question Wording: Over the next year, do you think the number of troops in Afghanistan should be increased, decreased, or kept the same as it is now? 1 Increased 2 Decreased 3 Kept the same as it is now 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 58_f

Question Wording: What should the United States do in this conflict? Should the United States government publicly support Israel, should it say or do nothing, or should it publicly criticize Israel? 1 Support 2 Say or do nothing 3 Criticize 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 59_f

Question Wording: Do you approve or disapprove of the military action Israel has taken in the Gaza Strip? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 60_f

Question Wording: What do you think about the way Israel is responding in the current conflict with Hamas in the Gaza Strip? Has Israel gone too far, not gone far enough, or has Israel's response been about right? 1 Gone too far 2 Not gone far enough 3 About right 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-01pol: Question 62_f

Question Wording: In terms of resolving this conflict, do you think the United States should be more involved than it is now, less involved than it is now, or is it as involved as it should be? {8-06 about Israel/Hezbollah conflict} More involved Less involved As involved as it should be Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-02pol: Question 47_d

Question Wording: Do you think it is generally right or generally wrong for the government to monitor telephone and e-mail communications of Americans suspected of having terrorist ties without first obtaining permission from the courts? 1 Generally right 2 Generally wrong 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-02pol: Question 48_f

Question Wording: Do you think the use of torture against suspected terrorists in order to gain important information can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? Often justified Sometimes justified Rarely justified Never justified Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-03pol: Question 14_d

Question Wording: Is it now a good idea or a bad idea for the government to exert more control over the economy than it has in recent years? 1 Good idea 2 Bad idea 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-03pol: Question 15_d

Question Wording: Generally, do you think people are better off in a free market economy, even though there may be severe ups and downs from time to time, or don't you think so? 1 Y es, think so 2 No, don't think so 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-05sci: Question 50a_d

Question Wording: All in all, do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Federal funding for embryonic stem cell research? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-05sci: Question 50b_d

Question Wording: All in all, do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Building more nuclear power plants to generate electricity? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-05sci: Question 51_d

Question Wording: Thinking about childhood diseases, such as measles, mumps, rubella and polio . . . ? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 Should parents be able to decide NOT to vaccinate their children [OR] 2 Should all children be required to be vaccinated 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 12_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities for the government these days, would you place a higher priority on [OPTION] or a higher priority on [OPTION]? RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 Spending more to help the economy recover 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1b_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? Health care 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1c_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? Energy 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1d_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? Anti-terrorism defenses in the U.S. 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1e_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? Education 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1g_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? Economic assistance to needy people around the world 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1h_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? Military defense 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1i_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? The State Department and American Embassies 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1j_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? Government assistance for the unemployed 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1l_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? Medicare 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1m_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending

for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? Combating crime 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-06: Question 1n_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE, OBSERVE FORM SPLITS], decrease spending for [INSERT FIRST ITEM] or keep spending the same for this? Environmental protection 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-06pol: Question 32b_d

Question Wording: As you may know, the federal government has taken several steps to address economic problems facing the nation. Do you approve or disapprove of the government spending billions of dollars [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? In an effort to keep General Motors and Chrysler in business 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-06pol: Question 32c_d

Question Wording: As you may know, the federal government has taken several steps to address economic problems facing the nation. Do you approve or disapprove of the government spending billions of dollars [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? In an effort to keep financial institutions and markets secure 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-06pol: Question 47a_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? China's emergence as a world power RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06pol: Question 47b_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? North Korea's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06pol: Question 47c_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Iran's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06pol: Question 47d_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Political instability in Pakistan RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06pol: Question 47e_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Islamic extremist groups like al Qaeda RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06pol: Question 47f_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? The conflict between Israelis and Palestinians RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06pol: Question 47g_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Drug-related violence in Mexico RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-06pol: Question 56_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose changing the health care system in this country so that all Americans have health insurance that covers all medically necessary care? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-09: Question 2_d

Question Wording: As of right now, do you generally favor or generally oppose the health care proposals being discussed in Congress? {08-09 Religion} {QID:qid20090701q49} 1 Generally favor 2 Generally oppose 8 Don't know [VOL. DO NOT READ] 9 Refused [VOL. DO NOT READ]

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-09: Question 49_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. and NATO should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. and NATO should remove their troops as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Afghanistan 2 Remove their troops 8 Don't know [VOL. DO NOT READ] 9 Refused [VOL. DO NOT READ]

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 17_d

Question Wording: All in all, do you think it is a good idea or a bad idea for the government to more strictly regulate the way major financial companies do business? 1 Good idea 2 Bad idea 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 32b_d

Question Wording: Now I'd like to ask you about some steps the federal government has taken over the past year in reaction to economic problems facing the nation The government giving loans to major U.S. banks and financial institutions 1 Mostly good for the economy 2 Mostly bad for the economy 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] No effect 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Kept the economy from getting worse 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 32c_d

Question Wording: Now I'd like to ask you about some steps the federal government has taken over the past year in reaction to economic problems facing the nation The government giving loans to General Motors and Chrysler 1 Mostly good for the economy 2 Mostly bad for the economy 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] No effect 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Kept the economy from getting worse 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 46_d

Question Wording: As of right now, do you generally favor or generally oppose the health care proposals being discussed in Congress? 1 Generally favor 2 Generally oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 49a_d

Question Wording: Now I'd like to ask you about some of the specific proposals being considered to address health care. Requiring that all Americans have health insurance, with the government providing financial help for those who can't afford it 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 49b_d

Question Wording: Now I'd like to ask you about some of the specific proposals being considered to address health care. A government health insurance plan to compete with private health insurance plans1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 49c_d

Question Wording: Now I'd like to ask you about some of the specific proposals being considered to address health care. Requiring insurance companies to sell health coverage to people, even if they have pre-existing medical conditions 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 49d_d

Question Wording: Now I'd like to ask you about some of the specific proposals being considered to address health care. Requiring employers to pay into a government health care fund if they do not provide health insurance to their employees 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 49e_d

Question Wording: Now I'd like to ask you about some of the specific proposals being considered to address health care. Raising taxes on families with incomes of more than $350,000 as a way to pay for changes to the health care system 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 49f_d

Question Wording: Now I'd like to ask you about some of the specific proposals being considered to address health care. Limits on the amount of money that patients can collect in medical malpractice lawsuits 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 56_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose setting limits on carbon dioxide emissions and making companies pay for their emissions, even if it may mean higher energy prices? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 60_f

Question Wording: From what you know, do you approve or disapprove of the United States negotiating directly with Iran over the issue of its nuclear program? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 62_f

Question Wording: Would you approve or disapprove of tougher international economic sanctions on Iran? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-10pol: Question 64_f

Question Wording: In your opinion, which is more important [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 [A] To prevent Iran from developing nuclear weapons, even if it means taking military action [OR] 2 [B] To avoid a military conflict with Iran, even if it means they may develop nuclear weapons 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-10sdt: Question 10_d

Question Wording: Which of these two statements comes closer to your own views – even if neither is exactly right. [READ IN ORDER]: 1 Our country has made the changes needed to give blacks equal rights with whites. [OR] 2 Our country needs to continue making changes to give blacks equal rights with whites. 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/Both equally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-10sdt: Question 38_d

Question Wording: Which of these statements comes closer to your own views—even if neither is exactly right. 1 Racial discrimination is the main reason why many black people can't get ahead these days [OR] 2 Blacks who can't get ahead in this country are mostly responsible for their own condition 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/Both equally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-10sdt: Question 8_d

Question Wording: Which of these two statements comes closer to your own views – even if neither is exactly right. [READ IN ORDER]: 1 Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] 2 Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/Both equally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2009-11: Question 12_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose making it more DIFFICULT for a woman to get an abortion? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-11: Question 2_d

Question Wording: As of right now, do you generally favor or generally oppose the health care proposals being discussed in Congress? 1 Generally favor 2 Generally oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-11: Question 6_d

Question Wording: If the government health care reform plan guarantees certain medical benefits for all Americans, do you think that abortion should or should not be included as one of those benefits? 1 Abortion should be included 2 Abortion should not be included 3 Depends (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-11: Question 7a_f

Question Wording: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. The United States should cooperate fully with the United Nations 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-11: Question 7b_f

Question Wording: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. In deciding on its foreign policies, the U.S. should take into account the views of its major allies 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-11: Question 7c_f

Question Wording: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. Since the U.S. is the most powerful nation in the world, we should go our own way in international matters, not worrying too much about whether other countries agree with us or not 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-11: Question 7d_f

Question Wording: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. The U.S. should mind its own business internationally and let other countries get along the best they can on their own 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-11: Question 7e_f

Question Wording: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. We should not think so much in international terms but concentrate more on our own national problems and building up our strength and prosperity here at home 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-12pol: Question 25_d

Question Wording: As of right now, do you generally favor or generally oppose the health care proposals being discussed in Congress? 1 Generally favor 2 Generally oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 21_f

Question Wording: What kind of leadership role should the United States play in the world? Should it be the SINGLE world leader, or should it play a SHARED leadership role, or should it not play any leadership role? 1 Single leader 2 Shared leadership 3 No leadership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 23_f

Question Wording: In the future, should U.S. policies try to keep it so America is the only military superpower, OR would it be acceptable if China, another country or the European Union became as militarily powerful as the U.S.? 1 Should keep the U.S. as the only military superpower 2 Acceptable if another country became as militarily powerful 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 26a_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? China's emergence as a world power RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 26b_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Growing tension between Russia and its neighbors RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 26c_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Political instability in Pakistan RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 26d_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? North Korea's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 26e_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Iran's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 26f_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? International financial instability RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 26h_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well

being of the United States? Islamic extremist groups like al Qaeda RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 26i_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? The Taliban's growing strength in Afghanistan RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 31_d

Question Wording: As of right now, do you generally favor or generally oppose the health care proposals being discussed in Congress? 1 Generally favor 2 Generally oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 40_f

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements like NAFTA and the policies of the World Trade Organization, have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 44_f

Question Wording: Do you think that we should increase our spending on national defense, keep it about the same, or cut it back? 1 Increase 2 Keep same 3 Cut back 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 48a_f

Question Wording: Would you approve or disapprove of the use of U.S. forces in the following situations If an ethnic group in Africa were threatened by genocide 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 48b_f

Question Wording: Would you approve or disapprove of the use of U.S. forces in the following situations If it were certain that Iran had produced a nuclear weapon 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 48c_f

Question Wording: Would you approve or disapprove of the use of U.S. forces in the following situations If extremists were poised to take over Pakistan 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 53_f

Question Wording: Do you think the United States' initial decision to use force in Afghanistan was the right decision or the wrong decision? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 55_f

Question Wording: Over the next year, do you think the number of troops in Afghanistan should be increased, decreased, or kept the same as it is now? 1 Increased 2 Decreased 3 Kept the same as it is now 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 59_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 60_f

Question Wording: In the past, do you think U.S. policies in the Middle East have. . . ? [READ] 1 Favored Israel too much 2 Favored the Palestinians too much [OR] 3 Struck the right balance 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 62_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of China today. . . Do you think China is 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 63_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of Russia today. . . Do you think Russia is 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 68_d

Question Wording: Increased security measures have made it more difficult for foreign students to get visas to study in American universities. Do you think these restrictions [INSERT OPTION; RANDOMIZE], OR do you think these restrictions [NEXT OPTION]? 1 Go too far because the U.S. loses too many good students to other countries 2 Are worth it in order to prevent terrorists from getting into the country 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 69_f

Question Wording: Do you think that using military force against countries that may seriously threaten our country, but have not attacked us, can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-apw: Question 70_f

Question Wording: Do you think the use of torture against suspected terrorists in order to gain important information can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-relig: Question 125_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ] 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-relig: Question 146a_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose [READ IN ORDER] Allowing gay and lesbian couples to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/refused (VOL)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-relig: Question 146b_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose [READ IN ORDER] Allowing gay and lesbian couples to enter into legal agreements with each other that would give them many of the same rights as married couples? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/refused (VOL)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 12_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be (READ) 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 13_d

Question Wording: Thinking about immigrants who are currently living in the U.S. illegally ... Do you favor or oppose providing a way for illegal immigrants currently in the country to gain legal citizenship if they pass background checks, pay fines and have jobs? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 13a_d

Question Wording: Allinall,doyouthinkitisagoodideaorabadideaforthegovernmenttomorestrictlyregulate the way major financial companies do business? 1 Good idea 2 Bad idea 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 14_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 16_f

