

NBC News-WSJ-Marist Poll Virginia Tables

		Virginia Likely Voters			
		Tossup including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate			
		Barack Obama and Joe Biden, the Democrats	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan, the Republicans	Other	Undecided
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		49%	44%	2%	5%
Party Identification	Democrat	96%	2%	0%	2%
	Republican	5%	94%	0%	1%
	Independent	43%	45%	4%	8%
Party Identification***	Strong Democrats	98%	1%	0%	0%
	Soft Democrats	89%	7%	1%	3%
	Just Independents	30%	37%	8%	24%
	Soft Republicans	9%	87%	2%	2%
	Strong Republicans	2%	98%	0%	1%
Tea Party Supporters		14%	82%	3%	2%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	88%	9%	1%	2%
	Moderate	59%	30%	3%	8%
	Conservative-Very conservative	19%	77%	1%	3%
Intensity of Support	Strongly support	54%	45%	0%	0%
	Somewhat support	39%	61%	0%	0%
Plan to Vote Early	Vote early or by absentee	47%	48%	1%	5%
	Vote on Election Day	47%	46%	2%	5%
	Have not decided	62%	28%	2%	8%
Enthusiasm about Presidential Election	High	50%	45%	1%	3%
	Moderate	51%	42%	1%	5%
	Low	36%	39%	9%	16%
Gender	Men	44%	49%	3%	5%
	Women	54%	40%	1%	6%
Age	Under 45	53%	39%	2%	5%
	45 or older	46%	47%	2%	5%
Age	18 to 29	57%	38%	3%	2%
	30 to 44	52%	40%	2%	7%
	45 to 59	47%	47%	2%	5%
	60 or older	46%	48%	1%	5%
Race	White	39%	55%	2%	4%
	Non-white	77%	15%	1%	8%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	59%	33%	2%	6%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	43%	48%	2%	6%
	Central/West	43%	51%	1%	5%
	Richmond/East	48%	45%	2%	5%
	Tidewater	51%	43%	2%	4%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	53%	41%	2%	4%
	\$75,000 or more	47%	47%	1%	5%
Education	Not college graduate	50%	43%	2%	4%
	College graduate	48%	45%	2%	6%
Marital Status	Married	41%	52%	2%	6%
	Not married	62%	31%	2%	5%
Evangelical Christians		34%	61%	1%	4%
U.S. Military Veteran		40%	52%	4%	4%
Interview Type	Landline	47%	46%	2%	6%
	Cell Phone	54%	39%	3%	4%

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***Soft Democrats include likely voters who identify as "not strong Democrats" or Democratic leaning independents. Soft Republicans include those likely voters who identify as "not strong Republicans" or Republican leaning independents.

		Virginia Likely Voters			
		Would you say that you strongly support <candidates> somewhat support <candidates>, or do you think that you might vote differently on Election Day?			
		Strongly support	Somewhat support	Might vote differently	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		84%	13%	2%	1%
Party Identification	Democrat	93%	6%	1%	1%
	Republican	85%	14%	2%	0%
	Independent	75%	19%	5%	2%
Tea Party Supporters		86%	13%	1%	0%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	91%	8%	0%	1%
	Moderate	76%	19%	4%	1%
	Conservative-Very conservative	87%	11%	1%	1%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	87%	10%	3%	1%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	80%	17%	2%	1%
Gender	Men	81%	15%	3%	1%
	Women	86%	11%	2%	1%
Age	Under 45	77%	19%	3%	1%
	45 or older	88%	9%	2%	1%
Age	18 to 29	67%	30%	3%	0%
	30 to 44	82%	14%	3%	1%
	45 to 59	86%	11%	2%	1%
	60 or older	90%	7%	2%	1%
Race	White	82%	15%	2%	1%
	Non-white	89%	7%	3%	1%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	89%	8%	3%	0%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	83%	15%	1%	1%
	Central/West	81%	15%	2%	1%
	Richmond/East	86%	11%	2%	0%
	Tidewater	78%	17%	3%	2%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	83%	14%	2%	1%
	\$75,000 or more	85%	13%	2%	0%
Education	Not college graduate	81%	16%	2%	1%
	College graduate	87%	11%	2%	0%
Marital Status	Married	86%	11%	2%	0%
	Not married	80%	16%	2%	2%
Evangelical Christians		84%	14%	1%	1%
U.S. Military Veteran		87%	12%	1%	1%
Interview Type	Landline	85%	12%	2%	1%
	Cell Phone	78%	18%	2%	2%

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		Virginia Likely Voters		
		Thinking about November's presidential election, do you plan to vote early or by absentee, vote on Election Day, or have you not decided?		
		Vote early or by absentee	Vote on Election Day	Have not decided
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		9%	77%	13%
Party Identification	Democrat	11%	72%	17%
	Republican	10%	82%	8%
	Independent	8%	79%	13%
Tea Party Supporters		10%	84%	6%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	12%	71%	16%
	Moderate	7%	79%	13%
	Conservative-Very conservative	9%	82%	9%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	9%	75%	16%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	10%	82%	8%
Gender	Men	8%	78%	14%
	Women	10%	77%	13%
Age	Under 45	8%	73%	20%
	45 or older	10%	81%	9%
Age	18 to 29	10%	63%	27%
	30 to 44	7%	77%	16%
	45 to 59	8%	86%	6%
	60 or older	13%	76%	11%
Race	White	9%	82%	9%
	Non-white	10%	67%	23%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	8%	80%	12%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	11%	73%	17%
	Central/West	11%	75%	14%
	Richmond/East	8%	82%	10%
	Tidewater	9%	76%	15%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	10%	76%	14%
	\$75,000 or more	9%	82%	10%
Education	Not college graduate	10%	74%	15%
	College graduate	9%	81%	10%
Marital Status	Married	8%	84%	8%
	Not married	12%	68%	20%
Evangelical Christians		8%	80%	12%
U.S. Military Veteran		12%	77%	11%
Interview Type	Landline	9%	81%	11%
	Cell Phone	11%	69%	20%

