



FOX News/Opinion Dynamics Poll

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Polling was conducted by telephone February 27-28, 2007, in the evenings. The total sample is 900 registered voters nationwide with a margin of error of ± 3 percentage points. Results are of registered voters, unless otherwise noted. LV = likely voters

18a. Thinking now about the next presidential election...If the 2008 Democratic presidential primary were held today, for whom would you vote if the candidates were: (RANDOMIZE)

| | ----- Dem ($\pm 5\%$) ----- | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| | 27-28 Feb 07 | 30-31 Jan 07 | 5-6 Dec 06 | 29-30 Aug 06 |
| Hillary Clinton | 34% | 43% | 33% | 32% |
| Barack Obama | 23 | 15 | 12 | na |
| Al Gore | 14 | 11 | 11 | 15 |
| John Edwards | 12 | 12 | 8 | 9 |
| Joseph Biden | 1 | 4 | 2 | 4 |
| Bill Richardson | 1 | 2 | 1 | na |
| Dennis Kucinich | 1 | - | na | na |
| Chris Dodd | - | - | na | na |
| Tom Vilsack | na | - | 2 | na |
| Evan Bayh | na | na | 2 | 2 |
| Wesley Clark | na | na | 1 | 4 |
| John Kerry | na | na | 6 | 13 |
| Mark Warner | na | na | na | 2 |
| (Other) | - | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| (Don't know) | 12 | 9 | 20 | 18 |
| (Would not vote in Democratic primary) | 1 | 1 | - | 1 |

18b. Which Democratic candidate would be your second choice?

| | ----- Dem ($\pm 5\%$) ----- | |
|-----------------|-------------------------------|---------------|
| | First choice | Second choice |
| Hillary Clinton | 34% | 22% |
| Barack Obama | 23 | 22 |
| Al Gore | 14 | 16 |
| John Edwards | 12 | 14 |
| Joseph Biden | 1 | 5 |
| Bill Richardson | 1 | 2 |
| Dennis Kucinich | 1 | 1 |
| Chris Dodd | - | - |
| (Other) | - | 6 |
| (Don't know) | 12 | 12 |

19a. If the 2008 Republican presidential primary were held today, for whom would you vote if the candidates were: (RANDOMIZE)

| | ----- Rep (±6%) ----- | | | |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| | 27-28 Feb 07 | 30-31 Jan 07 | 5-6 Dec 06 | 29-30 Aug 06 |
| Rudy Giuliani | 39% | 34% | 30% | 27% |
| John McCain | 19 | 22 | 23 | 25 |
| Newt Gingrich | 7 | 15 | 9 | 14 |
| Mitt Romney | 6 | 3 | 8 | 5 |
| Mike Huckabee | 4 | - | na | na |
| Duncan Hunter | 2 | 2 | 1 | na |
| Sam Brownback | 2 | 1 | 3 | na |
| Chuck Hagel | 1 | - | - | 3 |
| Jim Gilmore | - | - | na | na |
| Tommy Thompson | - | - | na | na |
| George Allen | na | na | na | 3 |
| Bill Frist | na | na | na | 2 |
| George Pataki | na | na | 2 | 4 |
| (Other) | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| (Don't know) | 16 | 17 | 22 | 14 |
| (Would not vote in Republican primary) | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |

19b. Which Republican candidate would be your second choice?

| | ----- Rep (±6%) ----- | |
|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| | First choice | Second choice |
| Rudy Giuliani | 39% | 22% |
| John McCain | 19 | 29 |
| Newt Gingrich | 7 | 13 |
| Mitt Romney | 6 | 7 |
| Mike Huckabee | 4 | 2 |
| Duncan Hunter | 2 | 1 |
| Sam Brownback | 2 | 3 |
| Chuck Hagel | 1 | - |
| Jim Gilmore | - | - |
| Tommy Thompson | - | 1 |
| (Other) | 4 | 3 |
| (Don't know) | 16 | 17 |

20. - 23. Regardless of whether you would vote for [INSERT NAME] or not, how qualified do you think he/she is to be president of the United States?

