

"Thinking about the presidential election in November, will you vote for Republicans Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan ... Democrats Barack Obama and Joe Biden ... someone else .. or haven't you decided?" [ROTATE CANDIDATES] – WITH LEANERS

NATIONWIDE	<u>Romney & Ryan</u> 45%	<u>Obama & Biden</u> 48%	<u>Other</u> 1%	<u>Undecided</u> 6%	<u>(N)</u> 1023
Registered to Vote					
Registered Democrat	14%	83%	0%	3%	385
Registered Independent	39%	46%	5%	11%	250
Registered Republican	91%	7%	0%	2%	321
Party Identification					
Democrat	9%	88%	0%	2%	455
Independent	38%	37%	5%	20%	145
Republican	90%	6%	1%	3%	379
Interest in Election					
Extremely interested	52%	45%	1%	1%	552
Very interested	43%	51%	1%	5%	342
Somewhat/Not very interested	20%	53%	3%	24%	128
2008 Presidential Vote					
McCain/Palin Voter	95%	4%	0%	1%	370
Obama/Biden Voter	10%	86%	1%	3%	469
Other	19%	56%	13%	12%	17
Did Not Vote in 2008	42%	36%	4%	19%	116
Age					
18 to 34	25%	62%	2%	11%	166
35 to 49	41%	49%	3%	7%	200
50 to 64	51%	43%	1%	4%	319
65 and over	52%	46%	0%	2%	308
Sex					
Male	53%	41%	2%	5%	492
Female	38%	55%	1%	6%	531
Education					
High school or less	44%	49%	1%	6%	425
Some college	48%	46%	1%	6%	297
College graduate	48%	46%	1%	5%	183
Post graduate	37%	58%	1%	3%	107
Sex/Education					
Working class men	55%	39%	2%	5%	343
College educ men	49%	46%	2%	3%	145
Working class women	37%	56%	1%	7%	380
College educ women	38%	55%	1%	5%	145
Religious Service Attendance					
Attend services 1 or more/week	51%	43%	1%	5%	423
1 2 times a month	44%	46%	1%	10%	143
Less often	43%	50%	2%	5%	250
Never	31%	61%	2%	6%	176
Region					
Northeast	44%	46%	3%	7%	193
Midwest	45%	50%	1%	4%	227
South	51%	44%	1%	5%	374
West	37%	55%	1%	7%	229
Area Type					
Urban	39%	54%	2%	5%	595
Suburban	52%	41%	0%	6%	252
Rural	55%	39%	1%	5%	177

“Regardless of who you are voting for, which candidate do you think is most likely to win the 2012 presidential election?”

NATIONWIDE	Romney & Ryan 33%	Obama & Biden 47%	Other 0%	Undecided 20%	(N) 1019
Registered to Vote					
Registered Democrat	12%	72%	0%	16%	382
Registered Independent	30%	46%	1%	23%	249
Registered Republican	63%	17%	0%	20%	321
Party Identification					
Democrat	9%	76%	0%	15%	453
Independent	29%	40%	1%	29%	145
Republican	62%	18%	0%	20%	378
Presidential Voter Preference					
Romney/Ryan supporter	68%	11%	0%	20%	430
Obama/Biden supporter	3%	82%	0%	15%	450
Other/Undecided	19%	43%	1%	36%	139
Interest in Election					
Extremely interested	37%	45%	0%	18%	551
Very interested	30%	48%	1%	22%	339
Somewhat/Not very interested	20%	56%	0%	25%	127
2008 Presidential Vote					
McCain/Palin Voter	64%	15%	0%	21%	369
Obama/Biden Voter	10%	71%	0%	18%	469
Other	12%	64%	0%	25%	17
Did Not Vote in 2008	34%	46%	0%	20%	114
Age					
18 to 34	19%	58%	0%	23%	166
35 to 49	27%	52%	0%	21%	200
50 to 64	34%	45%	1%	21%	316
65 and over	42%	41%	0%	16%	306
Sex					
Male	38%	44%	0%	17%	490
Female	27%	50%	0%	23%	529
Education					
High school or less	33%	50%	0%	18%	423
Some college	34%	43%	1%	22%	296
College graduate	33%	44%	0%	23%	183
Post graduate	27%	54%	0%	20%	107
Sex/Education					
Working class men	40%	43%	0%	16%	340
College educ men	35%	45%	0%	20%	145
Working class women	27%	50%	0%	22%	379
College educ women	26%	50%	0%	24%	145
Religious Service Attendance					
Attend services 1 or more/week	35%	44%	0%	20%	423
1 2 times a month	36%	50%	0%	14%	142
Less often	35%	47%	1%	17%	247
Never	20%	52%	0%	27%	176
Region					
Northeast	31%	48%	0%	21%	193
Midwest	32%	46%	0%	21%	227
South	36%	45%	0%	18%	369
West	29%	50%	0%	22%	229
Area Type					
Urban	29%	51%	0%	20%	590
Suburban	34%	44%	0%	21%	252
Rural	43%	39%	0%	18%	177

The Sample (n=1023)

	National Likely Voters
<u>Party Identification</u>	
Democrat	47%
Independent	15
Republican	39
<u>Gen Elect Interest</u>	
Extremely	54%
Very	33
Somewhat/Not very	12
<u>Religious Service Attendance</u>	
Once a week or more	43%
1-2 times per month	14
Less often	25
Never	18
<u>Education</u>	
High School or less	42%
Some college	29
College graduate	18
Post graduate degree	11
<u>Age</u>	
18 to 34 years old	17%
35 to 49 years old	20
50 to 64 years old	32
65 years and over	31
<u>Family Income</u>	
Less than \$30K	23%
\$30K to less than \$60K	29
\$60K to less than \$75K	11
\$75K to less than \$100K	13
\$100K or more	25
<u>Race</u>	
White	74%
African-American	12
Hispanic	7
Other	8
<u>Sex</u>	
Male	48%
Female	52
<u>Region</u>	
Northeast	19%
Midwest	22
South	37
West	22