

JANUARY 20-21, 2010 MEDIA COVERAGE OF PRESIDENT OBAMA

How do you rate the job the news media has done as a watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration—as (read 1-4)? BY total + Sex + Age + Sex/Age

		total	Sex		Age				Sex/Age			
		total	Male	Female	18-29	30-49	50-64	65+	Male 18-49	Male 50+	Female 18-49	Female 50+
Total	Unweighted N	1026	517	509	95	270	335	326	195	322	170	339
	Weighted N	1038	493	545	203	366	266	203	277	216	291	254
Excellent		85	40	45	16	21	26	21	16	23	21	24
		8.2%	8.1%	8.3%	7.8%	5.8%	9.9%	10.5%	5.9%	10.9%	7.1%	9.5%
Good		270	109	160	70	84	71	44	58	52	97	64
		26.0%	22.2%	29.4%	34.4%	23.1%	26.6%	21.9%	20.7%	24.0%	33.2%	25.1%
Fair, or		380	174	206	84	164	68	64	123	51	126	80
		36.6%	35.3%	37.7%	41.4%	44.9%	25.4%	31.4%	44.2%	23.8%	43.1%	31.6%
Poor		282	159	124	32	82	99	68	71	87	43	81
		27.2%	32.2%	22.7%	15.9%	22.4%	37.3%	33.7%	25.8%	40.4%	14.7%	31.8%
(DK)		15	8	6	0	12	0	2	8	0	4	2
		1.4%	1.7%	1.1%	.0%	3.4%	.2%	.9%	3.0%	.0%	1.4%	.9%
(Refused)		7	3	4	1	2	2	3	1	2	2	3
		.7%	.6%	.8%	.4%	.4%	.6%	1.7%	.3%	1.0%	.5%	1.2%

How do you rate the job the news media has done as a watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration—as (read 1-4)? BY total + Region + Race 1 + Race 2 + Hispanic

		total	Region				Race 1		Race 2		Hispanic	
		total	East	Midwest	South	West	White	Non-white	Black	Non-black	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	238	229	336	223	806	220	71	955	72	954
	Weighted N	1038	242	225	309	262	731	307	121	918	122	916
Excellent		85	29	18	20	18	48	37	12	73	17	68
		8.2%	12.0%	7.9%	6.6%	6.7%	6.6%	12.0%	9.8%	8.0%	13.8%	7.4%
Good		270	63	67	64	76	173	97	30	240	48	221
		26.0%	26.2%	29.6%	20.6%	29.0%	23.7%	31.4%	24.6%	26.2%	39.7%	24.1%
Fair, or		380	79	74	139	88	252	128	55	324	49	330
		36.6%	32.7%	32.9%	44.9%	33.5%	34.5%	41.5%	45.8%	35.3%	40.5%	36.0%
Poor		282	63	64	78	78	241	41	19	263	7	275
		27.2%	25.8%	28.3%	25.2%	29.8%	33.0%	13.3%	15.7%	28.7%	6.1%	30.0%
(DK)		15	7	2	5	0	9	5	5	10	0	15
		1.4%	2.9%	1.0%	1.7%	.0%	1.3%	1.7%	4.2%	1.0%	.0%	1.6%
(Refused)		7	1	1	3	3	7	0	0	7	0	7
		.7%	.4%	.3%	.9%	1.0%	1.0%	.1%	.0%	.8%	.0%	.8%

How do you rate the job the news media has done as a watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration—as (read 1-4)? BY total + Education + College graduate + Monthly Income

		total	Education				College graduate		Monthly Income			
		total	H.S. or less	Some college	College grad only	Post Grad	Yes	No	Under \$2,000	\$2,000-\$4,999	\$5,000-\$7,499	\$7,500 or more
Total	Unweighted N	1026	244	320	234	205	439	564	155	277	157	166
	Weighted N	1038	393	317	180	138	318	709	186	283	164	141
Excellent		85	46	18	12	5	17	64	38	17	3	4
		8.2%	11.7%	5.6%	6.6%	3.9%	5.4%	9.0%	20.3%	5.9%	1.6%	3.0%
Good		270	97	95	48	29	77	191	46	82	42	34
		26.0%	24.6%	29.9%	26.6%	21.3%	24.3%	27.0%	24.7%	28.9%	25.4%	24.3%
Fair, or		380	156	109	56	55	111	265	66	104	59	45
		36.6%	39.8%	34.4%	31.3%	39.8%	35.0%	37.4%	35.7%	36.8%	36.1%	32.2%
Poor		282	82	88	63	47	110	170	33	77	59	53
		27.2%	20.9%	27.7%	35.1%	33.9%	34.6%	23.9%	18.0%	27.1%	35.7%	37.9%
(DK)		15	8	5	0	0	0	14	1	1	2	3
		1.4%	2.2%	1.7%	.0%	.3%	.1%	2.0%	.8%	.3%	1.2%	2.1%
(Refused)		7	3	2	1	1	2	5	1	3	0	1
		.7%	.8%	.7%	.4%	.8%	.6%	.7%	.6%	1.0%	.0%	.4%

How do you rate the job the news media has done as a watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration—as (read 1-4)? BY total + Party Id + Party Id + Party Id + Party Id + Ideology

		total	Party Id			Party Id	Party Id	Party Id	Ideology		
		total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Dem/Lean Dem	Ind/No Lean	Rep/Lean rep	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Total	Unweighted N	1026	300	380	300	418	87	479	197	356	427
	Weighted N	1038	325	393	284	458	100	447	204	387	410
Excellent		85	39	21	21	44	11	26	28	16	36
		8.2%	11.9%	5.2%	7.5%	9.6%	11.0%	5.7%	13.9%	4.2%	8.9%
Good		270	108	93	63	151	20	87	58	106	97
		26.0%	33.1%	23.7%	22.2%	33.0%	20.1%	19.4%	28.6%	27.4%	23.6%
Fair, or		380	124	156	85	191	42	137	70	177	117
		36.6%	38.0%	39.6%	29.7%	41.7%	41.6%	30.6%	34.5%	45.8%	28.6%
Poor		282	53	114	110	70	18	189	43	80	152
		27.2%	16.3%	29.0%	38.6%	15.2%	18.0%	42.2%	21.3%	20.8%	36.9%
(DK)		15	2	7	2	2	7	5	3	5	5
		1.4%	.6%	1.8%	.8%	.4%	7.0%	1.2%	1.7%	1.2%	1.3%
(Refused)		7	0	3	3	0	2	4	0	3	3
		.7%	.1%	.7%	1.1%	.1%	2.2%	.9%	.0%	.7%	.7%

