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Number of Interviews - 1,839						
Are you: (n=1,827)	Male	48	43	8	48	-
	Female	52	44	9	46	-
Sex by race (n=1,801)	White male	41	39	9	51	-
	White female	44	40	10	49	-
	Non-white male	7	62	5	33	-
	Non-white female	8	62	4	33	-
Are you: (n=1,811)	White	84	40	10	50	-
	Black	7	65	1	34	-
	Hispanic/Latino	5	63	8	29	-
	Asian	1	-	-	-	-
	Other	2	-	-	-	-
AGE (60 and over) (n=1,823)	18-29	11	53	9	38	-
	30-44	23	44	12	43	-
	45-59	39	43	9	47	-
	60 or over	27	40	6	53	-
Age 65 & over (n=1,823)	18-64	83	45	9	46	-
	65 or over	17	37	8	54	-
2005 total family income: (n=1,612)	Under \$15,000	4	54	11	35	-
	\$15,000 - \$29,999	7	45	10	45	-
	\$30,000 - \$49,999	13	49	8	42	-
	\$50,000 - \$74,999	16	42	8	50	-
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	18	42	9	48	-
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	22	43	12	45	-



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2005 total family income: (n=1,612)	\$150,000 - \$199,999	10	43	10	45	-
	\$200,000 or more	11	40	6	54	-
Total family income: (n=1,612)	Less than \$50,000	24	48	9	42	-
	\$50,000 or more	76	42	9	48	-
Total family income: (n=1,612)	Less than \$100,000	58	45	9	46	-
	\$100,000 or more	42	42	10	47	-
What was the last grade of school you completed? (n=1,561)	Did not complete high school	2	-	-	-	-
	High school graduate	12	41	9	49	-
	Some college or associate degree	25	42	11	47	-
	College graduate	29	43	11	46	-
	Postgraduate study	32	47	6	46	-
College Education (n=1,561)	No college degree	39	42	10	47	-
	College graduate	61	45	8	46	-
What was the last grade of school you completed? (n=1,561)	High school graduate or less	14	42	9	48	-
	More than high school grad	86	44	9	46	-
No matter how you voted today, do you usually think of yourself as a: (n=1,699)	Democrat	41	68	2	30	-
	Republican	24	9	21	70	-
	Independent or something else	35	38	9	52	-
On most political matters, do you consider yourself: (n=1,688)	Liberal	27	72	3	25	-
	Moderate	52	39	8	53	-
	Conservative	20	15	20	65	-
Religion, combined Protestant and other Christian. (n=1,536)	Protestant/Other Christian	36	41	10	49	-
	Catholic	42	36	10	53	-
	Jewish	6	40	-	60	-



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Religion, combined Protestant and other Christian. (n=1,536)	Something else	6	73	7	18	-
	None	11	69	6	25	-
Religion among whites (n=1,542)	White Protestant/Other Christian	29	35	11	53	-
	White Catholic	37	34	11	55	-
	White Jewish	6	38	-	61	-
	White something else	3	75	7	18	-
	White none	9	67	7	25	-
	Non-white	16	63	4	32	-
How often do you attend religious services? (n=1,572)	More than once a week	9	41	8	51	-
	Once a week	24	35	11	53	-
	A few times a month	12	42	12	44	-
	A few times a year	35	43	8	49	-
	Never	18	60	6	33	-
How often do you attend religious services? (n=1,572)	Weekly	33	37	10	53	-
	Occasionally	47	43	9	48	-
	Never	18	60	6	33	-
Would you prefer to have the Democrats or the Republicans control the U.S. Senate next year? (n=1,540)	Democrats	58	68	3	29	-
	Republicans	27	5	19	76	-
	Does not matter to me	14	24	15	60	-
When did you finally decide for whom to vote in the U.S. Senate election? (n=1,540)	Just today	8	46	17	35	-
	In the last three days	8	44	15	41	-
	Sometime last week	5	43	12	42	-
	During the last month	19	39	13	47	-
	Before that	58	47	5	48	-



