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**Tabulations From a Survey of Registered Voters in California
Assessing the Job Performance of President Bush and the Overall
Direction that the U.S. is Heading**

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Introduction

This volume presents the statistical data developed from a *Field Poll* survey of California registered voters assessing the job performance of President Bush and the overall direction that the U.S. is heading. The survey was completed December 10-17, 2007. *The Field Poll* is an independent and non-partisan survey of public opinion in California established in 1945 by Mervin Field. Reports of *The Field Poll*, typically published 30-50 times per year, cover a wide range of political, and political topics. Many of California's leading media properties and news organizations publish and broadcast the results of each *Field Poll* report as feature or breaking news stories in their respective publications and broadcasts. All new and previous reports since 1995 are available to the public through its online archives at www.field.com/fieldpollonline. *The Field Poll* is owned and operated by Field Research Corporation, with headquarters in San Francisco, California.

The results contained in this report are based on a *Field Poll* survey completed among a representative sample of 1,283 registered voters statewide, including 543 Democrats, 439 Republicans and 301 voters registered as decline to state or with another party. In order to cover a wide range of issues and still minimize possible respondent fatigue, the overall sample of registered voters statewide was divided into sub-samples of 634 and 649 voters for some of the questions in this report. All interviewing was conducted during the period December 10-17, 2007 by telephone.

Sample Frame

Voters in the survey were selected randomly from a listing of California's statewide voter registration rolls. The list used by Field provides a telephone number for over 90% of the state's registered voters. These telephone numbers come from a variety of sources, including telephone numbers included by the voter on the his/her official voter registration form, as well as through cross-referencing voter names and addresses against recent telephone directories and other telephone matching services. While the telephone numbers are primarily landline telephone numbers, these phone listings also include cell phones, whenever a cell phone number is provided by the voter when registering or in other settings accessible through telephone matching services. Thus, cell phones are not systematically excluded from the sample frame. Special procedures were used in the survey when contacting voters on their cell phones to include them into the survey sample.

Data Collection

Prior to the start of data collection, professionally-trained telephone interviewers were briefed with regard to the survey's proper calling and interviewing procedures by the Study Director. This session provided both interviewers and supervisors with an overview of the study and includes a question-by-question review of all items in the survey.

Interviewers then completed all survey interviews by telephone through the computer-assisted telephone interviewing (CATI) system. CATI controls the telephone scripts read to individual respondents by displaying the appropriate questionnaire items and their valid response code alternatives in their proper sequence on computer screens at each interviewer's booth. The interviewer then reads each question aloud to the respondent from the screen and enters each respondent's pre-coded answer category through the keyboard directly to a computer disk. All answers are automatically stored in computer memory.

In order to bring hard-to-reach respondents into the survey, up to eight attempts (an initial call plus seven callbacks) were made to each telephone number selected for inclusion into the sample. Callbacks were made at different times and on different days to increase the probability of finding adults available for the interview. Where possible, appointments are made at specified dates and times to maximize convenience and cooperation rates.

Data Processing

Because CATI itself provides for the direct data entry of responses by the interviewer and does not permit ineligible or invalid data entries, the data file resulting from CATI interviewing is itself virtually error-free.

Following this, a final series of data checks were performed by means of a specially designed cleaning program that scrutinizes each respondent record for internally inconsistent information. Once the data were determined to be clean and error-free, the sample was weighted to align it to known estimates of the demographic and regional characteristics of the state's registered voter population.

Guide to Reading the Tables

The following is an explanation of the detailed statistical tabulations contained in this report:

- The question or questions upon which the data are based is shown at the top of each table
- Tables are percentaged vertically with the raw percentage base appearing at the top of each column.
- The data have been weighted to known parameters of the statewide registered voter population. All percentages and frequencies reported in each table are therefore weighted tabulations.
- In instances where percentages are calculated on small bases (e.g., when the unweighted base is fewer than 100 respondents) the reader is urged to interpret the data with caution, since results are subject to relatively large levels of sampling error.
- Throughout the tables an asterisk is used to denote a value of less than 1/2 of 1%. A hyphen indicates zero value. On some tables the percentages may add to more than 100% due to multiple mentions.
- Bases of subgroups used in the tabulations may add to less than the total number of respondents due to some respondents not reporting that characteristic.

