

THE AP-GfK BATTLEGROUND STATE POLL

Conducted by GfK Roper Public Affairs & Media

Interview dates: October 22-26, 2008

State	Total Sample N	Margin on total	Likely Voters	Margin on Likely Voters
Colorado	798	3.5	626	3.9
Florida	788	3.4	600	4.0
Nevada	818	3.6	628	3.9
New Hampshire	758	3.5	600	4.0
North Carolina	792	3.5	601	4.0
Ohio	789	3.5	607	4.0
Pennsylvania	822	3.4	607	4.0
Virginia	782	3.5	601	4.0

NOTE: All results show percentages unless otherwise labeled. Results shown represent all Likely Voters, with total respondents shown for specific questions. Please refer to the exact sample size number at the bottom of each table.

A1. In the election for President in November, if the candidates are [READ ENTIRE ANSWER LIST *IN THE EXACT ORDER PRESENTED*], for whom will you vote? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

A2. [IF "NEITHER/DK/REF" TO A1, ASK A2] Do you lean more toward ... [READ ANSWER LIST]

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
TOTAL Barack Obama and Joe Biden, the Democrats	50	45	52	55	48	48	52	49
Initial – Obama and Biden, the Democrats	49	44	51	53	46	45	49	48
Lean – Obama and Biden, the Democrats	1	1	1	2	2	3	2	1
TOTAL John McCain and Sarah Palin, the Republicans	41	43	40	37	46	41	40	42
Initial – McCain and Palin, the Republicans	41	42	39	35	45	39	37	40
Lean – McCain and Palin, the Republicans	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	1
TOTAL Bob Barr and Wayne Allyn Root, the Libertarians	1	1	1	*	*	*	1	-
Initial – Barr and Root, the Libertarians	*	1	1	*	-	*	1	-
Lean – Barr and Root, the Libertarians	1	*	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL Ralph Nader and Matt Gonzales, the Independents or the Unaffiliated or the Qualified Ecologists	*	1	1	1	-	*	1	1
Initial – Nader and Gonzales, the Independents or the Unaffiliated or the Qualified Ecologists	*	1	*	1	N/A	*	1	*
Lean – Nader and Gonzales, the Independents or the Unaffiliated or the Qualified Ecologists	*	-	*	*	N/A	*	*	*
TOTAL Cynthia McKinney and Rosa Clemente, the Greens	*	N/A	*	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	1
Initial – McKinney and Clemente, the Greens	*	N/A	-	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	1
Lean – McKinney and Clemente, the Greens	-	N/A	*	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	-

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
TOTAL Chuck Baldwin and Darrell Castle, the Independent Americans or the Consitutionists or the Independent Greens	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	-
Initial – Baldwin and Castle, Americans or the Consitutionists or the Independent Greens	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	-
Lean – Baldwin and Castle. Americans or the Consitutionists or the Independent Greens	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	-
TOTAL George Phillies and Christopher Bennett, the Libertarians	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Initial – Phillies and Bennett, the Libertarians	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Lean – Phillies and Bennett, the Libertarians	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTAL Richard Duncan and Ricky Johnson	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A
Initial – Duncan and Johnson	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A
Lean – Duncan and Johnson	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A
TOTAL Brian Moore and Stewart Alexander, the Socialists	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	N/A
Initial – Moore and Alexander, the Socialists	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	N/A
Lean – Moore and Alexander, the Socialists	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	3	2	1	3	3	5	3	5
Don't know	1	1	1	3	*	2	2	2
Refused	4	7	4	2	3	3	2	2
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

A4. [IF BARR OR NADER OR MCKINNEY OR BALDWIN OR PHILLIES OR DUNCAN OR MOORE IN A1 OR A2, ASK:]
 [INSERT DEPENDING UPON ANSWER TO A1 OR A2:] If [Bob Barr/Ralph Nader/Cynthia McKinney/Chuck
 Baldwin/George Phillies/Richard Duncan/Brian Moore] wasn't on the ballot, and your only choice was between
 (READ ANSWER LIST), for whom would you vote? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Barack Obama and Joe Biden, the Democrats	42	7	33	18	-	15	71	-
John McCain and Sarah Palin, the Republicans	-	30	53	15	24	56	22	42
Don't know	55	14	14	59	-	18	7	13
Refused	4	49	-	8	76	11	-	45
Based On:	N=5	N=5	N=5	N=7	N=2	N=9	N=5	N=4

- A1. In the election for President in November, if the candidates are [READ ENTIRE ANSWER LIST *IN THE EXACT ORDER PRESENTED*], for whom will you vote? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)
- A2. [IF "NEITHER/DK/REF" TO A1, ASK A2] Do you lean more toward ... [READ ANSWER LIST]
- A4. [IF BARR OR NADER OR MCKINNEY OR BALDWIN OR PHILLIES OR DUNCAN OR MOORE IN A1 OR A2, ASK:] [INSERT DEPENDING UPON ANSWER TO A1 OR A2:] If [Bob Barr/Ralph Nader/Cynthia McKinney/Chuck Baldwin/George Phillies/Richard Duncan/Brian Moore] wasn't on the ballot, and your only choice was between (READ ANSWER LIST), for whom would you vote? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
TOTAL Barack Obama and Joe Biden, the Democrats	50	45	52	55	48	48	53	49
Initial – Obama and Biden, the Democrats	49	44	51	53	46	45	49	48
Lean – Obama and Biden, the Democrats	1	1	1	2	2	3	2	1
If Barr or Nader or McKinney or Baldwin or Phillies or Duncan or Moore not on ballot – Obama and Biden, the Democrats	1	*	*	*	-	*	1	-
TOTAL John McCain and Sarah Palin, the Republicans	41	43	41	37	46	42	40	42
Initial – McCain and Palin, the Republicans	41	42	39	35	45	39	37	40
Lean – McCain and Palin, the Republicans	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	1
If Barr or Nader or McKinney or Baldwin or Phillies or Duncan or Moore not on ballot – McCain and Palin, the Republicans	-	1	1	*	*	1	*	*
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	3	2	1	3	3	5	3	5
Don't know	1	1	1	3	*	2	2	2
Refused	4	9	5	2	3	4	2	3
Based On:	N =626	N =600	N =628	N =600	N =601	N =607	N =607	N =601

