



2002 NATIONAL SURVEY OF HISPANIC ADULTS
 (AUGUST 2-14, 2002) RESULTS BY GENDER

IN WHAT LANGUAGE WOULD YOU PREFER TO CONDUCT THIS INTERVIEW, IN ENGLISH, OR IN SPANISH?

	MEN		WOMEN	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Total	1000		526	
ENGLISH	45.0	46.5	43.5	
SPANISH	55.0	53.5	56.5	

WHAT IS YOUR NATIONAL ANCESTRY? IF YOU ARE NOT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN, JUST SAY SO.

	MEN		WOMEN	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
MEXICAN	65.2	65.5	65.0	
PUERTO RICAN	7.6	6.7	8.5	
CUBAN	4.8	4.7	4.9	
DOMINICAN	2.7	1.7	3.7	
SOUTH AMERICAN	6.4	6.9	6.0	
CENTRAL AMERICAN	7.7	7.8	7.5	
OTHER HISPANIC	5.5	6.8	4.3	

WHAT IS YOUR AGE?
 (High representative value used to calculate Mean is set at 72.)

	MEN		WOMEN	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
18 - 25	16.9	18.1	15.9	
26 - 40	31.9	29.1	34.4	
41 - 55	28.3	30.3	26.4	
56 - 65	12.9	11.8	13.8	
OVER 65	10.1	10.7	9.5	
Mean	42.77	42.91	42.65	

WHAT IS THE MOST IMPORTANT ISSUE FACING LATINOS IN THE UNITED STATES TODAY?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
IMMIGRATION	17.8	16.2	19.2
DISCRIMINATION/PREJUDICE	17.8	16.0	19.4
EDUCATION	14.8	15.3	14.3
EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT	9.5	10.5	8.5
LANGUAGE	5.1	4.2	5.9
NO ANSWER	16.9	17.3	16.6

WHICH NATIONAL LATINO POLITICAL LEADER, LIVING TODAY, DO YOU MOST ADMIRE?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
PRES. VICENTE FOX	3.7	3.9	3.5
HENRY CISNEROS	1.8	2.5	1.2
REP. LUIS GUTIERREZ	1.3	1.2	1.4

DO YOU FEEL CONFIDENT THAT THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR YOUR CHILDREN WILL BE BETTER THAN IT HAS BEEN FOR YOU, ABOUT THE SAME, OR WORSE?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
BETTER	69.5	71.6	67.6
ABOUT THE SAME	14.2	13.6	14.6
WORSE	12.1	10.8	13.2
OTHER/DK/REFUSED	4.3	3.9	4.6

WILL YOU PLEASE TELL ME IF YOU HAVE A FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE OPINION OF GEORGE W. BUSH? IF YOU HAVE NO OPINION OR HAVE NEVER HEARD OF HIM, JUST SAY SO.

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
FAVORABLE	57.8	58.2	57.5
Very	30.6	33.2	28.3
Somewhat	27.2	25.0	29.2
UNFAVORABLE	22.0	23.4	20.7
Somewhat	10.1	10.1	10.1
Very	11.9	13.3	10.6
NO OPINION	19.7	18.0	21.3
NEVER HEARD OF	0.5	0.4	0.5

GENERALLY SPEAKING, WOULD YOU SAY THAT YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB GEORGE W. BUSH IS DOING AS PRESIDENT?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	68.4	68.9	67.9
Strongly	32.9	35.2	30.9
Somewhat	35.5	33.7	37.0
DISAPPROVE	23.9	24.4	23.5
Somewhat	11.4	11.3	11.5
Strongly	12.5	13.1	12.0
DK/REFUSED	7.7	6.7	8.6

OVERALL, WOULD YOU SAY THAT YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF PRESIDENT BUSH'S EFFORT TO REACH OUT TO U.S. HISPANICS AND ADDRESS THE ISSUES MOST IMPORTANT TO THEM?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	63.2	62.7	63.7
Strongly	37.2	36.2	38.1
Somewhat	26.0	26.5	25.6
DISAPPROVE	26.9	27.3	26.6
Somewhat	11.2	10.3	12.1
Strongly	15.7	16.9	14.5
DK/REFUSED	9.9	10.0	9.7