Subgroup Definitions

The following are some of the definitions applicable to some of the voter subgroups reported in this volume:

Area

Southern California: Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, Imperial, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Kern, and San Luis Obispo counties

Northern California: all other 48 California counties

Coastal Counties: San Diego, Orange, Los Angeles, Ventura, Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Monterey, Santa Cruz, San Mateo, San Francisco, Contra Costa, Alameda, Marin, Napa, Solano, Sonoma, Santa Clara, Mendocino, Humboldt and Del Norte counties

Inland counties: all other 38 California counties

Region

Los Angeles: Los Angeles County

San Diego: San Diego County

Orange: Orange County

Other South: San Bernardino, Riverside, Imperial, Ventura, Santa Barbara, and San Luis Obispo

Central Valley: Butte, Colusa, Fresno, Glenn, Kern, Kings, Madera, Merced, Placer, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Shasta, Stanislaus, Sutter, Tehema, Tulare, Yolo, and Yuba

SF Bay Area: San Francisco, Marin, Napa, Sonoma, Solano, Contra Costa, Alameda, Santa Clara and San Mateo

Other North: Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, Del Norte, El Dorado, Humboldt, Inyo, Lake, Lassen, Mariposa, Mendocino, Monterey, Modoc, Mono, Nevada, Plumas, San Benito, Santa Cruz, Sierra, Siskiyou, Trinity, and Tuolumne

All other subgroups are based on demographic variables or are derived from questions asked in the survey.

Estimates of Sampling Error

In any survey based on a sampling, there is some sampling error introduced into the data by the process of sampling itself. When the sample has been drawn using random processes, it is possible to apply probability principles to determine the potential range of such error. While survey samples of human populations rarely, if ever, meet all of the criteria theoretically required for the application of these principles, it is customary to use them as an approximation of error that is introduced as a result of sampling. The table below shows the range of error that is associated with samples of various sizes, assuming the use of the 95% confidence level, which is customary for most public opinion surveys.

For example, if 50% of a sample of overall sample of the 1,283 registered voters in California answered “yes” to a specific question, this statistic would have a sampling error of plus or minus 2.9 percentage points at the 95% confidence level. This means that there is a 95% chance that had the entire population of registered voters statewide been interviewed using the same questionnaire and methods, the results of such a census would yield a result between 47.1% and 52.9%. The same procedure can be used to estimate the sample error ranges of any other statistic contained in this report.

<u>Approximate sample size</u>	<u>Approximate percentage distribution of replies to question</u>				
	<u>10%</u>	<u>30%</u>	<u>50%</u>	<u>70%</u>	<u>90%</u>
100	+/- 6.0	+/- 9.2	+/- 10.0	+/- 9.2	+/- 6.0
200	+/- 4.3	+/- 6.5	+/- 7.1	+/- 6.5	+/- 4.3
300	+/- 3.5	+/- 5.3	+/- 5.8	+/- 5.3	+/- 3.5
500	+/- 2.7	+/- 4.1	+/- 4.5	+/- 4.1	+/- 2.7
1000	+/- 1.9	+/- 2.9	+/- 3.2	+/- 2.9	+/- 1.9
1200	+/- 1.7	+/- 2.7	+/- 2.9	+/- 2.7	+/- 1.7

There are many other possible sources of error other than sampling variability in this and any other public opinion survey. Different results could occur because of differences in question wording, sequencing, the rigor with which sampling procedures were implemented, or through undetected errors or omissions in sampling, interviewing or data processing. The Field professionals working on this study did everything possible to minimize such errors.

Questions Asked

(ASKED OF A RANDOM SUBSAMPLE OF VOTERS)

Thinking about the country overall, do you think things in the U.S. are generally going in the right direction, or do you feel things are seriously off on the wrong track?

(ASKED OF ALL REGISTERED VOTERS)

Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as President?

(ASKED OF A RANDOM SUBSAMPLE OF VOTERS)

Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Bush is doing in handling the nation's economy?

Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Bush is doing in handling the situation in Iraq?

