

# POLL MUST BE SOURCED: McClatchy-Marist Poll\*

## Carson and Trump Vie for Lead among Republicans Nationally

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## This McClatchy-Marist Poll Reports:

In the 2016 presidential contest, retired neurosurgeon Ben Carson, 24%, and businessman Donald Trump, 23%, are in a close contest for the GOP nomination among Republicans and Republican leaning independents nationally. Senator Marco Rubio of Florida, 12%, is in the third position and is the only other GOP contender who receives double-digit support. Senator Ted Cruz of Texas, 8%, ties former Florida Governor Jeb Bush, 8%, for fourth place.

When it comes to the candidate the GOP thinks has the best chance of beating the Democratic nominee next November, Trump, 31%, tops the list followed by Ben Carson, 26%, and Marco Rubio, 19%. However, Trump is not necessarily the candidate Republicans and Republican leaning independents want to get the Republican nomination. 37% say they definitely do not want him to be the GOP nominee, and 32% definitely do not want Jeb Bush to be their party's standard bearer.

When asked whether Republicans and Republican leaning independents like the GOP candidates more or less after hearing more about them, Bush fares the worst of the candidates. 58% say their dislike toward Bush grows the more they learn about him. 49% say the same about Trump, the only other candidate who generates a greater negative than positive reaction. Carson fares the best. About two-thirds, 67%, say they like Carson more after hearing about him. Rubio follows with 58%.

Many Republicans and Republican leaning independents nationally want a nominee who will stand on Republican principles, 59%, similar to the 62% who had this view in August. 39% currently prefer a Republican nominee who can win the White House.

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Looking ahead to the general election, former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton leads all of her potential Republican rivals, but she and Ben Carson are in a virtual dead heat. Clinton has 50% to 48% for Carson. When this question was last reported in August, Clinton, 49%, had a ten point lead over Carson, 39%.

When the Republican field is matched against Bernie Sanders, Sanders leads Fiorina, Trump, Cruz, and Bush by double digits and has majority support. Sanders, 48%, is competitive against Rubio, 45%. Sanders, 45%, also runs closely against Carson, 47%.

"On the eve of the next GOP presidential debate, Jeb Bush needs a reversal of fortune," says Dr. Lee M. Miringoff, Director of The Marist College Institute for Public Opinion. "The race for the nomination is very competitive, but he is currently mired in single digits. So far, his standing diminishes more than any of his fellow Republicans as GOP'ers learn more about him."

|                | National Republicans and Republican leaning independents   |
|----------------|--|
|                | 2016 Republican presidential primary/caucus<br>including those who are undecided yet leaning<br>toward a candidate |
|                | Row %  |
| Ben Carson     | 24%  |
| Donald Trump   | 23%  |
| Marco Rubio    | 12%  |
| Ted Cruz       | 8%   |
| Jeb Bush       | 8%   |
| Rand Paul      | 5%   |
| John Kasich    | 4%   |
| Carly Fiorina  | 3%   |
| Mike Huckabee  | 3%   |
| Chris Christie | 2%   |
| George Pataki  | 1%   |
| Bobby Jindal   | 1%   |
| Rick Santorum  | 1%   |
| Jim Gilmore    | <1%  |
| Lindsey Graham | <1%  |
| Undecided      | 4%   |

## Poll points:

- Although Carson and Trump are neck and neck nationally, Carson leads Trump, 28% to 23%, among voters who identify as Republicans, and Trump edges Carson, 24% to 18%, among Republican leaning independents.
- Carson is also ahead of Trump among conservatives, 31% to 19% and those who identify as very conservative, 28% to 19%.
- Trump has a four point edge over Carson, 23% to 19%, among Republicans who describe themselves as moderate.
- Trump leads Carson, 28% to 22%, among Tea Party supporters. A notable 17% back Cruz.
- Carson outpaces Trump, 29% to 17%, among those who earn \$50,000 or more annually. In contrast, Trump, 34%, has the advantage over Carson, 17%, among those who make less than \$50,000 a year.
- Carson, 33%, has the advantage over Trump, 13%, and Rubio, 12%, among Republicans with a college degree. However, Trump leads Carson, 31% to 17%, among those who are not college graduates.

#### Assessing the Republican Field

Republicans and Republican leaning independents think Trump, 31%, Carson, 26%, and Rubio, 19%, have the best chance of defeating the Democratic candidate in the general election next November. However, Trump is also the candidate that nearly four in ten GOP'ers say they definitely don't want to be their party's nominee. Almost one in three definitely does not what Bush to win the Republican nomination.

67% of GOP voters say they like Carson the more they learn about him, the highest of any of the Republican candidates. Bush is on the opposite end of the spectrum with 58% saying they like Bush less after hearing more about him.

When it comes to what Republicans want in a candidate, nearly six in ten Republican and Republican leaning independents prefer a candidate who stands on Republican principles rather than one who can just win the White House.

## Poll points:

- 31% of Republicans and Republican leaning independents think Trump has the best chance at defeating the Democratic candidate. Carson and Rubio follow with 26% and 19%, respectively. 10% think Cruz is the strongest GOP contender while 8% have this view of Bush. One percent believes Fiorina has the best odds at victory.
- 37% of Republicans and Republican leaning independents definitely do not want Trump to be the GOP nominee. Bush follows with 32%. 13% do not want Fiorina to receive the Republican nomination while Cruz and Rubio each have 6% of the Republican electorate who have this view about them. Only 3% do not want Carson to be their party's nominee.

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- Trump is least preferred by 44% of Republican leaning independents, 43% of soft Republicans, and 42% of GOP women.
- 35% of strong Republicans, 40% of Tea Party supporters, and 41% of men definitely do not want to see Bush get the Republican nomination.
- Republicans and Republican leaning independents, 59%, want a candidate who stands on GOP principles. 39% want a candidate who can win.

|               | Regardless of whom you may support, would you say that the<br>more you hear about <candidate> the more you like him/her,<br/>or the more you hear about <candidate> the less you like<br/>him/her?</candidate></candidate> |                                     |                         |  |  |  |  |  |
|---------------|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
|               | More you hear, the<br>more you like  | More you hear, the<br>less you like | e<br>Unsure-Never Heard |  |  |  |  |  |
|               | Row %  | Row %                               | Row %                   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ben Carson    | 67%  | 20%                                 | 13%                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Marco Rubio   | 58%  | 27%                                 | 15%                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ted Cruz      | 51%  | 31%                                 | 19%                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Carly Fiorina | 46%  | 34%                                 | 20%                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Donald Trump  | 44%  | 49%                                 | 7%                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jeb Bush      | 32%  | 58%                                 | 10%                     |  |  |  |  |  |

## Carson Competitive Against Clinton and Sanders... Rubio within Striking Distance

Looking at the potential 2016 general election matchups, Carson is the most competitive Republican candidate against either Clinton or Sanders. Carson has chiseled away at Clinton's once 10 point lead. The two are now in a virtual dead heat with 50% for Clinton and 48% for Carson. Against Sanders, Carson has 47% to 45% for Sanders.

Rubio, 45%, is also competitive against Sanders, 48%. Against Clinton, Rubio trails Clinton by 5 points, 45% to 50%. He previously trailed her by the same margin, 42% to 47%, during the summer.

|               | _             |                         | National Registered Vo                                  | oters     |
|---------------|---------------|-------------------------|---|-----------|
|               | -             | 2016 president          | ial election including those<br>leaning toward a candid |           |
|               | -             | Republican<br>Candidate | Hillary Clinton   | Undecided |
|               | -             | Row %                   | Row %   | Row %     |
| Ben Carson    | November 2015 | 48%                     | 50%   | 2%        |
|               | July 2015     | 39%                     | 49%   | 12%       |
| Marco Rubio   | November 2015 | 45%                     | 50%   | 4%        |
|               | July 2015     | 42%                     | 47%   | 10%       |
| Jeb Bush      | November 2015 | 44%                     | 52%   | 4%        |
|               | July 2015     | 43%                     | 49%   | 8%        |
| Ted Cruz      | November 2015 | 43%                     | 53%   | 4%        |
|               | July 2015     | 40%                     | 49%   | 11%       |
| Carly Fiorina | November 2015 | 43%                     | 53%   | 4%        |
|               | July 2015     | 35%                     | 53%   | 13%       |
| Donald Trump  | November 2015 | 41%                     | 56%   | 3%        |
|               | July 2015     | 38%                     | 54%   | 8%        |

#### National Registered Voters

2016 presidential election including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate

|               | Republican Candidate | Bernie Sanders | Undecided |
|---------------|----------------------|----------------|-----------|
|               | Row %                | Row %          | Row %     |
| Ben Carson    | 47%                  | 45%            | 8%        |
| Marco Rubio   | 45%                  | 48%            | 7%        |
| Donald Trump  | 41%                  | 53%            | 6%        |
| Jeb Bush      | 41%                  | 51%            | 8%        |
| Carly Fiorina | 39%                  | 53%            | 8%        |
| Ted Cruz      | 39%                  | 51%            | 10%       |

#### Nature of the Sample: McClatchy-Marist Poll of 1,465 National Adults

This survey of 1,465 adults was conducted October 29<sup>th</sup> through November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2015 by The Marist Poll sponsored and funded in partnership with the McClatchy News Service. Adults 18 years of age and older residing in the continental United States were interviewed in English or Spanish by telephone using live interviewers. Landline telephone numbers were randomly selected based upon a list of telephone exchanges from throughout the nation from ASDE Survey Sampler, Inc. The exchanges were selected to ensure that each region was represented in proportion to its population. Respondents in the household were then selected by first asking for the youngest male. To increase coverage, this landline sample was supplemented by respondents reached through random dialing of cell phone numbers from Survey Sampling International. The two samples were then combined and balanced to reflect the 2013 American Community Survey 1-year estimates for age, gender, income, race, and region. Results are statistically significant within  $\pm 3.0$  percentage points. There are 431 Republicans and Republican leaning independents. The results for this subset are statistically significant within  $\pm 4.7$  percentage points. There are statistically significant within  $\pm 4.7$  percentage points. The error margin was not adjusted for sample weights and increases for cross-tabulations.

