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Q1. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Require background checks before people can buy guns in stores and gun shows.

					Obama	Romney		Foreign	Conduct	Conduct
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Vote	Vote	US Born	Born	English	Spanish
Strongly support	79%	82%	75%	75%	84%	71%	79%	79%	81%	76%
Somewhat support	5%	4%	5%	9%	3%	9%	6%	4%	6%	4%
Somewhat oppose	2%	1%	2%	4%	*%	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%
Strongly oppose	11%	9%	19%	6%	10%	16%	9%	14%	9%	14%
TOTAL SUPPORT	84%	86%	80%	84%	87%	80%	85%	83%	87%	80%
TOTAL OPPOSE	13%	11%	20%	9%	10%	18%	11%	15%	10%	17%
Don't know	3%	3%	_	7%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	3%

Q1. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Require background checks before people can buy guns in stores and gun shows.

	Total	College	No College	Less \$40k	\$40k- \$80k 	More \$80k	Male	Female	18-39	40-59	60+	Catholi	Born- Again
Strongly support	79%	84%	77%	78%	82%	81%	80%	78%	82%	82%	76%	79%	81%
Somewhat support	5%	4%	5%	5%	7%	4%	4%	5%	4%	6%	3%	5%	7%
Somewhat oppose	2%	2%	2%	3%	-	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
Strongly oppose	11%	9%	12%	11%	7%	12%	12%	11%	12%	5%	16%	12%	9%
TOTAL SUPPORT	84%	88%	82%	83%	88%	85%	84%	84%	86%	88%	79%	84%	88%
TOTAL OPPOSE	13%	11%	14%	14%	7%	15%	13%	13%	14%	7%	17%	13%	11%
Don't know	3%	1%	4%	3%	5%	*%	3%	3%	-	5%	3%	3%	1%

Q2. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Make it illegal for people with documented mental illness to purchase and own guns.

					Obama	Romney		Foreign	Conduct	Conduct
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Vote	Vote	US Born	Born	English	Spanish
Strongly support	56%	52%	63%	66%	55%	70%	62%	52%	62%	49%
Somewhat support	8%	8%	10%	4%	8%	4%	10%	5%	10%	5%
Somewhat oppose	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	*%	2%	3%	2%	4%
Strongly oppose	30%	35%	25%	24%	33%	24%	24%	36%	24%	40%
TOTAL SUPPORT	64%	59%	72%	70%	62%	74%	72%	58%	72%	54%
TOTAL OPPOSE	33%	38%	27%	26%	35%	25%	26%	39%	26%	44%
Don't know	2%	3%	*%	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%

Q2. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Make it illegal for people with documented mental illness to purchase and own guns.

	Total	College	No College	Less \$40k	\$40k- \$80k	More \$80k	Male	Female	18-39	40-59	60+	Catholi	Born- Again
Strongly support	 56%	64%	53%	52%	70%	64%	59%	54%	58%	66%	48%	59%	59%
Somewhat support	8%	16%	4%	6%	7%	17%	9%	7%	11%	9%	5%	8%	7%
Somewhat oppose	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%	1%
Strongly oppose	30%	16%	37%	39%	21%	15%	28%	33%	26%	21%	42%	27%	32%
TOTAL SUPPORT	64%	80%	57%	58%	77%	81%	67%	61%	69%	74%	53%	66%	66%
TOTAL OPPOSE	33%	17%	40%	41%	23%	17%	31%	36%	30%	23%	45%	30%	33%
Don't know	2%	3%	2%	1%	_	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%	3%	1%

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Q3. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Establish a national database of gun owners.

					Obama	Romney		Foreign	Conduct	Conduct
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Vote	Vote	US Born	Born	English	Spanish
Strongly support	55%	62%	49%	45%	62%	31%	47%	62%	49%	62%
Somewhat support	14%	12%	16%	14%	12%	10%	16%	12%	14%	15%
Somewhat oppose	6%	4%	4%	11%	4%	7%	6%	5%	88	3%
Strongly oppose	22%	18%	28%	26%	18%	48%	25%	18%	26%	16%
TOTAL SUPPORT	69%	74%	65%	60%	74%	40%	63%	75%	63%	77%
TOTAL OPPOSE	27%	22%	32%	37%	22%	56%	31%	23%	33%	19%
Don't know	4%	3%	2%	3%	4%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%

Q3. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Establish a national database of gun owners.

