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## Obama trails Romney

**Raleigh, N.C.** – For the first time in PPP's monthly national polling since July 2010 Mitt Romney's taken a lead, albeit a small one, over Barack Obama. He's up 47-45.

Romney has two main things going for him. He leads the President 45-36 with independents. And he's also benefiting from a much more unified party with 88% of Republicans committed to voting for him while only 83% of Democrats say they'll vote for Obama.

Our national survey confirms the wide electability gap between Romney and the rest of the Republican candidate field. Obama leads both Newt Gingrich (49-44) and Ron Paul (46-41) by 5 points, Michele Bachmann (50-41) by 9, and Rick Perry (50-40) by 10. It continues to look like if GOP voters really want to defeat Obama they pretty much have to nominate Romney.

One thing that could confound Romney's prospects is if a strong third party candidate entered the race. We find that pretty much all of the big names who have been mentioned for potential independent bids would take a lot more voters from Romney than Obama.

The strongest potential independent candidate we tested is Donald Trump who gets 19% in a three way contest with Obama at 45% and Romney at 31%. The folks who say they would support Trump go for Romney 71-10 in a straight up head to head with Obama. Donald Trump's ego could potentially prove to be Obama's greatest asset for reelection in 2012. Others who get double digits as independent candidates are Ron Paul at 17% and Jon Huntsman at 11%.

“The big picture on our national poll remains the same,” said Dean Debnam, President of Public Policy Polling. “Obama/Romney is a toss up, Obama has an advantage on the rest of the Republican field, and a third party candidate could pave the way for Obama's reelection.”

PPP surveyed 700 registered voters from December 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup>. The margin of error for the survey is +/-3.7%. This poll was not paid for or authorized by any campaign or political organization. PPP surveys are conducted through automated telephone interviews. PPP is a Democratic polling company, but polling expert Nate Silver of the *New York Times* found that its surveys in 2010 actually exhibited a slight bias toward Republican candidates.





## National Survey Results

**Q1** Do you approve or disapprove of President Barack Obama's job performance?

*Approve* ..... 45%  
*Disapprove*..... 52%  
*Not sure* ..... 3%

**Q2** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Michele Bachmann?

*Favorable*..... 30%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 54%  
*Not sure* ..... 16%

**Q3** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Newt Gingrich?

*Favorable*..... 34%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 55%  
*Not sure* ..... 11%

**Q4** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Ron Paul?

*Favorable*..... 31%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 52%  
*Not sure* ..... 17%

**Q5** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Rick Perry?

*Favorable*..... 21%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 66%  
*Not sure* ..... 13%

**Q6** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Mitt Romney?

*Favorable*..... 35%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 50%  
*Not sure* ..... 14%

**Q7** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama and Republican Michele Bachmann, who would you vote for?

*Barack Obama*..... 50%  
*Michele Bachmann* ..... 41%  
*Undecided*..... 10%

**Q8** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama and Republican Newt Gingrich, who would you vote for?

*Barack Obama*..... 49%  
*Newt Gingrich* ..... 44%  
*Undecided*..... 7%

**Q9** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama and Republican Ron Paul, who would you vote for?

*Barack Obama*..... 46%  
*Ron Paul*..... 41%  
*Undecided*..... 13%

**Q10** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama and Republican Rick Perry, who would you vote for?

*Barack Obama*..... 50%  
*Rick Perry* ..... 40%  
*Undecided*..... 10%

**Q11** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama and Republican Mitt Romney, who would you vote for?

*Barack Obama*..... 45%  
*Mitt Romney*..... 47%  
*Undecided*..... 8%





**Q12** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama, Republican Mitt Romney, and Libertarian Gary Johnson, who would you vote for?

<i>Barack Obama</i> .....	43%
<i>Mitt Romney</i> .....	41%
<i>Gary Johnson</i> .....	9%
<i>Undecided</i> .....	7%

**Q13** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama, Republican Mitt Romney, and independent Ron Paul, who would you vote for?

<i>Barack Obama</i> .....	42%
<i>Mitt Romney</i> .....	37%
<i>Ron Paul</i> .....	17%
<i>Undecided</i> .....	4%

**Q14** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama, Republican Mitt Romney, and independent Michael Bloomberg, who would you vote for?

<i>Barack Obama</i> .....	43%
<i>Mitt Romney</i> .....	41%
<i>Michael Bloomberg</i> .....	8%
<i>Undecided</i> .....	8%

**Q15** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama, Republican Mitt Romney, and independent Rocky Anderson, who would you vote for?