| Nature of the Sample     |                                 |                 |                            |  |  |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|--|--|
|                          |                                 | National Adults | National Registered Voters |  |  |
|                          |                                 | Col %           | Col %                      |  |  |
| National Adults          |                                 | 100%            |                            |  |  |
| National Registered Vote | ers                             | 74%             | 100%                       |  |  |
| Party Identification^    | Democrat                        | n/a             | 33%                        |  |  |
|                          | Republican                      | n/a             | 26%                        |  |  |
|                          | Independent                     | n/a             | 39%                        |  |  |
|                          | Other                           | n/a             | 1%                         |  |  |
| Party Identification^    | Strong Democrats                | n/a             | 24%                        |  |  |
|                          | Not strong Democrats            | n/a             | 10%                        |  |  |
|                          | Democratic leaning independents | n/a             | 15%                        |  |  |
|                          | Just Independents               | n/a             | 10%                        |  |  |
|                          | Republican leaning independents | n/a             | 14%                        |  |  |
|                          | Not strong Republicans          | n/a             | 10%                        |  |  |
|                          | Strong Republicans              | n/a             | 16%                        |  |  |
|                          | Other                           | n/a             | 1%                         |  |  |
| Political Ideology^      | Very liberal                    | n/a             | 8%                         |  |  |
|                          | Liberal                         | n/a             | 18%                        |  |  |
|                          | Moderate                        | n/a             | 40%                        |  |  |
|                          | Conservative                    | n/a             | 25%                        |  |  |
|                          | Very conservative               | n/a             | 9%                         |  |  |
| Tea Party Supporters^    |                                 | n/a             | 22%                        |  |  |
| Republicans              | Support Tea Party               | n/a             | 40%                        |  |  |
|                          | Do Not Support Tea Party        | n/a             | 60%                        |  |  |
| Gender                   | Men                             | 49%             | 49%                        |  |  |
|                          | Women                           | 51%             | 51%                        |  |  |
| Age                      | Under 45                        | 47%             | 39%                        |  |  |
|                          | 45 or older                     | 53%             | 61%                        |  |  |
| Age                      | 18 to 29                        | 22%             | 16%                        |  |  |
|                          | 30 to 44                        | 25%             | 23%                        |  |  |
|                          | 45 to 59                        | 26%             | 29%                        |  |  |
|                          | 60 or older                     | 26%             | 32%                        |  |  |
| Race                     | White                           | 62%             | 67%                        |  |  |
|                          | African American                | 11%             | 11%                        |  |  |
|                          | Latino                          | 14%             | 11%                        |  |  |
|                          | Other                           | 12%             | 11%                        |  |  |
| Region                   | Northeast                       | 18%             | 19%                        |  |  |
|                          | Midwest                         | 22%             | 23%                        |  |  |
|                          | South                           | 37%             | 36%                        |  |  |
|                          | West                            | 23%             | 22%                        |  |  |
| Household Income         | Less than \$50,000              | 47%             | 42%                        |  |  |
|                          | \$50,000 or more                | 53%             | 58%                        |  |  |
| Education                | Not college graduate            | 56%             | 51%                        |  |  |
|                          | College graduate                | 44%             | 49%                        |  |  |
| Marital Status           | Married                         | 50%             | 55%                        |  |  |
|                          | Not married                     | 50%             | 45%                        |  |  |
| Interview Type           | Landline                        | 35%             | 40%                        |  |  |
|                          | Cell phone                      | 65%             | 60%                        |  |  |

Nature of the Sample

McClatchy-Marist Poll National Adults. Interviews conducted October 29th through Novmber 4th, 2015, n=1465 MOE +/- 2.6 percentage points. ^National Registered Voters: n=1080 MOE +/- 3.0 percentage points. Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.

|                          | Nature of the Sample            | Republicans and Republican leaning independents |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
|                          |                                 | Col %   |
| Republicans and Republic | ican leaning independents       | 100%  |
| Party Identification     | Republican                      | 65%   |
|                          | Independent                     | 35%   |
| Party Identification     | Republican leaning independents | 35%   |
|                          | Not strong Republicans          | 24%   |
|                          | Strong Republicans              | 40%   |
| Political Ideology       | Very liberal                    | 1%  |
|                          | Liberal                         | 4%  |
|                          | Moderate                        | 33%   |
|                          | Conservative                    | 45%   |
|                          | Very conservative               | 18%   |
| Tea Party Supporters     |                                 | 40%   |
| Republicans              | Support Tea Party               | 40%   |
|                          | Do Not Support Tea Party        | 60%   |
| Gender                   | Men                             | 51%   |
|                          | Women                           | 49%   |
| Age                      | Under 45                        | 38%   |
| -                        | 45 or older                     | 62%   |
| Age                      | 18 to 29                        | 14%   |
|                          | 30 to 44                        | 23%   |
|                          | 45 to 59                        | 30%   |
|                          | 60 or older                     | 33%   |
| Race                     | White                           | 80%   |
|                          | African American                | 1%  |
|                          | Latino                          | 10%   |
|                          | Other                           | 8%  |
| Region                   | Northeast                       | 14%   |
|                          | Midwest                         | 24%   |
|                          | South                           | 39%   |
|                          | West                            | 22%   |
| Household Income         | Less than \$50,000              | 38%   |
|                          | \$50,000 or more                | 62%   |
| Education                | Not college graduate            | 52%   |
|                          | College graduate                | 48%   |
| Marital Status           | Married                         | 63%   |
|                          | Not married                     | 37%   |
| Interview Type           | Landline                        | 42%   |
| ~ 1                      | Cell phone                      | 58%   |

Nature of the Sample

McClatchy-Marist Poll National Republicans and Republican leaning independents. Interviews conducted October 29th through Novmber 4th, 2015, n=431 MOE +/- 4.7 percentage points.

#### McClatchy-Marist Poll National Tables

|                      |                                 |            |  |                |          |          | ]         | Republicans    | and Repub        | lican leaning    | independent       | 5                |                 |                  |                |                   |           |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|------------|--|----------------|----------|----------|-----------|----------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------|
|                      |                                 |            | 2016 Republican presidential primary/caucus including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate |                |          |          |           |                |                  |                  |                   |                  |                 |                  |                |                   |           |
|                      |                                 | Ben Carson | Donald<br>Trump  | Marco<br>Rubio | Ted Cruz | Jeb Bush | Rand Paul | John<br>Kasich | Carly<br>Fiorina | Mike<br>Huckabee | Chris<br>Christie | George<br>Pataki | Bobby<br>Jindal | Rick<br>Santorum | Jim<br>Gilmore | Lindsey<br>Graham | Undecided |
|                      |                                 | Row %      | Row %  | Row %          | Row %    | Row %    | Row %     | Row %          | Row %            | Row %            | Row %             | Row %            | Row %           | Row %            | Row %          | Row %             | Row %     |
| Republicans and R    | Republican leaning independents | 24%        | 23%  | 12%            | 8%       | 8%       | 5%        | 4%             | 3%               | 3%               | 2%                | 1%               | 1%              | 1%               | <1%            | <1%               | 4%        |
| Party Identification | n Republican                    | 28%        | 23%  | 12%            | 9%       | 8%       | 4%        | 3%             | 3%               | 3%               | 2%                | 0%               | 1%              | 0%               | 0%             | 0%                | 6%        |
|                      | Independent                     | 18%        | 24%  | 13%            | 8%       | 8%       | 7%        | 4%             | 3%               | 3%               | 3%                | 3%               | 1%              | 1%               | 1%             | 0%                | 2%        |
| Party                | Strong Republicans              | 24%        | 25%  | 11%            | 11%      | 8%       | 5%        | 2%             | 4%               | 3%               | 2%                | 0%               | 1%              | 1%               | 0%             | 0%                | 4%        |
| Identification*      | Soft Republicans                | 24%        | 22%  | 13%            | 7%       | 8%       | 5%        | 5%             | 3%               | 3%               | 3%                | 2%               | 0%              | 1%               | 1%             | 0%                | 5%        |
| Tea Party Supporte   | ers                             | 22%        | 28%  | 9%             | 17%      | 6%       | 6%        | 2%             | 2%               | 2%               | 0%                | 0%               | 1%              | 1%               | 1%             | 0%                | 2%        |
| Republicans          | Support Tea Party               | 22%        | 28%  | 9%             | 17%      | 6%       | 6%        | 2%             | 2%               | 2%               | 0%                | 0%               | 1%              | 1%               | 1%             | 0%                | 2%        |
|                      | Do Not Support Tea Party        | 26%        | 19%  | 14%            | 3%       | 9%       | 5%        | 4%             | 4%               | 3%               | 4%                | 2%               | 0%              | 1%               | 0%             | 0%                | 6%        |
| Political Ideology   | Moderate                        | 19%        | 23%  | 14%            | 5%       | 8%       | 5%        | 6%             | 4%               | 4%               | 5%                | 2%               | 1%              | 0%               | 1%             | 0%                | 3%        |
|                      | Conservative                    | 31%        | 19%  | 12%            | 8%       | 8%       | 6%        | 3%             | 4%               | 2%               | 0%                | 1%               | 0%              | 1%               | 0%             | 0%                | 5%        |
|                      | Very conservative               | 28%        | 19%  | 8%             | 21%      | 5%       | 3%        | 2%             | 2%               | 4%               | 2%                | 0%               | 2%              | 0%               | 0%             | 0%                | 4%        |
| Household Income     | e Less than \$50,000            | 17%        | 34%  | 9%             | 6%       | 10%      | 8%        | 1%             | 3%               | 4%               | 1%                | 1%               | 1%              | 0%               | 0%             | 0%                | 5%        |
|                      | \$50,000 or more                | 29%        | 17%  | 14%            | 11%      | 6%       | 3%        | 5%             | 3%               | 2%               | 3%                | 1%               | 1%              | 1%               | 1%             | 0%                | 2%        |
| Education            | Not college graduate            | 17%        | 31%  | 12%            | 8%       | 11%      | 3%        | 3%             | 2%               | 4%               | 0%                | 0%               | 1%              | 1%               | 0%             | 0%                | 6%        |
|                      | College graduate                | 33%        | 13%  | 12%            | 9%       | 5%       | 7%        | 5%             | 4%               | 2%               | 4%                | 2%               | 1%              | 1%               | 1%             | 0%                | 2%        |
| Age                  | Under 45                        | 26%        | 22%  | 9%             | 7%       | 8%       | 11%       | 4%             | 3%               | 2%               | 2%                | 2%               | 1%              | 2%               | 1%             | 0%                | 1%        |
|                      | 45 or older                     | 24%        | 24%  | 14%            | 9%       | 8%       | 2%        | 3%             | 3%               | 4%               | 2%                | 0%               | 1%              | 0%               | 0%             | 0%                | 6%        |
| Gender               | Men                             | 26%        | 25%  | 12%            | 10%      | 7%       | 5%        | 4%             | 1%               | 2%               | 3%                | 1%               | 1%              | 1%               | 1%             | 0%                | 1%        |
|                      | Women                           | 23%        | 21%  | 12%            | 7%       | 10%      | 5%        | 3%             | 5%               | 4%               | 2%                | 1%               | 0%              | 0%               | 0%             | 0%                | 8%        |
| Marital Status       | Married                         | 28%        | 18%  | 15%            | 9%       | 7%       | 4%        | 3%             | 3%               | 4%               | 3%                | 0%               | 1%              | 0%               | 0%             | 0%                | 5%        |
|                      | Not married                     | 19%        | 30%  | 8%             | 7%       | 10%      | 7%        | 4%             | 3%               | 1%               | 1%                | 3%               | 0%              | 1%               | 1%             | 0%                | 3%        |
| Interview Type       | Landline                        | 21%        | 25%  | 14%            | 7%       | 7%       | 5%        | 3%             | 4%               | 3%               | 1%                | 1%               | 0%              | 1%               | 0%             | 0%                | 8%        |
|                      | Cell phone                      | 27%        | 22%  | 11%            | 9%       | 9%       | 5%        | 4%             | 3%               | 3%               | 3%                | 1%               | 1%              | 0%               | 1%             | 0%                | 2%        |