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		Virginia Likely Voters		
		Do you approve or disapprove of the job Barack Obama is doing as president?		
		Approve	Disapprove	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		49%	45%	6%
Party Identification	Democrat	95%	4%	1%
	Republican	6%	93%	1%
	Independent	43%	46%	11%
Tea Party Supporters		13%	86%	2%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	88%	9%	3%
	Moderate	59%	33%	9%
	Conservative-Very conservative	19%	78%	3%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	95%	2%	3%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	2%	94%	4%
Gender	Men	43%	50%	7%
	Women	54%	41%	5%
Age	Under 45	54%	39%	7%
	45 or older	45%	49%	5%
Age	18 to 29	57%	36%	7%
	30 to 44	52%	41%	7%
	45 to 59	46%	50%	4%
	60 or older	45%	49%	6%
Race	White	38%	56%	6%
	Non-white	79%	15%	6%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	60%	34%	6%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	44%	49%	7%
	Central/West	42%	54%	5%
	Richmond/East	49%	47%	4%
	Tidewater	50%	41%	8%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	51%	43%	5%
	\$75,000 or more	48%	47%	5%
Education	Not college graduate	49%	45%	6%
	College graduate	49%	46%	5%
Marital Status	Married	42%	53%	6%
	Not married	62%	33%	6%
Evangelical Christians		33%	63%	4%
U.S. Military Veteran		38%	57%	5%
Interview Type	Landline	47%	48%	5%
	Cell Phone	55%	36%	9%

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		Virginia Likely Voters		
		Virginia U.S. Senate tossup including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate		
		Tim Kaine, the Democrat George Allen, the Republican Undecided		
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		46%	46%	8%
Party Identification	Democrat	90%	4%	6%
	Republican	5%	92%	3%
	Independent	41%	49%	10%
Party Identification***	Strong Democrats	94%	3%	2%
	Soft Democrats	76%	12%	11%
	Just Independents	36%	42%	23%
	Soft Republicans	10%	86%	4%
	Strong Republicans	2%	96%	2%
Tea Party Supporters		13%	84%	2%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	83%	9%	8%
	Moderate	57%	34%	9%
	Conservative-Very conservative	17%	78%	5%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	86%	8%	6%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	6%	91%	3%
Gender	Men	42%	50%	8%
	Women	49%	42%	8%
Age	Under 45	49%	42%	9%
	45 or older	44%	49%	7%
Age	18 to 29	54%	38%	8%
	30 to 44	46%	44%	10%
	45 to 59	44%	49%	8%
	60 or older	45%	50%	6%
Race	White	38%	56%	6%
	Non-white	67%	22%	11%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	57%	36%	7%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	40%	49%	12%
	Central/West	39%	55%	6%
	Richmond/East	46%	44%	10%
	Tidewater	47%	47%	6%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	47%	45%	8%
	\$75,000 or more	47%	47%	6%
Education	Not college graduate	45%	47%	9%
	College graduate	47%	46%	7%
Marital Status	Married	39%	53%	8%
	Not married	58%	34%	8%
Evangelical Christians		30%	65%	4%
U.S. Military Veteran		38%	55%	6%
Interview Type	Landline	44%	49%	7%
	Cell Phone	52%	39%	9%

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		Virginia Likely Voters		
		All in all, do you think things in the nation are generally headed in the right direction, or do you feel things are off on the wrong track?		
		Headed in the right direction	Off on the wrong track	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		42%	52%	5%
Party Identification	Democrat	82%	13%	6%
	Republican	6%	91%	3%
	Independent	36%	57%	6%
Tea Party Supporters		13%	86%	1%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	76%	19%	5%
	Moderate	53%	41%	6%
	Conservative-Very conservative	16%	81%	4%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	80%	15%	5%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	3%	95%	2%
Gender	Men	39%	56%	5%
	Women	45%	49%	6%
Age	Under 45	47%	48%	5%
	45 or older	40%	55%	5%
Age	18 to 29	47%	48%	5%
	30 to 44	47%	48%	5%
	45 to 59	41%	55%	5%
	60 or older	39%	56%	6%
Race	White	32%	64%	4%
	Non-white	69%	22%	8%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	52%	40%	8%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	38%	59%	3%
	Central/West	32%	63%	5%
	Richmond/East	42%	53%	5%
	Tidewater	48%	47%	5%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	44%	50%	6%
	\$75,000 or more	43%	54%	4%
Education	Not college graduate	40%	54%	7%
	College graduate	45%	51%	4%
Marital Status	Married	38%	58%	4%
	Not married	50%	42%	7%
Evangelical Christians		27%	67%	6%
U.S. Military Veteran		35%	61%	4%
Interview Type	Landline	41%	54%	5%
	Cell Phone	46%	48%	6%