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements like NAFTA, and the policies of the World Trade Organization, have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 17a_f

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements, between the U.S. and other countries, have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 18a_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities these days, would you place a higher priority on reducing the budget deficit or [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE]? Spending more to make health care more accessible and affordable 1 Spending more 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 18b_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities these days, would you place a higher priority on reducing the budget deficit or [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE]? Spending more to improve the education system 1 Spending more 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 18c_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities these days, would you place a higher priority on reducing the budget deficit or [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE]? Spending more to develop new energy technology 1 Spending more 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 19a_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities these days, would you place a higher priority on [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE] or reducing the budget deficit? Spending more to make health care more accessible and affordable 1 Spending more 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 19b_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities these days, would you place a higher priority on [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE] or reducing the budget deficit? Spending more to improve the education system 1 Spending more 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 19bb_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gay and lesbian couples to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 19c_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities these days, would you place a higher priority on [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE] or reducing the budget deficit? Spending more to develop new energy technology 1 Spending more 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 20b_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gay and lesbian couples to enter into legal agreements with each other that would give them many of the same rights as married couples? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 25b_f

Question Wording: Do you think the use of torture against suspected terrorists in order to gain important information can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 27a_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Promoting the increased use of nuclear power 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 27b_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Spending more on subway, rail and bus systems 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 27c_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on wind, solar and hydrogen technology 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 27d_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Allowing more offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 27e_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing taxes on gasoline to encourage conservation 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 30a_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. There needs to be stricter laws and regulations to protect the environment 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 30cc_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. Protecting the environment should be given priority, even if it causes slower economic growth and some job losses 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 30d_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. We have gone too far in pushing equal rights in this country 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 30k_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. I think it's all right for blacks and whites to date each other 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 30n_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. We should restrict and control people coming to live in our country more than we do now 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 30p_f

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. The best way to ensure peace is through military strength 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 30u_f

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. It's best for the future of our country to be active in world affairs 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 30x_f

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. We should pay less attention to problems overseas and concentrate on problems here at home 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 30z_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. The growing number of newcomers from other countries threaten traditional American customs and values 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 31g_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. The government needs to do more to make health care affordable and accessible 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 31gg_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. A free market economy needs government regulation in order to best serve the public interest 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 31h_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. Freedom of speech should not extend to groups that are sympathetic to terrorists 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 31i_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. The police should be allowed to search the houses of people who might be sympathetic to terrorists without a court order 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 31j_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. Women should return to their traditional roles in society 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 31o_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. Labor unions are necessary to protect the working person 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2009-values: Question 31p_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you another series of statements on some different topics. For each statement, please tell me if you completely agree with it, mostly agree with it, mostly DISagree with it or completely disagree with it. Today it's really true that the rich just get richer while the poor get poorer 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2010-01: Question 2_f

Question Wording: From what you've seen and heard, do you think the U.S. government is doing too much, too little, or the right amount in providing assistance to Haiti? Too much Too little Right amount Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2010-01pol: Question 36_d

Question Wording: As of right now, do you generally favor or generally oppose the health care bills being discussed in Congress? 1 Generally favor 2 Generally oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2010-01pol: Question 41_d

Question Wording: A few years ago, a law was passed that put major restrictions on corporations and labor unions giving money to political parties and campaigns. Do you think these restrictions are a good idea or a bad idea? 1 Good idea 2 Bad idea 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2010-01pol: Question 48_d

Question Wording: As an increased security measure, would you favor or oppose requiring that all airport passengers are subject to whole-body scans that can see through clothing? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 36_d

Question Wording: Is it now a good idea or a bad idea for the government to exert more control over the economy than it has in recent years? 1 Good idea 2 Bad idea 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 37_d

Question Wording: All in all, do you think it is a good idea or a bad idea for the government to more strictly regulate the way major financial companies do business? 1 Good idea 2 Bad idea 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 38_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities for the government these days, would you place a higher priority on [OPTION] or a higher priority on [OPTION]? RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 Spending more to help the economy recover 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 72_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose setting limits on carbon dioxide emissions and making companies pay for their emissions, even if it may mean higher energy prices? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 73a_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Promoting the increased use of nuclear power 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 73b_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Spending more on subway, rail and bus systems 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 73c_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on wind, solar and hydrogen technology 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 73d_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Allowing more offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 76_d

Question Wording: As of right now, do you generally favor or generally oppose the health care bills being discussed in Congress? 1 Generally favor 2 Generally oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 77_d

Question Wording: If you had to choose, would prefer that Congress keep working on a health care bill, or would you prefer Congress to pass nothing and leave the current system as it is? 1 Keep working 2 Pass nothing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2010-02pol: Question 78_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to serve openly in the military? Strongly favor Favor Oppose Strongly oppose Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-03pol: Question 16_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-03pol: Question 26_d

Question Wording: As of right now, do you generally favor or generally oppose the health care bills being discussed in Congress? 1 Generally favor 2 Generally oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2010-03pol: Question 27_d

Question Wording: Would you prefer that Congress [INSERT OPTION, RANDOMIZE] or would you prefer that Congress [NEXT OPTION]? 1 Begin working on new health care legislation 2 Pass nothing and leave the current system as it is 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2010-03pol: Question 44_d

Question Wording: Thinking about gun laws... do you think state and local governments should or should not be able to pass laws that ban the possession or sale of handguns in their jurisdictions? 1 Should 2 Should not 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-03pol: Question 52_d

Question Wording: Do you think the use of marijuana should be made legal, or not? 1 Yes, legal 2 No, illegal 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2010-03pol: Question 53_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose your state allowing the sale and use of marijuana for medical purposes if it is prescribed by a doctor? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2010-04ear: Question 10_d

Question Wording: Is it now a good idea or a bad idea for the government to exert more control over the economy than it has in recent years? 1 Good idea 2 Bad idea 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2010-04pol: Question 23_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2010-04pol: Question 30_d

Question Wording: Thinking about the economic stimulus passed by Congress last year do you think the stimulus has helped the job situation, or has it NOT helped the job situation? 1 Helped the job situation 2 Has NOT helped the job situation 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2010-04pol: Question 31_d

Question Wording: And, thinking about the loans the federal government provided to troubled banks and financial institutions, which statement comes closer to your view? [READ] 1 The loans HELPED prevent a more severe economic crisis [OR] 2 The loans did NOT help prevent a more severe economic crisis 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2010-06pol: Question 42a_d

Question Wording: As I read a couple of statements, please tell me if you completely agree, mostly agree, mostly DISagree or completely disagree with each one. There needs to be stricter laws and regulations to protect the environment 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-06pol: Question 50a_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Allowing more offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-06pol: Question 50b_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Promoting the increased use of nuclear power 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-06pol: Question 50c_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on wind, solar and hydrogen technology 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-06pol: Question 50d_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Requiring that new homes and buildings meet higher efficiency standards 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-06pol: Question 50e_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Spending more on subway, rail and bus systems 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-06pol: Question 63_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. and NATO should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. and NATO should remove their troops as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Afghanistan 2 Remove their troops 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2010-09pi: Question 30f_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Our country has made the changes needed to give blacks equal rights with whites [OR] Our country needs to continue making changes to give blacks equal rights with whites 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-09pi: Question 30g_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Business corporations make too much profit [OR] Most corporations make a fair and reasonable amount of profit 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2010-09pi: Question 39_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-09pi: Question 40_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-09pi: Question 46_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Afghanistan? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2010-09pi: Question 47_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2010-10pol: Question 48a_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Allowing more offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-10pol: Question 48b_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Promoting the increased use of nuclear power 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-10pol: Question 48c_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on wind, solar and hydrogen technology 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-10pol: Question 48d_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Requiring better fuel efficiency for cars, trucks and SUVs 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-10pol: Question 48e_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Spending more on subway, rail and bus systems 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-10pol: Question 48f_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Providing tax incentives for those who buy hybrid or electric cars, trucks and SUVs 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-govtrust: Question 45_d

Question Wording: As of right now, do you generally favor or generally oppose the health care bills being discussed in Congress? 1 Generally favor 2 Generally oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2010-govtrust: Question 46_d

Question Wording: All in all, do you think it is a good idea or a bad idea for the government to more strictly regulate the way major financial companies do business? 1 Good idea 2 Bad idea 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2010-relig: Question 12a_d

Question Wording: Now, I'd like to get your views on some issues. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose The death penalty for persons convicted of murder 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-relig: Question 12b_d

Question Wording: Now, I'd like to get your views on some issues. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-relig: Question 12c_d

Question Wording: Now, I'd like to get your views on some issues. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Providing more generous government assistance to the poor 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2010-relig: Question 12d_d

Question Wording: Now, I'd like to get your views on some issues. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Tougher laws and regulations to protect the environment 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-relig: Question 12e_d

Question Wording: Now, I'd like to get your views on some issues. All in all, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose Allowing gays and lesbians to serve openly in the military 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-relig: Question 13_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ] 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2010-wk0506: Question 2a_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Promoting the increased use of nuclear power 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-wk0506: Question 2b_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Spending more on subway, rail and bus systems 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-wk0506: Question 2c_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on wind, solar and hydrogen technology 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2010-wk0506: Question 2d_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Allowing more offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2011-01pol: Question 21_f

Question Wording: The United States has had strong political, economic and military ties with the nations of [INSERT, RANDOMIZE] on the one hand and the nations of [NEXT ITEM] on the other hand. Which area do you think is most important to the United States [READ IN ORDER OF ABOVE] 1 Europe [OR] 2 Asia 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Equally important 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-01pol: Question 36_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of China today... Do you think China is 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-01pol: Question 39a_f

Question Wording: And thinking about U.S. policy toward China, how important do you think each of the following is? Build a stronger relationship with China 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-01pol: Question 39b_f

Question Wording: And thinking about U.S. policy toward China, how important do you think each of the following is? Get tougher with China on economic and trade issues 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-01pol: Question 39c_f

Question Wording: And thinking about U.S. policy toward China, how important do you think each of the following is? Do more to promote human rights in China 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-01pol: Question 39d_f

Question Wording: And thinking about U.S. policy toward China, how important do you think each of the following is? Do more to promote better environmental policies and practices in China 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17a_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Health care 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17b_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Energy 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17c_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Anti-terrorism defenses in the U.S. 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17e_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Financial aid for college students 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17f_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for The public school systems 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17g_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Social Security 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17i_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Economic assistance to needy people in the U.S. 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17k_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Military defense 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17l_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Government assistance for the unemployed 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17n_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Medicare 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17o_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Combating crime 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17p_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Environmental protection 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17q_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Economic assistance to needy people around the world 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 17s_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Education 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 18_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities for the federal government these days, would you place a higher priority on [OPTION] or a higher priority on [OPTION]? RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 Spending to help the economy recover 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 40_d

Question Wording: What is the best way to deal with the budget in your state? Should state lawmakers mostly focus on [RANDOMIZE: Cutting major programs / Increasing taxes] mostly focus on [increasing taxes / cutting major programs] or should your state do a combination of both? 1 Cutting major programs 2 Increasing taxes 3 Combination of both 4 Neither (VOL.) 5 No budget problem in my state (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 41a_d

Question Wording: If your state government needs to find ways to balance its budget this year, do you think your state should [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE], or not? Decrease funding for K through 12 public schools 1 Yes, state should 2 No, state should not 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 41b_d

Question Wording: If your state government needs to find ways to balance its budget this year, do you think your state should [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE], or not? Decrease health care services 1 Yes, state should 2 No, state should not 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 41e_d

Question Wording: If your state government needs to find ways to balance its budget this year, do you think your state should [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE], or not? Increase personal income taxes 1 Yes, state should 2 No, state should not 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 41f_d

Question Wording: If your state government needs to find ways to balance its budget this year, do you think your state should [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE], or not? Increase sales taxes 1 Yes, state should 2 No, state should not 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 41g_d

Question Wording: If your state government needs to find ways to balance its budget this year, do you think your state should [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE], or not? Decrease funding for public colleges and universities 1 Yes, state should 2 No, state should not 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 41h_d

Question Wording: If your state government needs to find ways to balance its budget this year, do you think your state should [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE], or not? Increase taxes on businesses 1 Yes, state should 2 No, state should not 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 55_d

Question Wording: When you hear of a disagreement between labor unions and businesses, is your first reaction [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 To side with the unions [OR] 2 To side with business 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ]Both/Neither 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ]Depends 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ]Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 56_d