Tables

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Table 1-1

Q.1: THINKING ABOUT THE COUNTRY OVERALL, DO YOU THINK THINGS IN THE U.S. ARE
 GENERALLY GOING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION, OR DO YOU FEEL THINGS ARE SERIOUSLY OFF ON THE WRONG TRACK?

===== REGION=====													PARTY			LIKELIHOOD		VOTING METHOD				
COUNTIES													REGISTRATION			OF VOTING		=====				
=====													=====			=====		TOTAL PERM.				
AREA													NON-			FEB.	NOV.	PRE-	ABS-	ABS-		
TOTAL	REG	SO.	NO.	TAL	IN-	LOS	SAN	ORANG	SOUTH	CNTRL	S.F.	OTHER	DEMO-	REPUB	PART/	PRI-	GENRL	CINT	TEE	TEE	TEE	
VOTER	CA.	CA.	CA.	CNTY	CNTY	ANGLS	DIEGO	ORANG	SOUTH	VALLY	BAY	NORTH	CRAT	LICAN	OTHER	MARY	ELECN	VOTER	VOTER	VOTER	VOTER	
BASE: FORM "B" ONLY																						
WEIGHTED BASE	634	371	263	453	181	161	55	59	91	104	132	33	269	216	149	418	524	319	292	180		
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
RIGHT DIRECTION	153	93	59	103	49	32	18	19	24	29	26	5	24	96	33	106	131	71	76	46		
	24.1%	25.1%	22.7%	22.8%	27.3%	19.8%	31.6%	31.6%	26.8%	28.2%	19.8%	15.5%	8.9%	44.3%	22.0%	25.2%	25.0%	22.3%	26.1%	25.8%		
WRONG TRACK	423	241	182	312	111	108	33	38	58	64	98	25	223	99	101	276	352	219	187	115		
	66.8%	64.9%	69.4%	68.8%	61.6%	67.2%	59.1%	64.0%	63.8%	61.6%	74.5%	75.8%	82.9%	46.0%	67.8%	66.0%	67.1%	68.6%	64.2%	64.0%		
NO OPINION	58	37	21	38	20	21	5	3	9	11	8	3	22	21	15	37	41	29	28	18		
	9.2%	10.0%	8.0%	8.4%	11.1%	13.0%	9.3%	4.4%	9.4%	10.2%	5.7%	8.7%	8.1%	9.8%	10.2%	8.8%	7.8%	9.1%	9.7%	10.2%		

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Table 1-2

Q.1: THINKING ABOUT THE COUNTRY OVERALL, DO YOU THINK THINGS IN THE U.S. ARE
 GENERALLY GOING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION, OR DO YOU FEEL THINGS ARE SERIOUSLY OFF ON THE WRONG TRACK?

TOTAL REG VOTER	GENDER		AGE					ETHNICITY					POLITICAL IDEOLOGY					MARITAL STATUS		
	MALE	FEM	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65 PLUS	WHITE HISPN	LA- TINO	BLACK	ASIAN /OTHR	CONSERVATV STRNG	MDDLE MODER	LIBERAL THE	LIBERAL MODER	LIBERAL STRNG	MRRD/ LIVE	SEPRT DVRD/	NEVER MARRD	
WEIGHTED BASE	634 100%	297 100%	337 100%	91 100%	121 100%	134 100%	168 100%	120 100%	417 100%	148 100%	32 100%	45 100%	107 100%	65 100%	304 100%	66 100%	91 100%	389 100%	91 100%	147 100%
RIGHT DIRECTION	153 24.1%	79 26.8%	73 21.7%	30 32.9%	24 19.9%	34 25.1%	35 20.8%	30 25.0%	114 27.3%	28 18.8%	5 16.4%	10 21.6%	55 51.1%	14 21.9%	73 24.0%	7 10.5%	4 4.2%	99 25.5%	14 15.8%	38 25.7%
WRONG TRACK	423 66.8%	193 65.2%	230 68.1%	50 55.1%	89 73.8%	90 67.1%	116 69.4%	78 64.5%	263 63.2%	105 70.9%	26 80.8%	33 73.5%	48 45.0%	41 62.4%	197 64.9%	55 83.5%	82 89.6%	246 63.3%	71 78.3%	100 68.0%
NO OPINION	58 9.2%	24 8.0%	34 10.2%	11 12.0%	8 6.4%	10 7.8%	16 9.8%	13 10.5%	40 9.6%	15 10.2%	1 2.8%	2 4.9%	4 3.9%	10 15.7%	34 11.2%	4 6.0%	6 6.2%	44 11.2%	5 5.9%	9 6.2%