How do you rate the job the news media has done as a watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration—as (read 1-4)? BY total + Party ID and Ideology + Employed for pay

		total	Party ID and Ideology					Employed for pay		
		total	Liberal Democrat	Moderate Democrat	Conservative Democrat	Pure Independent	Liberal/moderate Republican	Conservative Republican	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	156	190	68	87	136	343	532	494
	Weighted N	1038	152	209	89	100	146	301	579	459
Excellent		85	16	6	21	11	12	13	39	46
		8.2%	10.7%	2.8%	23.3%	11.0%	8.4%	4.5%	6.7%	10.1%
Good		270	46	71	34	20	28	59	144	126
		26.0%	30.5%	34.2%	37.8%	20.1%	19.2%	19.4%	24.9%	27.4%
Fair, or		380	60	96	30	42	54	83	227	152
		36.6%	39.3%	46.0%	34.2%	41.6%	36.9%	27.6%	39.2%	33.2%
Poor		282	29	33	4	18	51	138	158	125
		27.2%	19.3%	16.0%	4.7%	18.0%	34.9%	45.7%	27.2%	27.1%
(DK)		15	0	2	0	7	0	5	8	7
		1.4%	.3%	.8%	.0%	7.0%	.0%	1.8%	1.3%	1.5%
(Refused)		7	0	0	0	2	1	3	4	3
		.7%	.0%	.1%	.0%	2.2%	.6%	1.0%	.7%	.7%

How do you rate the job the news media has done as a watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration—as (read 1-4)? BY total + Religion Important + Church Attendance + Religious Preference + White Protestant

		total	Religion Important		Church Attendance			Religious Preference			White Protestant
		total	Yes	No	Weekly	Nearly weekly/monthly	Seldom/never	Protestant/Other Christian	Catholic	None	Yes
Total	Unweighted N	1026	692	329	372	180	466	528	251	132	433
	Weighted N	1038	705	331	374	173	486	513	256	155	372
Excellent		85	59	25	35	10	39	36	20	15	21
		8.2%	8.4%	7.7%	9.5%	5.8%	8.0%	7.0%	7.9%	9.4%	5.7%
Good		270	181	88	98	44	127	110	92	44	79
		26.0%	25.7%	26.8%	26.1%	25.1%	26.2%	21.5%	36.0%	28.5%	21.1%
Fair, or		380	261	119	137	74	168	185	87	56	124
		36.6%	37.0%	35.9%	36.7%	42.9%	34.6%	36.2%	34.1%	36.4%	33.3%
Poor		282	191	89	95	42	142	169	56	35	142
		27.2%	27.0%	26.8%	25.5%	24.2%	29.3%	33.1%	21.8%	22.9%	38.1%
(DK)		15	8	7	5	3	6	8	0	3	3
		1.4%	1.1%	2.1%	1.4%	1.5%	1.3%	1.5%	.0%	1.9%	.8%
(Refused)		7	5	2	3	1	3	4	1	1	4
		.7%	.7%	.7%	.9%	.5%	.6%	.7%	.4%	.8%	1.0%

How do you rate the job the news media has done as a watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration—as (read 1-4)? BY total + Married + Married by gender + Children under 18 + Married with child under 18

		total	Married		Married by gender				Children under 18		Married with child under 18	
		total	Yes	No	Married man	Unmarried man	Married woman	Unmarried woman	Yes	No	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	567	432	334	170	233	262	293	729	204	822
	Weighted N	1038	582	445	304	184	279	261	411	626	278	760
Excellent		85	39	45	19	20	20	25	28	57	22	63
		8.2%	6.6%	10.2%	6.3%	10.8%	7.0%	9.7%	6.8%	9.1%	7.7%	8.3%
Good		270	141	128	57	52	84	76	107	162	72	198
		26.0%	24.2%	28.7%	18.9%	28.1%	30.1%	29.1%	26.1%	25.9%	25.8%	26.0%
Fair, or		380	212	163	106	65	106	97	185	195	114	265
		36.6%	36.4%	36.6%	35.0%	35.6%	38.0%	37.3%	44.9%	31.1%	41.2%	34.9%
Poor		282	178	101	111	46	67	54	81	200	66	216
		27.2%	30.5%	22.6%	36.4%	25.2%	24.1%	20.8%	19.8%	32.0%	23.6%	28.5%
(DK)		15	9	5	8	0	1	5	8	7	5	10
		1.4%	1.5%	1.2%	2.6%	.2%	.3%	1.9%	1.9%	1.1%	1.6%	1.3%
(Refused)		7	4	3	3	0	1	3	2	6	0	7
		.7%	.7%	.7%	.9%	.0%	.4%	1.1%	.4%	.9%	.0%	1.0%

How do you rate the job the news media has done as a watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration—as (read 1-4)? BY total + Current economic conditions + Economic momentum + Respondent Type

		total	Current economic conditions			Economic momentum		Respondent Type	
		total	Excellent/good	Only Fair	Poor	Getting better	Getting worse	Landline	Cell Phone
Total	Unweighted N	1026	0	0	0	0	0	871	155
	Weighted N	1038	0	0	0	0	0	767	271
Excellent		85	0	0	0	0	0	54	30
		8.2%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	7.1%	11.2%
Good		270	0	0	0	0	0	189	80
		26.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	24.7%	29.6%
Fair, or		380	0	0	0	0	0	288	92
		36.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	37.5%	34.0%
Poor		282	0	0	0	0	0	224	58
		27.2%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	29.2%	21.6%
(DK)		15	0	0	0	0	0	6	9
		1.4%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.7%	3.3%
(Refused)		7	0	0	0	0	0	7	1
		.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.9%	.3%