Question Wording: How about when you hear of a disagreement between state or local governments and unions that represent government workers, is your first reaction [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 To side with the governments [OR] 2 To side with the unions 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ]Both/Neither 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ]Depends 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ]Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 67_d

Question Wording: What should be the priority for dealing with ILLEGAL immigration in the U.S.? [RANDOMIZE; (one) better border security and stronger enforcement of our immigration laws; OR (two) creating a way for illegal immigrants already here to become citizens if they meet certain requirements] OR should BOTH be given equal priority? 1 Better border security and stronger enforcement of our immigration laws 2 Creating a way for illegal immigrants already here to become citizens if they meet certain requirements 3 Should BOTH be given equal priority 4 None of these (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 69_d

Question Wording: As you may know, last year the state of Arizona passed a law that requires police to verify the legal status of someone they have already stopped or arrested if they suspect that the person is in the country illegally. Do you approve or disapprove of Arizona's immigration law? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2011-02pol: Question 73_d

Question Wording: Would you favor changing the Constitution so that the parents must be legal residents of the U.S. in order for their newborn child to be a citizen, or should the Constitution be left as it is? 1 Favor changing Constitution 2 Leave Constitution as is 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2011-04pol: Question 46a_f

Question Wording: Thinking about U.S. policies toward the Middle East, how important should each of the following goals be? Helping to protect Israel 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-04pol: Question 46b_f

Question Wording: Thinking about U.S. policies toward the Middle East, how important should each of the following goals be? Preventing the spread of terrorism 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-04pol: Question 46c_f

Question Wording: Thinking about U.S. policies toward the Middle East, how important should each of the following goals be? Keeping oil prices low 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-04pol: Question 46d_f

Question Wording: Thinking about U.S. policies toward the Middle East, how important should each of the following goals be? Encouraging the spread of democracy 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-04pol: Question 46e_f

Question Wording: Thinking about U.S. policies toward the Middle East, how important should each of the following goals be? Preventing attacks on civilians 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important 4 Not at all important 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-04pol: Question 58_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. and NATO should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. and NATO should remove their troops as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Afghanistan 2 Remove their troops 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-04pol: Question 7_f

Question Wording: All things considered, do you think that the U.S. and its allies made the right decision or the wrong decision to conduct military air strikes in Libya? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-04pol: Question 9_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. and its allies sending arms and military supplies to anti- government groups in Libya? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-05pol: Question 37a_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following Reduce federal funding for programs that help lower income Americans 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-05pol: Question 37b_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following Gradually raise the age at which people can begin receiving Social Security benefits 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-05pol: Question 37c_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following Make more of high-earners' income subject to the Social Security payroll tax 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-05pol: Question 37d_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following Limit tax deductions for interest paid on home mortgages 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-05pol: Question 37j_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following Tax the health insurance people receive from their employer 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-05pol: Question 37k_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following Reduce Social Security benefits for seniors with higher incomes 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-05pol: Question 37l_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following Raise the income tax rate on incomes over $250,000 a year 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-05pol: Question 37m_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following Limit tax deductions for large corporations 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-05pol: Question 45_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-06pol: Question 18_f

Question Wording: In your view, is it essential or not essential that the United States continue to be a world leader in space exploration? 1 Essential 2 Not essential 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-06pol: Question 31_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities for the federal government these days, would you place a higher priority on [OPTION] or a higher priority on [OPTION]? RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 Spending to help the economy recover 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-06pol: Question 56_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view, even if neither is exactly right? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 People on Medicare need to be responsible for more of the costs of their health care in order to keep the program financially secure 2 People on Medicare already pay enough of the cost of their health care 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 5 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Other 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-06pol: Question 57_d

Question Wording: And one question about a current debate over the MEDICAID program for low income people. Which comes closer to your view? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 States should be able to cut back on who is eligible for Medicaid in order to deal with budget problems 2 Low income people should not have their Medicaid benefits taken away 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 5 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Other 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-06pol: Question 72_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Afghanistan? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-06pol: Question 75_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should remove troops as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Afghanistan 2 Remove troops 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-07pol: Question 24_d

Question Wording: In your view, what is the best way to reduce the federal budget deficit? Should we mostly focus on [RANDOMIZE:Cutting major programs / Increasing taxes] mostly focus on [increasing taxes / cutting major programs] or should we do a combination of both? 1 Cutting major programs 2 Increasing taxes 3 Combination of both 4 Deficit is not a priority/Don't focus on deficit (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-08pol: Question 35_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities for the federal government these days, would you place a higher priority on [OPTION] or a higher priority on [OPTION]? RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 Spending to help the economy recover 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-08pol: Question 77a_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism. Requiring that all citizens carry a national identity card at all times to show to a police officer on request 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2011-08pol: Question 77b_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism. The U.S. government monitoring personal telephone calls and e-mails 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2011-08pol: Question 77d_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism. Allowing airport personnel to do extra checks on passengers who appear to be of Middle- Eastern descent 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2011-08pol: Question 77e_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose the following measures to curb terrorism. The U.S. government monitoring credit card purchases 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2011-08pol: Question 81_f

Question Wording: Do you think the use of torture against suspected terrorists in order to gain important information can often be justified, sometimes be justified, rarely be justified, or never be justified? 1 Often justified 2 Sometimes justified 3 Rarely justified 4 Never justified 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 69a_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? The death penalty for persons convicted of murder 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 69b_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 69c_f

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Building a fence along the entire border with Mexico 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 69c_f

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Building a fence along the entire border with Mexico 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 70_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ] 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 78_d

Question Wording: Which do you think is MORE important when it comes to Social Security's future [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 Avoiding any Social Security tax increases for workers and employers [OR] 2 Avoiding any future cuts in Social Security benefit amounts 3 Both/Neither/Other (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 79a_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Social Security program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Gradually raising the age at which people can begin receiving Social Security benefits 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 79b_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Social Security program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Reducing Social Security benefits for seniors with higher incomes 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 79c_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Social Security program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Changing the program so younger workers can invest their Social Security taxes in private retirement accounts 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 80a_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Medicare program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Gradually raising the age at which people can begin receiving Medicare benefits 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 80b_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Medicare program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Reducing Medicare benefits for seniors with higher incomes 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-09gen: Question 80c_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Medicare program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Changing the program so future participants can use their Medicare benefit towards purchasing private health insurance 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2011-11pol: Question 40_d

Question Wording: In your view, what is the best way to reduce the federal budget deficit? 1 Cutting major programs 2 Increasing taxes 3 Combination of both 4 Deficit is not a priority/Don't focus on deficit (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-11pol: Question 56_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-11pol: Question 58_f

Question Wording: Do you approve or disapprove of the government's decision to withdraw all combat troops from Iraq by the end of this year? Approve Disapprove Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-11pol: Question 68_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose or strongly oppose the death penalty for persons convicted of murder? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2011-11pol: Question 71_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ] 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2011-11pol: Question 72_d

Question Wording: What should be the priority for dealing with illegal immigration in the U.S.? 1 Better border security and stronger enforcement of our immigration laws 2 Creating a way for illegal immigrants already here to become citizens if they meet certain requirements 3 Should BOTH be given equal priority 4 None of these (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2011-11pol: Question 73_d

Question Wording: Do you think an illegal immigrant who went to high school in your state and is accepted to a public college should be eligible for the in-state tuition rate, or shouldn't they? 1 Should be eligible 2 Should NOT be eligible 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2011-12pol: Question 36a_f

Question Wording: Now, thinking about some possible economic concerns for the country. First, do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] poses a major threat, a minor threat, or no threat to the economic well being of the U.S.? Economic problems in Europe RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 No threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-12pol: Question 36b_f

Question Wording: Now, thinking about some possible economic concerns for the country. First, do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] poses a major threat, a minor threat, or no threat to the economic well being of the U.S.? Economic competition from China RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 No threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-12pol: Question 36c_d

Question Wording: Now, thinking about some possible economic concerns for the country. First, do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] poses a major threat, a minor threat, or no threat to the economic well being of the U.S.? The power of financial institutions and banks RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 No threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-12pol: Question 36d_d

Question Wording: Now, thinking about some possible economic concerns for the country. First, do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] poses a major threat, a minor threat, or no threat to the economic well being of the U.S.? The size of the national debt RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 No threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-12pol: Question 36e_d

Question Wording: Now, thinking about some possible economic concerns for the country. First, do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] poses a major threat, a minor threat, or no threat to the economic

well being of the U.S.? Government regulation of business RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 No threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-12pol: Question 44e_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The economic system in this country unfairly favors the wealthy [OR] The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/both equally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-12pol: Question 45_d

Question Wording: Do you think there is too much power in the hands of a few rich people and large corporations in the United States, or don't you think so? 1 Yes, think a few rich people and corporations have too much power 2 No, do not think a few rich people and corporations have too much power 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-12pol: Question 49_d

Question Wording: How fair do you think our present federal tax system is? Overall would you say that our tax system is [READ IN ORDER] 1 Very fair 2 Moderately fair 3 Not too fair [OR] 4 Not fair at all 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-12pol: Question 52_d

Question Wording: Which of the following bothers you most about taxes [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 The large amount you pay in taxes 2 The complexity of the tax system [OR] 3 The feeling that some wealthy people get away not paying their fair share 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2011-sdt09: Question 31_f

Question Wording: All in all, considering the costs to the United States versus the benefits to the United States, do you think the war in IRAQ has been worth fighting, or not? 1 Worth fighting 2 Not worth fighting 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-sdt09: Question 32_f

Question Wording: All in all, considering the costs to the United States versus the benefits to the United States, do you think the war in AFGHANISTAN has been worth fighting, or not? 1 Worth fighting 2 Not worth fighting 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-sdt09: Question 33_f

Question Wording: In Afghanistan and Iraq, the military has been asked to engage in non-combat missions like reconstruction and operations designed to strengthen the country's social, political and economic institutions, sometimes called "nation-building." Do you think these are appropriate roles or inappropriate roles for the military? 1 Appropriate 2 Inappropriate 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-sdt09: Question 34_f

Question Wording: As you may know, the United States military has made increasing use of unmanned aircraft called "drones" to launch aerial attacks in Afghanistan, Iraq and elsewhere. Do you think the increased use of drones by the military is a good thing, or a bad thing? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 3 Doesn't make a difference (VOL.) 4 Neither/equally good and bad (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2011-sdt09: Question 35_f

Question Wording: Do you think the United States should return to the military draft at this time, or not? 1 Yes 2 No 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-01com: Question 17a_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. For each please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2012-01com: Question 17b_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. For each please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Homosexuality should be accepted by society [OR] Homosexuality should be discouraged by society 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-01com: Question 17c_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. For each please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Racial discrimination is the main reason why black people can't get ahead these days [OR] Blacks who can't get ahead in this country are mostly responsible for their own condition 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-01pol: Question 43_f

Question Wording: Thinking about the future of the U.S. military, do you think a smaller military will reduce effectiveness, OR do you think a smaller military can be just as effective in facing future challenges? 1

Smaller military reduces effectiveness 2 Smaller military can be just as effective 3 Depends (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-01pol: Question 65_f

Question Wording: In your opinion, which is more important? 1 To take a firm stand against Iranian actions [OR] 2To avoid a military conflict with Iran 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-01pol: Question 69_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should remove troops as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Afghanistan 2 Remove troops 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-02pol: Question 43_d

Question Wording: Please tell me which of these statements comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. [READ IN ORDER] 1 Government regulation of business is necessary to protect the public interest [OR] 2 Government regulation of business usually does more harm than good 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/both equally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-02pol: Question 57_f

Question Wording: Do you think tougher international economic sanctions on Iran will or will not work in getting Iran to give up its nuclear program? 1 Will work 2 Will not work 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-02pol: Question 60_f

Question Wording: In your opinion, which is more important [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? To prevent Iran from developing nuclear weapons, even if it means taking military action [OR] To avoid a military conflict with Iran, even if it means they may develop nuclear weapons [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-02pol: Question 61_f

Question Wording: If Israel were to attack Iran to stop its nuclear weapons program, what position should the U.S. take? Should it support Israel's military action, oppose Israel's military action, or should the U.S. stay neutral? 1 Support Israel's military action 2 Oppose Israel's military action 3 Stay neutral 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-02pol: Question 71_d

Question Wording: Do you think the government should do more to regulate how internet companies handle privacy issues, or should the government not get more involved in this? 1 Should do more 2 Should not get more involved 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 39_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should remove troops as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Afghanistan 2 Remove troops 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 42_f