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		Virginia Likely Voters		
		Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Barack Obama?		
		Favorable	Unfavorable	Unsure-Never Heard
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		53%	43%	4%
Party Identification	Democrat	94%	5%	1%
	Republican	8%	89%	2%
	Independent	51%	42%	7%
Tea Party Supporters		14%	84%	1%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	88%	10%	2%
	Moderate	66%	29%	5%
	Conservative-Very conservative	22%	76%	2%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	95%	3%	2%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	7%	91%	2%
Gender	Men	50%	46%	5%
	Women	56%	40%	4%
Age	Under 45	57%	38%	5%
	45 or older	50%	47%	3%
Age	18 to 29	58%	34%	8%
	30 to 44	57%	40%	4%
	45 to 59	50%	47%	3%
	60 or older	50%	47%	3%
Race	White	42%	54%	4%
	Non-white	82%	14%	5%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	64%	32%	3%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	50%	47%	3%
	Central/West	43%	49%	7%
	Richmond/East	52%	45%	3%
	Tidewater	55%	41%	4%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	54%	40%	5%
	\$75,000 or more	53%	44%	2%
Education	Not college graduate	51%	44%	5%
	College graduate	54%	42%	3%
Marital Status	Married	46%	50%	3%
	Not married	64%	31%	5%
Evangelical Christians		33%	64%	4%
U.S. Military Veteran		43%	52%	4%
Interview Type	Landline	50%	46%	3%
	Cell Phone	59%	34%	7%

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		Virginia Likely Voters		
		Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Mitt Romney?		
		Favorable	Unfavorable	Unsure-Never Heard
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		46%	45%	9%
Party Identification	Democrat	9%	83%	8%
	Republican	87%	7%	6%
	Independent	49%	40%	10%
Tea Party Supporters		83%	15%	2%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	16%	77%	7%
	Moderate	38%	53%	9%
	Conservative-Very conservative	72%	20%	8%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	12%	82%	7%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	90%	5%	5%
Gender	Men	51%	41%	8%
	Women	42%	48%	10%
Age	Under 45	40%	50%	10%
	45 or older	51%	41%	8%
Age	18 to 29	35%	58%	7%
	30 to 44	42%	46%	12%
	45 to 59	50%	42%	8%
	60 or older	51%	41%	8%
Race	White	55%	37%	8%
	Non-white	23%	66%	11%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	44%	47%	8%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	47%	45%	8%
	Central/West	48%	42%	10%
	Richmond/East	45%	45%	10%
	Tidewater	48%	44%	8%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	41%	49%	10%
	\$75,000 or more	51%	42%	7%
Education	Not college graduate	44%	45%	12%
	College graduate	49%	44%	6%
Marital Status	Married	54%	38%	8%
	Not married	33%	56%	11%
Evangelical Christians		57%	33%	10%
U.S. Military Veteran		50%	39%	10%
Interview Type	Landline	48%	43%	9%
	Cell Phone	43%	49%	8%

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		Virginia Likely Voters		
		Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Joe Biden?		
		Favorable	Unfavorable	Unsure-Never Heard
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		47%	43%	10%
Party Identification	Democrat	87%	6%	7%
	Republican	9%	84%	7%
	Independent	42%	45%	13%
Tea Party Supporters		16%	80%	4%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	81%	9%	10%
	Moderate	59%	31%	10%
	Conservative-Very conservative	17%	74%	8%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	84%	8%	8%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	8%	85%	8%
Gender	Men	44%	47%	9%
	Women	49%	40%	11%
Age	Under 45	51%	38%	11%
	45 or older	44%	47%	9%
Age	18 to 29	52%	38%	11%
	30 to 44	51%	38%	12%
	45 to 59	42%	49%	9%
	60 or older	46%	46%	8%
Race	White	38%	52%	10%
	Non-white	69%	19%	11%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	56%	35%	9%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	42%	46%	12%
	Central/West	39%	50%	11%
	Richmond/East	45%	45%	10%
	Tidewater	52%	39%	9%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	47%	42%	11%
	\$75,000 or more	49%	44%	7%
Education	Not college graduate	44%	43%	13%
	College graduate	49%	43%	7%
Marital Status	Married	42%	50%	8%
	Not married	55%	32%	14%
Evangelical Christians		31%	61%	8%
U.S. Military Veteran		42%	53%	4%
Interview Type	Landline	46%	46%	8%
	Cell Phone	49%	37%	15%

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		Virginia Likely Voters		
		Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Paul Ryan?		
		Favorable	Unfavorable	Unsure-Never Heard
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		44%	39%	18%
Party Identification	Democrat	7%	75%	18%
	Republican	85%	6%	10%
	Independent	45%	33%	21%
Tea Party Supporters		82%	10%	8%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	9%	74%	17%
	Moderate	33%	45%	22%
	Conservative-Very conservative	73%	15%	12%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	9%	74%	17%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	86%	4%	10%
Gender	Men	47%	34%	19%
	Women	40%	43%	17%
Age	Under 45	38%	40%	22%
	45 or older	48%	37%	15%
Age	18 to 29	35%	47%	18%
	30 to 44	39%	36%	24%
	45 to 59	48%	36%	15%
	60 or older	47%	38%	15%
Race	White	52%	32%	16%
	Non-white	21%	56%	24%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	37%	49%	14%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	44%	36%	20%
	Central/West	47%	34%	19%
	Richmond/East	44%	35%	21%
	Tidewater	45%	40%	15%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	40%	40%	20%
	\$75,000 or more	47%	38%	14%
Education	Not college graduate	41%	36%	24%
	College graduate	47%	41%	12%
Marital Status	Married	51%	33%	16%
	Not married	32%	47%	21%
Evangelical Christians		59%	22%	19%
U.S. Military Veteran		50%	33%	17%
Interview Type	Landline	46%	38%	16%
	Cell Phone	38%	41%	22%