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		total	Sex		Age				Sex/Age			
		total	Male	Female	18-29	30-49	50-64	65+	Male 18-49	Male 50+	Female 18-49	Female 50+
Total	Unweighted N	1026	517	509	95	270	335	326	195	322	170	339
	Weighted N	1038	493	545	203	366	266	203	277	216	291	254
Better job		222	88	134	74	70	47	32	56	32	87	47
		21.4%	17.8%	24.6%	36.3%	19.1%	17.5%	15.8%	20.2%	14.8%	30.0%	18.4%
The same, or a		446	204	243	91	169	110	76	123	80	137	106
		43.0%	41.3%	44.5%	45.0%	46.2%	41.1%	37.7%	44.5%	37.2%	47.0%	41.7%
Worse job		322	181	140	26	112	102	83	84	97	53	87
		31.0%	36.8%	25.7%	12.7%	30.5%	38.2%	40.7%	30.3%	45.0%	18.3%	34.3%
(DK)		38	17	21	6	15	8	10	11	6	10	11
		3.7%	3.5%	3.8%	3.0%	4.0%	2.8%	4.9%	3.9%	2.8%	3.3%	4.5%
(Refused)		10	3	7	6	1	1	2	3	0	4	3
		1.0%	.7%	1.3%	3.0%	.3%	.4%	.9%	1.1%	.1%	1.5%	1.0%

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		total	Region				Race 1		Race 2		Hispanic	
		total	East	Midwest	South	West	White	Non-white	Black	Non-black	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	238	229	336	223	806	220	71	955	72	954
	Weighted N	1038	242	225	309	262	731	307	121	918	122	916
Better job		222	62	43	59	58	133	89	36	186	45	177
		21.4%	25.6%	19.0%	19.1%	22.2%	18.2%	29.1%	29.6%	20.3%	37.3%	19.3%
The same, or a		446	99	104	136	107	317	129	40	407	58	389
		43.0%	41.1%	46.2%	44.1%	40.8%	43.4%	42.1%	33.0%	44.3%	47.3%	42.4%
Worse job		322	65	72	95	89	250	72	42	280	11	310
		31.0%	27.0%	31.9%	30.9%	34.0%	34.2%	23.4%	34.6%	30.5%	9.1%	33.9%
(DK)		38	14	4	12	8	28	10	3	35	2	36
		3.7%	5.8%	1.9%	3.8%	3.0%	3.8%	3.3%	2.9%	3.8%	1.4%	4.0%
(Refused)		10	1	2	7	0	3	7	0	10	6	4
		1.0%	.6%	1.0%	2.1%	.0%	.5%	2.2%	.0%	1.1%	4.9%	.5%

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Total	Unweighted N	1026	244	320	234	205	439	564	155	277	157	166
	Weighted N	1038	393	317	180	138	318	709	186	283	164	141
Better job		222	85	74	34	27	61	159	63	55	28	27
		21.4%	21.7%	23.3%	19.0%	19.7%	19.3%	22.4%	34.1%	19.4%	17.1%	19.4%
The same, or a		446	179	125	76	60	136	304	71	136	66	51
		43.0%	45.5%	39.6%	42.5%	43.4%	42.9%	42.9%	38.1%	48.2%	40.1%	36.0%
Worse job		322	102	104	66	47	114	206	42	84	70	60
		31.0%	26.0%	32.8%	36.9%	34.2%	35.7%	29.0%	22.7%	29.6%	42.6%	42.5%
(DK)		38	20	13	3	2	5	33	5	8	0	3
		3.7%	5.1%	4.1%	1.6%	1.5%	1.6%	4.6%	2.8%	2.7%	.2%	2.1%
(Refused)		10	7	1	0	2	2	8	5	0	0	0
		1.0%	1.8%	.3%	.0%	1.2%	.5%	1.1%	2.4%	.1%	.0%	.0%

Would you say the news media has done a [(If code 1 in FORMCD, read 1-3)/(If code 2 in FORMCD, read 3-1)] as watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration than the news media did for previous administrations? BY total + Party Id + Party Id + Party Id + Party Id + Ideology

		total	Party Id			Party Id	Party Id	Party Id	Ideology		
		total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Dem/Lean Dem	Ind/No Lean	Rep/Lean rep	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Total	Unweighted N	1026	300	380	300	418	87	479	197	356	427
	Weighted N	1038	325	393	284	458	100	447	204	387	410
Better job		222	92	81	40	136	23	54	60	86	68
		21.4%	28.4%	20.7%	14.1%	29.8%	23.1%	12.0%	29.4%	22.3%	16.5%
The same, or a		446	153	184	99	225	49	163	102	195	138
		43.0%	46.9%	46.8%	34.9%	49.1%	49.2%	36.4%	50.2%	50.4%	33.5%
Worse job		322	68	111	136	82	18	218	35	92	186
		31.0%	20.8%	28.3%	47.9%	17.9%	17.5%	48.7%	17.3%	23.9%	45.4%
(DK)		38	10	13	7	12	9	12	6	13	14
		3.7%	2.9%	3.2%	2.5%	2.5%	9.2%	2.6%	2.9%	3.3%	3.4%
(Refused)		10	3	4	2	3	1	2	0	0	5
		1.0%	.9%	1.0%	.6%	.7%	.9%	.4%	.1%	.1%	1.1%

Would you say the news media has done a [(If code 1 in FORMCD, read 1-3)/(If code 2 in FORMCD, read 3-1)] as watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration than the news media did for previous administrations? BY total + Party ID and Ideology + Employed for pay

		total	Party ID and Ideology					Employed for pay		
		total	Liberal Democrat	Moderate Democrat	Conservative Democrat	Pure Independent	Liberal/moderate Republican	Conservative Republican	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	156	190	68	87	136	343	532	494
	Weighted N	1038	152	209	89	100	146	301	579	459
Better job		222	49	55	28	23	20	33	136	86
		21.4%	32.2%	26.4%	31.8%	23.1%	13.8%	11.1%	23.6%	18.7%
The same, or a		446	78	105	40	49	71	91	243	203
		43.0%	51.5%	50.3%	45.2%	49.2%	49.0%	30.2%	42.0%	44.3%
Worse job		322	23	40	16	18	53	164	179	142
		31.0%	15.2%	19.2%	17.8%	17.5%	36.5%	54.6%	30.9%	31.1%
(DK)		38	1	9	2	9	1	11	16	22
		3.7%	.9%	4.1%	1.9%	9.2%	.6%	3.6%	2.7%	4.8%
(Refused)		10	0	0	3	1	0	2	5	5
		1.0%	.2%	.0%	3.4%	.9%	.0%	.5%	.9%	1.1%