Question Wording: Thinking about the relationship between the United States and Israel. Is the U.S. [RANDOMIZE: too supportive of Israel, not supportive enough of Israel], or is U.S. support of Israel about right? 1 Too supportive of Israel 2 Not supportive enough 3 About right 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 43a_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Allowing more offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 43b_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on wind, solar and hydrogen technology 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 43c_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Promoting the increased use of nuclear power 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 43d_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Giving tax cuts to energy companies to do more exploration for oil and gas 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 43e_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Requiring better fuel efficiency for cars, trucks and SUVs 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 43f_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Spending more on subway, rail and bus systems 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 45_d

Question Wording: From what you've read and heard, do you favor or oppose fracking? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 65_f

Question Wording: Do you think the United States has a responsibility to do something about the fighting in Syria between government forces and anti-government groups, or doesn't the United States have this responsibility? 1 U.S. has responsibility 2 Doesn't have responsibility 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 66_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. and its allies bombing Syrian military forces to protect anti-government groups in Syria? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 67_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. and its allies sending arms and military supplies to anti- government groups in Syria? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 74_d

Question Wording: As you may know, by 2014 nearly all Americans will be required to have health insurance. People who do not buy insurance will pay a penalty while people who cannot afford it will receive financial help from the government. Do you approve or disapprove of this policy? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 75_d

Question Wording: As you may know, by 2014 nearly all Americans will be required to have health insurance. People who cannot afford insurance will receive financial help from the government while people

who do not buy it will pay a penalty. Do you approve or disapprove of this policy? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-03pol: Question 76_d

Question Wording: Right now, which ONE of the following do you think should be the more important priority for addressing America's energy supply? [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Developing alternative sources, such as wind, solar and hydrogen technology [OR] 2 Expanding exploration and production of oil, coal and natural gas 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both should be given equal priority 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2012-06pol: Question 54_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities for the federal government these days, would you place a higher priority on [OPTION] or a higher priority on [OPTION]? RANDOMIZE OPTIONS: 1 Spending to help the economy recover [OR] 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-06pol: Question 66_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gay and lesbian couples to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-06pol: Question 67_d

Question Wording: What should be the priority for dealing with illegal immigration in the U.S.? [RANDOMIZE; 1 Better border security and stronger enforcement of our immigration laws 2 Creating a way for illegal immigrants already here to become citizens if they meet certain requirements 3 Should BOTH be given equal priority 4 None of these (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2012-06pol: Question 68_d

Question Wording: As you may know, two years ago the state of Arizona passed a law that requires police to verify the legal status of someone they have already stopped or arrested if they suspect that the person is in the country illegally. Do you approve or disapprove of Arizona's immigration law? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2012-09pol: Question 39_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view, even if neither is exactly right? [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Government should do more to solve problems [OR] 2 Government is doing too many things better left to businesses and individuals 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-09pol: Question 41_d

Question Wording: In your view, what is the best way to reduce the federal budget deficit? Should we mostly focus on [RANDOMIZE: Cutting major programs / Increasing taxes] mostly focus on [increasing taxes / cutting major programs] or should we do a combination of both? 1 Cutting major programs 2 Increasing taxes 3 Combination of both 4 Deficit is not a priority/Don't focus on deficit (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-09pol: Question 49a_d

Question Wording: Here is a series of statements on some different topics. The first one is ... [READ ITEM; RANDOMIZE.] Do you completely agree, mostly agree, mostly DISagree or completely disagree. We have gone too far in pushing equal rights in this country 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-09pol: Question 49b_d

Question Wording: Here is a series of statements on some different topics. The first one is ... [READ ITEM; RANDOMIZE.] Do you completely agree, mostly agree, mostly DISagree or completely disagree. I think it's all right for blacks and whites to date each other 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-09pol: Question 49c_f

Question Wording: Here is a series of statements on some different topics. The first one is ... [READ ITEM; RANDOMIZE.] Do you completely agree, mostly agree, mostly DISagree or completely disagree. The best way to ensure peace is through military strength 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-09pol: Question 49d_d

Question Wording: Here is a series of statements on some different topics. The first one is ... [READ ITEM; RANDOMIZE.] Do you completely agree, mostly agree, mostly DISagree or completely disagree. The growing number of newcomers from other countries are a threat to traditional American customs and values 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2012-09pol: Question 49e_d

Question Wording: Here is a series of statements on some different topics. The first one is ... [READ ITEM; RANDOMIZE.] Do you completely agree, mostly agree, mostly DISagree or completely disagree. It is the responsibility of the government to take care of people who can't take care of themselves 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-09pol: Question 49f_d

Question Wording: Here is a series of statements on some different topics. The first one is ... [READ ITEM; RANDOMIZE.] Do you completely agree, mostly agree, mostly DISagree or completely disagree. Government regulation of business usually does more harm than good 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 35a_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Reduce federal funding for programs that help lower-income Americans 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 35b_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Gradually raising the age at which people can begin receiving Social Security benefits 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 35c_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Reduce federal funding for education 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 35d_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Limit tax deductions for interest paid on home mortgages 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 35f_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Raise the tax rate on investment income 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 35g_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Reduce Medicare benefits for seniors with higher incomes 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 35i_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Raise the amount people on Medicare contribute to cover their health care costs 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 35j_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Reduce federal funding for collage student loan programs 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 35k_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Limit tax deductions for large corporations 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 35m_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Raise the income tax rate on incomes over $250,000 a year 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 39_f

Question Wording: Thinking about the relationship between the United States and Israel. Is the U.S. [RANDOMIZE: too supportive of Israel, not supportive enough of Israel], or is U.S. support of Israel about right? 1 Too supportive 2 Not supportive enough 3 About right 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 42_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should remove troops as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Afghanistan 2 Remove troops 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 52_f

Question Wording: Thinking about the dispute over Iran's nuclear program, which is more important in your opinion [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 To take a firm stand against Iranian actions [OR] 2 To avoid a military conflict with Iran 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 56_f

Question Wording: Thinking about our economic and trade policy toward China, which is more important [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Building a stronger relationship with China on economic issues [OR] 2 Getting tougher with China on economic issues 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 59_f

Question Wording: When it comes to recent changes in political leadership in Middle Eastern countries such as Egypt and Libya, do you think the United States should be [RANDOMIZE: more involved OR less involved] than it currently is? 1 More involved 2 Less involved 3 Neither/As involved as we should be (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-10ear: Question 60_f

Question Wording: Thinking about the political situation in the Middle East, which is more important [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Democratic governments, even if there is less stability in the region [OR] 2 Stable governments, even if there is less democracy in the region 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-10late: Question 45_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-10late: Question 46_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ] 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-10late: Question 55_d

Question Wording: Which of the following do you think would be better for the nation's economy? 1 Option [ONE/TWO] - Keeping current tax rates on income under $250,000 while raising taxes on income over $250,000 [OR] 2 Option [TWO/ONE] – Lowering tax rates for all Americans by 20% while cutting back on tax deductions people can take 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-12gun: Question 12_d

Question Wording: Do you think the National Rifle Association has too much influence, too little influence or, the right amount of influence over gun control laws in this country? Too much Too little Right amount Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-12gun: Question 3_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-12gun: Question 7_d

Question Wording: Do you think that gun ownership in this country does more to [INSERT OPTION; RANDOMIZE] or does more to [NEXT OPTION] 1 Protect people from becoming victims of crime [OR] 2 Put people's safety at risk 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-12gun: Question 8_d

Question Wording: Do you think allowing citizens to own assault weapons makes the country [READ AND RANDOMIZE] for citizens? 1 Safer [OR] 2 More dangerous 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-12gun: Question 9a_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals. Banning semi-automatic guns, which automatically reload when the trigger is pulled 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-12gun: Question 9b_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals. Banning the possession of handguns except by law enforcement officers 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-12gun: Question 9c_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals. Banning high-capacity ammunition clips that can hold more than 10 bullets 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-12gun: Question 9d_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals. Banning bullets that explode or are designed to penetrate bullet-proof vests 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 43_d

Question Wording: In your view, what is the best way to reduce the federal budget deficit? Should we mostly focus on [RANDOMIZE: Cutting major programs / Increasing taxes] mostly focus on [increasing taxes / cutting major programs] or should we do a combination of both? 1 Cutting major programs 2 Increasing

taxes 3 Combination of both 4 Deficit is not a priority/Don't focus on deficit (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 47b_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Raise the income tax rate on incomes over $250,000 a year 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 47c_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Limit the amount of deductions a taxpayer can claim 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 47d_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Gradually raising the age at which people can begin receiving Medicare benefits 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 47e_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Reduce Medicare benefits for seniors with higher incomes 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 47f_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Reduce federal funding for programs that help lower-income Americans 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 47h_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Gradually raising the age at which people can begin receiving Social Security benefits 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 47i_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Reduce Social Security benefits for seniors with higher incomes 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 47j_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Raise the tax rate on investment income 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 47k_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Reduce federal funding for education 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 47l_d

Question Wording: Thinking about ways to reduce the deficit and size of the national debt, please tell me if you would approve or disapprove of each of the following. Limit tax deductions for interest paid on home mortgages 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 6_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities for the federal government these days, would you place a higher priority on [OPTION] or a higher priority on [OPTION]? RANDOMIZE OPTIONS: 1 Spending to help the economy recover [OR] 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 60_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 65_f

Question Wording: Do you think the United States has a responsibility to do something about the fighting in Syria between government forces and anti-government groups, or doesn't the United States have this responsibility? 1 U.S. has responsibility 2 Doesn't have responsibility 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-12pol: Question 66_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. and its allies sending arms and military supplies to anti- government groups in Syria? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-relig: Question 24_f

Question Wording: Do you approve or disapprove of the United States conducting missile strikes from pilotless aircraft called drones to target extremists in countries such as Pakistan, Yemen and Somalia? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-relig: Question 26_d

Question Wording: Thinking about immigrants whose parents brought them to the United States illegally when they were children... Would you favor or oppose a law that would let these young adults become legal residents if they go to college or serve in the military for two years? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2012-relig: Question 30a_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose or strongly oppose [INSERT ITEM; ASK ITEMS IN ORDER] Allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? Strongly favor Favor Oppose Strongly oppose Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-relig: Question 30b_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose or strongly oppose [INSERT ITEM; ASK ITEMS IN ORDER] Allowing gays and lesbians to adopt children? Strongly favor Favor Oppose Strongly oppose Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-sdt12: Question 34a_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Social Security program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Gradually raising the age at which people can begin receiving Social Security benefits RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-sdt12: Question 34b_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Social Security program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Reducing Social Security benefits for seniors with higher incomes RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-sdt12: Question 34c_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Social Security program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Raising payroll taxes on high-income earners RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-sdt12: Question 35a_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Medicare program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Gradually raising the age at which people can begin receiving Medicare benefits RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-sdt12: Question 35b_d

Question Wording: To address financial concerns about the Medicare program would you favor or oppose [INSERT FIRST ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Reducing Medicare benefits for seniors with higher incomes RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 18_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. should remove troops as soon as possible? 1 Keep troops in Afghanistan 2 Remove troops 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 20_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 21_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gay and lesbian couples to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 30bb_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you a series of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. I think it's all right for blacks and whites to marry each other 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 30i_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you a series of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. Government regulation of business usually does more harm than good 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 30o_d

Question Wording: Now I am going to read you a series of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. There is too much power concentrated in the hands of a few big companies 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40a_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. There needs to be stricter laws and regulations to protect the environment 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40aa_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. Women get fewer opportunities than men for good jobs 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40d_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. We have gone too far in pushing equal rights in this country 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40ee_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. I am concerned that the government is collecting too much information about people like me 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40f_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. The government should help more needy people even if it means going deeper in debt 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40g_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. The government should guarantee every citizen enough to eat and a place to sleep 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40k_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. I think it's all right for blacks and whites to date each other 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40l_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. We should make every possible effort to improve the position of blacks and other minorities, even if it means giving them preferential treatment 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40n_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. We should restrict and control people coming to live in our country more than we do now 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40o_f

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. It is my belief that we should get even with any country that tries to take advantage of the United States 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40p_f

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. The best way to ensure peace is through military strength 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40u_f