A1a: ASK ONLY IF SAID THEY HAVE ALREADY VOTED: In the election for President in November, for whom did you vote for? **(ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)**

	Already Voted							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Barack Obama and Joe Biden, the Democrats	57	45	56	52	59	56	65	67
John McCain and Sarah Palin, the Republicans	34	38	33	34	33	28	22	23
Bob Barr and Wayne Allyn Root, the Libertarians	-	-	1	-	-	-	4	-
Ralph Nader and Matt Gonzales, the Independents or the Unaffiliated or the Qualified Ecologists	-	-	-	-	N/A	-	-	-
Cynthia McKinney and Rosa Clemente, the Greens	-	N/A	-	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	5
Chuck Baldwin and Darrell Castle, the Independent Americans or Consitutionists	N/A	N/A	*	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	-
George Phillies and Christopher Bennett, the Libertarians	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Richard Duncan and Ricky Johnson	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A
Brian Moore and Stewart Alexander, the Socialists	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	4	2	2	8	4	7	-	3
Don't know	2	*	2	2	-	1	4	1
Refused	4	14	7	4	4	8	4	1
Based On:	N = 367	N = 261	N = 318	N = 59	N = 237	N = 176	N = 71	N = 75

A3. [IF OBAMA OR MCCAIN OR BARR OR NADER OR MCKINNEY OR BALDWIN OR PHILLIES OR DUNCAN OR MOORE IN A1, ASK A3.] In November, will you definitely vote for [INSERT CANDIDATES FROM A1], probably vote for them, or do you think you could change your mind before the election in November? [ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE. IF UNSURE, ENCOURAGE BEST GUESS.]

Would Vote for Obama / Biden								
Likely Voters								
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Definitely will vote for candidates	89	91	94	90	86	89	89	91
Probably will vote for candidates	4	6	5	8	6	6	8	8
Could change mind	7	3	*	2	8	5	3	1
Don't know	-	-	-	*	-	-	-	-
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Based On:	N=106	N=147	N=137	N=285	N=138	N=173	N=247	N=244

Would Vote for McCain / Palin								
Likely Voters								
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Definitely will vote for candidates	91	89	96	88	93	90	94	92
Probably will vote for candidates	7	8	4	10	4	8	4	6
Could change mind	2	2	*	2	1	1	2	3
Don't know	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Based On:	N=120	N=157	N=143	N=189	N=186	N=179	N=212	N=222

A1/A2/A3. Barack Obama Vs. John McCain: Hierarchical Vote With "Leaners"

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Strong Obama and Biden, the Democrats	47	42	49	48	43	41	45	45
Weak Obama and Biden, the Democrats	3	3	2	7	5	7	7	5
TOTAL Barack Obama and Joe Biden, the Democrats	50	45	52	55	48	48	52	49
Strong McCain and Palin, the Republicans	39	39	38	31	43	36	35	37
Weak McCain and Palin, the Republicans	3	4	2	6	3	5	5	4
TOTAL John McCain and Sarah Palin, the Republicans	41	43	40	37	46	41	40	42
Bob Barr and Wayne Allyn Root, the Libertarians	1	1	1	*	*	*	1	-
Ralph Nader and Matt Gonzales, the Independents	*	1	1	1	-	*	1	1
Undecided/other	8	10	7	8	6	11	7	8
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

"Strong" = respondents who say they will vote for a candidate (A1) and will definitely vote for that candidate (A3) or have already voted for the candidate (S7c and A1a).

"Weak" = respondents who either:

- Say they will vote for a candidate in November (A1) and will probably (but not definitely) vote for the candidate or may change their mind (A3).
- Say they are uncommitted (A1) but lean toward voting for a candidate (A2)

A5. In the election for U.S. Senator in November, if the candidates are [READ ENTIRE ANSWER LIST IN THE EXACT ORDER PRESENTED], for whom will you vote? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

A6. [IF "NEITHER/DK/REF" TO A5, ASK A6] Do you lean more toward ... [READ ANSWER LIST]

	Likely Voters
	Colorado
TOTAL Bob Schaffer, the Republican	36
Initial – Schaffer, the Republican	36
Lean – Schaffer, the Republican	1
TOTAL Mark Udall, the Democrat	48
Initial – Udall, the Democrat	47
Lean – Udall, the Democrat	1
TOTAL Bob Kinsey, the Green	1
Initial – Kinsey, the Green	1
Lean – Kinsey, the Green	*
TOTAL Douglas "Dayhorse" Campbell, the American Constitutionist	3
Initial – Campbell, the American Constitutionist	3
Lean – Campbell, the American Constitutionist	-
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	6
Don't know	3
Refused	4
Based On:	N=626