Would you say the news media has done a [(If code 1 in FORMCD, read 1-3)/(If code 2 in FORMCD, read 3-1)] as watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration than the news media did for previous administrations? BY total + Religion Important + Church Attendance + Religious Preference + White Protestant

		total	Religion Important		Church Attendance			Religious Preference			White Protestant
		total	Yes	No	Weekly	Nearly weekly/monthly	Seldom/never	Protestant/Other Christian	Catholic	None	Yes
Total	Unweighted N	1026	692	329	372	180	466	528	251	132	433
	Weighted N	1038	705	331	374	173	486	513	256	155	372
Better job		222	152	70	83	27	111	94	70	34	57
		21.4%	21.5%	21.3%	22.2%	15.4%	22.9%	18.4%	27.5%	21.8%	15.3%
The same, or a		446	286	160	146	88	212	204	112	78	149
		43.0%	40.6%	48.3%	39.1%	50.6%	43.6%	39.8%	43.8%	50.6%	40.1%
Worse job		322	231	89	130	52	136	192	65	36	150
		31.0%	32.8%	26.9%	34.8%	30.2%	28.0%	37.5%	25.5%	23.1%	40.5%
(DK)		38	26	11	12	3	22	19	2	7	13
		3.7%	3.7%	3.5%	3.2%	2.0%	4.6%	3.8%	.7%	4.5%	3.5%
(Refused)		10	10	0	2	3	4	3	6	0	3
		1.0%	1.4%	.1%	.7%	1.9%	.8%	.5%	2.5%	.0%	.7%

Would you say the news media has done a [(If code 1 in FORMCD, read 1-3)/(If code 2 in FORMCD, read 3-1)] as watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration than the news media did for previous administrations? BY total + Married + Married by gender + Children under 18 + Married with child under 18

		total	Married		Married by gender				Children under 18		Married with child under 18	
		total	Yes	No	Married man	Unmarried man	Married woman	Unmarried woman	Yes	No	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	567	432	334	170	233	262	293	729	204	822
	Weighted N	1038	582	445	304	184	279	261	411	626	278	760
Better job		222	96	124	46	40	50	84	88	134	48	174
		21.4%	16.5%	27.9%	15.0%	21.9%	18.1%	32.1%	21.4%	21.4%	17.1%	23.0%
The same, or a		446	244	199	111	91	133	108	178	268	123	324
		43.0%	41.9%	44.8%	36.6%	49.6%	47.6%	41.3%	43.3%	42.8%	44.1%	42.6%
Worse job		322	219	99	131	48	88	50	126	196	96	226
		31.0%	37.5%	22.2%	43.1%	26.3%	31.5%	19.3%	30.5%	31.2%	34.4%	29.7%
(DK)		38	20	18	13	4	7	14	13	25	9	29
		3.7%	3.4%	4.0%	4.3%	2.2%	2.4%	5.3%	3.2%	4.0%	3.2%	3.8%
(Refused)		10	4	5	3	0	1	5	6	4	3	7
		1.0%	.7%	1.1%	1.0%	.0%	.4%	1.9%	1.5%	.6%	1.1%	.9%

Would you say the news media has done a [(If code 1 in FORMCD, read 1-3)/(If code 2 in FORMCD, read 3-1)] as watchdog of government in the first year of the Obama administration than the news media did for previous administrations? BY total + Current economic conditions + Economic momentum + Respondent Type

		total	Current economic conditions			Economic momentum		Respondent Type	
		total	Excellent/good	Only Fair	Poor	Getting better	Getting worse	Landline	Cell Phone
Total	Unweighted N	1026	0	0	0	0	0	871	155
	Weighted N	1038	0	0	0	0	0	767	271
Better job		222	0	0	0	0	0	153	69
		21.4%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.0%	25.4%
The same, or a		446	0	0	0	0	0	324	122
		43.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	42.3%	45.0%
Worse job		322	0	0	0	0	0	266	55
		31.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	34.7%	20.4%
(DK)		38	0	0	0	0	0	20	18
		3.7%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.6%	6.6%
(Refused)		10	0	0	0	0	0	3	7
		1.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.4%	2.5%

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In which of the following areas has the news media done the best job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration (read and rotate 1-4), or none of these? BY total + Sex + Age + Sex/Age

		total	Sex		Age				Sex/Age			
		total	Male	Female	18-29	30-49	50-64	65+	Male 18-49	Male 50+	Female 18-49	Female 50+
Total	Unweighted N	1026	517	509	95	270	335	326	195	322	170	339
	Weighted N	1038	493	545	203	366	266	203	277	216	291	254
Terrorism		62	31	32	9	26	9	18	16	15	20	12
		6.0%	6.2%	5.8%	4.4%	7.2%	3.4%	8.9%	5.7%	6.9%	6.7%	4.8%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan		156	78	78	16	60	46	35	41	37	34	44
		15.0%	15.8%	14.3%	7.7%	16.3%	17.2%	17.2%	15.0%	17.0%	11.6%	17.3%
The economy		203	96	107	56	81	46	20	62	34	74	33
		19.6%	19.4%	19.7%	27.4%	22.1%	17.4%	10.0%	22.4%	15.6%	25.5%	13.0%
Healthcare		248	120	128	70	82	57	39	75	45	78	50
		23.9%	24.4%	23.5%	34.6%	22.5%	21.2%	19.2%	27.0%	20.9%	26.6%	19.8%
None of these		310	150	160	46	99	99	66	71	79	75	85
		29.9%	30.4%	29.3%	22.9%	27.0%	37.0%	32.6%	25.5%	36.8%	25.6%	33.7%
(DK)		45	14	31	0	17	7	20	9	5	9	22
		4.3%	2.8%	5.7%	.0%	4.7%	2.8%	9.9%	3.2%	2.4%	2.9%	8.8%
(Refused)		14	4	9	6	1	3	5	4	1	3	6
		1.3%	.9%	1.7%	3.0%	.2%	1.0%	2.2%	1.3%	.4%	1.0%	2.5%