<i>Barack Obama</i> .....	44%
<i>Mitt Romney</i> .....	43%
<i>Rocky Anderson</i> .....	4%
<i>Undecided</i> .....	8%

**Q16** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama, Republican Mitt Romney, and independent Jon Huntsman, who would you vote for?

<i>Barack Obama</i> .....	43%
<i>Mitt Romney</i> .....	37%
<i>Jon Huntsman</i> .....	11%
<i>Undecided</i> .....	8%

**Q17** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama, Republican Mitt Romney, and independent Donald Trump, who would you vote for?

<i>Barack Obama</i> .....	45%
<i>Mitt Romney</i> .....	31%
<i>Donald Trump</i> .....	19%
<i>Undecided</i> .....	5%

**Q18** If the candidates for President next year were Democrat Barack Obama, Republican Mitt Romney, and independent Bernie Sanders, who would you vote for?

<i>Barack Obama</i> .....	42%
<i>Mitt Romney</i> .....	42%
<i>Bernie Sanders</i> .....	7%
<i>Undecided</i> .....	9%

**Q19** Would you describe yourself as very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?

<i>Very liberal</i> .....	12%
<i>Somewhat liberal</i> .....	18%
<i>Moderate</i> .....	27%
<i>Somewhat conservative</i> .....	24%
<i>Very conservative</i> .....	19%

**Q20** If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

<i>Woman</i> .....	50%
<i>Man</i> .....	50%



**Q21** If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If you are an independent or identify with another party, press 3.

*Democrat* ..... 40%  
*Republican* ..... 35%  
*Independent/Other* ..... 24%

**Q22** If you are Hispanic, press 1. If white, press 2. If African-American, press 3. If other, press 4.

*Hispanic* ..... 8%  
*White* ..... 74%  
*African-American* ..... 12%  
*Other* ..... 7%

**Q23** If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1. If 30 to 45, press 2. If 46 to 65, press 3. If you are older than 65, press 4.

*18 to 29* ..... 16%  
*30 to 45* ..... 28%  
*46 to 65* ..... 36%  
*Older than 65* ..... 20%



**Crosstabs**

	Base	Obama/Romney/Johnson			
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Gary Johnson	Undecided
<b>Obama/Romney</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	45%	97%	1%	23%	13%
<b>Mitt Romney</b>	47%	0%	98%	36%	44%
<b>Undecided</b>	8%	2%	0%	41%	43%

	Base	Obama/Romney/Paul			
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Ron Paul	Undecided
<b>Obama/Romney</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	45%	99%	1%	17%	12%
<b>Mitt Romney</b>	47%	-	99%	55%	39%
<b>Undecided</b>	8%	1%	0%	29%	48%

	Base	Obama/Romney/Bloomberg			
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Michael Bloomberg	Undecided
<b>Obama/Romney</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	45%	97%	1%	29%	3%
<b>Mitt Romney</b>	47%	1%	97%	39%	49%
<b>Undecided</b>	8%	2%	1%	32%	48%

	Base	Obama/Romney/Anderson			
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Rocky Anderson	Undecided
<b>Obama/Romney</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	45%	96%	2%	25%	5%
<b>Mitt Romney</b>	47%	1%	97%	40%	43%
<b>Undecided</b>	8%	3%	1%	35%	52%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Obama/Romney/Huntsman			
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Jon Huntsman	Undecided
<b>Obama/Romney</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	45%	97%	2%	15%	8%
<b>Mitt Romney</b>	47%	0%	97%	63%	45%
<b>Undecided</b>	8%	3%	1%	22%	46%

	Base	Obama/Romney/Trump			
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Donald Trump	Undecided
<b>Obama/Romney</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	45%	94%	2%	10%	6%
<b>Mitt Romney</b>	47%	1%	97%	71%	59%
<b>Undecided</b>	8%	5%	1%	19%	35%

	Base	Obama/Romney/Sanders			
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Bernie Sanders	Undecided
<b>Obama/Romney</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	45%	96%	2%	46%	7%
<b>Mitt Romney</b>	47%	0%	97%	38%	44%
<b>Undecided</b>	8%	4%	1%	17%	50%





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	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama Approval</b>						
<b>Approve</b>	45%	77%	82%	59%	15%	6%
<b>Disapprove</b>	52%	20%	16%	36%	79%	94%
<b>Not sure</b>	3%	3%	2%	4%	6%	-