BASE: FORM "B" ONLY

Table 1-3

Q.1: THINKING ABOUT THE COUNTRY OVERALL, DO YOU THINK THINGS IN THE U.S. ARE
 GENERALLY GOING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION, OR DO YOU FEEL THINGS ARE SERIOUSLY OFF ON THE WRONG TRACK?

TOTAL REG VOTER	EDUCATION					HOUSEHOLD INCOME				RELIGION				BRN AGAIN		TENURE		UNION	
	H.S. REG	SOME CLLG/ TRADE	COLLG GRAD	POST GRAD	POST WORK	UNDR \$20K	\$20K \$39K	\$40K \$79K	\$80K PLUS	PROTS/ CHRSTN	CATH- OLIC	OTHER RELIG	NO PREF	CHRISTIAN	NO	HOME OWNER	RENTN	YES	NO
	LESS	GRAD/	GRAD	GRAD	GRAD	\$20K	\$39K	\$79K	PLUS	CHRSTN	OLIC	RELIG	PREF	YES	NO	OWNER	RENTN	YES	NO
WEIGHTED BASE	634	152	234	140	103	58	105	157	202	223	157	99	127	117	504	426	175	127	499
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100.0%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
RIGHT DIRECTION	153	40	50	37	25	13	18	37	57	66	47	16	21	35	115	108	36	27	124
	24.1%	26.5%	21.5%	26.3%	24.1%	23.1%	17.1%	23.6%	28.2%	29.5%	29.9%	16.0%	16.5%	30.2%	22.8%	25.5%	20.3%	21.4%	24.9%
WRONG TRACK	423	94	165	91	68	36	81	107	132	135	103	72	93	68	345	279	122	86	330
	66.8%	61.9%	70.7%	64.8%	66.4%	62.7%	76.8%	68.0%	65.1%	60.4%	65.8%	72.2%	73.5%	58.2%	68.5%	65.7%	69.5%	68.2%	66.1%
NO OPINION	58	18	18	12	10	8	6	13	14	22	7	12	13	14	44	38	18	13	45
	9.2%	11.6%	7.8%	8.9%	9.4%	14.2%	6.1%	8.3%	6.7%	10.0%	4.4%	11.7%	9.9%	11.6%	8.7%	8.9%	10.3%	10.4%	9.0%

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Table 2-1

Q.2: DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE WAY GEORGE W. BUSH IS HANDLING HIS JOB AS PRESIDENT?

	===== REGION=====												PARTY			LIKELIHOOD		VOTING METHOD		
	COUNTIES												REGISTRATION			OF VOTING		=====		
	TOTAL	REG SO.		NO.		COS-	IN-	AREA					NON-	FEB.	NOV.	PRE-	ABS-	ABS-		
VOTER	CA.	CA.	TAL	LAND	LOS	SAN	OTHER	CNTRL	S.F.	OTHER	DEM-	REPUB	PART/	PRI-	GENRL	CINT	TEE	TEE	TEE	
			CNTY	CNTY	ANGLS	DIEGO	ORANG	SOUTH	VALLY	BAY	NORTH	CRAT	LICAN	OTHER	MARY	ELECN	VOTER	VOTER	VOTER	
BASE: TOTAL RESPONDENTS																				
WEIGHTED BASE	1283	764	519	928	355	324	112	123	181	211	266	66	543	439	301	866	1053	659	572	365
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
APPROVE	357	223	135	232	125	74	43	45	54	81	45	16	56	239	62	260	307	178	162	109
	27.9%	29.2%	25.9%	25.0%	35.3%	22.8%	38.1%	36.8%	29.6%	38.5%	16.9%	24.0%	10.3%	54.5%	20.7%	30.0%	29.2%	27.1%	28.3%	30.0%
DISAPPROVE	826	474	352	624	202	217	61	70	112	118	206	43	457	150	218	545	684	435	362	225
	64.4%	62.1%	67.7%	67.2%	56.8%	66.9%	54.3%	56.9%	62.0%	55.7%	77.4%	64.6%	84.2%	34.3%	72.4%	62.9%	64.9%	66.0%	63.3%	61.8%
NO OPINION	100	67	33	72	28	33	9	8	15	12	15	8	30	49	21	61	62	46	48	30
	7.8%	8.7%	6.4%	7.7%	7.9%	10.3%	7.6%	6.4%	8.5%	5.8%	5.7%	11.5%	5.5%	11.2%	6.9%	7.1%	5.9%	7.0%	8.4%	8.2%