- A5. In the election for U.S. Senator in November, if the candidates are [READ ENTIRE ANSWER LIST IN THE EXACT ORDER PRESENTED], for whom will you vote? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)
- A6. [IF "NEITHER/DK/REF" TO A5, ASK A6] Do you lean more toward ... [READ ANSWER LIST]

	Likely Voters
	New Hampshire
TOTAL Jeanne Shaheen, the Democrat	47
Initial – Shaheen, the Democrat	45
Lean – Shaheen, the Democrat	2
TOTAL John Sununu, the Republican	41
Initial – Sununu, the Republican	40
Lean – Sununu, the Republican	1
TOTAL Ken Blevens, the Libertarian	3
Initial – Blevens, the Libertarian	3
Lean – Blevens, the Libertarian	1
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	6
Don't know	2
Refused	1
Based On:	N=600

A5. In the election for U.S. Senator in November, if the candidates are [READ ENTIRE ANSWER LIST IN THE EXACT ORDER PRESENTED], for whom will you vote? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

A6. [IF "NEITHER/DK/REF" TO A5, ASK A6] Do you lean more toward ... [READ ANSWER LIST]

	Likely Voters
	North Carolina
TOTAL Kay Hagan, the Democrat	47
Initial – Hagan, the Democrat	45
Lean – Hagan, the Democrat	3
TOTAL Elizabeth Dole, the Republican	43
Initial – Dole, the Republican	42
Lean – Dole, the Republican	1
TOTAL Christopher Cole, the Libertarian	2
Initial – Cole, the Libertarian	2
Lean – Cole, the Libertarian	-
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	5
Don't know	2
Refused	1
Based On:	N=601

A5. In the election for U.S. Senator in November, if the candidates are [READ ENTIRE ANSWER LIST IN THE EXACT ORDER PRESENTED], for whom will you vote? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

A6. [IF "NEITHER/DK/REF" TO A5, ASK A6] Do you lean more toward ... [READ ANSWER LIST]

	Likely Voters
	Virginia
TOTAL Mark Warner, the Democrat	58
Initial – Warner, the Democrat	56
Lean – Warner, the Democrat	2
TOTAL Jim Gilmore, the Republican	32
Initial – Gilmore, the Republican	31
Lean – Gilmore, the Republican	1
TOTAL Glenda Gail Parker, the Independent Green	1
Initial – Parker, the Independent Green	1
Lean – Parker, the Independent Green	*
TOTAL William Redpath, the Libertarian	1
Initial – Redpath, the Libertarian	*
Lean – Redpath, the Libertarian	*
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	5
Don't know	2
Refused	1
Based On:	N = 601

A5a. ASK ONLY IF SAID THEY HAVE ALREADY VOTED: In the election for U.S. Senator in November, for whom did you vote for? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

	Already Voted
	Colorado
Bob Schaffer, the Republican	31
Mark Udall, the Democrat	54
Bob Kinsey, the Green	*
Douglas "Dayhorse" Campbell, the American Constitutionist	-
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	8
Don't know	3
Refused	4
Based On:	N=367

A5a. ASK ONLY IF SAID THEY HAVE ALREADY VOTED: In the election for U.S. Senator in November, for whom did you vote for? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

	Already Voted
	New Hampshire
Jeanne Shaheen, the Democrat	39
John Sununu, the Republican	34
Ken Blevens, the Libertarian	2
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	22
Don't know	-
Refused	4
Based On:	N=59

A5a. ASK ONLY IF SAID THEY HAVE ALREADY VOTED: In the election for U.S. Senator in November, for whom did you vote for? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

	Already Voted
	North Carolina
Kay Hagan, the Democrat	54
Elizabeth Dole, the Republican	28
Christopher Cole, the Libertarian	2
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	9
Don't know	4
Refused	3
Based On:	N=237

A5a. ASK ONLY IF SAID THEY HAVE ALREADY VOTED: In the election for U.S. Senator in November, for whom did you vote for? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

	Already Voted
	Virginia
Mark Warner, the Democrat	66
Jim Gilmore, the Republican	13
Glenda Gail Parker, the Independent Green	5
William Redpath, the Libertarian	-
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	8
Don't know	7
Refused	1
Based On:	N=75

A7. In the election for Governor in November, if the candidates are [READ ENTIRE ANSWER LIST *IN THE EXACT ORDER PRESENTED*], for whom will you vote? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

A8. [IF "NEITHER/DK/REF" TO A7, ASK A8] Do you lean more toward ... [READ ANSWER LIST]

	Likely Voters
	New Hampshire
TOTAL John Lynch, the Democrat	73
Initial – Lynch, the Democrat	71
Lean – Lynch, the Democrat	2
TOTAL Joseph Kenney, the Republican	17
Initial – Kenney, the Republican	15
Lean – Kenney, the Republican	2
TOTAL Susan Newell, the Libertarian	2
Initial – Newell, the Libertarian	2
Lean – Newell, the Libertarian	-
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	4
Don't know	4
Refused	1
Based On:	N=600

A7. In the election for Governor in November, if the candidates are [READ ENTIRE ANSWER LIST *IN THE EXACT ORDER PRESENTED*], for whom will you vote? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