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. It's best for the future of our country to be active in world affairs 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 40z_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. The growing number of newcomers from other countries threaten traditional American customs and values 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 41e_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. School boards ought to have the right to fire teachers who are known homosexuals 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 41f_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. Books that contain dangerous ideas should be banned from public school libraries 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 41g_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. The government needs to do more to make health care affordable and accessible 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 41gg_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. A free market economy needs government regulation in order to best serve the public interest 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 41h_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. Freedom of speech should not extend to groups that are sympathetic to terrorists 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 41i_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. The police should be allowed to search the houses of people who might be sympathetic to terrorists without a court order 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 41j_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. Women should return to their traditional roles in society 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 41o_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. Labor unions are necessary to protect the working person 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2012-values: Question 41p_d

Question Wording: Here is another series of statements on some different topics. Labor unions have too much power 1 Completely agree 2 Mostly agree 3 Mostly disagree 4 Completely disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 40_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 42a_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. A ban on semi-automatic weapons 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 42b_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. A ban on the sale of ammunition online 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 42c_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. Putting armed security guards or police in more schools 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 42d_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. Laws to prevent people with mental illness from purchasing guns 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 42e_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. Making private gun sales and sales at gun shows subject to background checks 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 42f_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. A ban on assault style weapons 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 42g_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. A ban on high-capacity ammunition clips that hold more than 10 bullets 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 42h_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. More teachers and school officials having guns in schools 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 42i_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you would favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. Creating a federal government database to track all gun sales 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-01pol: Question 53_d

Question Wording: In 1973 the Roe versus Wade decision established a woman's constitutional right to an abortion, at least in the first three months of pregnancy. Would you like to see the Supreme Court completely overturn its Roe versus Wade decision, or not? 1 Yes, overturn Roe versus Wade 2 No, not overturn Roe versus Wade 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 15_d

Question Wording: What should be the priority for dealing with illegal immigration in the U.S.? [RANDOMIZE; 1 Better border security and stronger enforcement of our immigration laws 2 Creating a way for illegal immigrants already here to become citizens if they meet certain requirements 3 Should BOTH be given equal priority 4 None of these (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 17_d

Question Wording: Which one of the following do you think should be the more important priority for addressing America's energy supply? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 Developing alternative sources, such as wind, solar and hydrogen technology [OR] 2 Expanding exploration and production of oil, coal and natural gas 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both should be given equal priority 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 18a_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? An increase in the minimum wage from $7.25 to $9.00 an hour 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 18b_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Setting stricter emission limits on power plants in order to address climate change 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 19_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 20a_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy A ban on high-capacity ammunition clips that hold more than 10 bullets 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 20b_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy Making private gun sales and sales at gun shows subject to background checks 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 20c_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy A ban on assault style weapons 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 23_d

Question Wording: Should state governments be allowed to ignore federal gun laws if they choose to do so, or not? 1 Yes, should be allowed 2 No, should not be allowed 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28a_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Health care 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28b_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Energy 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28c_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Anti-terrorism defenses in the U.S. 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28e_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Natural disaster relief programs 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28f_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for The State Department and American Embassies 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28g_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Social Security 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28i_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Economic assistance to needy people in the U.S. 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28k_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Military defense 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28l_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Government assistance for the unemployed 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28n_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Medicare 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28o_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Combating crime 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28p_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Environmental protection 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28q_f

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Economic assistance to needy people around the world 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28r_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Education 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-02pol: Question 28s_d

Question Wording: If you were making up the budget for the federal government this year, would you increase spending, decrease spending or keep spending the same for Food and drug inspection 1 Increase spending 2 Decrease spending 3 Keep spending the same 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 15a_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 15b_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right The growing number of newcomers from other countries threatens traditional American customs and values [OR] The growing number of newcomers from other countries strengthens American society 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 15c_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right Homosexuality should be accepted by society [OR] Homosexuality should be discouraged by society 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 15e_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right Business corporations make too much profit [OR] Most corporations make a fair and reasonable amount of profit 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 56_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle immigrants who are now living in the U.S. illegally? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally [OR] 2 There should be a way for those who meet certain requirements to stay in the country legally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 61_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 70_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 73_f

Question Wording: In your opinion, which is more important [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 To prevent Iran from developing nuclear weapons, even if it means taking military action [OR] 2 To avoid a military conflict with Iran, even if it means they may develop nuclear weapons 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 77a_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Increased use of fracking, a drilling method that uses high-pressure water and chemicals to extract oil and natural gas from underground rock formations 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 77b_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Building the Keystone XL pipeline that would transport oil from Canada's oil sands region through the Midwest to refineries in Texas 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 85_d

Question Wording: Do you think the use of marijuana should be made legal, or not? 1 Yes, legal 2 No, illegal 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-03pol: Question 89_d

Question Wording: As you may know, some states have decided to allow marijuana use, but it is still prohibited under federal law. Do you think the federal government should or should not enforce federal marijuana laws in these states? 1 Should 2 Should not 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 17a_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. 1- Poor people today have it easy because they can get government benefits without doing anything in return [OR] 2- Poor people have hard lives because government benefits don't go far enough to help them live decently

1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 17b_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. 1-Homosexuality should be accepted by society [OR] 2- Homosexuality should be discouraged by society

1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 25_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle immigrants who are now living in the U.S. illegally? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally [OR] 2 There should be a way for those who meet certain requirements to stay in the country legally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 27_d

Question Wording: Should LEGAL immigration into the United States be kept at its present level, increased or decreased? 1 Kept at present level 2 Increased 3 Decreased 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 36a_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose or strongly oppose Allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 36b_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose or strongly oppose Allowing gays and lesbians to enter into legal agreements with each other that would give them many of the same rights as married couples? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 40_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 46a_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. Making private gun sales and sales at gun shows subject to background checks 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 46b_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. A ban on assault style weapons 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 46c_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. More teachers and school officials having guns in schools 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-05pol: Question 46d_d

Question Wording: Please tell me if you favor or oppose the following proposals about gun policy. Creating a federal government database to track all gun sales 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 15_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. and its allies sending arms and military supplies to anti-government groups in Syria? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 16a_f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some statements about the conflict in Syria. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each. The U.S. has a moral obligation to do what it can to stop the violence in Syria 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 16b_f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some statements about the conflict in Syria. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each. It is important for the U.S. to support people who oppose authoritarian regimes 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 16c_f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some statements about the conflict in Syria. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each. U.S. military forces are too overcommitted to get involved in another conflict 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 16d_f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some statements about the conflict in Syria. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each. The opposition groups in Syria may be no better than the current government 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 37_d

Question Wording: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the government's collection of telephone and internet data as part of anti-terrorism efforts? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 46_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally [OR] 2 There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 47b_d

Question Wording: As you may know, Congress is working on a bill that would allow undocumented immigrants to stay in the country legally if they meet certain requirements. A ten-year waiting period for most undocumented immigrants before they could become permanent residents 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 47c_d

Question Wording: As you may know, Congress is working on a bill that would allow undocumented immigrants to stay in the country legally if they meet certain requirements. Requiring undocumented immigrants to pay fines before gaining legal status 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 47d_d

Question Wording: As you may know, Congress is working on a bill that would allow undocumented immigrants to stay in the country legally if they meet certain requirements. Requiring undocumented immigrants to show they can speak and understand English before gaining legal status 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 48_d

Question Wording: Do you think legislation allowing undocumented immigrants to apply for legal status also needs to include increased border security measures, or not? 1 Yes, needs to include increased border security 2 No, does not 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 55a_d

Question Wording: Next, I'm going to read you some statements about undocumented immigrants currently in the U.S. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each statement It would be better for the economy for undocumented immigrants to gain legal status and become legal workers 1 agree 2 disagree 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 55b_d

Question Wording: Next, I'm going to read you some statements about undocumented immigrants currently in the U.S. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each statement Deporting all of the undocumented immigrants already in this country would be unrealistic 1 agree 2 disagree 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 55c_d

Question Wording: Next, I'm going to read you some statements about undocumented immigrants currently in the U.S. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each statement Most undocumented immigrants are hard workers who should have the opportunity to stay in this country and improve their lives 1 agree 2 disagree 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 55d_d

Question Wording: Next, I'm going to read you some statements about undocumented immigrants currently in the U.S. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each statement Granting undocumented immigrants legal status would take jobs from U.S. citizens 1 agree 2 disagree 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 55e_d

Question Wording: Next, I'm going to read you some statements about undocumented immigrants currently in the U.S. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each statement Granting undocumented immigrants legal status would be a drain on government services 1 agree 2 disagree 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 55f_d

Question Wording: Next, I'm going to read you some statements about undocumented immigrants currently in the U.S. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each statement Granting undocumented immigrants legal status would encourage more people to come here illegally 1 agree 2 disagree 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 55g_d

Question Wording: Next, I'm going to read you some statements about undocumented immigrants currently in the U.S. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each statement Granting undocumented immigrants legal status would reward illegal behavior 1 agree 2 disagree 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-06pol: Question 56_d

Question Wording: Just in general... how sympathetic would you say you are toward immigrants who are in the United States illegally [READ; READ IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF SAMPLE]? 1 Very sympathetic 2 Somewhat sympathetic 3 Somewhat unsympathetic [OR] 4 Very unsympathetic 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-07pol: Question 21_d

Question Wording: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the government's collection of telephone and internet data as part of anti-terrorism efforts? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-07pol: Question 40_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ] [PLEASE READ CATEGORIES IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF THE SAMPLE] 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 15_d

Question Wording: Right now, which ONE of the following do you think should be the more important priority for addressing America's energy supply? [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Developing alternative sources, such as wind, solar and hydrogen technology [OR] 2 Expanding exploration and production of oil, coal and natural gas 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both should be given equal priority 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 41_d

Question Wording: Thinking about financial regulation, which comes closer to your view [READ AND RANDOMIZE]: 1 The government has gone too far regulating financial institutions and markets, making it harder for the economy to grow [OR] 2 The government has not gone far enough in regulating financial institutions and markets, leaving the country at risk of another financial crisis 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 5_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. conducting military airstrikes against Syria in response to reports that the Syrian government used chemical weapons? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 55a_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Allowing more offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 55b_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Increasing federal funding for research on wind, solar and hydrogen technology 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 55c_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Promoting the increased use of nuclear power 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 55e_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Requiring better fuel efficiency for cars, trucks and SUVs 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 55f_d

Question Wording: As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Spending more on subway, rail and bus systems 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 56a_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE ITEMS a AND b FIRST WITH ITEM c ALWAYS LAST]? Increased use of fracking, a drilling method that uses high-pressure water and chemicals to extract oil and natural gas from underground rock formations 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 56b_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE ITEMS a AND b FIRST WITH ITEM c ALWAYS LAST]? Building the Keystone XL pipeline that would transport oil from Canada's oil sands region through the Midwest to refineries in Texas 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 56c_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE ITEMS a AND b FIRST WITH ITEM c ALWAYS LAST]? Setting stricter emission limits on power plants in order to address climate change 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 65_d

Question Wording: What's your bigger concern about how the health care law will affect you and your family [READ; RANDOMIZE]? 1 That it will cost you more money [OR] 2 That it will reduce the quality of your health care 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Other reason [SPECIFY:] 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 8a_f

Question Wording: As I read some statements about the situation in Syria, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each. The U.S. has a moral obligation to stop the violence against civilians 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 8b_f

Question Wording: As I read some statements about the situation in Syria, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each. The U.S. must act to show that the use of chemical weapons is unacceptable 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 8c_f

Question Wording: As I read some statements about the situation in Syria, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each. The U.S. will lose credibility around the world if it does not act 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 8d_f

Question Wording: As I read some statements about the situation in Syria, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each. The situation in Syria is a threat to the security of the U.S 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 8e_f

Question Wording: As I read some statements about the situation in Syria, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each. U.S. airstrikes in Syria are likely to make things in the Middle East worse 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-09pol: Question 8f_f

Question Wording: As I read some statements about the situation in Syria, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each. There are no good options for the U.S. in how it deals with Syria 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-10pol: Question 36_d

Question Wording: As you may know, the deadline to raise the nation's debt limit is approaching, as soon as October 17th. From what you've read and heard, do you think [INSERT; RANDOMIZE], or do you think [INSERT; RANDOMIZE]? 1 It is absolutely essential that the federal debt limit be raised to avoid an economic crisis 2 The country can go past the deadline for raising the debt limit without major economic problems 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 17_d

Question Wording: Do you think government should or should not play a significant role in reducing obesity? 1 Should play a significant role 2 Should not play a significant role 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 20_d

Question Wording: Which of these two statements comes closer to your own views – even if neither is exactly right. [READ IN ORDER]: 1 Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] 2 Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/Both equally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 24_f