McClatchy-Marist Poll National Republicans and Republican leaning independents. Interviews conducted October 29th through November 4th, 2015, n=431 MOE +/- 4.7 percentage points. Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding. \*Soft Republicans include registered voters who identify as "not strong Republicans" or Republican leaning independents.

|           | Republicans an   | Republicans and Republican leaning independents                                       |                                  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------|--|---|----------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
|           | say that the mo<br>more you like   | whom you may sup<br>re you hear about M<br>him, or the more y<br>Rubio the less you l | Aarco Rubio the<br>ou hear about |  |  |  |  |
|           | More you hear,<br>the more you More you hear, Unsure-<br>like the less you like Hear |   |                                  |  |  |  |  |
|           | Row %  | Row %   | Row %                            |  |  |  |  |
| ependents | 58%  | 27%   | 15%                              |  |  |  |  |
|           | 60%  | 27%   | 14%                              |  |  |  |  |
|           | 54%  | 29%   | 17%                              |  |  |  |  |

| Republicans and Repu  | blican leaning independents | 58% | 27% | 15% |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Party Identification  | Republican                  | 60% | 27% | 14% |
|                       | Independent                 | 54% | 29% | 17% |
| Party Identification* | Strong Republicans          | 64% | 25% | 11% |
|                       | Soft Republicans            | 53% | 29% | 18% |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                             | 61% | 26% | 13% |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party           | 61% | 26% | 13% |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party    | 56% | 28% | 16% |
| Political Ideology    | Moderate                    | 59% | 26% | 15% |
|                       | Conservative                | 60% | 25% | 16% |
|                       | Very conservative           | 59% | 28% | 13% |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000          | 52% | 33% | 15% |
|                       | \$50,000 or more            | 62% | 25% | 13% |
| Education             | Not college graduate        | 51% | 32% | 17% |
|                       | College graduate            | 64% | 23% | 13% |
| Age                   | Under 45                    | 51% | 32% | 17% |
|                       | 45 or older                 | 62% | 25% | 13% |
| Gender                | Men                         | 57% | 32% | 11% |
|                       | Women                       | 58% | 22% | 19% |
| Marital Status        | Married                     | 62% | 22% | 16% |
|                       | Not married                 | 50% | 37% | 13% |
| Interview Type        | Landline                    | 58% | 22% | 20% |
|                       | Cell phone                  | 57% | 31% | 11% |

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| Republicans and Republican leaning independents    |
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| Regardless of whom you may support, would you      |
| say that the more you hear about Jeb Bush the more |
| you like him, or the more you hear about Jeb Bush  |
| the less you like him?                             |

|                       |                             | More you hear,<br>the more you<br>like | More you hear,<br>the less you like | Unsure-Never<br>Heard |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
|                       |                             | Row %                                  | Row %                               | Row %                 |
| Republicans and Repu  | blican leaning independents | 32%                                    | 58%                                 | 10%                   |
| Party Identification  | Republican                  | 34%                                    | 55%                                 | 11%                   |
|                       | Independent                 | 27%                                    | 63%                                 | 10%                   |
| Party Identification* | Strong Republicans          | 33%                                    | 58%                                 | 10%                   |
|                       | Soft Republicans            | 31%                                    | 58%                                 | 11%                   |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                             | 27%                                    | 63%                                 | 9%                    |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party           | 27%                                    | 63%                                 | 9%                    |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party    | 35%                                    | 54%                                 | 11%                   |
| Political Ideology    | Moderate                    | 38%                                    | 58%                                 | 4%                    |
|                       | Conservative                | 31%                                    | 56%                                 | 13%                   |
|                       | Very conservative           | 25%                                    | 60%                                 | 15%                   |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000          | 35%                                    | 56%                                 | 9%                    |
|                       | \$50,000 or more            | 31%                                    | 59%                                 | 10%                   |
| Education             | Not college graduate        | 35%                                    | 53%                                 | 12%                   |
|                       | College graduate            | 30%                                    | 61%                                 | 9%                    |
| Age                   | Under 45                    | 36%                                    | 57%                                 | 6%                    |
|                       | 45 or older                 | 29%                                    | 59%                                 | 12%                   |
| Gender                | Men                         | 28%                                    | 65%                                 | 8%                    |
|                       | Women                       | 36%                                    | 51%                                 | 13%                   |
| Marital Status        | Married                     | 31%                                    | 58%                                 | 11%                   |
|                       | Not married                 | 35%                                    | 56%                                 | 9%                    |
| Interview Type        | Landline                    | 32%                                    | 56%                                 | 13%                   |
| MaClataky Mariat Da   | Cell phone                  | 32%                                    | 59%                                 | 9%                    |

McClatchy-Marist Poll National Republicans and Republican leaning independents. Interviews conducted

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Republicans and Republican leaning independents Regardless of whom you may support, would you say that the more you hear about Ted Cruz the more you like him, or the more you hear about Ted Cruz the less you like him?

|                       |                             | More you hear,<br>the more you<br>like | More you hear,<br>the less you like | Unsure-Never<br>Heard |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
|                       |                             | Row %                                  | Row %                               | Row %                 |
| Republicans and Repu  | blican leaning independents | 51%                                    | 31%                                 | 19%                   |
| Party Identification  | Republican                  | 52%                                    | 28%                                 | 19%                   |
|                       | Independent                 | 47%                                    | 35%                                 | 17%                   |
| Party Identification* | Strong Republicans          | 57%                                    | 26%                                 | 17%                   |
|                       | Soft Republicans            | 46%                                    | 34%                                 | 20%                   |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                             | 66%                                    | 20%                                 | 14%                   |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party           | 66%                                    | 20%                                 | 14%                   |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party    | 41%                                    | 38%                                 | 22%                   |
| Political Ideology    | Moderate                    | 42%                                    | 40%                                 | 18%                   |
|                       | Conservative                | 56%                                    | 24%                                 | 20%                   |
|                       | Very conservative           | 64%                                    | 22%                                 | 14%                   |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000          | 53%                                    | 26%                                 | 21%                   |
|                       | \$50,000 or more            | 51%                                    | 34%                                 | 15%                   |
| Education             | Not college graduate        | 52%                                    | 27%                                 | 21%                   |
|                       | College graduate            | 51%                                    | 33%                                 | 16%                   |
| Age                   | Under 45                    | 42%                                    | 41%                                 | 17%                   |
|                       | 45 or older                 | 56%                                    | 25%                                 | 19%                   |
| Gender                | Men                         | 52%                                    | 33%                                 | 15%                   |
|                       | Women                       | 49%                                    | 28%                                 | 23%                   |
| Marital Status        | Married                     | 52%                                    | 30%                                 | 18%                   |
|                       | Not married                 | 51%                                    | 29%                                 | 20%                   |
| Interview Type        | Landline                    | 48%                                    | 26%                                 | 26%                   |
|                       | Cell phone                  | 53%                                    | 34%                                 | 13%                   |

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Republicans and Republican leaning independents Regardless of whom you may support, would you say that the more you hear about Ben Carson the more you like him, or the more you hear about Ben Carson the less you like him?