[RANDOMIZE LIST]

SCALE: 1. Very qualified 2. Somewhat qualified 3. Not very qualified 4. Not at all qualified 5. (Don't know)

Summary -- "Very Qualified"

| | |
|-----------------|-----|
| Hillary Clinton | 37% |
| John McCain | 34% |
| Rudy Giuliani | 30% |
| Barack Obama | 18% |

| | --- Qualified --- | | | - Not qualified - | | | (DK) |
|-----------------|-------------------|-----|-------|-------------------|-------|-----|------|
| | TOTAL | Vry | Smwht | TOTAL | Ntvry | Not | |
| Hillary Clinton | 65% | 37 | 28 | 32 | 14 | 18 | 4 |
| Democrats | 86% | 57 | 29 | 11 | 8 | 3 | 3 |
| Republicans | 33% | 14 | 19 | 66 | 22 | 44 | 2 |
| Independents | 70% | 30 | 40 | 22 | 12 | 10 | 7 |
| Barack Obama | 52% | 18 | 34 | 32 | 16 | 16 | 17 |
| Democrats | 66% | 27 | 39 | 17 | 9 | 8 | 17 |
| Republicans | 39% | 10 | 29 | 47 | 21 | 26 | 14 |
| Independents | 46% | 15 | 31 | 41 | 21 | 20 | 13 |
| Rudy Giuliani | 68% | 30 | 38 | 23 | 12 | 11 | 9 |
| Democrats | 59% | 21 | 38 | 33 | 16 | 17 | 9 |
| Republicans | 83% | 46 | 37 | 13 | 8 | 5 | 4 |
| Independents | 70% | 30 | 40 | 21 | 11 | 10 | 10 |
| John McCain | 70% | 34 | 36 | 15 | 8 | 7 | 15 |
| Democrats | 65% | 29 | 36 | 18 | 9 | 9 | 17 |
| Republicans | 79% | 40 | 39 | 14 | 8 | 6 | 7 |
| Independents | 75% | 40 | 35 | 15 | 7 | 8 | 9 |

24. - 29. Do you think the United States is ready to elect [INSERT ITEM] or not?
[RANDOMIZE LIST]

| | Yes | No | (Don't know) |
|-------------------|-----|----|--------------|
| A black president | | | |
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 69% | 24 | 7 |
| Democrats | 69% | 24 | 7 |
| Republicans | 72% | 22 | 6 |
| Independents | 65% | 28 | 7 |

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| A twice-divorced president | | | |
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 65% | 21 | 13 |
| Democrats | 63% | 24 | 13 |
| Republicans | 70% | 19 | 11 |
| Independents | 67% | 20 | 13 |

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|-------------------|-----|----|---|
| A woman president | | | |
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 60% | 35 | 4 |
| Democrats | 68% | 27 | 5 |
| Republicans | 47% | 50 | 3 |
| Independents | 65% | 30 | 5 |
| 25-26 Jan 05 | 56% | 39 | 5 |
| 30 Jun-1 Jul 98 | 51% | 43 | 6 |

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| A Mormon president | | | |
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 40% | 48 | 12 |
| Democrats | 32% | 57 | 12 |
| Republicans | 49% | 44 | 8 |
| Independents | 48% | 36 | 16 |

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|-------------------------|-----|----|---|
| A third-party president | | | |
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 33% | 59 | 9 |
| Democrats | 30% | 64 | 7 |
| Republicans | 31% | 60 | 8 |
| Independents | 43% | 48 | 8 |

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| A gay or lesbian president | | | |
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 13% | 82 | 4 |
| Democrats | 14% | 82 | 3 |
| Republicans | 10% | 87 | 3 |
| Independents | 15% | 80 | 5 |