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		Virginia Likely Voters			
		Thinking about November's presidential election, overall, would you say you are very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not enthusiastic at all about voting?			
		Very enthusiastic (High)	Somewhat enthusiastic (Moderate)	Not too enthusiastic (Low)	Not enthusiastic at all (Low)
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		60%	29%	7%	4%
Party Identification	Democrat	68%	26%	5%	1%
	Republican	67%	26%	6%	1%
	Independent	50%	34%	10%	6%
Tea Party Supporters		72%	22%	4%	2%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	62%	28%	8%	3%
	Moderate	51%	37%	8%	4%
	Conservative-Very conservative	68%	22%	7%	3%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	63%	30%	6%	2%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	64%	27%	7%	2%
Gender	Men	59%	30%	7%	4%
	Women	60%	29%	7%	3%
Age	Under 45	54%	35%	8%	4%
	45 or older	63%	26%	7%	4%
Age	18 to 29	43%	42%	9%	7%
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	60 or older	65%	25%	6%	4%
Race	White	57%	30%	8%	4%
	Non-white	65%	27%	5%	3%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	63%	30%	4%	3%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	54%	31%	11%	4%
	Central/West	54%	32%	10%	4%
	Richmond/East	64%	26%	8%	2%
	Tidewater	62%	29%	3%	6%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	55%	33%	8%	4%
	\$75,000 or more	65%	25%	6%	3%
Education	Not college graduate	57%	30%	9%	4%
	College graduate	62%	29%	6%	3%
Marital Status	Married	62%	28%	7%	3%
	Not married	56%	32%	8%	4%
Evangelical Christians		66%	24%	7%	3%
U.S. Military Veteran		58%	32%	5%	5%
Interview Type	Landline	64%	26%	7%	3%
	Cell Phone	50%	37%	8%	5%

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		Virginia Likely Voters		
		Which candidate will do a better job handling the economy:		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		45%	45%	10%
Party Identification	Democrat	92%	3%	5%
	Republican	4%	93%	3%
	Independent	38%	48%	15%
Tea Party Supporters		12%	85%	3%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	84%	10%	5%
	Moderate	54%	33%	13%
	Conservative-Very conservative	17%	77%	6%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	91%	3%	6%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	0%	96%	4%
Gender	Men	41%	50%	9%
	Women	49%	41%	10%
Age	Under 45	50%	40%	10%
	45 or older	42%	49%	9%
Age	18 to 29	50%	38%	12%
	30 to 44	50%	41%	9%
	45 to 59	42%	50%	8%
	60 or older	43%	48%	10%
Race	White	35%	56%	8%
	Non-white	72%	16%	12%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	56%	36%	8%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	38%	48%	14%
	Central/West	38%	52%	10%
	Richmond/East	45%	47%	9%
	Tidewater	48%	43%	8%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	48%	41%	11%
	\$75,000 or more	44%	49%	7%
Education	Not college graduate	45%	44%	11%
	College graduate	45%	47%	8%
Marital Status	Married	39%	53%	8%
	Not married	56%	32%	12%
Evangelical Christians		31%	61%	7%
U.S. Military Veteran		35%	53%	11%
Interview Type	Landline	44%	48%	9%
	Cell Phone	49%	39%	12%

NBC News/WSJ/Marist Poll Virginia Likely Voters. Interviews conducted September 9th through September 11th, 2012, N=996 MOE +/- 3.1 percentage points. Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.

		Virginia Likely Voters		
		Which candidate will do a better job handling foreign policy:		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Likely Voters		50%	39%	10%
Party Identification	Democrat	94%	2%	4%
	Republican	7%	87%	6%
	Independent	47%	38%	15%
Tea Party Supporters		15%	81%	4%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	89%	7%	4%
	Moderate	62%	25%	13%
	Conservative-Very conservative	20%	72%	8%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	95%	1%	4%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	4%	88%	8%
Gender	Men	48%	42%	11%
	Women	53%	37%	10%
Age	Under 45	56%	35%	10%
	45 or older	47%	43%	10%
Age	18 to 29	53%	33%	13%
	30 to 44	57%	35%	8%
	45 to 59	48%	42%	10%
	60 or older	46%	44%	10%
Race	White	41%	49%	9%
	Non-white	76%	14%	11%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	64%	30%	7%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	44%	42%	14%
	Central/West	43%	46%	11%
	Richmond/East	49%	39%	12%
	Tidewater	52%	40%	8%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	52%	35%	12%
	\$75,000 or more	51%	43%	6%
Education	Not college graduate	49%	39%	11%
	College graduate	52%	40%	9%
Marital Status	Married	44%	47%	10%
	Not married	62%	27%	11%
Evangelical Christians		33%	58%	9%
U.S. Military Veteran		44%	47%	10%
Interview Type	Landline	48%	42%	10%
	Cell Phone	56%	32%	12%