A8. [IF "NEITHER/DK/REF" TO A7, ASK A8] Do you lean more toward ... [READ ANSWER LIST]

	Likely Voters
	North Carolina
TOTAL Bev Perdue, the Democrat	44
Initial – Perdue, the Democrat	42
Lean – Perdue, the Democrat	2
TOTAL Pat McCrory, the Republican	44
Initial – McCrory, the Republican	43
Lean – McCrory, the Republican	1
TOTAL Michael Munger, the Libertarian	4
Initial – Munger, the Libertarian	3
Lean – Munger, the Libertarian	1
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	6
Don't know	2
Refused	1
Based On:	N=601

A7a: Alternative wording: ASK ONLY IF SAID THEY HAVE ALREADY VOTED: In the election for Governor in November, for whom did you vote for? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

	Already Voted
	New Hampshire
John Lynch, the Democrat	62
Joseph Kenney, the Republican	22
Susan Newell, the Libertarian	3
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	9
Don't know	2
Refused	4
Based On:	N=59

A7a: Alternative wording: ASK ONLY IF SAID THEY HAVE ALREADY VOTED: In the election for Governor in November, for whom did you vote for? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

	Already Voted
	North Carolina
Bev Perdue, the Democrat	45
Pat McCrory, the Republican	38
Michael Munger, the Libertarian	4
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	8
Don't know	2
Refused	3
Based On:	N=237

[ROTATE FROM RESPONDENT TO RESPONDENT "Republicans" AND ""Democrats" IN TEXT AND ANSWER CHOICES]

A9. Do you want to see the Republicans or Democrats win control of the U. S. Congress? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE. IF UNSURE, ENCOURAGE BEST GUESS.)

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Republicans	39	40	37	33	41	40	35	36
Democrats	45	45	51	50	46	46	52	48
[VOL] Don't care	11	11	10	13	10	10	11	13
Don't know	3	2	2	4	3	3	2	2
Refused	2	2	1	1	*	1	1	2
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

A10. Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are heading in the right direction or in the wrong direction?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Right direction	11	18	13	8	14	15	16	16
Wrong direction	81	77	84	86	82	79	79	79
Don't know	6	4	3	5	4	5	5	5
Refused	1	1	*	*	1	1	*	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

A11. Overall, please tell me whether you approve, disapprove, or neither approve nor disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as president.

FOR EACH "APPROVE," ASK: Is that strongly approve or somewhat approve?

FOR EACH "DISAPPROVE," ASK: Is that strongly disapprove or somewhat disapprove?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Strongly approve	10	13	10	6	11	12	11	12
Somewhat approve	14	15	12	8	11	16	10	16
Neither approve nor disapprove	12	10	9	7	13	13	10	10
Somewhat disapprove	10	11	13	17	15	9	12	10
Strongly disapprove	53	51	56	60	50	49	55	51
Don't know	1	*	*	*	*	*	1	*
Refused	*	1	*	*	*	*	*	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

A12. [IF NEITHER APPROVE NOR DISAPPROVE IN A11, ASK:] If you had to choose, do you lean more toward approving or disapproving of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as president?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Lean toward approving	50	56	41	45	49	52	50	48
Lean toward disapproving	30	28	40	33	34	36	32	36
[VOL] Neither/don't lean	20	15	18	22	16	12	17	15
Don't know	-	*	1	-	*	-	1	-
Refused	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Based On:	N=72	N=53	N=56	N=47	N=72	N=66	N=54	N=57

A13/A14. Overall, please tell me whether you approve, disapprove, or neither approve nor disapprove of the way Congress is handling its job?

FOR EACH "APPROVE," ASK: Is that strongly approve or somewhat approve?

FOR EACH "DISAPPROVE," ASK: Is that strongly disapprove or somewhat disapprove?

[IF NEITHER APPROVE NOR DISAPPROVE IN A13, ASK:] If you had to choose, do you lean more toward approving or disapproving of the way Congress is handling its job?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Strongly approve	2	4	2	1	2	1	5	2
Somewhat approve	11	12	8	9	12	14	10	12
Neither/Lean approve	5	3	5	5	6	3	5	4
(VOL) Neither—don't lean	4	2	1	2	3	2	2	3
Neither—lean disapprove	6	6	4	5	5	6	6	5
Somewhat disapprove	27	21	26	31	26	25	25	26
Strongly disapprove	44	50	51	44	45	47	45	46
Don't know	2	1	4	4	2	1	2	2
Refused	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	*
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

B1. Which of the following two positions comes closest to your view on withdrawal of troops from Iraq?
 [RANDOMIZE ORDER]

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Troops should not be withdrawn according to a fixed timetable, but only as conditions in Iraq improve to the satisfaction of U.S. military commanders.	52	49	50	49	50	52	47	53
A timetable should be set for withdrawing troops from Iraq, so that all combat troops are out by the summer of 2010.	46	47	49	48	47	44	49	45
Don't know	2	2	1	2	2	3	3	2
Refused	1	1	-	1	1	1	1	1
Based On:	N = 626	N = 600	N = 628	N = 600	N = 601	N = 607	N = 607	N = 601

[ROTATE C1 AND C2]