Table 2-2

Q.2: DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE WAY GEORGE W. BUSH IS HANDLING HIS JOB AS PRESIDENT?

TOTAL REG VOTER	GENDER		AGE					ETHNICITY					POLITICAL IDEOLOGY					MARITAL STATUS		
	MALE	FEM	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65 PLUS	WHITE NON- HISPN	LA- TINO	BLACK	ASIAN /OTHR	CONSERVATV STRNG CNSRV	MDDLE MODER CNSRV	LIBERAL THE LIBRL	LIBERAL MODER LIBRL	STRNG LIBRL	MRRD/ LIVE TOGTH	SEPRT DVRG/ WIDOW	NEVER MARRD	
BASE: TOTAL RESPONDENTS																				
WEIGHTED BASE	1283 100%	600 100%	683 100%	194 100%	226 100%	263 100%	357 100%	243 100%	816 100%	307 100%	63 100%	113 100%	226 100%	144 100%	599 100%	143 100%	171 100%	820 100%	183 100%	269 100%
APPROVE	357 27.9%	163 27.2%	194 28.4%	41 21.1%	49 21.9%	81 30.6%	106 29.6%	81 33.3%	260 31.9%	66 21.5%	13 19.9%	24 21.1%	152 67.2%	63 43.4%	128 21.3%	11 7.7%	4 2.6%	247 30.1%	55 29.8%	54 20.2%
DISAPPROVE	826 64.4%	396 66.0%	430 62.9%	137 70.6%	160 70.9%	166 63.2%	226 63.4%	136 55.9%	497 61.0%	219 71.2%	47 73.9%	71 63.0%	58 25.6%	62 43.3%	414 69.0%	128 89.2%	164 96.1%	509 62.1%	110 60.2%	199 73.9%
NO OPINION	100 7.8%	41 6.8%	59 8.6%	16 8.3%	16 7.2%	16 6.2%	25 7.0%	26 10.8%	58 7.1%	22 7.2%	4 6.2%	18 15.9%	16 7.2%	19 13.3%	58 9.7%	4 3.1%	2 1.3%	64 7.8%	18 10.0%	16 5.9%

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Table 2-3

Q.2: DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE WAY GEORGE W. BUSH IS HANDLING HIS JOB AS PRESIDENT?

TOTAL REG VOTER	EDUCATION				HOUSEHOLD INCOME					RELIGION				BRN AGAIN		TENURE		UNION	
	H.S. REG LESS	SOME COLLG/ TRADE	COLLG GRAD	POST GRAD WORK	UNDR \$20K	\$20K \$39K	\$40K \$79K	\$80K PLUS	PROTS/ CHRSTN	CATH- OLIC	OTHER RELIG	NO PREF	CHRISTIAN YES	CHRISTIAN NO	OWNER	RENTR	YES	NO	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100.0%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100.0%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
BASE: TOTAL RESPONDENTS	1283	301	462	307	203	111	217	315	447	439	315	208	266	254	1012	904	329	296	972
WEIGHTED BASE	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100.0%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
APPROVE	357	90	131	88	46	20	67	84	123	179	83	50	34	114	235	265	81	75	278
	27.9%	30.0%	28.4%	28.6%	22.8%	17.7%	30.8%	26.7%	27.6%	40.7%	26.5%	23.9%	12.9%	44.8%	23.2%	29.3%	24.5%	25.5%	28.6%
DISAPPROVE	826	175	294	205	145	84	131	199	299	220	210	145	216	117	703	565	228	202	614
	64.4%	58.1%	63.6%	66.9%	71.5%	75.3%	60.5%	63.0%	66.9%	50.1%	66.8%	69.9%	81.2%	45.9%	69.5%	62.5%	69.2%	68.3%	63.2%
NO OPINION	100	36	37	14	12	8	19	32	24	41	21	13	16	24	74	74	21	19	80
	7.8%	11.9%	8.0%	4.5%	5.7%	7.0%	8.7%	10.3%	5.5%	9.2%	6.7%	6.2%	5.9%	9.3%	7.3%	8.2%	6.3%	6.3%	8.2%