|                       |                             | More you hear,<br>the more you<br>like | More you hear,<br>the less you like | Unsure-Never<br>Heard |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
|                       |                             | Row %                                  | Row %                               | Row %                 |
| Republicans and Repu  | blican leaning independents | 67%                                    | 20%                                 | 13%                   |
| Party Identification  | Republican                  | 71%                                    | 16%                                 | 13%                   |
|                       | Independent                 | 60%                                    | 27%                                 | 13%                   |
| Party Identification* | Strong Republicans          | 72%                                    | 16%                                 | 12%                   |
|                       | Soft Republicans            | 64%                                    | 22%                                 | 14%                   |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                             | 75%                                    | 14%                                 | 10%                   |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party           | 75%                                    | 14%                                 | 10%                   |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party    | 61%                                    | 23%                                 | 15%                   |
| Political Ideology    | Moderate                    | 65%                                    | 23%                                 | 12%                   |
|                       | Conservative                | 70%                                    | 15%                                 | 14%                   |
|                       | Very conservative           | 79%                                    | 13%                                 | 7%                    |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000          | 57%                                    | 25%                                 | 18%                   |
|                       | \$50,000 or more            | 74%                                    | 18%                                 | 8%                    |
| Education             | Not college graduate        | 64%                                    | 19%                                 | 18%                   |
|                       | College graduate            | 74%                                    | 19%                                 | 7%                    |
| Age                   | Under 45                    | 65%                                    | 25%                                 | 10%                   |
|                       | 45 or older                 | 69%                                    | 16%                                 | 15%                   |
| Gender                | Men                         | 71%                                    | 20%                                 | 9%                    |
|                       | Women                       | 63%                                    | 20%                                 | 18%                   |
| Marital Status        | Married                     | 73%                                    | 15%                                 | 12%                   |
|                       | Not married                 | 62%                                    | 24%                                 | 13%                   |
| Interview Type        | Landline                    | 65%                                    | 16%                                 | 19%                   |
|                       | Cell phone                  | 69%                                    | 23%                                 | 9%                    |

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due to rounding.

|                       |                             | Republicans an   | d Republican leani                  | ng independents       |  |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
|                       |                             | Regardless of whom you may support, would you<br>say that the more you hear about Donald Trump the<br>more you like him, or the more you hear about<br>Donald Trump the less you like him? |                                     |                       |  |
|                       |                             | More you hear,<br>the more you<br>like   | More you hear,<br>the less you like | Unsure-Never<br>Heard |  |
|                       |                             | Row %  | Row %                               | Row %                 |  |
| Republicans and Repu  | blican leaning independents | 44%  | 49%                                 | 7%                    |  |
| Party Identification  | Republican                  | 45%  | 48%                                 | 8%                    |  |
|                       | Independent                 | 43%  | 52%                                 | 5%                    |  |
| Party Identification* | Strong Republicans          | 50%  | 43%                                 | 7%                    |  |
|                       | Soft Republicans            | 40%  | 54%                                 | 6%                    |  |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                             | 53%  | 40%                                 | 7%                    |  |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party           | 53%  | 40%                                 | 7%                    |  |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party    | 38%  | 56%                                 | 6%                    |  |
| Political Ideology    | Moderate                    | 36%  | 59%                                 | 5%                    |  |
|                       | Conservative                | 42%  | 50%                                 | 8%                    |  |
|                       | Very conservative           | 55%  | 39%                                 | 6%                    |  |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000          | 48%  | 46%                                 | 6%                    |  |
|                       | \$50,000 or more            | 42%  | 53%                                 | 5%                    |  |
| Education             | Not college graduate        | 49%  | 43%                                 | 8%                    |  |
|                       | College graduate            | 39%  | 56%                                 | 5%                    |  |
| Age                   | Under 45                    | 43%  | 52%                                 | 4%                    |  |
|                       | 45 or older                 | 45%  | 48%                                 | 8%                    |  |
| Gender                | Men                         | 51%  | 44%                                 | 5%                    |  |
|                       | Women                       | 36%  | 55%                                 | 8%                    |  |
| Marital Status        | Married                     | 39%  | 54%                                 | 7%                    |  |
|                       | Not married                 | 53%  | 41%                                 | 6%                    |  |
| Interview Type        | Landline                    | 41%  | 47%                                 | 11%                   |  |
|                       | Cell phone                  | 46%  | 51%                                 | 3%                    |  |

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|                       |                             | Republicans and Republican leaning independents<br>Regardless of whom you may support, would you<br>say that the more you hear about Carly Fiorina the<br>more you like her, or the more you hear about Carly<br>Fiorina the less you like her? |                                     |                       |  |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
|                       |                             | More you hear,<br>the more you<br>like  | More you hear,<br>the less you like | Unsure-Never<br>Heard |  |
|                       |                             | Row %   | Row %                               | Row %                 |  |
| Republicans and Repu  | blican leaning independents | 46%   | 34%                                 | 20%                   |  |
| Party Identification  | Republican                  | 44%   | 36%                                 | 20%                   |  |
|                       | Independent                 | 49%   | 31%                                 | 21%                   |  |
| Party Identification* | Strong Republicans          | 45%   | 35%                                 | 20%                   |  |
|                       | Soft Republicans            | 47%   | 33%                                 | 20%                   |  |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                             | 45%   | 37%                                 | 18%                   |  |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party           | 45%   | 37%                                 | 18%                   |  |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party    | 46%   | 32%                                 | 22%                   |  |
| Political Ideology    | Moderate                    | 44%   | 36%                                 | 20%                   |  |
|                       | Conservative                | 50%   | 29%                                 | 21%                   |  |
|                       | Very conservative           | 50%   | 33%                                 | 17%                   |  |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000          | 41%   | 34%                                 | 25%                   |  |
|                       | \$50,000 or more            | 51%   | 34%                                 | 15%                   |  |
| Education             | Not college graduate        | 41%   | 33%                                 | 26%                   |  |
|                       | College graduate            | 53%   | 33%                                 | 14%                   |  |
| Age                   | Under 45                    | 42%   | 39%                                 | 19%                   |  |
|                       | 45 or older                 | 49%   | 31%                                 | 20%                   |  |
| Gender                | Men                         | 44%   | 38%                                 | 18%                   |  |
|                       | Women                       | 48%   | 29%                                 | 23%                   |  |
| Marital Status        | Married                     | 50%   | 30%                                 | 20%                   |  |
|                       | Not married                 | 42%   | 37%                                 | 20%                   |  |
| Interview Type        | Landline                    | 47%   | 31%                                 | 22%                   |  |
|                       | Cell phone                  | 45%   | 36%                                 | 19%                   |  |

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|   |                          | Republicans and  | d Republican leanin  | g independents |
|---|--------------------------|--|--|----------------|
|   |                          | Which co   | omes closer to your  | opinion:       |
|   |                          | It's more<br>important to<br>have a<br>Republican<br>nominee for<br>president who<br>will stand on<br>conservative<br>principles | It's more<br>important to<br>have a<br>Republican<br>nominee for<br>president who<br>can win | Unsure         |
|   |                          | Row %  | Row %  | Row %          |
| Republicans and Republican leaning independents |                          | 59%  | 39%  | 2%             |
| Party Identification                            | Republican               | 58%  | 40%  | 2%             |
|   | Independent              | 61%  | 37%  | 2%             |
| Party Identification*                           | Strong Republicans       | 57%  | 43%  | 1%             |
|   | Soft Republicans         | 61%  | 37%  | 2%             |
| Tea Party Supporters                            |                          | 62%  | 38%  | 1%             |
| Republicans                                     | Support Tea Party        | 62%  | 38%  | 1%             |
|   | Do Not Support Tea Party | 58%  | 40%  | 2%             |
| Political Ideology                              | Moderate                 | 62%  | 38%  | 0%             |
|   | Conservative             | 58%  | 40%  | 2%             |
|   | Very conservative        | 60%  | 40%  | 0%             |
| Household Income                                | Less than \$50,000       | 66%  | 31%  | 3%             |
|   | \$50,000 or more         | 57%  | 43%  | 1%             |
| Education                                       | Not college graduate     | 62%  | 36%  | 2%             |
|   | College graduate         | 55%  | 44%  | 1%             |
| Age   | Under 45                 | 65%  | 33%  | 2%             |
|   | 45 or older              | 56%  | 43%  | 1%             |
| Gender  | Men                      | 58%  | 41%  | 1%             |
|   | Women                    | 61%  | 38%  | 2%             |
| Marital Status                                  | Married                  | 54%  | 44%  | 2%             |
|   | Not married              | 67%  | 33%  | 0%             |
| Interview Type                                  | Landline                 | 56%  | 42%  | 2%             |
|   | Cell phone               | 62%  | 37%  | 1%             |

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#### National Republicans and Republican leaning independents

Which comes closer to your opinion:

|               | It's more important<br>to have a Republican<br>nominee for<br>president who will<br>stand on<br>conservative<br>principles | to have a<br>Republican<br>nominee for<br>president who can<br>win | Unsure |
|---------------|--|--|--------|
| November 2015 | Row %  | Row %  | Row %  |
| July 2015     | 62%  | 35%  | 3%     |
| March 2015    | 58%  | 39%  | 3%     |
| December 2014 | 64%  | 33%  | 3%     |
| December 2013 | 67%  | 31%  | 2%     |
| July 2013     | 64%  | 31%  | 5%     |