GENERALLY SPEAKING, WOULD YOU SAY THAT YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB REPUBLICANS IN CONGRESS ARE DOING?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	42.1	44.9	39.5
Strongly	18.0	19.4	16.7
Somewhat	24.1	25.5	22.8
DISAPPROVE	38.6	38.9	38.2
Somewhat	17.6	16.2	18.9
Strongly	20.9	22.8	19.3
DK/REFUSED	19.4	16.1	22.2

GENERALLY SPEAKING, WOULD YOU SAY THAT YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB DEMOCRATS IN CONGRESS ARE DOING?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	53.5	53.9	53.2
Strongly	22.8	22.6	23.0
Somewhat	30.7	31.3	30.2
DISAPPROVE	25.2	28.8	22.0
Somewhat	14.7	16.8	12.8
Strongly	10.5	12.0	9.2
DK/REFUSED	21.3	17.3	24.8

DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF GIVING THE U.S. FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION THE AUTHORITY TO REGULATE THE PRODUCTION AND SALE OF TOBACCO?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	59.6	61.7	57.7
Strongly	46.0	49.6	42.9
Somewhat	13.5	12.1	14.8
DISAPPROVE	33.4	30.7	35.9
Somewhat	9.0	8.5	9.4
Strongly	24.5	22.2	26.5
DK/REFUSED	7.0	7.5	6.5

NOW, SPEAKING ABOUT HEALTH CARE, REGARDING YOUR HEALTH CARE INSURANCE COVERAGE, WHICH ONE OF THE FOLLOWING COMES CLOSEST TO DESCRIBING YOUR OWN PERSONAL SITUATION? IF YOU HAVE NO HEALTH INSURANCE, JUST SAY SO.

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
NO HEALTH INSURANCE	29.9	32.8	27.3
PRIVATE INSURANCE CO.	48.8	50.5	47.3
ON MEDICARE	12.3	10.5	13.9
ON MEDICAID	7.8	5.2	10.1
DK/REFUSED	1.2	1.0	1.4

(Have No Insurance only): WHERE DO YOU GO MOST OFTEN FOR HEALTH CARE SERVICES: TO A PRIVATE DOCTOR, THE EMERGENCY ROOM AT THE HOSPITAL, A COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER, OR TO HOLISTIC DOCTORS?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Have No Insurance	299	155	144
PRIVATE DOCTOR	31.7	36.4	26.7
HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ROOM	18.9	23.1	14.4
COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER	34.7	26.4	43.6
HOLISTIC DOCTOR	2.1	1.6	2.6
IT DEPENDS/OTHER	7.4	6.3	8.7
DK/REFUSED	5.1	6.1	4.0

WHEN IT COMES TO HEALTH INSURANCE, WOULD YOU PREFER TO BE COVERED BY A PRIVATE HEALTH CARE PLAN OR A GOVERNMENT-RUN PROGRAM LIKE MEDICAID?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
PRIVATE HEALTH CARE PLAN	53.8	56.6	51.2
MEDICAID	37.8	35.3	40.0
DK/REFUSED	8.5	8.1	8.8

PRESIDENT BUSH IS PROMOTING A NEW LAW THAT WOULD GIVE FAMILIES WHO DON'T GET HEALTH INSURANCE IN THEIR JOBS UP TO \$3,000 A YEAR IN TAX BENEFITS SO THEY CAN BUY THEIR OWN HEALTH INSURANCE. WOULD YOU FAVOR OR OPPOSE THIS IDEA?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
FAVOR	84.6	83.7	85.3
Strongly	65.7	64.4	66.8
Somewhat	18.9	19.3	18.5
OPPOSE	12.0	13.7	10.4
Somewhat	4.5	3.6	5.3
Strongly	7.5	10.1	5.1
DK/REFUSED	3.5	2.6	4.3
Net Difference	72.6	70.1	74.8

WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY OR LESS LIKELY TO VOTE FOR A CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATE THAT SUPPORTS GIVING WORKING FAMILIES \$3,000 IN TAX BENEFITS TO BUY PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
MORE LIKELY	80.2	77.7	82.5
Much	58.1	58.8	57.6
Somewhat	22.1	18.9	25.0
LESS LIKELY	13.0	15.6	10.6
Somewhat	6.2	7.4	5.1
Much	6.8	8.2	5.5
DK/REFUSED	6.8	6.7	6.8
Net Difference	67.2	62.0	71.9

MY NEXT FEW QUESTIONS CONCERN MEDICAID, THE GOVERNMENT PROGRAM THAT PAYS FOR HEALTH CARE FOR LOW-INCOME CITIZENS. FROM YOUR EXPERIENCE, OR WHAT YOU HAVE HEARD OR READ, IS THE MEDICAID PROGRAM RUN WELL, OR DO YOU THINK IT NEEDS TO BE REFORMED?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
RUN WELL	22.1	20.9	23.2
NEEDS TO BE REFORMED	64.4	65.4	63.6
DK/REFUSED	13.5	13.7	13.3

FEDERAL AND STATE GOVERNMENTS PAY FOR PRESCRIPTION MEDICINES FOR THE VERY POOR THROUGH MEDICAID. NOW, SOME PEOPLE HAVE PROPOSED SAVING MONEY BY LIMITING WHICH PRESCRIPTION MEDICINES MEDICAID WILL PAY FOR. IN YOUR OPINION, SHOULD THE GOVERNMENT TRY TO SAVE MONEY BY LIMITING THE PRESCRIPTION DRUGS THEY WILL PAY FOR, OR SHOULD THE GOVERNMENT PAY FOR ANY PRESCRIPTION DRUGS THE DOCTOR ORDERS FOR LOW-INCOME PATIENTS?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
LIMIT PRESCRIPTION DRUGS THEY WILL PAY FOR	12.4	14.9	10.0
PAY FOR ANY R _x DRUGS LOW-INCOME PATIENTS NEED	84.3	81.2	87.1
DK/REFUSED	3.3	3.9	2.9

MY NEXT FEW QUESTIONS CONCERN MEDICARE, THE GOVERNMENT PROGRAM THAT PAYS FOR HEALTH CARE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS. FROM YOUR EXPERIENCE, OR WHAT YOU HAVE HEARD OR READ, IS THE MEDICARE PROGRAM RUN WELL, OR DO YOU THINK IT NEEDS TO BE REFORMED?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
RUN WELL	20.9	22.9	19.2
NEEDS TO BE REFORMED	65.2	63.4	66.9
DK/REFUSED	13.8	13.7	13.9

IF MEDICARE STARTS PAYING FOR PRESCRIPTION DRUGS FOR SENIORS, SHOULD IT PAY IT FOR ALL SENIORS, REGARDLESS OF INCOME, OR SHOULD IT FOCUS THE ASSISTANCE ON THOSE WHO HAVE A LOW INCOME AND CAN'T AFFORD PRESCRIPTION DRUGS?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
ALL SENIORS	24.4	26.9	22.2
ONLY LOW-INCOME SENIORS	73.2	71.1	75.1
DK/REFUSED	2.4	2.0	2.7