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		Virginia Registered Voters			
		Tossup including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate			
		Barack Obama and Joe Biden, the Democrats	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan, the Republicans	Other	Undecided
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		49%	42%	2%	6%
Party Identification	Democrat	95%	2%	0%	3%
	Republican	5%	94%	0%	1%
	Independent	44%	43%	4%	9%
Party Identification***	Strong Democrats	98%	1%	0%	0%
	Soft Democrats	88%	7%	1%	4%
	Just Independents	31%	34%	9%	26%
	Soft Republicans	9%	85%	2%	3%
	Strong Republicans	2%	97%	0%	1%
Tea Party Supporters		15%	79%	3%	2%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	87%	9%	1%	3%
	Moderate	59%	29%	3%	8%
	Conservative-Very conservative	20%	75%	2%	4%
Intensity of Support	Strongly support	55%	45%	0%	0%
	Somewhat support	39%	61%	0%	0%
Past Participation**	Yes	48%	44%	2%	6%
	No	63%	27%	3%	8%
Plan to Vote Early	Vote early or by absentee	47%	45%	1%	7%
	Vote on Election Day	47%	45%	2%	5%
	Have not decided	61%	28%	2%	10%
Enthusiasm about Presidential Election	High	51%	45%	1%	3%
	Moderate	52%	41%	2%	6%
	Low	39%	36%	9%	17%
Gender	Men	44%	47%	3%	6%
	Women	54%	38%	1%	6%
Age	Under 45	53%	38%	2%	6%
	45 or older	47%	46%	2%	5%
Age	18 to 29	56%	37%	3%	3%
	30 to 44	51%	39%	2%	8%
	45 to 59	47%	45%	2%	5%
	60 or older	46%	47%	2%	6%
Race	White	39%	54%	2%	5%
	Non-white	76%	14%	1%	9%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	60%	32%	2%	6%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	44%	47%	2%	7%
	Central/West	43%	49%	2%	6%
	Richmond/East	49%	42%	3%	7%
	Tidewater	50%	42%	2%	5%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	53%	39%	2%	5%
	\$75,000 or more	46%	47%	1%	5%
Education	Not college graduate	50%	41%	3%	6%
	College graduate	48%	44%	2%	6%
Marital Status	Married	41%	51%	2%	6%
	Not married	61%	30%	3%	6%
Evangelical Christians		34%	58%	1%	7%
U.S. Military Veteran		40%	52%	4%	4%
Interview Type	Landline	47%	44%	2%	6%
	Cell Phone	54%	38%	3%	6%

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**Past participation refers to previous participation in a presidential election.

***Soft Democrats include registered voters who identify as "not strong Democrats" or Democratic leaning independents. Soft Republicans include those registered voters who identify as "not strong Republicans" or Republican leaning independents.

		Virginia Registered Voters			
		Would you say that you strongly support <candidates> somewhat support <candidates>, or do you think that you might vote differently on Election Day?			
		Strongly support	Somewhat support	Might vote differently	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		82%	15%	3%	1%
Party Identification	Democrat	91%	8%	1%	1%
	Republican	84%	14%	2%	0%
	Independent	72%	21%	5%	2%
Tea Party Supporters		84%	15%	1%	0%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	90%	8%	1%	1%
	Moderate	73%	22%	4%	1%
	Conservative-Very conservative	85%	13%	2%	1%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	85%	11%	3%	1%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	78%	19%	2%	1%
Gender	Men	78%	17%	3%	1%
	Women	84%	12%	2%	1%
Age	Under 45	74%	21%	3%	1%
	45 or older	86%	10%	2%	1%
Age	18 to 29	65%	31%	4%	0%
	30 to 44	79%	16%	3%	1%
	45 to 59	84%	12%	3%	1%
	60 or older	89%	8%	2%	1%
Race	White	80%	17%	2%	1%
	Non-white	86%	9%	4%	2%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	88%	8%	3%	0%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	81%	17%	1%	1%
	Central/West	79%	17%	3%	1%
	Richmond/East	85%	12%	3%	0%
	Tidewater	76%	19%	4%	2%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	80%	15%	3%	2%
	\$75,000 or more	83%	14%	2%	0%
Education	Not college graduate	78%	18%	2%	2%
	College graduate	86%	11%	2%	0%
Marital Status	Married	85%	12%	3%	0%
	Not married	77%	18%	2%	2%
Evangelical Christians		81%	16%	1%	1%
U.S. Military Veteran		84%	14%	2%	1%
Interview Type	Landline	84%	13%	3%	1%
	Cell Phone	76%	20%	3%	2%

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		Virginia Registered Voters		
		Thinking about November's presidential election, do you plan to vote early or by absentee, vote on Election Day, or have you not decided?		
		Vote early or by absentee	Vote on Election Day	Have not decided
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		9%	75%	16%
Party Identification	Democrat	11%	70%	19%
	Republican	10%	81%	9%
	Independent	8%	74%	17%
Tea Party Supporters		9%	82%	9%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	13%	68%	19%
	Moderate	7%	76%	17%
	Conservative-Very conservative	9%	79%	12%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	9%	72%	20%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	10%	80%	10%
Gender	Men	9%	74%	17%
	Women	10%	75%	15%
Age	Under 45	9%	68%	23%
	45 or older	10%	80%	10%
Age	18 to 29	11%	56%	33%
	30 to 44	7%	75%	18%
	45 to 59	7%	85%	8%
	60 or older	13%	75%	13%
Race	White	9%	80%	11%
	Non-white	10%	62%	28%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	8%	80%	12%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	11%	69%	20%
	Central/West	10%	70%	20%
	Richmond/East	9%	79%	12%
	Tidewater	9%	73%	17%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	10%	72%	18%
	\$75,000 or more	9%	81%	11%
Education	Not college graduate	10%	70%	20%
	College graduate	8%	80%	11%
Marital Status	Married	8%	82%	10%
	Not married	12%	63%	24%
Evangelical Christians		9%	77%	14%
U.S. Military Veteran		11%	75%	14%
Interview Type	Landline	8%	79%	13%
	Cell Phone	12%	64%	24%