In which of the following areas has the news media done the best job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration (read and rotate 1-4), or none of these? BY total + Region + Race 1 + Race 2 + Hispanic

		total	Region				Race 1		Race 2		Hispanic	
		total	East	Midwest	South	West	White	Non-white	Black	Non-black	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	238	229	336	223	806	220	71	955	72	954
	Weighted N	1038	242	225	309	262	731	307	121	918	122	916
Terrorism		62	12	20	15	16	47	15	6	56	9	54
		6.0%	5.1%	8.8%	4.8%	5.9%	6.4%	5.0%	5.1%	6.1%	7.0%	5.9%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan		156	33	30	52	41	115	41	20	136	9	147
		15.0%	13.5%	13.4%	16.9%	15.7%	15.8%	13.3%	16.3%	14.9%	7.1%	16.1%
The economy		203	49	37	65	53	122	81	30	173	32	171
		19.6%	20.2%	16.2%	21.1%	20.1%	16.7%	26.3%	25.2%	18.8%	26.3%	18.7%
Healthcare		248	53	62	74	59	174	74	30	218	30	218
		23.9%	22.0%	27.6%	23.8%	22.5%	23.7%	24.2%	25.2%	23.7%	24.5%	23.8%
None of these		310	84	63	81	82	243	67	29	281	26	284
		29.9%	34.5%	28.2%	26.3%	31.2%	33.2%	22.0%	24.3%	30.6%	21.4%	31.0%
(DK)		45	9	11	14	11	25	20	5	40	10	35
		4.3%	3.6%	4.8%	4.6%	4.2%	3.5%	6.4%	3.9%	4.4%	8.0%	3.8%
(Refused)		14	3	2	8	1	5	9	0	14	7	7
		1.3%	1.1%	1.0%	2.5%	.4%	.7%	2.8%	.0%	1.5%	5.6%	.7%

In which of the following areas has the news media done the best job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration (read and rotate 1-4), or none of these? BY total + Education + College graduate + Monthly Income

		total	Education				College graduate		Monthly Income			
		total	H.S. or less	Some college	College grad only	Post Grad	Yes	No	Under \$2,000	\$2,000-\$4,999	\$5,000-\$7,499	\$7,500 or more
Total	Unweighted N	1026	244	320	234	205	439	564	155	277	157	166
	Weighted N	1038	393	317	180	138	318	709	186	283	164	141
Terrorism		62	24	17	15	6	21	41	17	21	7	6
		6.0%	6.1%	5.3%	8.5%	4.4%	6.7%	5.8%	9.2%	7.5%	4.0%	4.5%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan		156	58	41	32	23	55	99	30	44	29	26
		15.0%	14.8%	12.9%	17.6%	17.0%	17.3%	13.9%	16.0%	15.6%	17.4%	18.8%
The economy		203	54	79	39	31	70	133	32	70	29	31
		19.6%	13.8%	24.9%	21.9%	22.2%	22.0%	18.7%	17.1%	24.6%	18.0%	21.8%
Healthcare		248	93	89	35	27	62	182	58	57	48	31
		23.9%	23.7%	28.1%	19.4%	19.3%	19.4%	25.7%	31.1%	20.2%	29.4%	22.1%
None of these		310	120	84	56	47	103	204	37	80	49	45
		29.9%	30.7%	26.4%	31.2%	34.4%	32.6%	28.7%	19.6%	28.2%	29.7%	32.3%
(DK)		45	33	7	2	2	4	40	7	10	3	1
		4.3%	8.3%	2.3%	1.0%	1.5%	1.2%	5.6%	3.7%	3.4%	1.6%	.6%
(Refused)		14	10	1	1	2	3	11	6	1	0	0
		1.3%	2.6%	.2%	.5%	1.2%	.8%	1.5%	3.2%	.4%	.0%	.0%

In which of the following areas has the news media done the best job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration (read and rotate 1-4), or none of these? BY total + Party Id + Party Id + Party Id + Party Id + Ideology

		total	Party Id			Party Id	Party Id	Party Id	Ideology		
		total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Dem/Lean Dem	Ind/No Lean	Rep/Lean rep	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Total	Unweighted N	1026	300	380	300	418	87	479	197	356	427
	Weighted N	1038	325	393	284	458	100	447	204	387	410
Terrorism		62 6.0%	19 5.7%	23 5.8%	20 7.0%	27 5.9%	6 6.3%	29 6.4%	19 9.2%	15 3.8%	27 6.6%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan		156 15.0%	63 19.3%	48 12.2%	38 13.5%	87 19.0%	6 6.3%	59 13.2%	33 16.4%	71 18.3%	44 10.7%
The economy		203 19.6%	80 24.7%	75 19.1%	41 14.4%	108 23.6%	22 21.7%	66 14.7%	37 18.4%	78 20.2%	80 19.4%
Healthcare		248 23.9%	88 27.0%	92 23.4%	66 23.3%	125 27.3%	19 19.5%	101 22.5%	54 26.6%	105 27.2%	87 21.1%
None of these		310 29.9%	57 17.6%	135 34.4%	108 38.0%	86 18.7%	37 36.5%	179 40.0%	50 24.4%	107 27.8%	145 35.3%
(DK)		45 4.3%	12 3.8%	16 4.0%	8 2.9%	19 4.1%	9 8.8%	12 2.7%	9 4.2%	9 2.3%	23 5.5%
(Refused)		14 1.3%	6 1.8%	4 1.1%	2 .8%	6 1.4%	1 .8%	3 .6%	2 .9%	2 .4%	6 1.4%