SOME PEOPLE SAY THE MEDICARE PROGRAM SHOULD BE CHANGED TO ALLOW SENIOR CITIZENS TO CHOOSE BETWEEN DIFFERENT PLANS WITH DIFFERENT BENEFITS, DEPENDING ON WHAT THEY NEED AND MODELED AFTER THE PROGRAM FEDERAL GOVERN-MENT EMPLOYEES, INCLUDING MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, CURRENTLY USE. OTHERS SAY MEDICARE SHOULD BE LEFT AS IT IS, WITH THE SAME SET OF BENEFITS FOR EVERY SENIOR CITIZEN. WHICH OF THESE POINTS OF VIEW DO YOU AGREE WITH MOST?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
CHANGE MEDICARE TO ALLOW DIFFERENT PLANS	63.3	63.0	63.6
LEFT AS IS, WITH SAME BENEFITS FOR ALL SENIORS	29.9	29.5	30.3
DK/REFUSED	6.8	7.5	6.1

NOW, REGARDING EDUCATION, HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE QUALITY OF EDUCATION IN YOUR LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOLS? WOULD YOU SAY THEY ARE EXCELLENT, GOOD, FAIR, OR POOR?

		MEN	WOMEN
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POSITIVE	38.8	38.0	39.6
Excellent	12.2	12.6	11.9
Good	26.6	25.4	27.7
NEGATIVE	56.4	57.9	55.0
Fair	37.3	38.0	36.6
Poor	19.1	20.0	18.3
DK/REFUSED	4.8	4.1	5.4

WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING IS THE BIGGEST PROBLEM FACING PUBLIC EDUCATION TODAY?

		MEN	WOMEN	
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VIOLENCE AND DRUGS IN SCHOOL		33.3	31.8	34.7
THE LACK OF QUALITY TEACHERS		17.1	18.4	15.9
OVERCROWDING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS		13.8	12.2	15.4
LACK OF BASIC READING, WRITING, & MATH SKILLS		12.5	11.7	13.2
STUDENTS BEING TAUGHT NON-TRADITIONAL VALUES		8.0	9.1	7.1
LACK OF BILINGUAL EDUCATION		6.4	7.9	5.0
LACK OF CHOICE FOR PARENTS		4.2	5.0	3.5
DK/REFUSED		4.6	3.8	5.2

IN YOUR OPINION, WHAT OUGHT TO BE THE PURPOSE OF BILINGUAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM: TO MAKE SURE THAT STUDENTS LEARN ENGLISH WELL, OR TO TEACH IMMIGRANT CHILDREN IN THEIR NATIVE LANGUAGE SO THAT THEY DON'T FALL BEHIND IN OTHER MATTERS?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
LEARN ENGLISH WELL	68.2	71.5	65.3
TEACH IN NATIVE LANGUAGE	25.9	22.0	29.5
DK/REFUSED	5.8	6.5	5.2

IN ORDER TO ELIMINATE THE BARRIERS TO QUALITY EDUCATION, WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS WOULD YOU PREFER: INCREASING FUNDING FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION, OR PROVIDING PARENTS WITH A SCHOOL VOUCHER SO THEY CAN SELECT A PUBLIC OR PRIVATE SCHOOL FOR THEIR CHILDREN?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
INCREASE FUNDING	63.6	64.9	62.3
SCHOOL VOUCHER	31.6	30.0	33.0
DK/REFUSED	4.9	5.1	4.7

ALL THINGS BEING EQUAL, FOR WHOM WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY TO VOTE?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
A candidate who supports providing ALL PARENTS OF SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN with a \$1,000 educational tax credit, per child, to be used for computers, books, tutoring, and other educational expenses including tuition.	48.5	45.4	51.4
A candidate who supports providing a \$2,500 educational tax credit ONLY TO PARENTS OF STUDENTS WHO ATTEND SCHOOLS WHICH FAIL to meet minimum educational requirements, so those parents can use that money for computers, books, [et cetera].	37.8	38.6	37.1
DK/REFUSED	13.7	16.0	11.6

WOULD YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF REQUIRING THAT TEACHERS PASS A COMPETENCY TEST BEFORE THEY ARE ALLOWED TO TEACH IN THE CLASSROOMS, AND THEN REQUIRING THAT THEY PASS A SIMILAR TEST EVERY FIVE YEARS?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	91.8	92.9	90.8
Strongly	80.5	82.5	78.8
Somewhat	11.2	10.4	12.0
DISAPPROVE	6.8	6.1	7.4
Somewhat	3.1	2.8	3.3
Strongly	3.7	3.3	4.1
DK/REFUSED	1.4	1.0	1.8
Net Difference	85.0	86.8	83.4