|                       |                              | Republicans and Republican leaning independents<br>Regardless of whom you support, which of the top contenders for the Republican nomination for president do you think<br>has the best chance of beating the Democratic nominee next November: |            |             |          |          |               |        |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|---|------------|-------------|----------|----------|---------------|--------|
|                       |                              |   |            |             |          |          |               |        |
|                       |                              | Donald Trump  | Ben Carson | Marco Rubio | Ted Cruz | Jeb Bush | Carly Fiorina | Unsure |
|                       |                              | Row %   | Row %      | Row %       | Row %    | Row %    | Row %         | Row %  |
| Republicans and Repu  | ublican leaning independents | 31%   | 26%        | 19%         | 10%      | 8%       | 1%            | 5%     |
| Party Identification  | Republican                   | 30%   | 27%        | 18%         | 11%      | 8%       | 1%            | 4%     |
|                       | Independent                  | 32%   | 25%        | 19%         | 9%       | 9%       | 1%            | 5%     |
| Party Identification* | Strong Republicans           | 34%   | 29%        | 19%         | 9%       | 5%       | 1%            | 3%     |
|                       | Soft Republicans             | 29%   | 24%        | 19%         | 11%      | 10%      | 2%            | 5%     |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                              | 36%   | 26%        | 17%         | 14%      | 4%       | 0%            | 3%     |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party            | 36%   | 26%        | 17%         | 14%      | 4%       | 0%            | 3%     |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party     | 28%   | 26%        | 20%         | 8%       | 11%      | 2%            | 5%     |
| Political Ideology    | Moderate                     | 35%   | 23%        | 19%         | 9%       | 9%       | 3%            | 2%     |
|                       | Conservative                 | 26%   | 29%        | 22%         | 10%      | 8%       | 1%            | 5%     |
|                       | Very conservative            | 30%   | 32%        | 15%         | 15%      | 2%       | 0%            | 5%     |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000           | 34%   | 25%        | 16%         | 9%       | 12%      | 0%            | 5%     |
|                       | \$50,000 or more             | 30%   | 28%        | 21%         | 11%      | 6%       | 2%            | 3%     |
| Education             | Not college graduate         | 38%   | 24%        | 13%         | 8%       | 11%      | 1%            | 5%     |
|                       | College graduate             | 23%   | 30%        | 24%         | 12%      | 6%       | 2%            | 3%     |
| Age                   | Under 45                     | 33%   | 31%        | 15%         | 10%      | 8%       | 2%            | 2%     |
|                       | 45 or older                  | 30%   | 23%        | 21%         | 10%      | 8%       | 1%            | 6%     |
| Gender                | Men                          | 31%   | 27%        | 19%         | 9%       | 9%       | 1%            | 3%     |
|                       | Women                        | 31%   | 24%        | 18%         | 11%      | 7%       | 1%            | 6%     |
| Marital Status        | Married                      | 28%   | 26%        | 21%         | 11%      | 8%       | 2%            | 4%     |
|                       | Not married                  | 36%   | 26%        | 15%         | 8%       | 10%      | 0%            | 5%     |
| Interview Type        | Landline                     | 34%   | 21%        | 21%         | 9%       | 7%       | 0%            | 8%     |
|                       | Cell phone                   | 29%   | 30%        | 17%         | 11%      | 9%       | 2%            | 2%     |

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|                       |                             | Which of the | top contenders | Republicans and I<br>for the Republican<br>Repu | 1 0   | esident do you d | lefinitely not want | to get the      |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------|---|-------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
|                       |                             | Donald Trump | X              |   |       |                  |                     |                 |
|                       |                             | Row %        | Row %          | Row %   | Row % | Row %            | Row %               | Unsure<br>Row % |
| Republicans and Repu  | blican leaning independents | 37%          | 32%            | 13%   | 6%    | 6%               | 3%                  | 4%              |
| Party Identification  | Republican                  | 34%          | 32%            | 15%   | 5%    | 7%               | 2%                  | 5%              |
| -                     | Independent                 | 44%          | 31%            | 8%  | 8%    | 4%               | 3%                  | 2%              |
| Party Identification* | Strong Republicans          | 29%          | 35%            | 18%   | 5%    | 5%               | 2%                  | 6%              |
| -                     | Soft Republicans            | 43%          | 30%            | 9%  | 7%    | 6%               | 3%                  | 2%              |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                             | 25%          | 40%            | 16%   | 7%    | 4%               | 3%                  | 4%              |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party           | 25%          | 40%            | 16%   | 7%    | 4%               | 3%                  | 4%              |
| -                     | Do Not Support Tea Party    | 46%          | 26%            | 11%   | 5%    | 7%               | 2%                  | 4%              |
| Political Ideology    | Moderate                    | 43%          | 20%            | 16%   | 7%    | 6%               | 4%                  | 3%              |
| r ontiour recordsy    | Conservative                | 42%          | 35%            | 10%   | 5%    | 4%               | 2%                  | 2%              |
|                       | Very conservative           | 22%          | 41%            | 19%   | 7%    | 7%               | 0%                  | 5%              |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000          | 36%          | 32%            | 12%   | 6%    | 7%               | 1%                  | 6%              |
|                       | \$50,000 or more            | 38%          | 33%            | 14%   | 7%    | 4%               | 4%                  | 1%              |
| Education             | Not college graduate        | 31%          | 34%            | 16%   | 7%    | 6%               | 2%                  | 4%              |
|                       | College graduate            | 44%          | 30%            | 11%   | 5%    | 5%               | 3%                  | 2%              |
| Age                   | Under 45                    | 41%          | 33%            | 7%  | 9%    | 7%               | 3%                  | 0%              |
|                       | 45 or older                 | 35%          | 31%            | 17%   | 5%    | 5%               | 2%                  | 6%              |
| Gender                | Men                         | 33%          | 41%            | 11%   | 6%    | 6%               | 2%                  | 2%              |
|                       | Women                       | 42%          | 22%            | 15%   | 6%    | 6%               | 4%                  | 5%              |
| Marital Status        | Married                     | 40%          | 31%            | 15%   | 6%    | 5%               | 2%                  | 2%              |
|                       | Not married                 | 35%          | 34%            | 10%   | 7%    | 7%               | 3%                  | 4%              |
| Interview Type        | Landline                    | 39%          | 27%            | 14%   | 6%    | 5%               | 1%                  | 8%              |
|                       | Cell phone                  | 36%          | 35%            | 12%   | 6%    | 6%               | 4%                  | 0%              |

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|                       |                                | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today,<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |                                |           |  |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|-----------|--|
|                       |                                |   |                                |           |  |
|                       |                                | Hillary Clinton,<br>the Democrat  | Marco Rubio,<br>the Republican | Undecided |  |
|                       |                                | Row %   | Row %                          | Row %     |  |
| National Registered V | Voters                         | 50%   | 45%                            | 4%        |  |
| Party Identification  | Democrat                       | 89%   | 9%                             | 2%        |  |
|                       | Republican                     | 8%  | 90%                            | 2%        |  |
|                       | Independent                    | 47%   | 46%                            | 7%        |  |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                                | 17%   | 83%                            | 0%        |  |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party              | 6%  | 94%                            | 0%        |  |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 10%   | 87%                            | 3%        |  |
| Political Ideology    | Very liberal-Liberal           | 83%   | 12%                            | 5%        |  |
|                       | Moderate                       | 52%   | 41%                            | 7%        |  |
|                       | Conservative-Very conservative | 20%   | 79%                            | 1%        |  |
| Region                | Northeast                      | 60%   | 31%                            | 9%        |  |
|                       | Midwest                        | 46%   | 51%                            | 3%        |  |
|                       | South                          | 48%   | 49%                            | 3%        |  |
|                       | West                           | 49%   | 47%                            | 4%        |  |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000             | 53%   | 44%                            | 3%        |  |
|                       | \$50,000 or more               | 49%   | 47%                            | 4%        |  |
| Education             | Not college graduate           | 53%   | 44%                            | 3%        |  |
|                       | College graduate               | 48%   | 47%                            | 5%        |  |
| Race                  | White                          | 42%   | 54%                            | 4%        |  |
|                       | Non-white                      | 68%   | 30%                            | 2%        |  |
| Age                   | 18 to 29                       | 54%   | 44%                            | 1%        |  |
|                       | 30 to 44                       | 56%   | 39%                            | 6%        |  |
|                       | 45 to 59                       | 50%   | 48%                            | 3%        |  |
|                       | 60 or older                    | 45%   | 50%                            | 5%        |  |
| Age                   | Under 45                       | 55%   | 41%                            | 4%        |  |
|                       | 45 or older                    | 47%   | 49%                            | 4%        |  |
| Gender                | Men                            | 47%   | 50%                            | 3%        |  |
|                       | Women                          | 53%   | 41%                            | 6%        |  |
| Marital Status        | Married                        | 44%   | 51%                            | 5%        |  |
|                       | Not married                    | 58%   | 39%                            | 3%        |  |
| Interview Type        | Landline                       | 50%   | 44%                            | 6%        |  |
|                       | Cell phone                     | 50%   | 46%                            | 4%        |  |

|               | National Registered Voters   |       |       |  |  |  |
|---------------|--|-------|-------|--|--|--|
|               | If the 2016 presidential election were held<br>today, whom would you support if the<br>candidates are:<br>Hillary<br>Clinton, the<br>Democrat Marco Rubio,<br>the Republican Undecided |       |       |  |  |  |
|               |  |       |       |  |  |  |
|               | Row %  | Row % | Row % |  |  |  |
| November 2015 | 50%  | 45%   | 4%    |  |  |  |
| July 2015     | 47%  | 42%   | 10%   |  |  |  |
| April 2014    | 54%  | 38%   | 8%    |  |  |  |
| February 2014 | 58%  | 37%   | 4%    |  |  |  |
| December 2013 | 52%  | 42%   | 5%    |  |  |  |
| July 2013     | 50%  | 38%   | 12%   |  |  |  |