In which of the following areas has the news media done the best job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration (read and rotate 1-4), or none of these? BY total + Party ID and Ideology + Employed for pay

		total	Party ID and Ideology					Employed for pay		
		total	Liberal Democrat	Moderate Democrat	Conservative Democrat	Pure Independent	Liberal/moderate Republican	Conservative Republican	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	156	190	68	87	136	343	532	494
	Weighted N	1038	152	209	89	100	146	301	579	459
Terrorism		62 6.0%	12 8.2%	5 2.3%	8 9.0%	6 6.3%	10 7.2%	18 6.0%	41 7.0%	22 4.8%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan		156 15.0%	30 19.7%	46 22.0%	7 8.0%	6 6.3%	23 15.5%	36 12.0%	88 15.2%	68 14.9%
The economy		203 19.6%	30 20.1%	49 23.4%	26 29.0%	22 21.7%	16 10.9%	50 16.5%	136 23.4%	67 14.7%
Healthcare		248 23.9%	41 27.4%	64 30.4%	20 22.6%	19 19.5%	38 26.0%	63 20.8%	134 23.2%	114 24.8%
None of these		310 29.9%	31 20.2%	40 19.0%	15 17.3%	37 36.5%	58 40.1%	121 40.0%	160 27.6%	150 32.7%
(DK)		45 4.3%	5 3.5%	4 2.0%	10 10.7%	9 8.8%	0 .3%	12 3.8%	15 2.7%	29 6.4%
(Refused)		14 1.3%	2 1.0%	2 .8%	3 3.4%	1 .8%	0 .0%	3 .8%	5 .9%	8 1.8%

In which of the following areas has the news media done the best job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration (read and rotate 1-4), or none of these? BY total + Religion Important + Church Attendance + Religious Preference + White Protestant

		total	Religion Important		Church Attendance			Religious Preference			White Protestant
		total	Yes	No	Weekly	Nearly weekly/monthly	Seldom/never	Protestant/Other Christian	Catholic	None	Yes
Total	Unweighted N	1026	692	329	372	180	466	528	251	132	433
	Weighted N	1038	705	331	374	173	486	513	256	155	372
Terrorism		62	41	21	17	7	38	29	16	16	20
		6.0%	5.9%	6.3%	4.6%	4.1%	7.8%	5.7%	6.1%	10.1%	5.5%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan		156	111	45	54	29	72	82	38	21	59
		15.0%	15.8%	13.6%	14.6%	17.0%	14.8%	15.9%	14.9%	13.7%	15.9%
The economy		203	126	77	80	32	91	92	51	37	59
		19.6%	17.9%	23.2%	21.5%	18.2%	18.8%	18.0%	19.8%	23.9%	16.0%
Healthcare		248	168	79	86	40	121	126	64	28	89
		23.9%	23.8%	24.0%	23.0%	23.3%	24.9%	24.5%	25.0%	18.4%	24.0%
None of these		310	214	95	109	57	141	161	65	44	127
		29.9%	30.4%	28.7%	29.1%	33.1%	29.0%	31.4%	25.4%	28.6%	34.3%
(DK)		45	32	12	23	4	16	18	15	7	12
		4.3%	4.5%	3.7%	6.1%	2.4%	3.4%	3.4%	6.0%	4.7%	3.2%
(Refused)		14	12	2	4	3	6	5	7	1	4
		1.3%	1.7%	.5%	1.1%	1.9%	1.3%	1.0%	2.8%	.7%	1.1%

In which of the following areas has the news media done the best job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration (read and rotate 1-4), or none of these? BY total + Married + Married by gender + Children under 18 + Married with child under 18

		total	Married		Married by gender				Children under 18		Married with child under 18	
		total	Yes	No	Married man	Unmarried man	Married woman	Unmarried woman	Yes	No	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	567	432	334	170	233	262	293	729	204	822
	Weighted N	1038	582	445	304	184	279	261	411	626	278	760
Terrorism		62	32	30	19	12	13	19	18	44	12	51
		6.0%	5.5%	6.8%	6.2%	6.4%	4.7%	7.1%	4.4%	7.0%	4.2%	6.7%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan		156	96	58	54	23	42	35	64	92	50	106
		15.0%	16.5%	13.0%	17.7%	12.5%	15.2%	13.3%	15.6%	14.7%	17.9%	14.0%
The economy		203	120	82	58	37	62	45	89	114	65	138
		19.6%	20.5%	18.5%	19.1%	20.1%	22.2%	17.3%	21.7%	18.1%	23.5%	18.1%
Healthcare		248	127	120	67	53	59	67	104	144	63	185
		23.9%	21.7%	26.9%	22.1%	28.8%	21.3%	25.6%	25.3%	23.0%	22.7%	24.3%
None of these		310	187	120	98	49	89	70	113	197	78	232
		29.9%	32.1%	26.9%	32.4%	26.8%	31.8%	26.9%	27.4%	31.5%	28.2%	30.5%
(DK)		45	14	29	4	9	10	20	16	29	6	39
		4.3%	2.3%	6.6%	1.4%	5.1%	3.4%	7.7%	3.9%	4.6%	2.1%	5.1%
(Refused)		14	7	6	4	1	4	5	7	6	4	10
		1.3%	1.3%	1.3%	1.2%	.3%	1.4%	2.0%	1.8%	1.0%	1.4%	1.3%

In which of the following areas has the news media done the best job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration (read and rotate 1-4), or none of these? BY total + Current economic conditions + Economic momentum + Respondent Type

		total	Current economic conditions			Economic momentum		Respondent Type	
		total	Excellent/good	Only Fair	Poor	Getting better	Getting worse	Landline	Cell Phone
Total	Unweighted N	1026	0	0	0	0	0	871	155
	Weighted N	1038	0	0	0	0	0	767	271
Terrorism		62	0	0	0	0	0	46	17
		6.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	6.0%	6.1%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan		156	0	0	0	0	0	134	22
		15.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	17.5%	8.0%
The economy		203	0	0	0	0	0	147	56
		19.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	19.2%	20.7%
Healthcare		248	0	0	0	0	0	156	92
		23.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	20.4%	33.8%
None of these		310	0	0	0	0	0	241	69
		29.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	31.4%	25.4%
(DK)		45	0	0	0	0	0	36	9
		4.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	4.7%	3.2%
(Refused)		14	0	0	0	0	0	6	8
		1.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.8%	2.8%