HOW MANY CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 18 RESIDE IN THIS HOUSEHOLD?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
CHILDREN IN HOUSEHOLD	58.3	54.2	62.0
One	19.8	19.8	19.8
Two	20.4	18.8	21.9
Three	11.8	10.4	13.0
Four	4.6	3.8	5.2
Five	0.9	0.9	0.9
More than five	0.8	0.4	1.1
NONE/DK/REFUSED	41.7	45.8	38.0

WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS COMES CLOSEST TO YOUR OWN PERSONAL OPINION?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
The Hispanic community SHOULD BECOME MORE A PART OF AMERICAN SOCIETY, even if it means losing some of its own cultural identity.	55.9	57.8	54.2
The Hispanic community SHOULD KEEP ITS OWN CULTURE, even if it means staying somewhat separate from the rest of American society.	32.6	31.2	33.9
DK/REFUSED	11.5	11.0	11.9

WHAT DO YOU CONSIDER TO BE THE GREATEST BARRIER THAT KEEPS LATINOS FROM SUCCEEDING IN THE UNITED STATES?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
LANGUAGE	28.8	25.2	31.9
LACK OF EDUCATION	18.8	18.7	18.8
DISCRIMINATION	14.4	16.9	12.2
HISPANICS OUR/THEMSELVES	6.3	6.7	5.9
IMMIGRATION LAWS	4.3	3.6	5.0
EMPLOYMENT	2.7	3.0	2.5

CAN YOU THINK OF ANY SPECIFIC INSTANCES OVER THE PAST YEAR IN WHICH YOU PERSONALLY FELT YOU WERE BEING DISCRIMINATED AGAINST BECAUSE OF YOUR RACIAL OR ETHNIC BACKGROUND?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
YES	31.2	31.5	30.9
NO	68.2	67.9	68.4
DK/REFUSED	0.7	0.6	0.8

FOLLOWING THE EVENTS OF SEPTEMBER 11, HAVE YOU NOTICED A CHANGE OR DIFFERENCE, FOR BETTER OR WORSE, IN OTHER PEOPLE'S ATTITUDE TOWARDS YOU, AS A HISPANIC IN AMERICA? IF THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE, JUST SAY SO.

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
YES, NOTICED A CHANGE	35.3	36.9	33.8
For the better	17.6	19.7	15.6
For the worse	17.7	17.2	18.2
NO CHANGE	63.7	62.2	65.1
DK/REFUSED	1.0	0.9	1.2

SHOULD ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS BE GIVEN THE SAME GOVERNMENT BENEFITS AND RIGHTS AS THOSE IMMIGRANTS WHO CAME TO THIS COUNTRY LEGALLY?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
YES	59.2	58.9	59.5
NO	34.3	35.3	33.3
DK/REFUSED	6.5	5.8	7.2

WOULD YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF A LAW THAT WOULD ESTABLISH A \$5,000 TAX CREDIT FOR FIRST-TIME HOMEBUYERS TO MAKE HOMEOWNERSHIP MORE AFFORDABLE?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	93.2	92.5	93.8
Strongly	73.1	75.8	70.6
Somewhat	20.1	16.7	23.2
DISAPPROVE	5.2	6.4	4.2
Somewhat	2.9	3.8	2.0
Strongly	2.4	2.6	2.2
DK/REFUSED	1.6	1.1	2.0
Net Difference	88.0	86.1	89.6