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Bachmann Favorability</b>						
<b>Favorable</b>	30%	20%	21%	20%	38%	47%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	54%	73%	70%	67%	34%	35%
<b>Not sure</b>	16%	7%	8%	12%	27%	19%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Gingrich Favorability</b>						
<b>Favorable</b>	34%	13%	12%	24%	53%	60%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	55%	78%	83%	64%	34%	27%
<b>Not sure</b>	11%	9%	5%	12%	13%	13%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Paul Favorability</b>						
<b>Favorable</b>	31%	27%	21%	39%	35%	28%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	52%	57%	64%	42%	45%	57%
<b>Not sure</b>	17%	16%	14%	19%	20%	15%





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	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Perry Favorability</b>						
Favorable	21%	6%	3%	14%	34%	39%
Unfavorable	66%	82%	92%	74%	48%	41%
Not sure	13%	11%	5%	12%	18%	20%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Romney Favorability</b>						
Favorable	35%	20%	13%	37%	50%	46%
Unfavorable	50%	67%	79%	49%	34%	35%
Not sure	14%	13%	8%	14%	15%	19%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Bachmann</b>						
Barack Obama	50%	86%	90%	66%	17%	5%
Michele Bachmann	41%	9%	9%	20%	67%	89%
Undecided	10%	5%	1%	15%	16%	6%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Gingrich</b>						
Barack Obama	49%	83%	86%	64%	21%	7%
Newt Gingrich	44%	15%	10%	30%	67%	87%
Undecided	7%	3%	4%	7%	12%	6%







**Crosstabs**

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Paul</b>						
Barack Obama	46%	80%	82%	58%	18%	6%
Ron Paul	41%	14%	10%	31%	60%	79%
Undecided	13%	7%	8%	11%	22%	14%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Perry</b>						
Barack Obama	50%	83%	89%	65%	17%	8%
Rick Perry	40%	10%	7%	26%	63%	83%
Undecided	10%	7%	4%	9%	20%	9%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Romney</b>						
Barack Obama	45%	81%	86%	56%	14%	6%
Mitt Romney	47%	13%	11%	34%	77%	85%
Undecided	8%	6%	3%	10%	9%	8%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Romney/Johnson</b>						
Barack Obama	43%	77%	83%	53%	13%	5%
Mitt Romney	41%	15%	9%	26%	68%	78%
Gary Johnson	9%	3%	5%	11%	9%	12%
Undecided	7%	6%	4%	9%	10%	6%