|                      |                                | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today,<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |                          |           |  |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|---|--------------------------|-----------|--|
|                      |                                |   |                          |           |  |
|                      |                                | Hillary Clinton,<br>the Democrat  | Jeb Bush, the Republican | Undecided |  |
|                      |                                | Row %   | Row %                    | Row %     |  |
| National Registered  | Voters                         | 52%   | 44%                      | 4%        |  |
| Party Identification | Democrat                       | 92%   | 6%                       | 2%        |  |
|                      | Republican                     | 6%  | 91%                      | 3%        |  |
|                      | Independent                    | 51%   | 45%                      | 5%        |  |
| Tea Party Supporters |                                | 16%   | 81%                      | 4%        |  |
| Republicans          | Support Tea Party              | 2%  | 95%                      | 3%        |  |
|                      | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 11%   | 87%                      | 2%        |  |
| Political Ideology   | Very liberal-Liberal           | 88%   | 10%                      | 2%        |  |
|                      | Moderate                       | 55%   | 41%                      | 4%        |  |
|                      | Conservative-Very conservative | 18%   | 78%                      | 3%        |  |
| Region               | Northeast                      | 58%   | 37%                      | 5%        |  |
| -                    | Midwest                        | 52%   | 46%                      | 2%        |  |
|                      | South                          | 46%   | 48%                      | 5%        |  |
|                      | West                           | 57%   | 41%                      | 2%        |  |
| Household Income     | Less than \$50,000             | 53%   | 42%                      | 5%        |  |
|                      | \$50,000 or more               | 52%   | 46%                      | 2%        |  |
| Education            | Not college graduate           | 53%   | 44%                      | 4%        |  |
|                      | College graduate               | 52%   | 45%                      | 3%        |  |
| Race                 | White                          | 44%   | 52%                      | 4%        |  |
|                      | Non-white                      | 66%   | 30%                      | 4%        |  |
| Age                  | 18 to 29                       | 61%   | 38%                      | 1%        |  |
|                      | 30 to 44                       | 55%   | 41%                      | 4%        |  |
|                      | 45 to 59                       | 46%   | 49%                      | 4%        |  |
|                      | 60 or older                    | 49%   | 46%                      | 5%        |  |
| Age                  | Under 45                       | 58%   | 40%                      | 3%        |  |
|                      | 45 or older                    | 48%   | 48%                      | 5%        |  |
| Gender               | Men                            | 50%   | 47%                      | 3%        |  |
|                      | Women                          | 55%   | 40%                      | 5%        |  |
| Marital Status       | Married                        | 46%   | 52%                      | 3%        |  |
|                      | Not married                    | 60%   | 36%                      | 4%        |  |
| Interview Type       | Landline                       | 51%   | 45%                      | 4%        |  |
| • •                  | Cell phone                     | 53%   | 43%                      | 4%        |  |

|               | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held<br>today, whom would you support if the<br>candidates are: |       |       |  |  |
|---------------|--|-------|-------|--|--|
|               |  |       |       |  |  |
|               | Hillary<br>Clinton, the<br>Democrat  |       |       |  |  |
|               | Row %  | Row % | Row % |  |  |
| November 2015 | 52%  | 44%   | 4%    |  |  |
| July 2015     | 49%  | 43%   | 8%    |  |  |
| March 2015    | 49%  | 42%   | 9%    |  |  |
| December 2014 | 53%  | 40%   | 7%    |  |  |
| October 2014  | 53%  | 42%   | 4%    |  |  |
| August 2014   | 48%  | 41%   | 10%   |  |  |
| April 2014    | 55%  | 39%   | 6%    |  |  |
| February 2014 | 58%  | 38%   | 4%    |  |  |
| December 2013 | 53%  | 41%   | 6%    |  |  |
| July 2013     | 48%  | 40%   | 12%   |  |  |

|                       |                                | If the 2016 pres                 | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today,<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |           |  |  |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-----------|--|--|
|                       |                                | Hillary Clinton,<br>the Democrat | Ted Cruz, the<br>Republican   | Undecided |  |  |
|                       |                                | Row %                            | Row %   | Row %     |  |  |
| National Registered V | Voters                         | 53%                              | 43%   | 4%        |  |  |
| Party Identification  | Democrat                       | 92%                              | 6%  | 1%        |  |  |
|                       | Republican                     | 9%                               | 89%   | 3%        |  |  |
|                       | Independent                    | 49%                              | 44%   | 7%        |  |  |
| Fea Party Supporters  |                                | 19%                              | 81%   | 0%        |  |  |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party              | 5%                               | 95%   | 0%        |  |  |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 14%                              | 83%   | 3%        |  |  |
| Political Ideology    | Very liberal-Liberal           | 86%                              | 11%   | 2%        |  |  |
|                       | Moderate                       | 56%                              | 36%   | 7%        |  |  |
|                       | Conservative-Very conservative | 21%                              | 78%   | 1%        |  |  |
| Region                | Northeast                      | 62%                              | 30%   | 8%        |  |  |
| -                     | Midwest                        | 49%                              | 47%   | 4%        |  |  |
|                       | South                          | 48%                              | 50%   | 2%        |  |  |
|                       | West                           | 56%                              | 41%   | 3%        |  |  |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000             | 51%                              | 46%   | 4%        |  |  |
|                       | \$50,000 or more               | 55%                              | 42%   | 3%        |  |  |
| Education             | Not college graduate           | 53%                              | 45%   | 3%        |  |  |
|                       | College graduate               | 53%                              | 42%   | 5%        |  |  |
| Race                  | White                          | 46%                              | 51%   | 3%        |  |  |
|                       | Non-white                      | 69%                              | 30%   | 2%        |  |  |
| Age                   | 18 to 29                       | 58%                              | 42%   | 0%        |  |  |
|                       | 30 to 44                       | 58%                              | 36%   | 6%        |  |  |
|                       | 45 to 59                       | 51%                              | 45%   | 3%        |  |  |
|                       | 60 or older                    | 48%                              | 48%   | 5%        |  |  |
| Age                   | Under 45                       | 58%                              | 39%   | 3%        |  |  |
|                       | 45 or older                    | 49%                              | 47%   | 4%        |  |  |
| Gender                | Men                            | 51%                              | 46%   | 3%        |  |  |
|                       | Women                          | 55%                              | 40%   | 5%        |  |  |
| Marital Status        | Married                        | 49%                              | 46%   | 5%        |  |  |
|                       | Not married                    | 57%                              | 40%   | 3%        |  |  |
| Interview Type        | Landline                       | 52%                              | 42%   | 6%        |  |  |
|                       | Cell phone                     | 54%                              | 44%   | 3%        |  |  |

|               | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held<br>today, whom would you support if the<br>candidates are: |       |       |  |  |  |
|---------------|--|-------|-------|--|--|--|
|               |  |       |       |  |  |  |
|               | Hillary<br>Clinton, the<br>Democrat Ted Cruz, the<br>Republican Undecided  |       |       |  |  |  |
|               | Row %  | Row % | Row % |  |  |  |
| November 2015 | 53%  | 43%   | 4%    |  |  |  |
| July 2015     | 49%  | 40%   | 11%   |  |  |  |
| March 2015    | 53%  | 39%   | 8%    |  |  |  |
| April 2014    | 54%  | 39%   | 7%    |  |  |  |
| February 2014 | 56%  | 39%   | 5%    |  |  |  |
| December 2013 | 57% 35% 7%   |       |       |  |  |  |

|                       |                                | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today,<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |                               |           |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|-----------|
|                       |                                | Hillary Clinton,<br>the Democrat  | Ben Carson, the<br>Republican | Undecided |
|                       |                                | Row %   | Row %                         | Row %     |
| National Registered V | Voters                         | 50%   | 48%                           | 2%        |
| Party Identification  | Democrat                       | 85%   | 15%                           | 1%        |
|                       | Republican                     | 7%  | 92%                           | 1%        |
|                       | Independent                    | 49%   | 48%                           | 4%        |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                                | 17%   | 82%                           | 0%        |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party              | 5%  | 95%                           | 0%        |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 14%   | 84%                           | 1%        |
| Political Ideology    | Very liberal-Liberal           | 86%   | 13%                           | 1%        |
|                       | Moderate                       | 53%   | 45%                           | 2%        |
|                       | Conservative-Very conservative | 17%   | 82%                           | 2%        |
| Region                | Northeast                      | 61%   | 36%                           | 3%        |
|                       | Midwest                        | 44%   | 54%                           | 2%        |
|                       | South                          | 45%   | 52%                           | 3%        |
|                       | West                           | 53%   | 47%                           | 1%        |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000             | 50%   | 47%                           | 3%        |
|                       | \$50,000 or more               | 49%   | 49%                           | 1%        |
| Education             | Not college graduate           | 51%   | 46%                           | 3%        |
|                       | College graduate               | 49%   | 50%                           | 1%        |
| Race                  | White                          | 41%   | 56%                           | 3%        |
|                       | Non-white                      | 66%   | 32%                           | 1%        |
| Age                   | 18 to 29                       | 51%   | 49%                           | 0%        |
|                       | 30 to 44                       | 53%   | 45%                           | 2%        |
|                       | 45 to 59                       | 50%   | 48%                           | 2%        |
|                       | 60 or older                    | 46%   | 51%                           | 4%        |
| Age                   | Under 45                       | 52%   | 46%                           | 1%        |
|                       | 45 or older                    | 47%   | 50%                           | 3%        |
| Gender                | Men                            | 45%   | 53%                           | 2%        |
|                       | Women                          | 55%   | 43%                           | 2%        |
| Marital Status        | Married                        | 46%   | 53%                           | 1%        |
|                       | Not married                    | 55%   | 42%                           | 3%        |
| Interview Type        | Landline                       | 50%   | 47%                           | 3%        |
|                       | Cell phone                     | 49%   | 49%                           | 1%        |

|               | Nation                           | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today,<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |           |  |  |
|---------------|----------------------------------|---|-----------|--|--|
|               |                                  |   |           |  |  |
|               | Hillary Clinton,<br>the Democrat | Ben Carson,<br>the Republican   | Undecided |  |  |
|               | Row %                            | Row %   | Row %     |  |  |
| November 2015 | 50%                              | 48%   | 2%        |  |  |
| July 2015     | 49%                              | 39%   | 12%       |  |  |