Question Wording: What kind of leadership role should the United States play in the world? Should it be the SINGLE world leader, or should it play a SHARED leadership role, or should it not play any leadership role? 1 Single leader 2 Shared leadership 3 No leadership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 26_f

Question Wording: In the future, should U.S. policies try to keep it so America is the only military superpower, OR would it be acceptable if China, another country or the European Union became as militarily powerful as the U.S.? 1 Should keep the U.S. as the only military superpower 2 Acceptable if another country became as militarily powerful 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 28_f

Question Wording: In terms of solving world problems, does the United States do too much, too little, or the right amount in helping solve world problems? 1 United States does too much 2 United States does too little 3 United States does right amount 4 United States does nothing (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 31_f

Question Wording: The United States has had strong political, economic and military ties with the nations of [INSERT, RANDOMIZE] on the one hand and the nations of [NEXT ITEM] on the other hand. Which area do you think is most important to the United States [READ IN ORDER OF ABOVE] 1 Europe [OR] 2 Asia 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Equally important 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 32a_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? China's emergence as a world power RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 32b_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Growing authoritarianism in Russia RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 32c_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? North Korea's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 32d_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Iran's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 32e_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Global climate change RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 32e_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Global climate change RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 32f_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Islamic extremist groups like al Qaeda RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 32i_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being

of the United States? Cyber attacks from other countries RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 32j_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Economic problems in the European Union RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33a_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Preventing the spread of weapons of mass destruction 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33b_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Taking measures to protect the U.S. from terrorist attacks 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33c_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Protecting the jobs of American workers 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33c_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Protecting the jobs of American workers 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33d_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Strengthening the United Nations 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33e_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Dealing with global climate change 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33e_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Dealing with global climate change 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33f_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Combating international drug trafficking 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33g_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Helping improve the living standards in developing nations 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33h_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Promoting democracy in other nations 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33i_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Promoting and defending human rights in other countries 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33j_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Reducing our dependence on imported energy sources 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33j_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Reducing our dependence on imported energy sources 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33k_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Reducing illegal immigration 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 33k_f

Question Wording: As I read a list of possible LONG-RANGE foreign policy goals which the United States might have, tell me how much priority you think each should be given. Reducing illegal immigration 1 Top priority 2 Some priority 3 No priority 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 34_f

Question Wording: Do you think that we should increase our spending on national defense, keep it about the same, or cut it back? 1 Increase 2 Keep same 3 Cut back 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 40_f

Question Wording: What do you think about the growing trade and business ties between the U.S. and other countries – do you think it is a very good thing, somewhat good, somewhat bad or a very bad thing for our country? 1 Very good 2 Somewhat good 3 Somewhat bad 4 Very bad 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 41_f

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about greater U.S. involvement in the global economy? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 It is a good thing because it exposes the U.S. to new markets and opportunities for growth [OR] 2 It is a bad thing because it exposes the U.S. to greater economic risks and uncertainty 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 42_f

Question Wording: Do you think the United States made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 43_f

Question Wording: Do you think the United States made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Afghanistan? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 44_f

Question Wording: In terms of resolving the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, do you think the United States should be[RANDOMIZE: more involved than it is now, less involved than it is now], or

as involved as it currently is? 1 More involved 2 Less involved 3 As involved as it currently is 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 46_f

Question Wording: Thinking about the political situation in the Middle East, which is more important [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Democratic governments, even if there is less stability in the region [OR] 2 Stable governments, even if there is less democracy in the region 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 49a_d

Question Wording: As I read some policies that have been considered by some cities and states around the country, please tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Requiring chain restaurants to list calorie counts on menus 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 49c_d

Question Wording: As I read some policies that have been considered by some cities and states around the country, please tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Prohibiting restaurants from using trans fats in foods 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 49d_d

Question Wording: As I read some policies that have been considered by some cities and states around the country, please tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Limiting the size of sugary soft drinks sold in restaurants and convenience stores 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 49e_d

Question Wording: As I read some policies that have been considered by some cities and states around the country, please tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Banning television advertising of unhealthy foods during children's programming 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 49f_d

Question Wording: As I read some policies that have been considered by some cities and states around the country, please tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. Raising taxes on sugary soft drinks and unhealthy foods 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 50_f

Question Wording: In general, does the United States rely on military strength too much, too little or about the right amount to achieve its foreign policy goals? 1 Too much 2 Too little 3 About the right amount 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 51_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of China today... Do you think China is [READ IN ORDER]: 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-11apw: Question 52_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of Russia today... Do you think Russia is [READ IN ORDER]: 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-12pol: Question 31_d

Question Wording: In your view, what is the best way to reduce the federal budget deficit? 1 Cutting major programs 2 Increasing taxes 3 Combination of both 4 Deficit is not a priority/Don't focus on deficit (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-12pol: Question 33_d

Question Wording: If you were setting priorities for the federal government these days, would you place a higher priority on [OPTION] or a higher priority on [OPTION]? RANDOMIZE OPTIONS: 1 Spending to help the economy recover [OR] 2 Reducing the budget deficit 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-12pol: Question 68_f

Question Wording: From what you know, do you approve or disapprove of the agreement between the United States and Iran on Iran's nuclear program? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-12pol: Question 70b_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2013-12pol: Question 70c_d

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Poor people today have it easy because they can get government benefits without doing anything in return [OR] Poor people have hard lives because government benefits don't go far enough to help them live decently 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2013-12pol: Question 70e_f

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The best way to ensure peace is through military strength [OR] Good diplomacy is the best way to ensure peace 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 Neither/both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-wk0124: Question 1_d

Question Wording: Do you support or oppose allowing women in the military to serve in ground units that engage in close combat? 1 Strongly support 2 Somewhat support 3 Somewhat oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-wk0207: Question 9_f

Question Wording: On a different subject, do you approve or disapprove of the United States conducting missile strikes from pilotless aircraft called drones to target extremists in countries such as Pakistan, Yemen and Somalia? Approve Disapprove Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-wk0314: Question 9_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-wk0606: Question 3_d

Question Wording: What's the better way to reduce the problem of sexual assault in the military? [READ IN ORDER]? 1 For military leaders address the problem internally, or 2 For Congress to make changes to military laws 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-wk0606: Question 4_d

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. government should be able to monitor everyone's email and other online activities if officials say this might prevent future terrorist attacks? 1 Yes, should monitor 2 No, should not monitor 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2013-wk0829: Question 2_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. conducting military airstrikes against Syria in response to reports that the Syrian government used chemical weapons? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-wk0829: Question 6_f

Question Wording: Should the U.S. first get a United Nations resolution to use force before taking military action against Syria or don't you think the U.S. needs to do this? 1 Should first get a UN resolution 2 Does not need to do this 3 Should not use force in Syria (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-wk0912: Question 4_f

Question Wording: If Syria does not give up control of its chemical weapons, would you favor or oppose the U.S. conducting military airstrikes against Syria in response to reports that the Syrian government used chemical weapons? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-wk1003: Question 18_d

Question Wording: As you may know, the deadline to raise the nation's debt limit is also approaching, as soon as October 17th. From what you've read and heard, do you think [INSERT; RANDOMIZE], or do you think [INSERT; RANDOMIZE]? 1 It is absolutely essential that the federal debt limit be raised to avoid an economic crisis 2 The country can go past the deadline for raising the debt limit without major economic problems 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2013-wk1031: Question 2a_f

Question Wording: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements The United States should cooperate fully with the United Nations 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-wk1031: Question 2b_f

Question Wording: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements In deciding on its foreign policies, the U.S. should take into account the views of its major allies 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-wk1031: Question 2c_f

Question Wording: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements Since the U.S. is the most powerful nation in the world, we should go our own way in international matters, not worrying too much about whether other countries agree with us or not 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-wk1031: Question 2d_f

Question Wording: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements The U.S. should mind its own business internationally and let other countries get along the best they can on their own 1 Agree 2 Disagree 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2013-wk1031: Question 7_f

Question Wording: Recently,ithasbeenreportedthatU.S.intelligenceagencieshavemonitoredphonecallsof some world leaders, including the chancellor of Germany. Do you think it is acceptable or unacceptable for the U.S. to monitor the phone calls of the leaders of allied nations? 1 Acceptable 2 Unacceptable 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014_02pol: Question 24_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally [OR] 2 There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014_02pol: Question 30_d

Question Wording: As you may know, the number of undocumented immigrants deported from the U.S. has increased in the last few years. Do you think this is a good thing or a bad thing? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014_02pol: Question 39_d

Question Wording: Some states have moved AWAY from the idea of mandatory prison sentences for non-violent drug offenders. Do you think this is a good thing or a bad thing? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-01pol: Question 27_d

Question Wording: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the government's collection of telephone and internet data as part of anti-terrorism efforts? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-01pol: Question 35_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Iraq? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-01pol: Question 37_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. made the right decision or the wrong decision in using military force in Afghanistan? 1 Right decision 2 Wrong decision 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-01pol: Question 44b_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The economic system in this country unfairly favors the wealthy [OR] The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/both equally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2014-01pol: Question 44c_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Government aid to the poor does more harm than good by making people too dependent on government assistance[OR] Government aid to the poor does more good than harm because people can't get out of poverty until their basic needs are met 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/both equally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2014-01pol: Question 44d_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Americans need to be willing to give up privacy and freedom in order to be safe from terrorism [OR] Americans shouldn't have to give up privacy and freedom in order to be safe from terrorism 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/both equally 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-01pol: Question 46a_d

Question Wording: Thinking about some government policies, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? An increase in the minimum wage from $7.25 to $10.10 an hour 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2014-01pol: Question 46b_d

Question Wording: Thinking about some government policies, do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? A one-year extension of federal unemployment benefits for people who have been out of work for a long time 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2014-04pol: Question 50_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-04pol: Question 77a_f

Question Wording: In response to the situation involving Russia and Ukraine, would you favor or oppose the United States [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Would you favor or oppose the United States [NEXT ITEM]? Increasing economic and diplomatic sanctions on Russia 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-04pol: Question 77b_f

Question Wording: In response to the situation involving Russia and Ukraine, would you favor or oppose the United States [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Would you favor or oppose the United States [NEXT ITEM]? Sending arms and military supplies to the Ukrainian government 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-07pol: Question 53_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-07pol: Question 55_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally [OR] 2 There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-07pol: Question 60_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. has a responsibility to do something about the violence in Iraq, or doesn't the U.S. have this responsibility? 1 U.S. has responsibility 2 U.S. doesn't have responsibility 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 52_f

Question Wording: In terms of solving world problems, does the United States do too much, too little, or the right amount in helping solve world problems? 1 United States does too much 2 United States does too little 3 United States does right amount 4 United States does nothing (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54a_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? China's emergence as a world power RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54b_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Growing tension between Russia and its neighbors RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54c_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? North Korea's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54d_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Iran's nuclear program RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54e_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Global climate change RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54e_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Global climate change RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54f_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? The conflict between Israelis and Palestinians RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54g_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well

being of the United States? The rapid spread of infectious diseases from country to country RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54g_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? The rapid spread of infectious diseases from country to country RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54h_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? Islamic extremist groups like al Qaeda [PRONOUNCED: al KY-da] RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 54i_f

Question Wording: I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns for the U.S. Do you think that [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of the United States? The Islamic militant group in Iraq and Syria, known as ISIS [PRONOUNCED: "eye-sis"] RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Major threat 2 Minor threat 3 Not a threat 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 60a_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, how much do you sympathize with [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Israel 1 A lot 2 Some 3 Not much 4 Not at all 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 60b_f

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, how much do you sympathize with [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? The Palestinians 1 A lot 2 Some 3 Not much 4 Not at all 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 66_d

Question Wording: What should be the priority for dealing with illegal immigration in the U.S.? 1 Better border security and stronger enforcement of our immigration laws 2 Creating a way for illegal immigrants already here to become citizens if they meet certain requirements 3 Should BOTH be given equal priority 4 None of these (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 69a_d

Question Wording: As you many know, thousands of children from Central America who entered the U.S. illegally have been apprehended at the U.S. border. Please tell me whether you would favor or oppose allowing these children to do each of the following. Attend public schools in the U.S. 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 69b_d

Question Wording: As you many know, thousands of children from Central America who entered the U.S. illegally have been apprehended at the U.S. border. Please tell me whether you would favor or oppose allowing these children to do each of the following. Join their families already living in the U.S. 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 69c_d