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Table 3-1

Q.3: DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN HANDLING THE NATION'S ECONOMY?

	===== REGION=====											PARTY			LIKELIHOOD		VOTING METHOD				
	COUNTIES											REGISTRATION			OF VOTING		=====				
	TOTAL	REG	SO.	NO.	COS-	IN-	LOS	SAN	OTHER	CNTRL	S.F.	OTHER	DEMOCRAT	REPUBLICAN	NON-PART/OTHER	FEB. MARY	NOV. ELEC	PRE-CINT	ABSNT VOTER	ABSNT VOTER	ABSNT VOTER
WEIGHTED BASE	649	392	257	475	174	163	57	64	91	107	134	33	274	222	152	448	529	339	280	184	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
APPROVE	219	143	75	148	70	44	28	24	41	44	28	9	35	143	41	156	186	113	92	61	
	33.7%	36.6%	29.4%	31.3%	40.4%	27.3%	49.2%	37.3%	44.8%	41.3%	21.1%	28.4%	12.8%	64.4%	26.7%	34.8%	35.1%	33.5%	33.0%	33.0%	
DISAPPROVE	388	222	166	302	86	110	26	37	40	51	102	22	224	66	98	268	316	201	172	115	
	59.7%	56.6%	64.5%	63.6%	49.2%	67.4%	45.0%	58.7%	44.0%	47.6%	75.7%	66.8%	81.7%	29.6%	64.2%	59.9%	59.7%	59.2%	61.5%	62.6%	
NO OPINION	42	27	16	24	18	9	3	3	10	12	4	2	15	14	14	24	27	25	15	8	
	6.5%	6.8%	6.1%	5.1%	10.4%	5.3%	5.9%	4.0%	11.2%	11.2%	3.1%	4.8%	5.5%	6.1%	9.1%	5.3%	5.1%	7.3%	5.5%	4.5%	

BASE: FORM "A" ONLY

Table 3-2

Q.3: DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN HANDLING THE NATION'S ECONOMY?

TOTAL REG VOTER	GENDER		AGE					ETHNICITY					POLITICAL IDEOLOGY					MARITAL STATUS		
	MALE	FEM	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65 PLUS	WHITE NON- HISPN	LA- TINO	BLACK	ASIAN /OTHR	CONSERVATV STRNG CNSRV	MDDLE MODER CNSRV	LIBERAL THE LIBRL	LIBERAL MODER LIBRL	STRNG LIBRL	MRRD/ LIVE TOGTH	SEPRT DVRG/ WIDOW	NEVER MARRD	
WEIGHTED BASE	649	303	346	103	105	129	189	123	399	159	31	68	119	79	295	77	80	431	92	122
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
APPROVE	219	108	111	26	28	47	70	47	157	40	8	17	82	34	92	8	3	152	34	32
	33.7%	35.4%	32.2%	25.0%	27.1%	36.6%	37.0%	38.5%	39.4%	24.8%	26.4%	25.1%	68.8%	43.3%	31.1%	10.9%	3.8%	35.3%	36.8%	26.2%
DISAPPROVE	388	180	207	68	71	72	108	69	217	109	22	44	30	36	187	61	74	254	49	81
	59.7%	59.4%	60.0%	66.0%	67.7%	56.1%	57.0%	55.8%	54.4%	68.7%	70.8%	64.1%	25.0%	45.3%	63.4%	79.6%	92.9%	59.1%	53.6%	66.3%
NO OPINION	42	16	27	9	5	9	11	7	25	10	1	7	7	9	16	7	3	24	9	9
	6.5%	5.1%	7.8%	8.9%	5.2%	7.3%	6.0%	5.7%	6.2%	6.4%	2.7%	10.9%	6.2%	11.4%	5.5%	9.5%	3.3%	5.7%	9.6%	7.5%

BASE: FORM "A" ONLY

Table 3-3

Q.3: DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN HANDLING THE NATION'S ECONOMY?