C1. How worried are you about the current economic conditions in ADD NAME OF STATE?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Very worried	35	56	59	40	48	52	52	41
Somewhat worried	44	26	28	47	42	37	36	41
Not too worried	15	12	7	10	6	7	9	12
Not at all worried	6	6	6	4	3	5	3	5
Don't know	*	*	*	*	-	*	*	1
Refused	-	-	-	*	-	-	-	*
Based On:	N = 626	N = 600	N = 628	N = 600	N = 601	N = 607	N = 607	N = 601

C2. How worried are you about your own family's financial situation?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Very worried	23	42	33	26	31	29	34	27
Somewhat worried	40	28	38	45	41	37	39	37
Not too worried	23	19	16	19	18	22	20	23
Not at all worried	13	11	13	10	10	12	8	13
Don't know	-	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Refused	-	-	-	*	*	-	-	*
Based On:	N = 626	N = 600	N = 628	N = 600	N = 601	N = 607	N = 607	N = 601

D1. Which Presidential nominee do you trust more to... (READ OPTION; READ NAMES. ROTATE ORDER. ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

	Likely Voters					
	[RANDOMIZE]	Improve the economy	Handle the financial crisis	Understand how the financial crisis affects you	Make the right decisions about national security	Make the right decisions on health care
COLORADO	Barack Obama	50	50	51	47	53
	John McCain	42	43	40	48	39
	Don't Know	5	4	6	3	5
	Refused	4	3	3	2	4
	Based On:	N=626				
FLORIDA	Barack Obama	52	49	51	45	51
	John McCain	43	45	41	52	44
	Don't Know	3	3	5	1	3
	Refused	3	2	3	2	3
	Based On:	N=600				
NEVADA	Barack Obama	55	54	57	50	56
	John McCain	39	41	37	46	37
	Don't Know	5	4	5	3	6
	Refused	1	1	1	1	1
	Based On:	N=628				
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Barack Obama	54	56	55	47	58
	John McCain	32	34	35	48	31
	Don't Know	12	9	9	4	10
	Refused	2	2	1	1	2
	Based On:	N=600				
NORTH CAROLINA	Barack Obama	50	51	54	46	52
	John McCain	44	45	41	51	41
	Don't Know	4	3	3	2	5
	Refused	2	2	2	1	3
	Based On:	N=601				
OHIO	Barack Obama	52	51	54	45	52
	John McCain	41	42	39	50	37
	Don't Know	5	5	5	4	8
	Refused	2	2	2	2	3
	Based On:	N=607				
PENNSYLVANIA	Barack Obama	55	53	54	49	56
	John McCain	38	38	39	46	35
	Don't Know	6	7	7	4	7
	Refused	1	1	1	1	1
	Based On:	N=607				
VIRGINIA	Barack Obama	53	51	55	47	56
	John McCain	40	41	38	48	36
	Don't Know	5	6	5	4	7
	Refused	2	2	2	1	2
	Based On:	N=601				

[ROTATE E1 AND E2]

E1. Has Barack Obama kept his promise to run a positive campaign, or not?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
YES	51	53	51	46	56	53	56	54
NO	43	44	45	47	37	41	37	42
Don't know	5	2	4	6	6	6	7	4
Refused	*	1	1	1	1	1	*	*
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

E2. Has John McCain kept his promise to run a positive campaign, or not?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
YES	24	30	24	21	33	31	30	29
NO	71	67	72	71	61	63	65	65
Don't know	5	3	4	7	5	5	5	5
Refused	1	1	*	*	1	1	*	*
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

Ia1. Regardless of whom you support, who do you think will win the election for President in November? Do you think it will be... (READ ONLY OBAMA/BIDEN AND MCCAIN/PALIN CHOICES.)

	Likely Voters							
[RANDOMIZE CHOICES 1 AND 2]	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Barack Obama and Joe Biden, the Democrats	71	61	66	73	66	61	68	65
John McCain and Sarah Palin, the Republicans	18	28	26	16	25	27	21	27
(DO NOT READ) Bob Barr and Wayne Root, the Libertarians	-	-	-	-	*	-	-	-
(DO NOT READ) Ralph Nader and Matt Gonzales, the Independents	*	-	*	*	-	-	*	-
(DO NOT READ) Neither / Other candidate	3	2	2	2	1	2	3	2
Don't know	7	9	5	9	8	10	9	5
Refused	1	*	*	1	*	*	*	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

[ASK WHITES ALWAYS FIRST. RANDOMIZE REST OF ITEMS IN GRID]

RAC8. When it comes to politics, would you say that each of the following groups has too much influence,... about the right amount of influence,... or too little influence?

	Likely Voters				
	Colorado				
	Too much influence	Right amount of influence	Too little influence	Don't Know	Refused
Whites	28	55	6	8	3
Blacks	9	48	33	7	3
Elderly people	10	48	36	4	2
Wealthy people	70	21	4	3	2
Jews	8	54	18	16	4
Hispanics	9	41	41	6	3
Based On:	N=626				

	Likely Voters				
	Florida				
	Too much influence	Right amount of influence	Too little influence	Don't Know	Refused
Whites	28	48	12	6	6
Blacks	17	41	31	7	5
Elderly people	14	39	40	4	3
Wealthy people	67	18	6	5	4
Jews	16	48	21	11	5
Hispanics	13	37	36	8	5
Based On:	N=600				

	Likely Voters				
	Nevada				
	Too much influence	Right amount of influence	Too little influence	Don't Know	Refused
Whites	29	53	8	8	2
Blacks	11	39	42	7	1
Elderly people	11	47	37	5	1
Wealthy people	72	18	4	5	1
Jews	12	52	19	15	1
Hispanics	9	34	49	6	1
Based On:	N=628				