Question Wording: As you many know, thousands of children from Central America who entered the U.S. illegally have been apprehended at the U.S. border. Please tell me whether you would favor or oppose allowing these children to do each of the following. Be housed in a government facility in the U.S. 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-08pol: Question 70_d

Question Wording: And would you favor or oppose allowing some of these children [children of illegal immigrants] to attend public school in your community? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-09rel: Question 18_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ IN ORDER TO RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE, IN REVERSE ORDER TO OTHER HALF OF SAMPLE]? 1 Legal in all cases 2 Legal in most cases 3 Illegal in most cases 4 Illegal in all cases 9 [VOL. – DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-09rel: Question 19_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-10pol: Question 70_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally [OR] 2 There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-10pol: Question 72_d

Question Wording: Do you think the use of marijuana should be made legal, or not? 1 Yes, legal 2 No, illegal 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2014-10pol: Question 75_f

Question Wording: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. military campaign against Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-10pol: Question 77_f

Question Wording: What concerns you more about the U.S. military action in Iraq and Syria? [READ AND RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2] 1 That the U.S. will go too far in getting involved in the situation [OR] 2 That the U.S. will not go far enough in stopping the Islamic militants 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-10pol: Question 79_f

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. sending ground troops to fight Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-10pol: Question 80_f

Question Wording: Do you think other countries that are allies of the United States are doing enough or not doing enough to help the U.S. military effort against Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Yes, doing enough 2 No, not doing enough 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-10pol: Question 87_f

Question Wording: As you may know, the U.S. has sent military troops, food and medical supplies to help combat the Ebola outbreak in West Africa. Overall, do you favor or oppose U.S. efforts to combat the Ebola virus in West Africa? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2014-10pol: Question 87_f

Question Wording: As you may know, the U.S. has sent military troops, food and medical supplies to help combat the Ebola outbreak in West Africa. Overall, do you favor or oppose U.S. efforts to combat the Ebola virus in West Africa? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-11post: Question 38_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view, even if neither is exactly right? [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Government should do more to solve problems [OR] 2 Government is doing too many things better left to businesses and individuals 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2014-11post: Question 69a_f

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose Increased use of fracking, a drilling method that uses high-pressure water and chemicals to extract oil and natural gas from underground rock formations 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2014-11post: Question 69a_f

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose Increased use of fracking, a drilling method that uses high-pressure water and chemicals to extract oil and natural gas from underground rock formations 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-11post: Question 69b_f

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose Building the Keystone XL pipeline that would transport oil from Canada's oil sands region through the Midwest to refineries in Texas 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2014-11post: Question 69b_f

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose Building the Keystone XL pipeline that would transport oil from Canada's oil sands region through the Midwest to refineries in Texas 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-11post: Question 69c_f

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose Setting stricter emission limits on power plants in order to address climate change 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2014-11post: Question 69c_f

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose Setting stricter emission limits on power plants in order to address climate change 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-12pol: Question 53_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-12pol: Question 70_d

Question Wording: Just in general... how sympathetic would you say you are toward immigrants who are in the United States illegally [READ; READ IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF SAMPLE]? 1 Very sympathetic 2 Somewhat sympathetic 3 Somewhat unsympathetic [OR] 4 Very unsympathetic 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 106_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose legalized casino gambling in your state? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 107_d

Question Wording: Right now, which ONE of the following do you think should be the more important priority for addressing America's energy supply? [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Developing alternative sources, such as wind, solar and hydrogen technology [OR] 2 Expanding exploration and production of oil, coal and natural gas 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both should be given equal priority 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 108_d

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 110_d

Question Wording: Do you think the use of marijuana should be made legal, or not? 1 Yes, legal 2 No, illegal 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 115_f

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements between the U.S. and other countries have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 122_d

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle immigrants who are now living in the U.S. illegally? Should they [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 Not be eligible for citizenship [OR SHOULD THEY] 2 Be eligible for citizenship if they meet certain requirements 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 123_d

Question Wording: What do you think is more important – to protect the right of Americans to own guns, OR to control gun ownership? 1 Protect the right of Americans to own guns 2 Control gun ownership 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 124_d

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 LEGAL in all or most cases [OR] 2 ILLEGAL in all or most cases 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 125_d

Question Wording: Thinking about the long term future of Social Security, do you think [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Some reductions in benefits for future retirees need to be considered [OR] 2 Social Security benefits should not be reduced in any way 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 126_d

Question Wording: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the government's collection of telephone and internet data as part of anti-terrorism efforts? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 127_d

Question Wording: In general, do you think affirmative action programs designed to increase the number of black and minority students on college campuses are a good thing or a bad thing? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 128_d

Question Wording: Do you favor or oppose building the Keystone XL pipeline that would transport oil from Canada's oil sands region through the Midwest to refineries in Texas? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 25b_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Government regulation of business is necessary to protect the public interest [OR] Government regulation of business usually does more harm than good 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 25c_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Poor people today have it easy because they can get government benefits without doing anything in return [OR] Poor people have hard lives because government benefits don't go far enough to help them live decently 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 25d_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The government should do more to help needy Americans, even if it means going deeper into debt [OR] The government today can't afford to do much more to help the needy 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 25f_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Racial discrimination is the main reason why many black people can't get ahead these days [OR] Blacks who can't get ahead in this country are mostly responsible for their own condition 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 25g_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 25i_f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The best way to ensure peace is through military strength [OR] Good diplomacy is the best way to ensure peace 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 25m_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND

statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Too much power is concentrated in the hands of a few large companies [OR] The largest companies do NOT have too much power 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 25n_d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Business corporations make too much profit [OR] Most corporations make a fair and reasonable amount of profit 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 50bb_f

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Using overwhelming military force is the best way to defeat terrorism around the world [OR] Relying too much on military force to defeat terrorism creates hatred that leads to more terrorism 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 50dd_d

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The growing number of newcomers from other countries threatens traditional American customs and values [OR] The growing number of newcomers from other countries strengthens American society 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 50ee_f

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. It's best for the future of our country to be active in world affairs [OR] We should pay less attention to problems overseas and concentrate on problems here at home 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 50ff_d

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Americans need to be willing to give up privacy and freedom in order to be safe from terrorism [OR] Americans shouldn't have to give up privacy and freedom in order to be safe from terrorism 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 50hh_d

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Our country has made the changes needed to give blacks equal rights with whites [OR] Our country needs to continue making changes to give blacks equal rights with whites 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 50q_d

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. This country should do whatever it takes to protect the environment [OR] This country has gone too far in its efforts to protect the environment 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 50r_d

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Stricter environmental laws and regulations cost too many jobs and hurt the economy [OR] Stricter environmental laws and regulations are worth the cost 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: energy

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 50u_d

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Homosexuality should be accepted by society [OR] Homosexuality should be discouraged by society 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 51ii_d

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Government should do more to solve problems [OR] Government is doing too many things better left to businesses and individuals 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 51kk_d

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Government aid to the poor does more harm than good, by making people too dependent on government assistance [OR] Government aid to the poor does more good than harm, because people can't get out of poverty until their basic needs are met 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 51ll_d

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests [OR] The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2014-typo: Question 51oo_d

Question Wording: Now I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Again, just tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The police should be allowed to stop and search anyone who fits the general description of a crime suspect [OR] The police should not be able to search people just because they think they look suspicious 1 Statement #1 2 Statement #2 5 Neither/Both equally (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0306: Question 5_f

Question Wording: Do you think Russia was justified or not justified in sending troops into Ukraine? 1 Justified 2 Not justified 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0306: Question 8_f

Question Wording: Thinking about the situation in Ukraine, do you think it is more important for the U.S. to [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Take a firm stand against Russian actions [OR] 2 Not get too involved in the situation 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0320: Question 3_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of China today... Do you think China is [READ IN ORDER]: 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0320: Question 4_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of Russia today... Do you think Russia is [READ IN ORDER]: 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0320: Question 6_f

Question Wording: Thinking about the situation in Ukraine, do you think it is more important for the U.S. to [READ AND RANDOMIZE]? 1 Take a firm stand against Russian actions [OR] 2 Not get too involved in the situation 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0605: Question 6_f

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view, even if neither is exactly right [READ; RANDOMIZE]? {U} 1 Because soldier Bowe Bergdahl left his post, the U.S. was not obligated to do all it could to secure his release [OR] 2 The U.S. has a responsibility to do all it can to return an American captive soldier, no matter what the circumstances 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0724: Question 4_f

Question Wording: All things considered, which of these descriptions comes closest to your view of Russia today... Do you think Russia is [READ IN ORDER]: 1 An adversary 2 A serious problem, but not an adversary 3 OR, Not much of a problem? 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0724: Question 5_f

Question Wording: How important to the interests of the United States is what happens between Russia and Ukraine [READ IN ORDER]? 1 Very important 2 Somewhat important 3 Not too important [OR] 4 Not at all important 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0724: Question 6_f

Question Wording: Over the past few weeks, there has been a significant military conflict between Israel and Hamas [PRONOUNCED: Ha-Moss] in the Gaza Strip. Who do you think is most responsible for the current violence? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 Israel [OR] 2 Hamas 8 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0724: Question 7_f

Question Wording: What do you think about the way Israel is responding in the current conflict with Hamas in the Gaza Strip? Has Israel gone too far, not gone far enough, or has Israel's response been about right? 1 Gone too far 2 Not gone far enough 3 About right 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0814: Question 2_f

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. has a responsibility to do something about the violence in Iraq, or doesn't the U.S. have this responsibility? 1 U.S. has responsibility 2 U.S. doesn't have responsibility 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0814: Question 3_f

Question Wording: Do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. airstrikes against militants in Iraq in response to violence against civilians? RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0814: Question 5_f

Question Wording: What concerns you more about the U.S. military action in Iraq? [READ AND RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2] RESPONSE CATEGORIES: 1 That the U.S. will go too far in getting involved in the situation [OR] 2 That the U.S. will not go far enough in stopping the Islamic militants 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2014-wk0814: Question 7_d

Question Wording: In the aftermath of the police shooting in Ferguson, Missouri, do you think thatt he police response [INSERT; RANDOMIZE] or do you think the police response [ITEM]? 1 Has gone too far 2 Has been about right 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2015-02pol: Question 11a

Question Wording: As I read you some pairs of statements please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Government aid to the poor does more harm than good, by making people too dependent on government assistance [OR] Government aid to the poor does more good than harm, because people can't get out of poverty until their basic needs are met

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2015-02pol: Question 11b

Question Wording: As I read you some pairs of statements please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests [OR] The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2015-02pol: Question 11c

Question Wording: As I read you some pairs of statements please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Using overwhelming military force is the best way to defeat terrorism around the world [OR] Relying too much on military force to defeat terrorism creates hatred that leads to more terrorism

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-02pol: Question 13

Question Wording: As you may know, the United States government has a policy that it NEVER pays ransom money for hostages held by terrorist groups. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of this policy? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-02pol: Question 66

Question Wording: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. military campaign against Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-02pol: Question 70

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. sending ground troops to fight Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-02pol: Question 75a

Question Wording: In response to the situation involving Russia and Ukraine, would you favor or oppose the United States [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Would you favor or oppose the United States [NEXT ITEM]? a. Increasing economic and diplomatic sanctions on Russia

1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-02pol: Question 75b

Question Wording: In response to the situation involving Russia and Ukraine, would you favor or oppose the United States [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Would you favor or oppose the United States [NEXT ITEM]? b. Sending arms and military supplies to the Ukrainian government

1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-02pol: Question 75c

Question Wording: In response to the situation involving Russia and Ukraine, would you favor or oppose the United States [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Would you favor or oppose the United States [NEXT ITEM]? c. Training Ukrainian military troops 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-02pol: Question 78

Question Wording: Thinking about the relationship between the United States and Israel . . . Is the U.S. [RANDOMIZE: too supportive of Israel, not supportive enough of Israel], or is U.S. support of Israel about right? 1 Too supportive 2 Not supportive enough 3 About right 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-03pol: Question 71

Question Wording: From what you know, do you approve or disapprove of the United States negotiating directly with Iran over the issue of its nuclear program? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-05pol: Question 24a

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Homosexuality should be accepted by society [OR] Homosexuality should be discouraged by society

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2015-05pol: Question 24b

Question Wording: Here are some pairs of statements. Please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2015-05pol: Question 34

Question Wording: Do you approve or disapprove of the United States conducting missile strikes from pilotless aircraft called drones to target extremists in countries such as Pakistan, Yemen and Somalia? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-05pol: Question 36

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally [OR] 2 There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2015-05pol: Question 38a

Question Wording: Thinking about LEGAL immigration, Q.38a Should LEGAL immigration into the United States be kept at its present level, increased or decreased? 1 Kept at present level 2 Increased 3 Decreased 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2015-05pol: Question 40

Question Wording: Do you strongly favor, favor, oppose, or strongly oppose allowing gays and lesbians to marry legally? 1 Strongly favor 2 Favor 3 Oppose 4 Strongly oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2015-05pol: Question 44

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements between the U.S. and other countries have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-07pol: Question 35

Question Wording: From what you know, do you approve or disapprove of this agreement? [IF NECESSARY: The recent agreement on Iran's nuclear program between Iran, the United States and other nations]

1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-07pol: Question 61

Question Wording: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. military campaign against Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria?