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Looking ahead, in which of the following areas would you most like to see the news media do a better job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration? (Read and rotate 1-4) BY total + Sex + Age + Sex/Age

		total	Sex		Age				Sex/Age			
		total	Male	Female	18-29	30-49	50-64	65+	Male 18-49	Male 50+	Female 18-49	Female 50+
Total	Unweighted N	1026	517	509	95	270	335	326	195	322	170	339
	Weighted N	1038	493	545	203	366	266	203	277	216	291	254
Terrorism (or)		118	71	47	21	31	29	37	34	37	18	29
		11.3%	14.4%	8.6%	10.4%	8.3%	11.1%	18.1%	12.2%	17.2%	6.1%	11.4%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan (or)		121	56	65	36	44	23	19	39	17	41	24
		11.6%	11.4%	11.9%	17.6%	12.0%	8.5%	9.1%	14.0%	8.0%	14.0%	9.4%
The economy (or)		419	214	204	92	158	106	62	127	88	124	81
		40.3%	43.5%	37.4%	45.6%	43.1%	39.8%	30.8%	45.7%	40.7%	42.4%	31.8%
Healthcare (or)		316	125	191	47	115	98	56	65	60	97	95
		30.4%	25.3%	35.1%	23.1%	31.3%	36.9%	27.8%	23.3%	27.8%	33.2%	37.3%
None of these		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
(DK)		41	17	24	7	9	6	19	5	12	10	14
		3.9%	3.5%	4.4%	3.4%	2.4%	2.3%	9.5%	1.9%	5.4%	3.5%	5.4%
(Refused)		24	10	14	0	10	4	10	8	2	2	12
		2.3%	2.0%	2.6%	.0%	2.8%	1.5%	4.8%	2.9%	.8%	.8%	4.7%

Looking ahead, in which of the following areas would you most like to see the news media do a better job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration? (Read and rotate 1-4) BY total + Region + Race 1 + Race 2 + Hispanic

		total	Region				Race 1		Race 2		Hispanic	
		total	East	Midwest	South	West	White	Non-white	Black	Non-black	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	238	229	336	223	806	220	71	955	72	954
	Weighted N	1038	242	225	309	262	731	307	121	918	122	916
Terrorism (or)		118	30	21	39	28	82	36	15	103	14	104
		11.3%	12.3%	9.3%	12.7%	10.6%	11.2%	11.7%	12.6%	11.2%	11.3%	11.4%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan (or)		121	39	26	28	27	91	30	10	111	14	106
		11.6%	16.1%	11.7%	9.2%	10.3%	12.4%	9.8%	8.2%	12.1%	11.9%	11.6%
The economy (or)		419	81	99	122	116	287	132	42	376	61	357
		40.3%	33.4%	44.1%	39.5%	44.5%	39.2%	42.9%	35.1%	41.0%	50.4%	39.0%
Healthcare (or)		316	70	68	100	78	232	84	47	269	20	296
		30.4%	29.0%	30.4%	32.2%	29.7%	31.8%	27.2%	39.2%	29.3%	16.4%	32.3%
None of these		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
(DK)		41	8	8	16	8	21	20	5	36	9	32
		3.9%	3.5%	3.7%	5.2%	3.1%	2.8%	6.6%	4.2%	3.9%	7.4%	3.5%
(Refused)		24	14	2	4	5	18	6	1	23	3	21
		2.3%	5.7%	.8%	1.2%	1.8%	2.5%	1.9%	.7%	2.5%	2.7%	2.3%

Looking ahead, in which of the following areas would you most like to see the news media do a better job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration? (Read and rotate 1-4) BY total + Education + College graduate + Monthly Income

		total	Education				College graduate		Monthly Income			
		total	H.S. or less	Some college	College grad only	Post Grad	Yes	No	Under \$2,000	\$2,000-\$4,999	\$5,000-\$7,499	\$7,500 or more
Total	Unweighted N	1026	244	320	234	205	439	564	155	277	157	166
	Weighted N	1038	393	317	180	138	318	709	186	283	164	141
Terrorism (or)		118	54	32	22	9	31	86	24	25	19	22
		11.3%	13.8%	10.0%	12.2%	6.3%	9.6%	12.1%	13.0%	8.7%	11.4%	15.8%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan (or)		121	46	41	22	12	34	87	19	34	30	11
		11.6%	11.7%	13.0%	12.0%	8.7%	10.6%	12.3%	10.0%	11.9%	18.3%	7.5%
The economy (or)		419	147	143	72	56	128	290	81	124	67	58
		40.3%	37.5%	45.2%	39.7%	40.9%	40.2%	40.9%	43.4%	43.7%	41.0%	40.9%
Healthcare (or)		316	110	84	61	53	114	194	55	93	42	46
		30.4%	28.0%	26.6%	33.8%	38.4%	35.8%	27.4%	29.6%	32.8%	25.7%	32.6%
None of these		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
(DK)		41	25	9	3	2	5	34	6	5	5	1
		3.9%	6.4%	3.0%	1.8%	1.5%	1.7%	4.9%	3.2%	1.7%	2.8%	.7%
(Refused)		24	10	7	1	6	7	17	2	4	1	3
		2.3%	2.6%	2.2%	.5%	4.2%	2.1%	2.4%	.8%	1.2%	.9%	2.5%

Looking ahead, in which of the following areas would you most like to see the news media do a better job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration? (Read and rotate 1-4) BY total + Party Id + Party Id + Party Id + Party Id + Ideology

		total	Party Id			Party Id	Party Id	Party Id	Ideology		
		total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Dem/Lean Dem	Ind/No Lean	Rep/Lean rep	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Total	Unweighted N	1026	300	380	300	418	87	479	197	356	427
	Weighted N	1038	325	393	284	458	100	447	204	387	410
Terrorism (or)		118	28	41	44	43	2	67	12	35	64
		11.3%	8.5%	10.5%	15.4%	9.4%	2.3%	15.0%	5.9%	9.0%	15.6%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan (or)		121	29	60	30	43	24	49	19	51	45
		11.6%	9.0%	15.2%	10.6%	9.5%	24.1%	11.1%	9.1%	13.1%	10.9%
The economy (or)		419	113	180	122	180	44	189	86	172	158
		40.3%	34.7%	45.7%	42.9%	39.3%	44.1%	42.2%	42.2%	44.5%	38.5%
Healthcare (or)		316	136	90	77	169	18	120	77	110	116
		30.4%	41.9%	22.9%	27.2%	36.8%	17.9%	26.8%	37.9%	28.4%	28.2%
None of these		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
(DK)		41	10	14	9	12	9	16	7	12	16
		3.9%	3.2%	3.7%	3.3%	2.7%	8.7%	3.6%	3.6%	3.1%	4.0%
(Refused)		24	9	9	2	10	3	6	2	7	12
		2.3%	2.7%	2.2%	.6%	2.2%	2.9%	1.2%	1.2%	1.9%	2.9%