|                       |                                | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today,<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |                                 |           |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|-----------|
|                       |                                | Hillary Clinton,<br>the Democrat  | Donald Trump,<br>the Republican | Undecided |
|                       |                                | Row %   | Row %                           | Row %     |
| National Registered V | /oters                         | 56%   | 41%                             | 3%        |
| Party Identification  | Democrat                       | 91%   | 8%                              | 1%        |
|                       | Republican                     | 9%  | 86%                             | 5%        |
|                       | Independent                    | 58%   | 39%                             | 4%        |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                                | 20%   | 78%                             | 2%        |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party              | 7%  | 90%                             | 3%        |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 17%   | 78%                             | 5%        |
| Political Ideology    | Very liberal-Liberal           | 87%   | 11%                             | 2%        |
|                       | Moderate                       | 63%   | 34%                             | 3%        |
|                       | Conservative-Very conservative | 23%   | 71%                             | 5%        |
| Region                | Northeast                      | 69%   | 28%                             | 3%        |
|                       | Midwest                        | 47%   | 51%                             | 2%        |
|                       | South                          | 51%   | 45%                             | 3%        |
|                       | West                           | 60%   | 34%                             | 5%        |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000             | 56%   | 38%                             | 5%        |
|                       | \$50,000 or more               | 56%   | 41%                             | 2%        |
| Education             | Not college graduate           | 54%   | 42%                             | 3%        |
|                       | College graduate               | 58%   | 38%                             | 3%        |
| Race                  | White                          | 46%   | 51%                             | 3%        |
|                       | Non-white                      | 73%   | 23%                             | 4%        |
| Age                   | 18 to 29                       | 68%   | 29%                             | 3%        |
|                       | 30 to 44                       | 64%   | 34%                             | 2%        |
|                       | 45 to 59                       | 49%   | 47%                             | 4%        |
|                       | 60 or older                    | 47%   | 48%                             | 5%        |
| Age                   | Under 45                       | 66%   | 32%                             | 2%        |
|                       | 45 or older                    | 48%   | 47%                             | 4%        |
| Gender                | Men                            | 51%   | 46%                             | 3%        |
|                       | Women                          | 61%   | 35%                             | 4%        |
| Marital Status        | Married                        | 51%   | 46%                             | 3%        |
|                       | Not married                    | 63%   | 33%                             | 4%        |
| Interview Type        | Landline                       | 52%   | 43%                             | 5%        |
|                       | Cell phone                     | 59%   | 39%                             | 2%        |

|               | Natio                               | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held<br>today, whom would you support if the<br>candidates are: |           |  |  |  |
|---------------|-------------------------------------|--|-----------|--|--|--|
|               | 1                                   |  |           |  |  |  |
|               | Hillary<br>Clinton, the<br>Democrat | Donald<br>Trump, the<br>Republican   | Undecided |  |  |  |
|               | Row %                               | Row % Row % Row %  |           |  |  |  |
| November 2015 | 56%                                 | 41%  | 3%        |  |  |  |
| July 2015     | 54%                                 | 54% 38% 8%   |           |  |  |  |

|                       |                                | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today,<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |                                  |           |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|-----------|
|                       |                                | Hillary Clinton,<br>the Democrat  | Carly Fiorina,<br>the Republican | Undecided |
|                       |                                | Row %   | Row %                            | Row %     |
| National Registered V | /oters                         | 53%   | 43%                              | 4%        |
| Party Identification  | Democrat                       | 91%   | 7%                               | 2%        |
|                       | Republican                     | 9%  | 89%                              | 2%        |
|                       | Independent                    | 49%   | 44%                              | 6%        |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                                | 20%   | 78%                              | 2%        |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party              | 10%   | 89%                              | 1%        |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 11%   | 86%                              | 3%        |
| Political Ideology    | Very liberal-Liberal           | 84%   | 13%                              | 3%        |
|                       | Moderate                       | 57%   | 37%                              | 6%        |
|                       | Conservative-Very conservative | 22%   | 77%                              | 1%        |
| Region                | Northeast                      | 64%   | 32%                              | 4%        |
|                       | Midwest                        | 51%   | 46%                              | 3%        |
|                       | South                          | 45%   | 49%                              | 6%        |
|                       | West                           | 57%   | 40%                              | 2%        |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000             | 54%   | 40%                              | 6%        |
|                       | \$50,000 or more               | 52%   | 46%                              | 2%        |
| Education             | Not college graduate           | 55%   | 40%                              | 5%        |
|                       | College graduate               | 51%   | 46%                              | 3%        |
| Race                  | White                          | 43%   | 52%                              | 5%        |
|                       | Non-white                      | 71%   | 27%                              | 2%        |
| Age                   | 18 to 29                       | 66%   | 32%                              | 1%        |
|                       | 30 to 44                       | 53%   | 44%                              | 4%        |
|                       | 45 to 59                       | 49%   | 47%                              | 4%        |
|                       | 60 or older                    | 47%   | 46%                              | 6%        |
| Age                   | Under 45                       | 59%   | 39%                              | 3%        |
|                       | 45 or older                    | 48%   | 47%                              | 5%        |
| Gender                | Men                            | 48%   | 48%                              | 4%        |
|                       | Women                          | 58%   | 38%                              | 4%        |
| Marital Status        | Married                        | 46%   | 51%                              | 3%        |
|                       | Not married                    | 60%   | 35%                              | 5%        |
| Interview Type        | Landline                       | 51%   | 44%                              | 5%        |
|                       | Cell phone                     | 54%   | 42%                              | 3%        |

|               | Ν                                   | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today,<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |           |  |
|---------------|-------------------------------------|---|-----------|--|
|               |                                     |   |           |  |
|               | Hillary<br>Clinton, the<br>Democrat | Carly Fiorina,<br>the Republican  | Undecided |  |
|               | Row %                               | Row %   | Row %     |  |
| November 2015 | 53%                                 | 43%   | 4%        |  |
| July 2015     | 53%                                 | 35%   | 13%       |  |

|                       |                                | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |                                |           |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|-----------|
|                       |                                | Bernie Sanders,<br>the Democrat  | Marco Rubio,<br>the Republican | Undecided |
|                       |                                | Row %  | Row %                          | Row %     |
| National Registered V | Voters                         | 48%  | 45%                            | 7%        |
| Party Identification  | Democrat                       | 82%  | 11%                            | 7%        |
|                       | Republican                     | 13%  | 86%                            | 1%        |
|                       | Independent                    | 43%  | 44%                            | 12%       |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                                | 20%  | 73%                            | 7%        |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party              | 7%   | 88%                            | 5%        |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 21%  | 75%                            | 4%        |
| Political Ideology    | Very liberal-Liberal           | 86%  | 10%                            | 3%        |
|                       | Moderate                       | 51%  | 38%                            | 11%       |
|                       | Conservative-Very conservative | 15%  | 81%                            | 4%        |
| Region                | Northeast                      | 61%  | 36%                            | 3%        |
|                       | Midwest                        | 51%  | 39%                            | 10%       |
|                       | South                          | 43%  | 49%                            | 8%        |
|                       | West                           | 44%  | 50%                            | 6%        |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000             | 50%  | 41%                            | 9%        |
|                       | \$50,000 or more               | 48%  | 47%                            | 5%        |
| Education             | Not college graduate           | 48%  | 45%                            | 7%        |
|                       | College graduate               | 48%  | 44%                            | 7%        |
| Race                  | White                          | 43%  | 49%                            | 8%        |
|                       | Non-white                      | 57%  | 36%                            | 7%        |
| Age                   | 18 to 29                       | 51%  | 45%                            | 4%        |
|                       | 30 to 44                       | 52%  | 40%                            | 8%        |
|                       | 45 to 59                       | 46%  | 47%                            | 8%        |
|                       | 60 or older                    | 45%  | 46%                            | 8%        |
| Age                   | Under 45                       | 52%  | 42%                            | 7%        |
|                       | 45 or older                    | 46%  | 47%                            | 8%        |
| Gender                | Men                            | 47%  | 48%                            | 5%        |
|                       | Women                          | 49%  | 42%                            | 10%       |
| Marital Status        | Married                        | 44%  | 50%                            | 6%        |
|                       | Not married                    | 53%  | 40%                            | 7%        |
| Interview Type        | Landline                       | 43%  | 47%                            | 10%       |
|                       | Cell phone                     | 51%  | 43%                            | 6%        |

|                       |                                | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today, |                             |           |  |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|-----------|--|
|                       |                                |  | ou support if the c         |           |  |
|                       |                                | Bernie Sanders,<br>the Democrat  | Jeb Bush, the<br>Republican | Undecided |  |
|                       |                                | Row %  | Row %                       | Row %     |  |
| National Registered V | oters                          | 51%  | 41%                         | 8%        |  |
| Party Identification  | Democrat                       | 81%  | 12%                         | 7%        |  |
|                       | Republican                     | 16%  | 82%                         | 2%        |  |
|                       | Independent                    | 50%  | 38%                         | 12%       |  |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                                | 28%  | 69%                         | 3%        |  |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party              | 16%  | 82%                         | 1%        |  |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 26%  | 68%                         | 6%        |  |
| Political Ideology    | Very liberal-Liberal           | 85%  | 11%                         | 3%        |  |
|                       | Moderate                       | 54%  | 36%                         | 10%       |  |
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| Region                | Northeast                      | 63%  | 29%                         | 8%        |  |
|                       | Midwest                        | 52%  | 40%                         | 7%        |  |
|                       | South                          | 46%  | 45%                         | 10%       |  |
|                       | West                           | 50%  | 45%                         | 5%        |  |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000             | 50%  | 41%                         | 9%        |  |
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| Age                   | Under 45                       | 56%  | 38%                         | 6%        |  |
|                       | 45 or older                    | 48%  | 43%                         | 9%        |  |
| Gender                | Men                            | 49%  | 46%                         | 6%        |  |
|                       | Women                          | 53%  | 37%                         | 9%        |  |
| Marital Status        | Married                        | 46%  | 48%                         | 6%        |  |
|                       | Not married                    | 59%  | 34%                         | 7%        |  |
| Interview Type        | Landline                       | 44%  | 45%                         | 10%       |  |
| • •                   | Cell phone                     | 55%  | 39%                         | 6%        |  |