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		Virginia Registered Voters		
		Do you approve or disapprove of the job Barack Obama is doing as president?		
		Approve	Disapprove	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		49%	44%	6%
Party Identification	Democrat	93%	5%	2%
	Republican	6%	92%	2%
	Independent	43%	45%	12%
Tea Party Supporters		14%	84%	2%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	87%	10%	3%
	Moderate	58%	34%	9%
	Conservative-Very conservative	20%	77%	3%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	93%	4%	3%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	2%	93%	4%
Gender	Men	44%	49%	8%
	Women	54%	41%	6%
Age	Under 45	53%	39%	8%
	45 or older	46%	49%	5%
Age	18 to 29	57%	36%	7%
	30 to 44	51%	40%	9%
	45 to 59	46%	50%	4%
	60 or older	45%	49%	6%
Race	White	38%	56%	6%
	Non-white	77%	16%	7%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	60%	33%	7%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	43%	49%	8%
	Central/West	42%	52%	6%
	Richmond/East	49%	46%	5%
	Tidewater	51%	41%	8%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	51%	43%	6%
	\$75,000 or more	48%	46%	5%
Education	Not college graduate	49%	44%	7%
	College graduate	50%	45%	5%
Marital Status	Married	42%	52%	6%
	Not married	60%	33%	6%
Evangelical Christians		33%	61%	6%
U.S. Military Veteran		38%	57%	5%
Interview Type	Landline	47%	48%	5%
	Cell Phone	54%	36%	9%

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		Virginia Registered Voters		
		Virginia U.S. Senate tossup including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate		
		George Allen, the		
		Tim Kaine, the Democrat	Republican	Undecided
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		46%	45%	9%
Party Identification	Democrat	90%	4%	6%
	Republican	5%	92%	3%
	Independent	41%	46%	13%
Party Identification***	Strong Democrats	94%	3%	2%
	Soft Democrats	76%	12%	12%
	Just Independents	34%	37%	29%
	Soft Republicans	10%	86%	4%
	Strong Republicans	2%	96%	2%
Tea Party Supporters		15%	82%	3%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	81%	10%	9%
	Moderate	57%	33%	10%
	Conservative-Very conservative	18%	77%	6%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	84%	9%	7%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	7%	90%	3%
Gender	Men	43%	48%	9%
	Women	49%	42%	9%
Age	Under 45	48%	40%	12%
	45 or older	45%	48%	7%
Age	18 to 29	52%	36%	11%
	30 to 44	45%	42%	12%
	45 to 59	44%	48%	8%
	60 or older	45%	49%	6%
Race	White	38%	54%	7%
	Non-white	66%	21%	13%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	57%	35%	8%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	40%	47%	13%
	Central/West	39%	52%	9%
	Richmond/East	47%	43%	10%
	Tidewater	47%	46%	7%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	47%	43%	9%
	\$75,000 or more	47%	46%	7%
Education	Not college graduate	45%	44%	11%
	College graduate	47%	45%	8%
Marital Status	Married	39%	53%	8%
	Not married	57%	33%	11%
Evangelical Christians		31%	63%	6%
U.S. Military Veteran		38%	55%	7%
Interview Type	Landline	44%	48%	8%
	Cell Phone	51%	37%	12%

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***Soft Democrats include registered voters who identify as "not strong Democrats" or Democratic leaning independents. Soft Republicans include those registered voters who identify as "not strong Republicans" or Republican leaning independents.

		Virginia Registered Voters		
		All in all, do you think things in the nation are generally headed in the right direction, or do you feel things are off on the wrong track?		
		Headed in the right direction	Off on the wrong track	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		42%	52%	6%
Party Identification	Democrat	79%	14%	7%
	Republican	6%	91%	3%
	Independent	36%	57%	7%
Tea Party Supporters		14%	84%	1%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	74%	21%	5%
	Moderate	51%	42%	7%
	Conservative-Very conservative	16%	80%	4%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	78%	16%	6%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	4%	94%	2%
Gender	Men	39%	55%	6%
	Women	45%	50%	6%
Age	Under 45	46%	48%	7%
	45 or older	39%	56%	5%
Age	18 to 29	44%	49%	8%
	30 to 44	47%	47%	6%
	45 to 59	40%	55%	4%
	60 or older	38%	56%	6%
Race	White	32%	64%	4%
	Non-white	67%	23%	10%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	52%	39%	9%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	37%	59%	4%
	Central/West	31%	62%	7%
	Richmond/East	42%	53%	5%
	Tidewater	48%	47%	5%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	42%	51%	7%
	\$75,000 or more	43%	54%	4%
Education	Not college graduate	39%	54%	8%
	College graduate	46%	50%	4%
Marital Status	Married	38%	58%	4%
	Not married	48%	43%	9%
Evangelical Christians		26%	67%	8%
U.S. Military Veteran		35%	61%	5%
Interview Type	Landline	41%	54%	5%
	Cell Phone	43%	49%	8%

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		Virginia Registered Voters		
		Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Barack Obama?		
		Favorable	Unfavorable	Unsure-Never Heard
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		53%	42%	5%
Party Identification	Democrat	93%	6%	2%
	Republican	9%	88%	3%
	Independent	51%	41%	8%
Tea Party Supporters		16%	82%	3%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	86%	11%	3%
	Moderate	64%	30%	6%
	Conservative-Very conservative	23%	74%	3%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	94%	4%	2%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	7%	90%	3%
Gender	Men	50%	45%	5%
	Women	55%	40%	5%
Age	Under 45	56%	37%	7%
	45 or older	50%	46%	4%
Age	18 to 29	56%	34%	9%
	30 to 44	56%	39%	5%
	45 to 59	51%	45%	4%
	60 or older	50%	47%	3%
Race	White	42%	53%	5%
	Non-white	81%	14%	5%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	65%	32%	4%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	48%	48%	4%
	Central/West	43%	48%	9%
	Richmond/East	53%	44%	4%
	Tidewater	56%	40%	5%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	54%	40%	6%
	\$75,000 or more	53%	44%	3%
Education	Not college graduate	51%	43%	7%
	College graduate	55%	41%	3%
Marital Status	Married	46%	50%	4%
	Not married	63%	31%	7%
Evangelical Christians		34%	62%	4%
U.S. Military Veteran		43%	52%	5%
Interview Type	Landline	50%	46%	4%
	Cell Phone	59%	33%	8%