Likely Voters					
New Hampshire					
	Too much influence	Right amount of influence	Too little influence	Don't Know	Refused
Whites	25	55	8	8	5
Blacks	9	42	36	8	5
Elderly people	7	44	43	5	2
Wealthy people	73	16	3	4	3
Jews	5	51	18	20	6
Hispanics	8	35	39	13	6
Based On:	N=600				

Likely Voters					
North Carolina					
	Too much influence	Right amount of influence	Too little influence	Don't Know	Refused
Whites	26	51	11	9	3
Blacks	15	38	38	6	3
Elderly people	8	32	54	4	2
Wealthy people	68	19	6	5	2
Jews	8	43	28	17	4
Hispanics	11	32	46	8	3
Based On:	N=601				

Likely Voters					
Ohio					
	Too much influence	Right amount of influence	Too little influence	Don't Know	Refused
Whites	24	58	8	7	3
Blacks	9	49	33	6	3
Elderly people	11	41	42	4	2
Wealthy people	64	25	5	4	2
Jews	9	50	21	16	4
Hispanics	7	35	45	10	3
Based On:	N=607				

	Likely Voters				
	Pennsylvania				
	Too much influence	Right amount of influence	Too little influence	Don't Know	Refused
Whites	24	56	7	10	3
Blacks	15	43	31	8	2
Elderly people	15	44	35	4	2
Wealthy people	69	22	3	5	2
Jews	14	55	13	16	2
Hispanics	11	36	41	9	3
Based On:	N=607				

	Likely Voters				
	Virginia				
	Too much influence	Right amount of influence	Too little influence	Don't Know	Refused
Whites	30	51	8	9	3
Blacks	12	45	35	5	3
Elderly people	9	40	46	3	2
Wealthy people	65	26	5	3	2
Jews	9	50	22	17	3
Hispanics	7	39	42	10	2
Based On:	N=601				

[ASK HARD WORKING ALWAYS FIRST. RANDOMIZE REST OF THE ITEMS IN GRID.]

RAC11. How well does each of the following words describe most Blacks?

	Likely Voters						
	Colorado						
	Extremely Well	Very Well	Moderately Well	Not Too Well	Not At All	Don't Know	Refused
Hard-Working	13	23	37	8	3	9	7
Dependable	11	28	34	6	2	10	8
Violent	2	3	26	23	26	11	9
Irresponsible	3	6	19	24	27	12	9
Based On:	N=626						

	Likely Voters						
	Florida						
	Extremely Well	Very Well	Moderately Well	Not Too Well	Not At All	Don't Know	Refused
Hard-Working	7	26	34	11	7	6	9
Dependable	8	27	38	9	3	6	10
Violent	9	9	28	22	16	6	10
Irresponsible	3	7	26	25	20	8	11
Based On:	N=600						

	Likely Voters						
	Nevada						
	Extremely Well	Very Well	Moderately Well	Not Too Well	Not At All	Don't Know	Refused
Hard-Working	12	22	41	12	3	6	4
Dependable	9	27	39	10	1	9	5
Violent	2	6	27	27	21	10	7
Irresponsible	3	5	30	25	22	8	7
Based On:	N=628						

	Likely Voters						
	New Hampshire						
	Extremely Well	Very Well	Moderately Well	Not Too Well	Not At All	Don't Know	Refused
Hard-Working	11	20	38	6	1	11	13
Dependable	8	24	35	5	3	13	13
Violent	2	6	20	24	19	15	13
Irresponsible	2	3	25	22	21	14	13
Based On:	N=600						

	Likely Voters						
	North Carolina						
	Extremely Well	Very Well	Moderately Well	Not Too Well	Not At All	Don't Know	Refused
Hard-Working	11	23	43	10	1	5	7
Dependable	9	24	48	6	2	5	7
Violent	6	10	32	24	14	8	7
Irresponsible	3	5	30	27	21	7	7
Based On:	N=601						

	Likely Voters						
	Ohio						
	Extremely Well	Very Well	Moderately Well	Not Too Well	Not At All	Don't Know	Refused
Hard-Working	11	22	42	9	2	8	6
Dependable	7	24	45	6	1	8	9
Violent	4	7	28	28	15	9	9
Irresponsible	4	7	30	22	18	12	8
Based On:	N=607						

	Likely Voters						
	Pennsylvania						
	Extremely Well	Very Well	Moderately Well	Not Too Well	Not At All	Don't Know	Refused
Hard-Working	11	20	43	7	6	8	6
Dependable	9	21	45	6	5	8	6
Violent	7	6	27	26	16	11	7
Irresponsible	3	6	33	19	21	10	7
Based On:	N=607						

	Likely Voters						
	Virginia						
	Extremely Well	Very Well	Moderately Well	Not Too Well	Not At All	Don't Know	Refused
Hard-Working	16	28	33	9	4	5	6
Dependable	12	25	43	7	3	6	6
Violent	2	6	28	26	23	9	6
Irresponsible	2	5	28	27	25	6	7
Based On:	N=601						

G10/G11. Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent or none of these? (ENTER SINGLE RESPONSE.)

IF "Democrat," ASK: Do you consider yourself a strong or moderate Democrat?

IF "Republican," ASK: Do you consider yourself a strong or moderate Republican?