WHICH WILL PROVIDE FOR A GREATER VARIETY OF SPANISH LANGUAGE TELEVISION PROGRAMMING AND BE MORE RESPONSIVE TO SPANISH-SPEAKING CONSUMERS?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
A SINGLE BIG MONOPOLY SATELLITE COMPANY	18.7	15.7	21.5
TWO SMALLER COMPETING SATELLITE COMPANIES	68.3	73.8	63.3
DK/REFUSED	13.0	10.5	15.2

IF YOU WERE TO LABEL YOURSELF, WOULD YOU SAY YOU ARE A LIBERAL, A MODERATE, OR A CONSERVATIVE IN YOUR POLITICAL BELIEFS?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
LIBERAL	28.9	29.0	28.9
MODERATE	28.6	26.8	30.3
CONSERVATIVE	35.6	37.5	34.0
DK/REFUSED	6.8	6.8	6.9

REGARDLESS OF WHETHER OR NOT YOU ARE REGISTERED, WITH WHICH POLITICAL PARTY DO YOU IDENTIFY MOST?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
REPUBLICAN	22.9	25.2	20.8
DEMOCRAT	48.4	47.0	49.6
INDEPENDENT	13.4	14.5	12.5
DK/REFUSED	15.3	13.3	17.0

ARE YOU REGISTERED TO VOTE? IF YOU ARE NOT REGISTERED, JUST SAY SO.

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
YES	59.7	57.8	61.4
NO	39.7	41.7	37.9
DK/REFUSED	0.6	0.5	0.7

IF THE 2004 ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT WERE HELD TODAY AND THE TWO CANDIDATES WERE GEORGE W. BUSH (R) AND AL GORE (D), FOR WHOM WOULD YOU VOTE?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
GEORGE W. BUSH	49.9	49.8	50.1
AL GORE	35.4	35.5	35.2
UNDECIDED/DK/REFUSED	14.7	14.7	14.7

NOW, I'M GOING TO READ YOU A LIST OF ISSUES. FOR EACH ONE, PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF PRESIDENT GEORGE W. BUSH'S HANDLING OF THAT ISSUE.

"Education"

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	69.6	67.8	71.3
Strongly	35.1	36.8	33.6
Somewhat	34.6	31.0	37.8
DISAPPROVE	19.8	22.0	17.7
Somewhat	11.5	12.1	10.9
Strongly	8.3	9.9	6.9
DK/REFUSED	10.6	10.2	10.9
Net Difference	49.9	45.8	53.6

"Immigration"

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	52.7	52.6	52.8
Strongly	24.4	23.9	24.9
Somewhat	28.2	28.7	27.9
DISAPPROVE	32.6	33.4	31.9
Somewhat	14.6	13.4	15.6
Strongly	18.0	20.0	16.3
DK/REFUSED	14.7	14.0	15.3
Net Difference	20.1	19.2	20.9

"Economy"

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	53.9	52.8	54.9
Strongly	22.5	23.7	21.4
Somewhat	31.4	29.1	33.5
DISAPPROVE	37.3	40.6	34.3
Somewhat	15.9	16.8	15.2
Strongly	21.3	23.8	19.2
DK/REFUSED	8.8	6.6	10.7

"Foreign affairs"

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	53.6	57.6	50.1
Strongly	27.5	31.7	23.7
Somewhat	26.2	25.9	26.4
DISAPPROVE	30.4	32.3	28.8
Somewhat	12.7	11.3	13.9
Strongly	17.8	21.0	14.9
DK/REFUSED	15.9	10.1	21.2

IF THIS NOVEMBER'S ELECTIONS FOR UNITED STATES CONGRESS WERE HELD TODAY, WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY TO VOTE FOR THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE OR THE DEMOCRAT CANDIDATE?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
REPUBLICAN	31.6	33.7	29.7
DEMOCRAT	44.2	44.5	43.9
UNDECIDED/DK/REFUSED	24.2	21.8	26.4

(California Residents only): IF THIS NOVEMBER'S ELECTION FOR CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR WERE HELD TODAY, AND THE TWO CANDIDATES WERE BILL SIMON (R) AND GRAY DAVIS (D), FOR WHOM WOULD YOU VOTE?
(Net Diff = "SIMON" - "DAVIS")