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		Virginia Registered Voters		
		Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Mitt Romney?		
		Favorable	Unfavorable	Unsure-Never Heard
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		45%	45%	11%
Party Identification	Democrat	9%	82%	9%
	Republican	87%	7%	6%
	Independent	47%	41%	12%
Tea Party Supporters		81%	17%	2%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	16%	76%	7%
	Moderate	37%	52%	10%
	Conservative-Very conservative	70%	21%	8%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	12%	81%	7%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	89%	6%	5%
Gender	Men	49%	41%	10%
	Women	41%	48%	11%
Age	Under 45	38%	49%	13%
	45 or older	50%	42%	8%
Age	18 to 29	35%	55%	10%
	30 to 44	40%	45%	14%
	45 to 59	49%	43%	8%
	60 or older	50%	41%	9%
Race	White	53%	37%	9%
	Non-white	23%	65%	12%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	44%	47%	9%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	46%	46%	9%
	Central/West	46%	41%	13%
	Richmond/East	42%	47%	11%
	Tidewater	47%	44%	9%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	39%	49%	12%
	\$75,000 or more	50%	41%	8%
Education	Not college graduate	42%	45%	13%
	College graduate	48%	44%	7%
Marital Status	Married	53%	38%	9%
	Not married	32%	55%	13%
Evangelical Christians		54%	33%	12%
U.S. Military Veteran		49%	40%	11%
Interview Type	Landline	46%	43%	11%
	Cell Phone	41%	48%	11%

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		Virginia Registered Voters		
		Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Joe Biden?		
		Favorable	Unfavorable	Unsure-Never Heard
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		46%	42%	12%
Party Identification	Democrat	85%	6%	9%
	Republican	10%	83%	7%
	Independent	40%	45%	16%
Tea Party Supporters		18%	78%	4%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	79%	10%	11%
	Moderate	56%	32%	12%
	Conservative-Very conservative	18%	73%	9%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	81%	9%	9%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	8%	83%	8%
Gender	Men	43%	46%	12%
	Women	48%	39%	13%
Age	Under 45	48%	38%	14%
	45 or older	44%	47%	10%
Age	18 to 29	47%	38%	15%
	30 to 44	49%	37%	14%
	45 to 59	42%	48%	10%
	60 or older	46%	45%	9%
Race	White	38%	51%	11%
	Non-white	66%	20%	14%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	55%	35%	9%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	41%	46%	13%
	Central/West	38%	48%	15%
	Richmond/East	45%	44%	11%
	Tidewater	50%	39%	12%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	45%	41%	14%
	\$75,000 or more	48%	44%	8%
Education	Not college graduate	42%	42%	16%
	College graduate	49%	43%	8%
Marital Status	Married	41%	49%	9%
	Not married	52%	32%	16%
Evangelical Christians		30%	60%	10%
U.S. Military Veteran		42%	54%	5%
Interview Type	Landline	45%	45%	10%
	Cell Phone	46%	36%	18%

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		Virginia Registered Voters		
		Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Paul Ryan?		
		Favorable	Unfavorable	Unsure-Never Heard
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		42%	39%	20%
Party Identification	Democrat	7%	75%	19%
	Republican	83%	6%	11%
	Independent	42%	34%	24%
Tea Party Supporters		79%	12%	9%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	10%	73%	18%
	Moderate	32%	45%	23%
	Conservative-Very conservative	70%	16%	14%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	9%	73%	18%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	84%	4%	11%
Gender	Men	44%	34%	22%
	Women	39%	43%	18%
Age	Under 45	36%	40%	24%
	45 or older	46%	37%	17%
Age	18 to 29	34%	46%	20%
	30 to 44	37%	37%	26%
	45 to 59	47%	37%	17%
	60 or older	45%	38%	17%
Race	White	50%	32%	18%
	Non-white	20%	56%	24%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	36%	49%	15%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	43%	37%	20%
	Central/West	45%	33%	22%
	Richmond/East	41%	36%	22%
	Tidewater	43%	39%	18%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	37%	39%	23%
	\$75,000 or more	46%	39%	15%
Education	Not college graduate	38%	36%	26%
	College graduate	46%	41%	12%
Marital Status	Married	49%	34%	17%
	Not married	30%	46%	24%
Evangelical Christians		56%	23%	21%
U.S. Military Veteran		49%	34%	17%
Interview Type	Landline	44%	38%	18%
	Cell Phone	35%	41%	24%