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	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Romney/Paul</b>						
Barack Obama	42%	78%	84%	50%	13%	4%
Mitt Romney	37%	8%	7%	25%	62%	66%
Ron Paul	17%	5%	8%	20%	20%	26%
Undecided	4%	9%	1%	5%	5%	3%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Romney/Bloomberg</b>						
Barack Obama	43%	79%	87%	51%	14%	5%
Mitt Romney	41%	12%	8%	27%	64%	81%
Michael Bloomberg	8%	2%	5%	14%	5%	8%
Undecided	8%	7%	-	8%	17%	6%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Romney/Anderson</b>						
Barack Obama	44%	78%	86%	56%	14%	5%
Mitt Romney	43%	15%	11%	29%	70%	78%
Rocky Anderson	4%	4%	1%	6%	2%	9%
Undecided	8%	4%	2%	9%	14%	8%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Romney/Huntsman</b>						
Barack Obama	43%	79%	85%	52%	14%	4%
Mitt Romney	37%	12%	10%	26%	60%	66%
Jon Huntsman	11%	5%	3%	14%	11%	20%
Undecided	8%	3%	2%	8%	15%	10%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Romney/Trump</b>						
Barack Obama	45%	77%	85%	58%	14%	6%
Mitt Romney	31%	12%	6%	20%	54%	55%
Donald Trump	19%	8%	8%	18%	20%	35%
Undecided	5%	3%	1%	3%	12%	4%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama/Romney/Sanders</b>						
Barack Obama	42%	68%	83%	54%	15%	6%
Mitt Romney	42%	12%	10%	27%	67%	79%
Bernie Sanders	7%	14%	5%	9%	3%	7%
Undecided	9%	6%	2%	11%	15%	8%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama Approval</b>			
Approve	45%	52%	38%
Disapprove	52%	46%	57%
Not sure	3%	2%	4%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Bachmann Favorability</b>			
Favorable	30%	29%	31%
Unfavorable	54%	55%	54%
Not sure	16%	16%	15%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Gingrich Favorability</b>			
<b>Favorable</b>	34%	28%	41%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	55%	59%	51%
<b>Not sure</b>	11%	13%	8%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Paul Favorability</b>			
<b>Favorable</b>	31%	22%	40%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	52%	54%	49%
<b>Not sure</b>	17%	24%	11%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Perry Favorability</b>			
<b>Favorable</b>	21%	16%	25%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	66%	67%	65%
<b>Not sure</b>	13%	17%	10%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Romney Favorability</b>			
<b>Favorable</b>	35%	27%	44%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	50%	55%	46%
<b>Not sure</b>	14%	18%	11%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Bachmann</b>			
<b>Barack Obama</b>	50%	55%	44%
<b>Michele Bachmann</b>	41%	37%	45%
<b>Undecided</b>	10%	8%	11%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Gingrich</b>			
<b>Barack Obama</b>	49%	55%	43%
<b>Newt Gingrich</b>	44%	39%	49%
<b>Undecided</b>	7%	5%	8%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Paul</b>			
<b>Barack Obama</b>	46%	54%	38%
<b>Ron Paul</b>	41%	34%	48%
<b>Undecided</b>	13%	12%	14%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Perry</b>			
<b>Barack Obama</b>	50%	54%	45%
<b>Rick Perry</b>	40%	35%	45%
<b>Undecided</b>	10%	11%	10%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Romney</b>			
Barack Obama	45%	53%	38%
Mitt Romney	47%	40%	54%
Undecided	8%	7%	8%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Romney/Johnson</b>			
Barack Obama	43%	51%	35%
Mitt Romney	41%	35%	48%
Gary Johnson	9%	7%	10%
Undecided	7%	7%	7%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Romney/Paul</b>			
Barack Obama	42%	50%	34%
Mitt Romney	37%	32%	41%
Ron Paul	17%	12%	22%
Undecided	4%	5%	4%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Romney/Bloomberg</b>			
Barack Obama	43%	52%	35%
Mitt Romney	41%	33%	49%
Michael Bloomberg	8%	6%	9%
Undecided	8%	9%	7%





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		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Romney/Anderson</b>			
Barack Obama	44%	52%	37%
Mitt Romney	43%	35%	51%
Rocky Anderson	4%	5%	4%
Undecided	8%	9%	7%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Romney/Huntsman</b>			
Barack Obama	43%	51%	36%
Mitt Romney	37%	32%	43%
Jon Huntsman	11%	9%	14%
Undecided	8%	8%	8%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Romney/Trump</b>			
Barack Obama	45%	52%	38%
Mitt Romney	31%	27%	36%
Donald Trump	19%	16%	21%
Undecided	5%	5%	5%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama/Romney/Sanders</b>			
Barack Obama	42%	49%	35%
Mitt Romney	42%	34%	49%
Bernie Sanders	7%	7%	7%
Undecided	9%	10%	9%





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		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Obama Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	45%	79%	10%	40%
<b>Disapprove</b>	52%	18%	88%	54%
<b>Not sure</b>	3%	3%	2%	6%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Bachmann Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	30%	22%	41%	26%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	54%	65%	39%	59%
<b>Not sure</b>	16%	13%	19%	16%

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		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Gingrich Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	34%	13%	62%	30%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	55%	78%	28%	57%
<b>Not sure</b>	11%	10%	10%	13%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Paul Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	31%	26%	32%	39%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	52%	58%	51%	41%
<b>Not sure</b>	17%	16%	16%	20%







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		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Perry Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	21%	9%	41%	11%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	66%	82%	45%	70%
<b>Not sure</b>	13%	10%	14%	19%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Romney Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	35%	14%	58%	38%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	50%	72%	29%	46%
<b>Not sure</b>	14%	14%	14%	16%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Obama/Bachmann</b>				
<b>Barack Obama</b>	50%	85%	10%	49%
<b>Michele Bachmann</b>	41%	10%	80%	34%
<b>Undecided</b>	10%	5%	10%	17%

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		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
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<b>Barack Obama</b>	49%	84%	11%	46%
<b>Newt Gingrich</b>	44%	12%	83%	41%
<b>Undecided</b>	7%	4%	6%	12%





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<b>Obama/Paul</b>				
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Undecided	8%	4%	4%	19%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
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Mitt Romney	41%	11%	82%	32%
Gary Johnson	9%	4%	7%	17%
Undecided	7%	5%	5%	16%