		MEN	WOMEN
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California Residents	312	147	165
BILL SIMON	20.8	24.5	17.6
GRAY DAVIS	55.4	55.8	55.2
UNDECIDED/DK/REFUSED	23.7	19.7	27.3

DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF PRESIDENT BUSH'S PLAN TO NORMALIZE THE STATUS OF 3.5 MILLION MEXICAN ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS ALREADY IN THE U.S. THROUGH AN EMPLOYMENT-BASED PROGRAM?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
APPROVE	82.6	83.2	82.0
Strongly	58.1	61.5	55.1
Somewhat	24.5	21.8	26.9
DISAPPROVE	9.7	11.0	8.6
Somewhat	3.7	3.8	3.5
Strongly	6.1	7.2	5.0
DK/REFUSED	7.7	5.7	9.4

DO YOU OWN A PERSONAL COMPUTER OR HAVE A COMPUTER IN YOUR HOME?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
YES	55.7	56.8	54.8
NO	43.7	42.6	44.8
DK/REFUSED	0.5	0.6	0.4

FROM WHERE DO YOU MOST OFTEN ACCESS THE INTERNET OR E-MAIL: FROM HOME, WORK, OR SOMEPLACE ELSE? IF YOU DO NOT ACCESS THE INTERNET, JUST SAY SO.

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
ACCESS INTERNET	51.4	55.8	47.4
At home	34.8	37.0	32.8
At work	10.4	11.7	9.2
Both equally	6.2	7.0	5.4
DO NOT ACCESS INTERNET	40.9	37.2	44.2
DK/REFUSED	2.2	3.2	1.4

(Internet/E-mail Access only): HOW OFTEN DO YOU ACCESS THE INTERNET OR E-MAIL? WOULD YOU SAY...?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Access Internet/E-mail	514	264	250
REGULARLY	80.5	83.5	77.3
Every day	43.3	46.0	40.4
Almost every day	15.6	16.5	14.7
Couple times a week	21.6	21.1	22.2
ONCE A WEEK	6.2	6.2	6.2
RARELY	7.7	6.8	8.7
NEVER	5.0	3.2	6.9
DK/REFUSED	0.5	0.3	0.8

OUTSIDE OF SOCIAL SECURITY, DO YOU HAVE \$5,000 DOLLARS OR MORE SAVED OR INVESTED FOR YOUR RETIREMENT? IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ANY MONEY SAVED FOR YOUR RETIREMENT, JUST SAY SO.

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
Yes, \$5,000 or more	41.0	47.8	34.9
No	55.1	48.9	60.8
DK/REFUSED	3.9	3.4	4.3

DO YOU HAVE A 401(k) PLAN FOR YOUR RETIREMENT?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
YES	28.5	30.5	26.7
NO	67.1	65.9	68.3
DK/REFUSED	4.4	3.6	5.1

WHAT IS YOUR ESTIMATED ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME?

(Low and high representative values used to calculate Mean are set at \$12,500 and \$90,000, respectively.)

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
UNDER \$20,000	31.5	26.2	36.2
\$20,001 - \$40,000	30.0	29.6	30.3
\$40,001 - \$60,000	14.7	18.2	11.6
\$60,001 - \$75,000	5.1	6.3	4.0
OVER \$75,000	6.1	8.3	4.2
DK/REFUSED	12.6	11.4	13.6
Mean	33.46	37.23	29.98

IN YOUR EVERYDAY AFFAIRS, HOW OFTEN DO YOU OR MEMBERS OF YOUR HOUSEHOLD SPEAK SPANISH OR ENGLISH? DO YOU...

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
SPEAK SPANISH	72.6	72.0	73.2
All the time	29.3	25.1	33.0
Most of the time	19.0	22.8	15.6
Spanish/English equally	24.4	24.1	24.6
SPEAK ENGLISH	26.8	27.4	26.3
Most of the time	17.8	17.5	18.1
All of the time	9.0	10.0	8.2
ALL OTHER RESP./REFUSED	0.5	0.6	0.5

WHAT IS YOUR RELIGION?