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		Virginia Registered Voters			
		Thinking about November's presidential election, overall, would you say you are very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, or not enthusiastic at all about voting?			
		Very enthusiastic (High)	Somewhat enthusiastic (Moderate)	Not too enthusiastic (Low)	Not enthusiastic at all (Low)
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		55%	31%	9%	5%
Party Identification	Democrat	64%	27%	7%	2%
	Republican	64%	28%	6%	2%
	Independent	44%	36%	12%	8%
Tea Party Supporters		68%	24%	5%	3%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	57%	29%	10%	4%
	Moderate	45%	40%	10%	5%
	Conservative-Very conservative	64%	23%	8%	5%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	58%	32%	8%	3%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	60%	29%	8%	3%
Gender	Men	53%	32%	9%	6%
	Women	56%	31%	9%	5%
Age	Under 45	47%	38%	10%	5%
	45 or older	59%	27%	8%	5%
Age	18 to 29	36%	45%	10%	8%
	30 to 44	54%	33%	10%	3%
	45 to 59	57%	28%	10%	5%
	60 or older	62%	26%	7%	6%
Race	White	53%	32%	10%	6%
	Non-white	59%	29%	7%	5%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	60%	32%	5%	4%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	49%	33%	13%	4%
	Central/West	48%	34%	12%	7%
	Richmond/East	59%	27%	10%	4%
	Tidewater	56%	31%	5%	8%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	49%	35%	11%	5%
	\$75,000 or more	62%	26%	7%	4%
Education	Not college graduate	50%	32%	11%	6%
	College graduate	59%	30%	7%	4%
Marital Status	Married	58%	29%	8%	4%
	Not married	49%	35%	10%	6%
Evangelical Christians		60%	27%	9%	4%
U.S. Military Veteran		54%	33%	7%	6%
Interview Type	Landline	59%	28%	9%	4%
	Cell Phone	44%	39%	10%	7%

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		Virginia Registered Voters		
		Which candidate will do a better job handling the economy:		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		45%	44%	11%
Party Identification	Democrat	90%	3%	6%
	Republican	4%	93%	4%
	Independent	38%	46%	15%
Tea Party Supporters		14%	82%	4%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	83%	11%	6%
	Moderate	53%	33%	13%
	Conservative-Very conservative	18%	75%	7%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	91%	3%	6%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	0%	96%	4%
Gender	Men	42%	48%	10%
	Women	49%	41%	11%
Age	Under 45	50%	39%	11%
	45 or older	43%	48%	10%
Age	18 to 29	50%	38%	11%
	30 to 44	49%	40%	11%
	45 to 59	43%	48%	9%
	60 or older	43%	47%	11%
Race	White	35%	56%	9%
	Non-white	72%	15%	13%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	56%	36%	8%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	39%	48%	14%
	Central/West	39%	49%	12%
	Richmond/East	46%	44%	10%
	Tidewater	48%	43%	9%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	48%	40%	12%
	\$75,000 or more	43%	49%	8%
Education	Not college graduate	45%	43%	12%
	College graduate	46%	46%	8%
Marital Status	Married	39%	52%	9%
	Not married	55%	32%	13%
Evangelical Christians		32%	59%	9%
U.S. Military Veteran		35%	53%	12%
Interview Type	Landline	44%	47%	10%
	Cell Phone	49%	39%	13%

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		Virginia Registered Voters		
		Which candidate will do a better job handling foreign policy:		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Registered Voters		51%	38%	11%
Party Identification	Democrat	93%	2%	5%
	Republican	7%	87%	6%
	Independent	47%	36%	17%
Tea Party Supporters		18%	78%	4%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Liberal	88%	7%	5%
	Moderate	62%	24%	14%
	Conservative-Very conservative	21%	70%	9%
Presidential Choice	Barack Obama and Joe Biden	94%	1%	5%
	Mitt Romney and Paul Ryan	4%	88%	8%
Gender	Men	49%	40%	11%
	Women	52%	36%	11%
Age	Under 45	55%	34%	11%
	45 or older	48%	42%	11%
Age	18 to 29	54%	32%	14%
	30 to 44	56%	34%	9%
	45 to 59	49%	41%	10%
	60 or older	47%	42%	11%
Race	White	41%	48%	11%
	Non-white	75%	13%	12%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	64%	29%	7%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	44%	41%	15%
	Central/West	43%	44%	13%
	Richmond/East	51%	37%	12%
	Tidewater	52%	38%	9%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	53%	34%	13%
	\$75,000 or more	50%	42%	8%
Education	Not college graduate	49%	38%	13%
	College graduate	52%	38%	10%
Marital Status	Married	44%	46%	11%
	Not married	62%	26%	12%
Evangelical Christians		35%	56%	10%
U.S. Military Veteran		44%	46%	11%
Interview Type	Landline	49%	41%	10%
	Cell Phone	56%	31%	14%

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		Virginia Adults		
		All in all, do you think things in the nation are generally headed in the right direction, or do you feel things are off on the wrong track?		
		Headed in the right direction	Off on the wrong track	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
Virginia Adults		42%	51%	7%
Virginia Registered Voters		42%	52%	6%
Gender	Men	40%	53%	7%
	Women	44%	49%	7%
Age	Under 45	46%	46%	8%
	45 or older	39%	55%	5%
Age	18 to 29	45%	46%	10%
	30 to 44	47%	46%	7%
	45 to 59	40%	55%	5%
	60 or older	39%	55%	6%
Race	White	31%	64%	5%
	African American	74%	16%	9%
	Latino	55%	30%	15%
Region	D.C. Suburbs	51%	39%	10%
	Northern Virginia Exurbs	41%	54%	5%
	Central/West	31%	60%	8%
	Richmond/East	44%	51%	5%
	Tidewater	46%	48%	6%
Household Income	Less than \$75,000	43%	49%	8%
	\$75,000 or more	42%	54%	4%
Education	Not college graduate	41%	51%	9%
	College graduate	45%	51%	4%
Marital Status	Married	39%	56%	5%
	Not married	48%	43%	10%
Evangelical Christians		28%	64%	9%
U.S. Military Veteran		33%	61%	5%
Interview Type	Landline	41%	53%	6%
	Cell Phone	45%	46%	9%

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Virginia Registered Voters: N=1315 MOE +/- 2.7 percentage points. Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.