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		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
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Mitt Romney	37%	8%	72%	31%
Ron Paul	17%	8%	20%	27%
Undecided	4%	2%	3%	10%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Bloomberg</b>				
Barack Obama	43%	81%	6%	34%
Mitt Romney	41%	10%	83%	32%
Michael Bloomberg	8%	6%	5%	15%
Undecided	8%	3%	6%	19%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Anderson</b>				
Barack Obama	44%	81%	6%	39%
Mitt Romney	43%	12%	84%	36%
Rocky Anderson	4%	3%	3%	9%
Undecided	8%	3%	7%	17%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Huntsman</b>				
Barack Obama	43%	81%	7%	34%
Mitt Romney	37%	10%	73%	30%
Jon Huntsman	11%	6%	12%	20%
Undecided	8%	3%	8%	16%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Trump</b>				
Barack Obama	45%	81%	6%	41%
Mitt Romney	31%	7%	62%	28%
Donald Trump	19%	10%	24%	26%
Undecided	5%	3%	8%	5%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Sanders</b>				
Barack Obama	42%	79%	6%	34%
Mitt Romney	42%	10%	82%	35%
Bernie Sanders	7%	7%	4%	12%
Undecided	9%	4%	8%	19%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama Approval</b>					
Approve	45%	53%	37%	84%	57%
Disapprove	52%	46%	60%	14%	30%
Not sure	3%	1%	3%	2%	13%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Bachmann Favorability</b>					
Favorable	30%	33%	30%	27%	29%
Unfavorable	54%	50%	55%	53%	53%
Not sure	16%	16%	15%	20%	17%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Gingrich Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	<b>34%</b>	31%	39%	17%	17%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	<b>55%</b>	64%	50%	72%	63%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>11%</b>	4%	11%	11%	19%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Paul Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	<b>31%</b>	51%	32%	22%	20%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	<b>52%</b>	42%	51%	57%	54%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>17%</b>	6%	17%	21%	26%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Perry Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	<b>21%</b>	16%	24%	8%	18%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	<b>66%</b>	73%	62%	83%	67%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>13%</b>	10%	14%	10%	16%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Romney Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	<b>35%</b>	25%	39%	21%	30%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	<b>50%</b>	60%	47%	65%	52%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>14%</b>	15%	14%	14%	17%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Bachmann</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	<b>50%</b>	61%	41%	86%	64%
<b>Michele Bachmann</b>	<b>41%</b>	32%	48%	7%	27%
<b>Undecided</b>	<b>10%</b>	7%	11%	6%	9%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Gingrich</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	<b>49%</b>	69%	40%	86%	57%
<b>Newt Gingrich</b>	<b>44%</b>	25%	53%	13%	30%
<b>Undecided</b>	<b>7%</b>	7%	7%	2%	13%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Paul</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	<b>46%</b>	63%	37%	85%	53%
<b>Ron Paul</b>	<b>41%</b>	37%	48%	10%	30%
<b>Undecided</b>	<b>13%</b>	-	15%	5%	18%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Perry</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	<b>50%</b>	69%	41%	88%	59%
<b>Rick Perry</b>	<b>40%</b>	25%	48%	9%	22%
<b>Undecided</b>	<b>10%</b>	7%	11%	3%	19%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Romney</b>					
Barack Obama	45%	65%	35%	84%	58%
Mitt Romney	47%	28%	56%	12%	30%
Undecided	8%	7%	8%	4%	11%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Johnson</b>					
Barack Obama	43%	49%	34%	80%	60%
Mitt Romney	41%	31%	49%	10%	22%
Gary Johnson	9%	15%	8%	5%	15%
Undecided	7%	5%	8%	4%	3%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Paul</b>					
Barack Obama	42%	47%	34%	83%	55%
Mitt Romney	37%	18%	44%	12%	19%
Ron Paul	17%	33%	17%	3%	25%
Undecided	4%	1%	5%	2%	1%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Bloomberg</b>					
Barack Obama	43%	49%	35%	85%	54%
Mitt Romney	41%	32%	49%	7%	24%
Michael Bloomberg	8%	13%	8%	2%	15%
Undecided	8%	7%	9%	6%	7%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Anderson</b>					
Barack Obama	44%	56%	35%	86%	57%
Mitt Romney	43%	32%	51%	9%	25%
Rocky Anderson	4%	5%	5%	1%	8%
Undecided	8%	7%	9%	3%	10%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Huntsman</b>					
Barack Obama	43%	60%	34%	85%	55%
Mitt Romney	37%	27%	44%	11%	25%
Jon Huntsman	11%	5%	14%	3%	8%
Undecided	8%	8%	9%	1%	11%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Trump</b>					
Barack Obama	45%	57%	35%	85%	63%
Mitt Romney	31%	27%	37%	9%	18%
Donald Trump	19%	10%	22%	4%	19%
Undecided	5%	6%	6%	2%	-