|                       |                                | National Registered Voters  |                          |           |  |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---|--------------------------|-----------|--|
|                       |                                | If the 2016 presidential election were held today whom would you support if the candidates are: |                          |           |  |
|                       |                                | Bernie Sanders,<br>the Democrat   | Ted Cruz, the Republican | Undecided |  |
|                       |                                | Row %   | Row %                    | Row %     |  |
| National Registered V | oters                          | 51%   | 39%                      | 10%       |  |
| Party Identification  | Democrat                       | 87%   | 5%                       | 8%        |  |
|                       | Republican                     | 12%   | 81%                      | 7%        |  |
|                       | Independent                    | 48%   | 39%                      | 13%       |  |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                                | 21%   | 70%                      | 9%        |  |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party              | 8%  | 86%                      | 6%        |  |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 22%   | 69%                      | 8%        |  |
| Political Ideology    | Very liberal-Liberal           | 89%   | 7%                       | 4%        |  |
|                       | Moderate                       | 56%   | 32%                      | 12%       |  |
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| Region                | Northeast                      | 64%   | 31%                      | 5%        |  |
|                       | Midwest                        | 52%   | 33%                      | 15%       |  |
|                       | South                          | 46%   | 43%                      | 12%       |  |
|                       | West                           | 48%   | 46%                      | 6%        |  |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000             | 50%   | 36%                      | 13%       |  |
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|                       | College graduate               | 54%   | 39%                      | 7%        |  |
| Race                  | White                          | 46%   | 44%                      | 10%       |  |
|                       | Non-white                      | 61%   | 30%                      | 9%        |  |
| Age                   | 18 to 29                       | 55%   | 43%                      | 2%        |  |
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|                       | 45 to 59                       | 51%   | 38%                      | 11%       |  |
|                       | 60 or older                    | 45%   | 42%                      | 13%       |  |
| Age                   | Under 45                       | 56%   | 37%                      | 7%        |  |
|                       | 45 or older                    | 48%   | 40%                      | 12%       |  |
| Gender                | Men                            | 51%   | 42%                      | 8%        |  |
|                       | Women                          | 51%   | 37%                      | 12%       |  |
| Marital Status        | Married                        | 46%   | 46%                      | 8%        |  |
|                       | Not married                    | 58%   | 33%                      | 9%        |  |
| Interview Type        | Landline                       | 47%   | 40%                      | 12%       |  |
|                       | Cell phone                     | 53%   | 39%                      | 8%        |  |

|                       |                                | National Registered Voters      |  |           |  |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------|--|
|                       |                                | -                               | sidential election w<br>you support if the c |           |  |
|                       |                                | Bernie Sanders,<br>the Democrat | Ben Carson, the<br>Republican                | Undecided |  |
|                       |                                | Row %                           | Row %  | Row %     |  |
| National Registered V | Voters                         | 45%                             | 47%  | 8%        |  |
| Party Identification  | Democrat                       | 80%                             | 13%  | 7%        |  |
|                       | Republican                     | 12%                             | 85%  | 3%        |  |
|                       | Independent                    | 38%                             | 51%  | 11%       |  |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                                | 18%                             | 75%  | 7%        |  |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party              | 6%                              | 89%  | 4%        |  |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 16%                             | 81%  | 4%        |  |
| Political Ideology    | Very liberal-Liberal           | 85%                             | 11%  | 4%        |  |
|                       | Moderate                       | 44%                             | 47%  | 9%        |  |
|                       | Conservative-Very conservative | 16%                             | 78%  | 6%        |  |
| Region                | Northeast                      | 53%                             | 38%  | 9%        |  |
|                       | Midwest                        | 49%                             | 45%  | 6%        |  |
|                       | South                          | 40%                             | 52%  | 8%        |  |
|                       | West                           | 43%                             | 50%  | 7%        |  |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000             | 47%                             | 43%  | 9%        |  |
|                       | \$50,000 or more               | 45%                             | 50%  | 5%        |  |
| Education             | Not college graduate           | 45%                             | 48%  | 7%        |  |
|                       | College graduate               | 46%                             | 47%  | 6%        |  |
| Race                  | White                          | 41%                             | 52%  | 8%        |  |
|                       | Non-white                      | 55%                             | 38%  | 7%        |  |
| Age                   | 18 to 29                       | 51%                             | 44%  | 5%        |  |
|                       | 30 to 44                       | 46%                             | 48%  | 7%        |  |
|                       | 45 to 59                       | 46%                             | 48%  | 6%        |  |
|                       | 60 or older                    | 41%                             | 48%  | 11%       |  |
| Age                   | Under 45                       | 48%                             | 46%  | 6%        |  |
|                       | 45 or older                    | 43%                             | 48%  | 9%        |  |
| Gender                | Men                            | 47%                             | 48%  | 5%        |  |
|                       | Women                          | 44%                             | 47%  | 10%       |  |
| Marital Status        | Married                        | 42%                             | 53%  | 6%        |  |
|                       | Not married                    | 51%                             | 42%  | 7%        |  |
| Interview Type        | Landline                       | 40%                             | 52%  | 8%        |  |
| • •                   | Cell phone                     | 48%                             | 44%  | 7%        |  |

|                       |                                | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today,<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |                                 |           |  |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|-----------|--|
|                       |                                |   |                                 |           |  |
|                       |                                | Bernie Sanders,<br>the Democrat   | Donald Trump,<br>the Republican | Undecided |  |
|                       |                                | Row %   | Row %                           | Row %     |  |
| National Registered V | Voters                         | 53%   | 41%                             | 6%        |  |
| Party Identification  | Democrat                       | 84%   | 13%                             | 3%        |  |
|                       | Republican                     | 18%   | 77%                             | 5%        |  |
|                       | Independent                    | 53%   | 40%                             | 7%        |  |
| Tea Party Supporters  |                                | 22%   | 73%                             | 4%        |  |
| Republicans           | Support Tea Party              | 12%   | 84%                             | 4%        |  |
|                       | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 29%   | 64%                             | 7%        |  |
| Political Ideology    | Very liberal-Liberal           | 83%   | 16%                             | 2%        |  |
|                       | Moderate                       | 63%   | 32%                             | 6%        |  |
|                       | Conservative-Very conservative | 23%   | 70%                             | 6%        |  |
| Region                | Northeast                      | 63%   | 34%                             | 3%        |  |
|                       | Midwest                        | 55%   | 36%                             | 8%        |  |
|                       | South                          | 47%   | 48%                             | 5%        |  |
|                       | West                           | 54%   | 40%                             | 7%        |  |
| Household Income      | Less than \$50,000             | 57%   | 39%                             | 4%        |  |
|                       | \$50,000 or more               | 52%   | 42%                             | 5%        |  |
| Education             | Not college graduate           | 50%   | 45%                             | 5%        |  |
|                       | College graduate               | 59%   | 36%                             | 5%        |  |
| Race                  | White                          | 48%   | 45%                             | 7%        |  |
|                       | Non-white                      | 67%   | 31%                             | 2%        |  |
| Age                   | 18 to 29                       | 61%   | 38%                             | 2%        |  |
|                       | 30 to 44                       | 59%   | 35%                             | 6%        |  |
|                       | 45 to 59                       | 50%   | 45%                             | 6%        |  |
|                       | 60 or older                    | 49%   | 44%                             | 7%        |  |
| Age                   | Under 45                       | 60%   | 36%                             | 5%        |  |
|                       | 45 or older                    | 49%   | 44%                             | 6%        |  |
| Gender                | Men                            | 50%   | 44%                             | 6%        |  |
|                       | Women                          | 56%   | 39%                             | 6%        |  |
| Marital Status        | Married                        | 47%   | 46%                             | 6%        |  |
|                       | Not married                    | 63%   | 35%                             | 2%        |  |
| Interview Type        | Landline                       | 48%   | 43%                             | 8%        |  |
| • •                   | Cell phone                     | 56%   | 40%                             | 4%        |  |

|                            |                                | National Registered Voters<br>If the 2016 presidential election were held today,<br>whom would you support if the candidates are: |   |                    |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|---|---|--------------------|
|                            |                                |   |   |                    |
|                            |                                | Bernie Sanders,<br>the Democrat<br>Row %  | Carly Fiorina,<br>the Republican<br>Row % | Undecided<br>Row % |
|                            |                                |   |   |                    |
| National Registered Voters |                                | 53%   | 39%                                       | 8%                 |
| Party Identification       | Democrat                       | 86%   | 7%  | 7%                 |
|                            | Republican                     | 18%   | 78%                                       | 5%                 |
|                            | Independent                    | 49%   | 40%                                       | 11%                |
| Tea Party Supporters       |                                | 25%   | 68%                                       | 8%                 |
| Republicans                | Support Tea Party              | 11%   | 83%                                       | 6%                 |
|                            | Do Not Support Tea Party       | 28%   | 67%                                       | 5%                 |
| Political Ideology         | Very liberal-Liberal           | 91%   | 6%  | 3%                 |
|                            | Moderate                       | 52%   | 37%                                       | 10%                |
|                            | Conservative-Very conservative | 25%   | 69%                                       | 6%                 |
| Region                     | Northeast                      | 61%   | 34%                                       | 5%                 |
|                            | Midwest                        | 52%   | 38%                                       | 10%                |
|                            | South                          | 52%   | 39%                                       | 9%                 |
|                            | West                           | 48%   | 44%                                       | 8%                 |
| Household Income           | Less than \$50,000             | 57%   | 32%                                       | 11%                |
|                            | \$50,000 or more               | 52%   | 44%                                       | 4%                 |
| Education                  | Not college graduate           | 54%   | 38%                                       | 8%                 |
|                            | College graduate               | 52%   | 41%                                       | 7%                 |
| Race                       | White                          | 47%   | 45%                                       | 8%                 |
|                            | Non-white                      | 65%   | 26%                                       | 9%                 |
| Age                        | 18 to 29                       | 64%   | 34%                                       | 2%                 |
|                            | 30 to 44                       | 59%   | 35%                                       | 7%                 |
|                            | 45 to 59                       | 51%   | 41%                                       | 8%                 |
|                            | 60 or older                    | 46%   | 42%                                       | 12%                |
| Age                        | Under 45                       | 61%   | 35%                                       | 5%                 |
|                            | 45 or older                    | 49%   | 42%                                       | 10%                |
| Gender                     | Men                            | 50%   | 43%                                       | 7%                 |
|                            | Women                          | 55%   | 36%                                       | 9%                 |
| Marital Status             | Married                        | 46%   | 47%                                       | 7%                 |
|                            | Not married                    | 62%   | 31%                                       | 7%                 |
| Interview Type             | Landline                       | 49%   | 40%                                       | 11%                |
|                            | Cell phone                     | 55%   | 38%                                       | 7%                 |