30. If a Democrat gets elected president in 2008, do you think your taxes will go up, down or stay about the same?

| | Up | Down | About the same | (Don't know) |
|--------------|-----|------|----------------|--------------|
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 46% | 9 | 38 | 7 |
| Democrats | 29% | 17 | 47 | 7 |
| Republicans | 69% | 1 | 27 | 3 |
| Independents | 50% | 3 | 34 | 12 |

31. If a Republican gets elected president in 2008, do you think your taxes will go up, down or stay about the same?

| | Up | Down | About the same | (Don't know) |
|--------------|-----|------|----------------|--------------|
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 44% | 5 | 45 | 7 |
| Democrats | 59% | 3 | 32 | 6 |
| Republicans | 26% | 10 | 60 | 4 |
| Independents | 42% | 2 | 48 | 8 |

32. As you may know, a high-profile supporter of Barack Obama recently attacked former president Bill Clinton and Hillary Clinton in an interview. Hillary Clinton's campaign responded by attacking Obama's campaign. Based on what you have heard or read, who do you think won the dust up between the two campaigns?

| | Barack Obama | Hillary Clinton | (Both/Tie) | (Neither) | (Don't know) |
|--------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------|-----------|--------------|
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 24% | 14 | 5 | 17 | 40 |
| Democrats | 20% | 19 | 5 | 17 | 39 |
| Republicans | 34% | 10 | 6 | 13 | 37 |
| Independents | 20% | 11 | 6 | 24 | 39 |

33. Former President Jimmy Carter recently said he would endorse Al Gore if he decided to run for president in 2008. Do you think Al Gore was happy to get Carter's endorsement or unhappy that Carter has offered to help him?

| | Happy | Unhappy | (Don't know) |
|--------------|-------|---------|--------------|
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 67% | 13 | 20 |
| Democrats | 74% | 11 | 15 |
| Republicans | 63% | 16 | 21 |
| Independents | 64% | 12 | 24 |

34. Republican presidential candidate Rudy Giuliani is sometimes referred to as "America's Mayor." Do you think that is a good description of Rudy Giuliani or not?

| | Yes | No | (Don't know) |
|--------------|-----|----|--------------|
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 65% | 24 | 11 |
| Democrats | 55% | 33 | 12 |
| Republicans | 79% | 15 | 6 |
| Independents | 62% | 23 | 14 |

35. Do you think the spouses of presidential candidates are fair game in the campaign or should the spouses of the candidates be off limits?

| | Fair game | Off limits | (Don't know) |
|--------------|-----------|------------|--------------|
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 39% | 52 | 9 |
| Democrats | 39% | 51 | 10 |
| Republicans | 41% | 52 | 7 |
| Independents | 34% | 57 | 10 |

36. During a campaign stop, Hillary Clinton said that her husband, former President Bill Clinton, is the most popular person in the world right now. Do you agree or disagree that Bill Clinton is the most popular person in the world today?

| | Agree | Disagree | (Don't know) |
|--------------|-------|----------|--------------|
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 30% | 65 | 5 |
| Democrats | 46% | 50 | 4 |
| Republicans | 17% | 79 | 3 |
| Independents | 23% | 71 | 5 |

POLITICAL IDENTIFICATION: When you think about politics, do you think of yourself as a Democrat or a Republican?

| | Democrat | Republican | (Independent) | (Other) | (Refused/Don't know) |
|-----------------|----------|------------|---------------|---------|----------------------|
| 27-28 Feb 07 | 43% | 32 | 17 | 3 | 5 |
| 13-14 Feb 07 | 37% | 36 | 19 | 4 | 3 |
| 30-31 Jan 07 | 40% | 31 | 22 | 2 | 4 |
| 16-17 Jan 07 | 40% | 33 | 22 | 3 | 2 |
| 5-6 Dec 06 | 36% | 34 | 24 | 3 | 2 |
| 4-5 Nov 06 LV | 39% | 35 | 22 | 2 | 3 |
| 24-25 Oct 06 LV | 39% | 36 | 22 | 2 | 2 |
| 10-11 Oct 06 LV | 38% | 34 | 24 | 1 | 3 |