TOTAL REG VOTER	EDUCATION				HOUSEHOLD INCOME				RELIGION				BRN AGAIN		TENURE		UNION		
	H.S. REG LESS	SOME COLLG/ TRADE	COLLG GRAD	POST GRAD WORK	UNDR \$20K	\$20K \$39K	\$40K \$79K	\$80K PLUS	PROTS/ CHRSTN	CATH- OLIC	OTHER RELIG	NO PREF	CHRISTIAN YES	CHRISTIAN NO	OWNER	RENTN	YES	NO	
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BASE: FORM "A" ONLY																			
WEIGHTED BASE	649 100%	149 100%	228 100%	167 100%	100 100%	54 100%	111 100%	158 100%	245 100%	216 100.0%	158 100%	109 100%	139 100%	137 100%	508 100%	479 100%	154 100%	169 100%	473 100%
APPROVE	219 33.7%	42 28.2%	73 32.0%	64 38.6%	37 37.1%	12 21.9%	34 30.9%	48 30.4%	95 38.9%	104 48.3%	47 30.0%	34 31.6%	27 19.3%	73 53.1%	145 28.5%	176 36.8%	41 26.7%	49 29.1%	168 35.5%
DISAPPROVE	388 59.7%	93 62.4%	133 58.3%	101 60.3%	58 58.4%	38 70.6%	69 61.7%	97 61.3%	139 56.8%	94 43.6%	103 65.5%	66 60.8%	104 75.1%	57 41.3%	329 64.8%	275 57.4%	102 65.9%	109 64.5%	274 57.9%
NO OPINION	42 6.5%	14 9.4%	22 9.6%	2 1.1%	5 4.5%	4 7.5%	8 7.3%	13 8.3%	11 4.3%	17 8.1%	7 4.5%	8 7.6%	8 5.6%	8 5.5%	34 6.7%	28 5.8%	11 7.4%	11 6.4%	31 6.5%

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Table 4-1

Q.4: DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN HANDLING THE SITUATION IN IRAQ?

TOTAL REG VOTER	===== REGION=====												PARTY REGISTRATION			LIKELIHOOD OF VOTING			VOTING METHOD		
	COUNTIES						AREA						NON-			TOTAL PERM.					
	SO. CA.	NO. CA.	COS- TAL CNTY	IN- LAND CNTY	LOS ANGLS	SAN DIEGO	ORANG	SOUTH	CNTRL VALLY	S.F. BAY	OTHER NORTH	DEMOCRAT	REPUBLICAN	PART/OTHER	FEB. MARY	NOV. ELECN	PRE- CINT VOTER	ABSNT- TEE VOTER	ABSNT- TEE VOTER		
649 100%	392 100%	257 100%	475 100%	174 100%	163 100%	57 100%	64 100%	91 100%	107 100%	134 100%	33 100%	274 100%	222 100%	152 100%	448 100%	529 100%	339 100%	280 100%	184 100%		
APPROVE	158 24.4%	100 25.4%	59 22.9%	100 21.0%	59 33.5%	28 17.3%	21 36.9%	20 31.8%	23 25.6%	39 35.9%	19 14.3%	8 23.8%	22 8.1%	115 51.6%	21 14.0%	123 27.5%	144 27.3%	80 23.7%	75 26.8%	53 28.7%	
DISAPPROVE	465 71.7%	276 70.3%	190 73.8%	357 75.2%	108 62.1%	128 78.5%	34 59.7%	41 64.4%	63 70.1%	64 59.4%	111 82.4%	24 73.5%	249 90.9%	93 42.0%	122 80.4%	312 69.6%	369 69.7%	243 71.7%	196 70.0%	125 68.0%	
NO OPINION	25 3.9%	17 4.3%	9 3.3%	18 3.8%	8 4.3%	7 4.2%	2 3.5%	2 3.8%	4 4.3%	5 4.7%	4 3.2%	1 2.7%	3 1.0%	14 6.4%	9 5.6%	13 2.9%	16 3.0%	16 4.6%	9 3.2%	6 3.3%	

BASE: FORM "A" ONLY

WEIGHTED BASE

Table 4-2

Q.4: DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN HANDLING THE SITUATION IN IRAQ?