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When did you finally decide for whom to vote in the U.S. Senate election? (n=1,540)	Today/Within the last three days	17	45	16	38	-
	Within the last week or earlier	83	45	7	48	-
When did you finally decide for whom to vote in the U.S. Senate election? (n=1,540)	Today through within the last week	22	45	15	39	-
	Within the last month or earlier	78	45	7	48	-
Was your vote for U.S. senator mainly: (n=1,540)	For your candidate	67	39	7	54	-
	Against his opponents	31	57	12	30	-
Was one reason for your vote for U.S. Senate today: (n=1,540)	To express support for George W. Bush	13	7	21	72	-
	To express opposition to George W. Bush	43	81	3	15	-
	George W. Bush was not a factor	42	20	10	69	-
Do you think Joe Lieberman agrees with George W. Bush on issues: (n=1,540)	Too often	47	83	5	12	-
	Not often enough	9	16	19	63	-
	About the right amount	39	8	9	83	-
Regardless of how you voted today, do you think Joe Lieberman should have dropped out of the U.S. Senate race after he lost the Democratic primary in	Yes	44	84	11	5	-
	No	55	14	7	79	-
Regardless of how you voted today, do you think that Ned Lamont has the right experience to serve as U.S. senator? (n=1,540)	Yes	42	83	5	12	-
	No	54	15	12	73	-
Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as president? (n=1,690)	Strongly approve	11	13	21	65	-
	Somewhat approve	19	10	15	74	-
	Somewhat disapprove	16	30	12	58	-
	Strongly disapprove	52	68	3	29	-
Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as president? (n=1,690)	Approve	30	11	17	71	-
	Disapprove	68	59	5	36	-
In your vote for U.S. senator, how important was the war in Iraq? (n=1,431)	Extremely important	36	67	6	26	-
	Very important	33	38	10	51	-



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In your vote for U.S. senator, how important was the war in Iraq? (n=1,431)	Somewhat important	24	27	8	64	-
	Not at all important	7	19	13	66	-
In your vote for U.S. senator, how important was the issue of terrorism? (n=1,431)	Extremely important	27	35	11	52	-
	Very important	34	41	9	50	-
	Somewhat important	29	52	7	40	-
	Not at all important	9	60	6	34	-
In your vote for U.S. senator, how important was the economy? (n=1,431)	Extremely important	37	48	9	43	-
	Very important	45	41	9	49	-
	Somewhat important	15	46	7	47	-
	Not at all important	3	-	-	-	-
In your vote for U.S. senator, how important were values issues such as same-sex marriage or abortion? (n=1,431)	Extremely important	20	42	11	47	-
	Very important	22	45	8	47	-
	Somewhat important	23	42	6	51	-
	Not at all important	34	48	9	42	-
How worried are you that there will be another major terrorist attack in the U.S.? (n=1,540)	Very worried	24	35	10	53	-
	Somewhat worried	50	43	8	49	-
	Not too worried	21	56	8	36	-
	Not at all worried	5	67	5	26	-
How worried are you that there will be another major terrorist attack in the United States? (n=1,540)	Very/Somewhat worried	73	40	9	50	-
	Not too/Not at all worried	26	58	7	34	-
How do you feel about the U.S. war in Iraq? (n=1,713)	Strongly approve	11	10	13	76	-
	Somewhat approve	19	9	19	71	-
	Somewhat disapprove	19	28	10	61	-
	Strongly disapprove	49	70	4	25	-



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How do you feel about the U.S. war in Iraq? (n=1,713)	Approve	30	9	17	73	-
	Disapprove	68	59	5	35	-
What should the U.S. do in Iraq now? (n=1,572)	Send more troops	14	12	16	71	-
	Maintain the same number of troops	15	13	15	72	-
	Withdraw some troops	33	47	8	45	-
	Withdraw all troops	33	68	5	27	-
What should the U.S. do now in Iraq? (n=1,572)	Same number or more troops	29	13	16	72	-
	Withdraw some or all troops	65	58	6	36	-
Population of area, five categories (n=1,839)	Over 500 thousand	-	-	-	-	-
	50 to 500 thousand	16	39	10	51	-
	Suburbs	73	44	8	47	-
	10 to 50 thousand	8	39	10	50	-
	Rural	3	73	10	17	-
Population of area, three categories (n=1,839)	City over 50 thousand	16	39	10	51	-
	Suburbs	73	44	8	47	-
	Small city and Rural	10	48	10	41	-