		MEN	WOMEN
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PROTESTANT	13.7	11.0	16.2
Evangelical	5.0	4.0	5.9
Pentecostal	2.0	1.6	2.4
Other Protestant	6.7	5.4	7.9
CATHOLIC	72.6	74.3	71.2
JEWISH	0.3	0.6	-
MORMON	0.4	0.2	0.6
MUSLIM/ISLAMIC	0.2	0.2	0.1
ATHEIST/AGNOSTIC	1.9	2.4	1.4
OTHER	0.1	0.1	-
DK/REFUSED	10.8	11.3	10.5

HOW OFTEN DO YOU ATTEND CHURCH SERVICES OR A REGULAR PRAYER MEETING?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
REGULARLY	64.3	58.8	69.3
More than once a week	15.8	10.5	20.5
Once a week	34.4	33.8	34.9
Couple times a month	14.2	14.6	13.9
ONCE A MONTH	7.8	8.4	7.3
COUPLE TIMES A YEAR	8.8	9.8	7.8
RARELY	8.8	10.1	7.6
NEVER	7.5	9.4	5.7
DK/REFUSED	2.8	3.4	2.4

WHAT IS YOUR CURRENT MARITAL STATUS?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
SINGLE, NEVER MARRIED	25.7	27.7	23.8
MARRIED	56.3	58.2	54.6
SEPARATED	4.7	4.2	5.1
DIVORCED	7.6	5.9	9.1
WIDOWED	4.7	3.0	6.3
DK/REFUSED	1.0	1.1	1.0

WHAT IS THE LAST GRADE OF FORMAL EDUCATION YOU HAVE COMPLETED?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
LESS THAN HIGH SCHOOL	30.3	28.3	32.1
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	30.1	29.3	30.8
SOME COLLEGE	20.7	19.8	21.6
COLLEGE GRADUATE	14.3	16.3	12.5
POST-GRADUATE WORK	3.8	5.5	2.3
DK/REFUSED	0.8	0.8	0.8

HOW LONG HAVE YOU LIVED IN THE UNITED STATES?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
LESS THAN ONE YEAR	1.0	1.6	0.4
1 - 5 YEARS	5.7	7.4	4.1
5 - 10 YEARS	8.5	8.3	8.7
10 - 20 YEARS	21.2	18.9	23.3
20+ YEARS/WHOLE LIFE	62.7	63.0	62.4
DK/REFUSED	0.9	0.8	1.1

ARE YOU OR IS ANY MEMBER OF YOUR IMMEDIATE FAMILY A MEMBER OF A TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION OR ANY OTHER LABOR UNION?

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
YES	20.8	20.6	21.1
NO	76.9	77.9	76.1
DK/REFUSED	2.2	1.5	2.9

REGION:

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
NEW ENGLAND	2.5	2.4	2.6
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	12.4	12.2	12.6
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	6.9	6.7	7.1
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	1.7	1.6	1.8
SOUTH ATLANTIC	11.9	11.7	12.1
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	0.9	0.8	1.0
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL	19.9	20.2	19.7
MOUNTAIN	10.2	10.6	9.9
PACIFIC	33.6	33.9	33.3

AREA:

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
EAST	14.9	14.6	15.2
MIDWEST	8.6	8.3	8.9
SOUTH	32.7	32.6	32.7
WEST	43.8	44.5	43.2

BIG STATES:

		MEN	WOMEN
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Total	1000	474	526
NEW YORK	8.1	7.9	8.3
ILLINOIS	4.3	4.1	4.4
FLORIDA	7.6	7.3	7.9
TEXAS	18.9	19.0	18.8
CALIFORNIA	31.2	31.0	31.3
REST OF COUNTRY	29.9	30.7	29.2