Looking ahead, in which of the following areas would you most like to see the news media do a better job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration? (Read and rotate 1-4) BY total + Party ID and Ideology + Employed for pay

		total	Party ID and Ideology					Employed for pay		
		total	Liberal Democrat	Moderate Democrat	Conservative Democrat	Pure Independent	Liberal/moderate Republican	Conservative Republican	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	156	190	68	87	136	343	532	494
	Weighted N	1038	152	209	89	100	146	301	579	459
Terrorism (or)		118	8	21	12	2	16	51	55	62
		11.3%	5.1%	10.1%	14.0%	2.3%	11.2%	16.9%	9.6%	13.6%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan (or)		121	12	20	9	24	19	31	69	52
		11.6%	8.1%	9.4%	9.6%	24.1%	12.8%	10.3%	11.9%	11.3%
The economy (or)		419	56	88	36	44	73	116	248	171
		40.3%	37.1%	42.2%	40.4%	44.1%	49.9%	38.5%	42.8%	37.2%
Healthcare (or)		316	71	70	25	18	31	89	174	142
		30.4%	46.5%	33.4%	28.6%	17.9%	21.4%	29.4%	30.1%	30.9%
None of these		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
(DK)		41	2	6	3	9	6	10	18	23
		3.9%	1.6%	2.7%	3.3%	8.7%	4.5%	3.2%	3.2%	4.9%
(Refused)		24	2	4	4	3	0	5	15	9
		2.3%	1.6%	2.1%	4.0%	2.9%	.3%	1.7%	2.6%	2.0%

Looking ahead, in which of the following areas would you most like to see the news media do a better job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration? (Read and rotate 1-4) BY total + Religion Important + Church Attendance + Religious Preference + White Protestant

		total	Religion Important		Church Attendance			Religious Preference			White Protestant
		total	Yes	No	Weekly	Nearly weekly/monthly	Seldom/never	Protestant/Other Christian	Catholic	None	Yes
Total	Unweighted N	1026	692	329	372	180	466	528	251	132	433
	Weighted N	1038	705	331	374	173	486	513	256	155	372
Terrorism (or)		118	93	25	49	21	47	77	24	1	53
		11.3%	13.2%	7.6%	13.1%	11.9%	9.8%	15.0%	9.3%	.5%	14.2%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan (or)		121	76	44	35	24	61	51	36	22	39
		11.6%	10.8%	13.3%	9.5%	14.1%	12.5%	9.9%	14.0%	14.1%	10.6%
The economy (or)		419	273	144	147	74	196	203	110	64	147
		40.3%	38.8%	43.5%	39.4%	42.6%	40.4%	39.6%	43.1%	41.6%	39.6%
Healthcare (or)		316	209	107	109	44	160	148	68	64	109
		30.4%	29.7%	32.3%	29.2%	25.5%	32.9%	28.9%	26.4%	41.7%	29.3%
None of these		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
(DK)		41	37	4	25	6	10	22	10	2	13
		3.9%	5.2%	1.2%	6.6%	3.6%	2.0%	4.3%	3.7%	1.6%	3.5%
(Refused)		24	17	7	8	4	12	11	9	1	10
		2.3%	2.4%	2.2%	2.2%	2.3%	2.4%	2.2%	3.4%	.4%	2.7%

Looking ahead, in which of the following areas would you most like to see the news media do a better job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration? (Read and rotate 1-4) BY total + Married + Married by gender + Children under 18 + Married with child under 18

		total	Married		Married by gender				Children under 18		Married with child under 18	
		total	Yes	No	Married man	Unmarried man	Married woman	Unmarried woman	Yes	No	Yes	No
Total	Unweighted N	1026	567	432	334	170	233	262	293	729	204	822
	Weighted N	1038	582	445	304	184	279	261	411	626	278	760
Terrorism (or)		118	66	51	42	28	23	23	39	78	27	91
		11.3%	11.3%	11.5%	13.9%	15.4%	8.4%	8.7%	9.6%	12.5%	9.7%	11.9%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan (or)		121	65	55	26	30	39	25	60	61	36	85
		11.6%	11.1%	12.4%	8.6%	16.2%	13.8%	9.7%	14.5%	9.7%	12.8%	11.2%
The economy (or)		419	225	192	127	86	98	106	180	239	121	298
		40.3%	38.6%	43.2%	41.8%	47.1%	35.2%	40.5%	43.7%	38.2%	43.4%	39.2%
Healthcare (or)		316	201	110	92	30	109	80	109	207	88	228
		30.4%	34.5%	24.7%	30.3%	16.1%	39.0%	30.8%	26.4%	33.1%	31.7%	30.0%
None of these		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
(DK)		41	16	23	11	5	5	18	16	25	2	38
		3.9%	2.7%	5.3%	3.7%	2.8%	1.7%	7.0%	3.9%	3.9%	.9%	5.1%
(Refused)		24	10	13	5	4	5	9	8	16	4	20
		2.3%	1.8%	3.0%	1.7%	2.4%	1.9%	3.4%	1.9%	2.6%	1.6%	2.6%

Looking ahead, in which of the following areas would you most like to see the news media do a better job of reporting on the policies and practices of the Obama administration? (Read and rotate 1-4) BY total + Current economic conditions + Economic momentum + Respondent Type

		total	Current economic conditions			Economic momentum		Respondent Type	
		total	Excellent/good	Only Fair	Poor	Getting better	Getting worse	Landline	Cell Phone
Total	Unweighted N	1026	0	0	0	0	0	871	155
	Weighted N	1038	0	0	0	0	0	767	271
Terrorism (or)		118	0	0	0	0	0	92	26
		11.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	12.0%	9.5%
The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan (or)		121	0	0	0	0	0	82	39
		11.6%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	10.6%	14.4%
The economy (or)		419	0	0	0	0	0	306	112
		40.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	39.9%	41.4%
Healthcare (or)		316	0	0	0	0	0	241	75
		30.4%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	31.4%	27.8%
None of these		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%
(DK)		41	0	0	0	0	0	29	12
		3.9%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	3.8%	4.3%
(Refused)		24	0	0	0	0	0	17	7
		2.3%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	.0%	2.2%	2.6%