1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-07pol: Question 64

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. sending ground troops to fight Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-07pol: Question 75

Question Wording: Q.75 All in all, do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. re-establishing diplomatic relations with Cuba?

1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-07pol: Question 76

Question Wording: And, would you favor or oppose the U.S. ending its trade embargo against Cuba, which would allow U.S. companies to do business in Cuba and Cuban companies to do business in the U.S.? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-09pol: Question 52

Question Wording: If there is not a budget agreement by the end of September the federal government will have to shut down many of its operations until a budget is passed. What would you like lawmakers who share your views on this issue to do? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1. Should they stand by their principles, even if that means the government shuts down [OR] 2. Should they be more willing to compromise, even if that means they pass a budget you disagree with 9. [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2015-09pol: Question 55

Question Wording: As you may know, a main point of disagreement in a possible government shutdown is about Planned Parenthood. [RANDOMIZE: Some Republicans say that any budget agreement must eliminate funding for Planned Parenthood /Democrats say any budget agreement must maintain funding for Planned Parenthood] Which comes closer to your view, even if neither is exactly right?[READ IN SAME ORDER AS RANDOMIZATION]: Any budget agreement must eliminate funding for Planned Parenthood [OR] Any budget agreement must maintain funding for Planned Parenthood [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2015-09pol: Question 58

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country

legally [OR] 2 There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2015-09pol: Question 63

Question Wording: Would you favor changing the Constitution so that the parents must be legal residents of the U.S. in order for their newborn child to be a citizen, or should the Constitution be left as it is? 1. Favor changing Constitution 2. Leave Constitution as is 3. Constitution does not automatically allow newborns to be citizens 9. (VOL.) Don't Know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2015-09pol: Question 64

Question Wording: All in all, would you favor or oppose building a fence along the entire border with Mexico? 1 2 Favor Oppose Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2015-09pol: Question 7

Question Wording: Do you think abortion should be [READ IN ORDER TO RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE, IN 1. Legal in all cases 2. Legal in most cases 3. Illegal in most cases 4. Illegal in all cases 9. [VOL. – DO NOT READ] Don't Know/Refused

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2015-09pol: Question 9

Question Wording: In order to help deal with this situation, the United States recently announced it will increase the number of refugees it accepts. All in all, do you approve or disapprove of this decision?

Approve Disapprove Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2015-09pol: Question 9

Question Wording: In order to help deal with this situation, the United States recently announced it will increase the number of refugees it accepts. All in all, do you approve or disapprove of this decision?

Approve Disapprove Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-12pol: Question 27

Question Wording: What concerns you more about the government's anti-terrorism policies [READ AND RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2]? 1 That they have gone too far in restricting the average person's civil liberties [OR] 2 That they have not gone far enough to adequately protect the country 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither / Approve of policies 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-12pol: Question 30a

Question Wording: As I read you some pairs of statements please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The growing number of newcomers from other countries threatens traditional American customs and values [OR] The growing number of newcomers from other countries strengthens American society

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2015-12pol: Question 30b

Question Wording: As I read you some pairs of statements please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. U.S. efforts to solve problems around the world usually end up making things worse [OR] Problems in the world would be even worse without U.S. involvement

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-12pol: Question 30c

Question Wording: As I read you some pairs of statements please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right Using overwhelming military force is the best way to defeat terrorism around the world [OR] Relying too much on military force to defeat terrorism creates hatred that leads to more terrorism

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-12pol: Question 45

Question Wording: As you may know, the federal minimum wage is currently $7.25 an hour. Do you favor or oppose increasing the minimum wage? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2015-12pol: Question 81

Question Wording: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. military campaign against Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-12pol: Question 84

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. sending ground troops to fight Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-governance: Question 107xf2

Question Wording: Which statement comes closer to your views, even if neither is exactly right? The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests [OR] The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2015-governance: Question 107yf2

Question Wording: Which statement comes closer to your views, even if neither is exactly right? Wall Street HELPS the American economy more than it hurts [OR] Wall Street HURTS the American economy more than it helps

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2015-governance: Question 42c

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right Poor people today have it easy because they can get government benefits without doing anything in return [OR] Poor people have hard lives because government benefits don't go far enough to help them live decently

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2015-governance: Question 42d

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right The government should do more to help needy Americans, even if it means going deeper into debt [OR] The government today can't afford to do much more to help the needy

Policy Topic: welfare

Survey ID uspew2015-governance: Question 42f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Racial discrimination is the main reason why many black people can't get ahead these days [OR] Blacks who can't get ahead in this country are mostly responsible for their own condition

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2015-governance: Question 42g

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2015-governance: Question 42h

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right The best way to ensure peace is through military strength [OR] Good diplomacy is the best way to ensure peace

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2015-governance: Question 42m

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Homosexuality should be accepted by society [OR] Homosexuality should be discouraged by society

Policy Topic: civil_rights

Survey ID uspew2016-0326: Question 50c

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. Immigrants today strengthen our country because of their hard work and talents [OR] Immigrants today are a burden on our country because they take our jobs, housing and health care

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2016-0326: Question 50f

Question Wording: I'm going to read you some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. As I read each pair, tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. U.S. efforts to solve problems around the world usually end up making things worse [OR] Problems in the world would be even worse without U.S. involvement

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0326: Question 58m

Question Wording: I'm going to read a few more pairs of statements. Just tell me which statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests [OR] The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2016-0326: Question 77

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements between the U.S. and other countries have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0326: Question 85

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally [OR] 2 There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2016-0326: Question 87f1

Question Wording: All in all, would you favor or oppose building a fence along the entire border with Mexico? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2016-0326: Question 88f2

Question Wording: All in all, would you favor or oppose building a wall along the entire border with Mexico? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 28

Question Wording: In the future, should U.S. policies try to keep it so America is the only military superpower, OR would it be acceptable if another country became as militarily powerful as the U.S.? 1 Should keep the U.S. as the only military superpower 2 Acceptable if another country became as militarily powerful 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 31

Question Wording: Which statement comes closer to your view? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 The U.S. should deal with its own problems and let other countries deal with their own problems as best they can [OR] 2 The U.S. should help other countries deal with their problems 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/other 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 37

Question Wording: What concerns you more about the government's anti-terrorism policies? [READ AND RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2] 1 That they have gone too far in restricting the average person's civil liberties [OR] 2 That they have not gone far enough to adequately protect the country 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither / Approve of policies 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 40

Question Wording: Which statement comes closer to your view about U.S. involvement in the global economy – even if neither is exactly right? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 It is a good thing because it provides the U.S. with new markets and opportunities for growth [OR] 2 It is a bad thing because it lowers wages and costs jobs in the U.S. 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 41a

Question Wording: I'm going to read you a list of things that the U.S. might do in dealing with developing countries. As I read each one, please tell me if you would support or oppose it. a. Increasing foreign aid to developing countries 1 Support 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 41b

Question Wording: I'm going to read you a list of things that the U.S. might do in dealing with developing countries. As I read each one, please tell me if you would support or oppose it. b. Importing more goods from developing countries1 Support 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 41c

Question Wording: I'm going to read you a list of things that the U.S. might do in dealing with developing countries. As I read each one, please tell me if you would support or oppose it. c. Increasing U.S. companies' investment in developing countries 1 Support 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 42

Question Wording: Do you think that we should increase our spending on national defense, keep it about the same, or cut it back? 1 Increase 2 Keep same 3 Cut it back 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 47

Question Wording: As you may know, NATO [PRONOUNCED: NAY-toe], or the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, is a military alliance between the U.S., Canada, and many European countries. All in all, would you say being a member of NATO is [READ] 1 Good for the U.S. [OR] 2 Bad for the U.S. 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 52

Question Wording: In the dispute between Israel and the Palestinians, which side do you sympathize with more, Israel or the Palestinians? 1 Israel 2 Palestinians 3 Both (VOL.) 4 Neither (VOL.) 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 64a

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view — even if neither is exactly right. Using overwhelming military force is the best way to defeat terrorism around the world [OR] Relying too much on military force to defeat terrorism creates hatred that leads to more terrorism

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 64b

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view — even if neither is exactly right. In foreign policy, the U.S. should take into account the interests of its allies even if it means making compromises with them [OR] In foreign policy, the U.S. should follow its OWN national interests even when its allies strongly disagree

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 73

Question Wording: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. military campaign against Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Approve 2 Disapprove 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 75

Question Wording: What concerns you more about the U.S. military action in Iraq and Syria [READ AND RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2]? 1 That the U.S. will go too far in getting involved in the situation [OR] 2 That the U.S. will not go far enough in stopping the Islamic militants 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0419: Question 76

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose the U.S. sending ground troops to fight Islamic militants in Iraq and Syria? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0816: Question 56f1

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements between the U.S. and other countries have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-0816: Question 58

Question Wording: Would you favor or oppose an increase in the federal minimum wage from $7.25 an hour to $15 an hour? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2016-0816: Question 76a

Question Wording: When it comes to undocumented immigrants currently in the U.S which comes closer to your view — even if neither is exactly right Undocumented immigrants mostly fill jobs that American citizens would like to have [OR] Undocumented immigrants mostly fill jobs American citizens don't want

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2016-0816: Question 76b

Question Wording: When it comes to undocumented immigrants currently in the U.S which comes closer to your view — even if neither is exactly right In general undocumented immigrants are as honest and hardworking as American citizens [OR] In general undocumented immigrants are not as honest and hardworking as American citizens

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2016-0816: Question 76c

Question Wording: When it comes to undocumented immigrants currently in the U.S which comes closer to your view — even if neither is exactly right Undocumented immigrants living in the U.S. are more likely than American citizens to commit serious crimes [OR] Undocumented immigrants living in the U.S. are NO more likely than American citizens to commit serious crimes

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2016-0816: Question 78

Question Wording: All in all, would you favor or oppose building a wall along the entire border with Mexico? 1 Favor 2 Oppose 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2016-1025: Question 100f1

Question Wording: Which statement comes closer to your view? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 The U.S. should deal with its own problems and let other countries deal with their own problems as best they can [OR] 2 The U.S. should help other countries deal with their problems 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither/other 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-1025: Question 103f2

Question Wording: What concerns you more about the U.S. military action in Iraq and Syria [READ AND RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2]? 1 That the U.S. will go too far in getting involved in the situation [OR] 2 That the U.S. will not go far enough in stopping the Islamic militants 3 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Both 4 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Neither 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-1025: Question 90f1

Question Wording: Thinking about taxes . . . do you think tax rates on household income over $250,000 should be raised, lowered, or kept the same as they are now? 1 Raised 2 Lowered 3 Kept the same as they are now 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: economy

Survey ID uspew2016-1025: Question 91f1

Question Wording: Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.? [READ AND RANDOMIZE] 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally [OR] 2 There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met 9 [VOL. DO NOT READ] Don't know/Refused

Policy Topic: immigration

Survey ID uspew2016-1025: Question 95f1

Question Wording: In general, do you think that free trade agreements between the U.S. and other countries have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-1025: Question 96f2

Question Wording: As you may know, the United States has negotiated a free trade agreement with eleven countries in Asia and Latin America called the Trans-Pacific Partnership, or TPP. Do you think this trade agreement would be a good thing for our country or a bad thing? 1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 3 Haven't heard enough (VOL.) 4 Neither good nor bad (VOL.) 8 Don't know (VOL.) 9 Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: foreign

Survey ID uspew2016-1025: Question 97f1

Question Wording: Do you think the U.S. has a responsibility to accept refugees from Syria into the country, or do you think the U.S. does NOT have a responsibility to do this? 1 U.S. has a responsibility to accept Syrian refugees 2 U.S. does not have a responsibility to accept Syrian refugees 9 Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Policy Topic: immigration