IF "INDEPENDENT" OR "NONE," ASK: Do you lean more toward the Democrats or the Republicans?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Democrat – strong	21	24	21	17	26	20	28	21
Democrat – moderate	9	11	14	8	18	14	19	13
Republican – strong	18	18	17	9	16	15	15	12
Republican – moderate	11	16	11	11	12	13	15	13
Independent – lean Democratic	13	11	17	24	11	14	9	10
[VOL] Independent – don't lean	5	4	3	8	3	4	2	3
Independent – lean Republican	15	7	11	14	11	13	8	15
None – lean Democratic	4	4	2	1	1	2	*	4
[VOL] None – don't lean	3	3	3	4	1	4	4	6
None – lean Republican	1	3	1	2	2	1	*	3
Don't know	1	*	1	*	1	1	1	*
Refused	*	*	*	1	*	*	-	*
Based On:	N=616	N=595	N=624	N=596	N=595	N=601	N=601	N=596

G11a. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself a liberal, moderate, or conservative?
 IF "Liberal," ASK: Would you say you are strongly or somewhat liberal?
 IF "Conservative," ASK: Would you say you are strongly or somewhat conservative?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Liberal – strongly	8	12	8	10	9	10	11	10
Liberal – somewhat	13	9	12	12	10	13	11	10
Conservative - strongly	22	23	17	14	19	21	23	23
Conservative - somewhat	15	12	15	14	19	18	12	16
Moderate	40	41	44	45	39	33	40	38
Don't know	2	1	4	3	3	3	2	3
Refused	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

The following questions are for classification purposes only and are the last part of the questionnaire. Please be assured that your responses will be aggregated with those of other participants to this survey.

DM2. What is your marital status? Are you...

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Married/Living as Married/Co-Habiting,	69	69	64	73	63	68	70	76
Separated,	1	3	2	1	3	2	2	2
Divorced,	7	6	9	9	8	9	6	6
Widowed, or	4	7	5	5	3	6	6	4
Never Married?	16	13	17	11	18	15	16	11
Don't know	1	*	2	*	1	-	-	1
Refused	2	3	2	2	4	*	*	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM3. What is the last grade of school you completed?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Less than high school graduate	7	10	6	4	6	7	8	8
High school graduate	20	26	31	31	26	32	38	24
Technical/trade school	1	3	2	3	3	3	3	2
Some college	32	29	35	27	32	31	23	29
College graduate	23	17	16	20	20	16	16	18
Some graduate school	2	1	1	2	2	1	2	4
Graduate degree	11	10	7	11	8	9	10	14
Don't know	2	1	2	*	1	-	1	*
Refused	1	4	2	2	3	*	-	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM4. In what year were you born?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
18-29	16	15	14	15	15	17	16	13
30-49	41	34	38	41	42	39	34	41
50-64	28	26	28	29	27	26	29	28
65+	12	20	16	13	12	18	19	14
DK/Refused	4	5	4	3	5	1	2	4
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM5. Which one of the following best describes where you live?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Urban area	22	25	26	13	20	18	19	18
Suburban area	49	56	55	36	36	50	46	48
Rural area	26	15	14	48	39	30	34	33
Don't know	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	*
Refused	1	3	2	2	4	*	*	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM6. Do you currently own your home, rent it, or do you have some other arrangement?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Own	75	79	71	80	76	77	79	82
Rent	14	11	17	12	13	14	11	10
Other arrangement	10	7	8	6	7	9	9	6
Don't know	1	1	2	1	*	-	*	1
Refused	2	3	2	2	4	1	1	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM7. Are you the parent or guardian of one or more children under the age of 18, or not?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Yes	37	31	30	34	40	38	35	38
No	61	66	67	64	56	62	64	61
Don't know	1	1	2	*	*	-	-	*
Refused	1	2	2	2	3	*	*	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM14. Do you consider yourself a born-again or evangelical Christian, or not?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Yes, born-again/evangelical	35	37	32	18	57	42	37	43
No	61	59	63	80	39	57	62	56
Don't know	2	1	2	*	1	1	1	*
Refused	2	4	3	2	4	1	1	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM15. What is your religious preference? Is it Protestant, Catholic, Mormon, Jewish, Muslim, some other religion, or don't you belong to any religious denomination?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Protestant	31	25	23	24	43	37	30	43
Catholic	20	25	24	32	8	26	32	11
Mormon	3	1	5	*	1	1	-	2
Jewish	1	3	3	2	1	1	2	2
Muslim	-	1	1	-	*	*	*	*
Other religion [SPECIFY]	19	19	20	13	32	21	18	22
Don't belong to religious denomination	21	21	20	26	11	13	17	16
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	2	1	3	*	1	*	1	1
Refused	4	5	3	3	4	2	1	3
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM17. [IF "OTHER RELIGION" IN DM15 (DM15-6), ASK:] Do you consider yourself a Christian, or not?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Yes, a Christian	69	88	75	73	93	90	89	82
No, not a Christian	31	11	25	27	7	10	11	18
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refused	-	1	-	-	-	*	-	-
Based On:	N=95	N=103	N=97	N=75	N=157	N=107	N=77	N=116

DM18. Aside from weddings and funerals, how often do you attend religious services? Would you say more than once a week, once a week, once or twice a month, a few times a year, less often than a few times a year, or never?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Never	20	13	19	25	8	12	12	11
Less often than a few times a year	11	12	13	12	4	8	7	10
A few times a year	21	21	22	25	14	20	22	18
Once or twice a month	14	13	15	12	24	17	14	15
Once a week	21	25	20	20	30	33	35	24
More than once a week	9	12	6	3	15	10	8	20
Don't know	1	1	2	*	1	*	*	1
Refused	3	4	3	4	4	1	1	3
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM19a. Are you Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino?