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Obama/Romney/Sanders</b>					
Barack Obama	42%	53%	33%	84%	56%
Mitt Romney	42%	32%	49%	12%	25%
Bernie Sanders	7%	7%	7%	1%	13%
Undecided	9%	8%	11%	3%	6%







**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	45%	51%	40%	47%	44%
<b>Disapprove</b>	52%	46%	59%	48%	53%
<b>Not sure</b>	3%	3%	1%	5%	3%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Bachmann Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	30%	17%	29%	34%	33%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	54%	66%	48%	55%	53%
<b>Not sure</b>	16%	17%	23%	11%	14%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Gingrich Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	34%	27%	40%	33%	35%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	55%	59%	48%	58%	56%
<b>Not sure</b>	11%	14%	12%	9%	9%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Paul Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	31%	34%	41%	25%	26%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	52%	44%	41%	59%	59%
<b>Not sure</b>	17%	22%	18%	16%	15%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Perry Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	21%	19%	20%	20%	24%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	66%	63%	64%	70%	63%
<b>Not sure</b>	13%	19%	16%	9%	13%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Romney Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	35%	25%	37%	36%	40%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	50%	54%	47%	52%	48%
<b>Not sure</b>	14%	20%	16%	11%	12%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Bachmann</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	50%	59%	45%	50%	47%
<b>Michele Bachmann</b>	41%	31%	42%	42%	45%
<b>Undecided</b>	10%	10%	13%	8%	8%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Gingrich</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	49%	56%	44%	51%	47%
<b>Newt Gingrich</b>	44%	36%	50%	42%	47%
<b>Undecided</b>	7%	8%	6%	7%	6%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Paul</b>					
Barack Obama	46%	53%	39%	47%	47%
Ron Paul	41%	39%	47%	39%	39%
Undecided	13%	8%	14%	14%	13%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Perry</b>					
Barack Obama	50%	54%	47%	51%	47%
Rick Perry	40%	34%	44%	38%	43%
Undecided	10%	12%	9%	11%	9%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Romney</b>					
Barack Obama	45%	51%	39%	47%	45%
Mitt Romney	47%	42%	52%	44%	50%
Undecided	8%	7%	9%	9%	5%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Romney/Johnson</b>					
Barack Obama	43%	42%	35%	47%	46%
Mitt Romney	41%	36%	45%	40%	43%
Gary Johnson	9%	14%	10%	6%	7%
Undecided	7%	8%	10%	7%	3%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Romney/Paul</b>					
Barack Obama	42%	51%	33%	44%	44%
Mitt Romney	37%	22%	39%	38%	42%
Ron Paul	17%	24%	24%	12%	10%
Undecided	4%	3%	4%	6%	3%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Romney/Bloomberg</b>					
Barack Obama	43%	53%	35%	45%	44%
Mitt Romney	41%	32%	46%	38%	46%
Michael Bloomberg	8%	5%	9%	10%	5%
Undecided	8%	10%	10%	7%	6%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Romney/Anderson</b>					
Barack Obama	44%	51%	37%	47%	45%
Mitt Romney	43%	34%	48%	41%	46%
Rocky Anderson	4%	3%	4%	6%	4%
Undecided	8%	12%	11%	6%	5%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Romney/Huntsman</b>					
Barack Obama	43%	49%	36%	45%	45%
Mitt Romney	37%	29%	41%	36%	40%
Jon Huntsman	11%	14%	12%	11%	10%
Undecided	8%	8%	11%	7%	5%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Romney/Trump</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	45%	53%	40%	46%	44%
<b>Mitt Romney</b>	31%	24%	28%	33%	39%
<b>Donald Trump</b>	19%	17%	27%	16%	13%
<b>Undecided</b>	5%	7%	5%	6%	4%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama/Romney/Sanders</b>					
<b>Barack Obama</b>	42%	46%	35%	45%	45%
<b>Mitt Romney</b>	42%	34%	45%	41%	43%
<b>Bernie Sanders</b>	7%	8%	9%	5%	6%
<b>Undecided</b>	9%	12%	11%	8%	6%