TOTAL REG VOTER	GENDER		AGE					ETHNICITY					POLITICAL IDEOLOGY					MARITAL STATUS		
	MALE	FEM	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65 PLUS	WHITE NON- HISPN	LA- TINO	BLACK	ASIAN /OTHR	CONSERVATV STRNG CNSRV	MDDLE MODER CNSRV	LIBERAL THE MODER LIBRL	LIBERAL STRNG LIBRL	MRRD/ LIVE TOGTH	SEPRT DVRG/ WIDOW	NEVER MARRD		
649	303	346	103	105	129	189	123	399	159	31	68	119	79	295	77	80	431	92	122	
100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
158	85	73	11	16	34	56	42	120	25	6	11	72	26	57	2	1	118	26	13	
24.4%	28.1%	21.1%	10.8%	14.9%	26.2%	29.5%	34.1%	30.0%	15.6%	19.7%	16.4%	60.7%	33.3%	19.5%	2.5%	0.9%	27.3%	28.6%	10.7%	
465	204	261	90	85	88	129	74	266	125	24	55	42	48	222	74	79	298	58	106	
71.7%	67.3%	75.5%	87.4%	80.7%	68.3%	68.1%	60.0%	66.7%	78.2%	77.6%	80.2%	35.6%	60.6%	75.3%	96.4%	99.1%	69.3%	62.6%	87.1%	
25	14	12	2	5	7	5	7	13	10	1	2	4	5	15	1	-	15	8	3	
3.9%	4.6%	3.3%	1.8%	4.4%	5.5%	2.4%	6.0%	3.3%	6.2%	2.7%	3.4%	3.8%	6.1%	5.2%	1.1%		3.4%	8.8%	2.2%	

BASE: FORM "A" ONLY

WEIGHTED BASE

APPROVE

DISAPPROVE

NO OPINION

Table 4-3

Q.4: DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN HANDLING THE SITUATION IN IRAQ?

TOTAL REG VOTER	EDUCATION				HOUSEHOLD INCOME				RELIGION				BRN AGAIN		TENURE		UNION		
	H.S. REG LESS	SOME COLLG/ TRADE	COLLG GRAD	POST GRAD WORK	UNDR \$20K	\$20K \$39K	\$40K \$79K	\$80K PLUS	PROTS/ CHRSTN	CATH- OLIC	OTHER RELIG	NO PREF	CHRISTIAN YES	CHRISTIAN NO	OWNER	RENTN	YES	NO	
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WEIGHTED BASE	649 100%	149 100%	228 100%	167 100%	100 100%	54 100%	111 100%	158 100%	245 100%	216 100.0%	158 100%	109 100%	139 100%	137 100%	508 100%	479 100%	154 100%	169 100%	473 100%
APPROVE	158 24.4%	30 20.0%	54 23.7%	51 30.4%	21 21.4%	5 9.5%	27 24.2%	40 25.3%	64 26.2%	80 37.1%	32 20.4%	22 20.3%	19 13.9%	52 37.8%	104 20.5%	133 27.7%	24 15.6%	34 19.9%	123 25.9%
DISAPPROVE	465 71.7%	104 69.6%	170 74.7%	113 67.3%	76 76.0%	48 88.7%	80 71.9%	111 70.6%	172 70.3%	125 58.0%	121 77.0%	82 75.8%	117 84.2%	77 56.1%	386 76.1%	327 68.2%	124 80.4%	132 77.7%	329 69.6%
NO OPINION	25 3.9%	15 10.4%	4 1.6%	4 2.3%	3 2.5%	1 1.8%	4 3.9%	6 4.1%	9 3.5%	11 4.9%	4 2.6%	4 3.9%	3 2.0%	8 6.1%	17 3.4%	19 4.0%	6 4.0%	4 2.4%	21 4.5%