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Yes	16	15	12	1	2	2	3	3
No	81	83	83	98	94	98	97	96
Don't know	2	*	2	*	1	*	-	-
Refused	2	2	3	1	4	1	*	1
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM20a. [IF SPANISH/HISPANIC/LATINO (D19a-1), ASK:] In addition to being Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino, what race or races do you consider yourself to be? [DO NOT READ. ACCEPT MULTIPLE RESPONSES.]

DM20b. [IF NOT SPANISH/HISPANIC/LATINO (D19a-2), ASK:] What race or races do you consider yourself to be? [DO NOT READ. ACCEPT MULTIPLE RESPONSES.]

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
White	80	77	79	93	70	87	87	79
Black, African-American, or Negro	5	13	7	1	24	10	9	15
Spanish, Hispanic or Latino	16	15	12	1	2	2	3	3
American Indian or Alaska Native	3	*	3	1	3	1	1	1
Asian (net)	2	*	2	*	1	1	1	3
Asian Indian	-	*	*	*	-	*	1	2
Native Hawaiian	-	*	-	-	*	-	-	-
Chinese	-	-	-	-	*	-	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-	*	-	-	-	-	-
Filipino	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Japanese	-	-	-	-	*	-	-	-
Korean	-	-	*	-	-	-	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-	-	-	-	-	*	*
Other Asian	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	*
Other Pacific Islander	*	-	1	-	*	-	-	*
Some other race [SPECIFY]	8	5	5	2	1	2	2	3
Don't know	1	2	3	1	*	*	*	*
Refused	4	2	3	4	3	1	*	2
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

DM21a. Does your total household [IF SINGLE: "PERSONAL"] income fall below \$50,000 dollars, or is it \$50,000 or higher? [READ LIST]

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Below \$50,000	33	37	35	27	38	37	37	30
\$50,000+	59	55	57	65	52	57	56	64
Don't know	2	1	2	1	2	1	3	1
Refused	6	7	6	7	8	5	5	5
Based On:	N = 626	N =600	N =628	N =600	N =601	N =607	N =607	N =601

DM21b. And in which group does your total household [IF SINGLE: "PERSONAL"] income fall? [READ LIST]

IF INCOME IS "BELOW \$50,000" (DM21a-1), READ]

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Under \$10,000	8	13	11	9	6	12	19	16
\$10,000 to under \$20,000	8	18	15	16	20	17	13	7
\$20,000 to under \$30,000	24	25	15	29	17	24	19	21
\$30,000 to under \$40,000	25	21	20	17	25	23	19	31
\$40,000 to under \$50,000	33	22	35	27	27	23	25	20
Don't know	*	-	1	1	1	*	3	1
Refused	2	2	2	1	4	1	3	4
Based On:	N =190	N =192	N =205	N=182	N =215	N =229	N =243	N =159

IF INCOME IS "\$50,000 OR HIGHER" (DM21a-2), READ]

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
\$50,000 to under \$75,000	30	36	35	28	34	39	43	30
\$75,000 to under \$100,000	30	18	26	30	37	21	23	23
\$100,000 to under \$150,000	21	25	23	22	13	22	13	23
\$150,000 or more	16	18	12	15	11	7	16	18
Don't know	1	1	1	1	2	7	1	2
Refused	3	3	2	4	4	3	4	5
Based On:	N=388	N=356	N=364	N=370	N=328	N=337	N=319	N=395

DM24. INTERVIEWER RECORD Respondent's Gender:

	Likely Voters							
	Colorado	Florida	Nevada	New Hampshire	North Carolina	Ohio	Pennsylvania	Virginia
Male	52	46	48	51	47	50	45	50
Female	48	54	53	49	53	51	55	50
Based On:	N=626	N=600	N=628	N=600	N=601	N=607	N=607	N=601

AP-GfK Battleground State Poll Methodology

The **Associated Press-GfK Poll** on was conducted October 22nd - 26th, 2008, by GfK Roper Public Affairs & Media -- a division of GfK Custom Research North America. This poll in eight states is based on landline telephone interviews, with a nationally-representative probability sample of adults 18+ classified as likely voters. Likely voters completed the entire questionnaire; the balance of the sample completed a shorter version of the questionnaire. The sample was provided by Survey Sampling International. Interviews were conducted in both English and Spanish.

In each state, the data were weighted to account for probabilities of selection, as well as age, sex, education and race, using targets from the March 2007 supplement of the Current Population Survey.

The margin of sampling error is reported below, by state, for results based on the entire sample of adults, as well as likely voters. The margin of error varies for results based on sub-samples.

State	Total Sample N	Margin on total	Likely Voters	Margin on Likely Voters
Colorado	798	3.5	626	3.9
Florida	788	3.4	600	4.0
Nevada	818	3.6	628	3.9
New Hampshire	758	3.5	600	4.0
North Carolina	792	3.5	601	4.0
Ohio	789	3.5	607	4.0
Pennsylvania	822	3.4	607	4.0
Virginia	782	3.5	601	4.0