	Total	College	No College	Less \$40k	\$40k- \$80k	More \$80k	Male	Female	18-39	40-59	60+	Catholi	Born- Again
Strongly support	55%	61%	51%	53%	69%	45%	51%	58%	52%	60%	55%	56%	59%
Somewhat support	14%	12%	15%	14%	12%	15%	17%	11%	23%	11%	9%	14%	14%
Somewhat oppose	6%	8%	5%	6%	3%	11%	7%	5%	4%	8%	5%	6%	6%
Strongly oppose	22%	18%	23%	21%	16%	27%	21%	22%	19%	18%	26%	20%	17%
TOTAL SUPPORT	69%	73%	67%	67%	81%	60%	69%	69%	74%	71%	64%	69%	73%
TOTAL OPPOSE	27%	26%	28%	27%	19%	38%	27%	27%	23%	26%	30%	25%	23%
Don't know	4%	2%	5%	6%	1%	3%	4%	4%	2%	3%	6%	6%	4%

Q4. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Ban semi-automatic and assault weapons.

	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Obama Vote	Romney Vote	US	Born	Foreign Born		Conduct Spanish
Strongly support	44%	54%	36%	25%	51%	25%		44%	45%	45%	43%
Somewhat support	10%	11%	5%	6%	11%	6%		10%	10%	10%	10%
Somewhat oppose	11%	9%	13%	17%	8%	11%		14%	8%	13%	8%
Strongly oppose	31%	21%	43%	50%	26%	56%		31%	31%	30%	34%
TOTAL SUPPORT	54%	65%	41%	31%	62%	32%		53%	55%	55%	53%
TOTAL OPPOSE	42%	30%	56%	67%	34%	67%		45%	39%	43%	42%
Don't know	4%	4%	3%	2%	4%	1%		2%	6%	2%	6%

Q4. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Ban semi-automatic and assault weapons.

	Total	College	No College	Less \$40k	\$40k- \$80k	More \$80k	Male	Female	18-39	40-59	60+	Catholi	Born- Again
Strongly support	44%	54%	38%	43%	49%	47%	43%	45%	40%	47%	47%	44%	43%
Somewhat support	10%	7%	12%	11%	13%	8%	11%	9%	16%	9%	6%	11%	9%
Somewhat oppose	11%	7%	13%	14%	9%	12%	11%	11%	14%	12%	7%	11%	13%
Strongly oppose	31%	27%	33%	29%	24%	31%	34%	28%	25%	27%	39%	29%	33%
TOTAL SUPPORT	54%	61%	50%	53%	62%	55%	53%	55%	56%	56%	53%	55%	51%
TOTAL OPPOSE	42%	34%	47%	43%	34%	43%	45%	40%	39%	39%	45%	41%	46%
Don't know	4%	5%	3%	3%	4%	2%	2%	6%	5%	5%	2%	4%	2%

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Q5. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Limit the number of bullets and ammunition that guns can hold.

					Obama	Romney		Foreign	Conduct	Conduct
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Vote	Vote	US Born	Born	English	Spanish
Strongly support	50%	60%	40%	38%	59%	25%	47%	54%	45%	57%
Somewhat support	12%	12%	10%	12%	13%	7%	16%	7%	16%	6%
Somewhat oppose	8%	4%	12%	11%	5%	11%	8%	8%	8%	7%
Strongly oppose	25%	19%	32%	33%	19%	53%	26%	25%	25%	25%
TOTAL SUPPORT	62%	72%	50%	51%	71%	33%	63%	61%	61%	64%
TOTAL OPPOSE	33%	24%	45%	44%	24%	64%	33%	33%	34%	32%
Don't know	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%	3%	3%	6%	5%	4%

Q5. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Limit the number of bullets and ammunition that guns can hold.

	Total	College	No College	Less \$40k	\$40k- \$80k	More \$80k	Male	Female	18-39	40-59	60+	Catholi	Born- Again
Strongly support	50%	55%	47%	50%	51%	47%	48%	52%	48%	55%	51%	49%	48%
Somewhat support	12%	13%	12%	11%	21%	10%	9%	14%	16%	11%	9%	14%	14%
Somewhat oppose	8%	9%	8%	6%	14%	10%	8%	7%	11%	8%	6%	7%	2%
Strongly oppose	25%	20%	28%	28%	14%	28%	31%	20%	22%	20%	31%	25%	29%
TOTAL SUPPORT	62%	68%	59%	61%	72%	57%	58%	66%	65%	66%	60%	63%	62%
TOTAL OPPOSE	33%	29%	35%	34%	27%	37%	39%	27%	33%	28%	37%	32%	31%
Don't know	5%	3%	6%	5%	1%	6%	3%	6%	2%	5%	3%	5%	7%

Q6. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Allow teachers or campus security guards to carry loaded weapons in public schools.

					Obama	Romney		Foreign	Conduct	Conduct
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Vote	Vote	US Born	Born	English	Spanish
Strongly support	20%	16%	25%	35%	13%	46%	25%	15%	25%	14%
Somewhat support	18%	19%	18%	16%	18%	16%	18%	18%	18%	18%
Somewhat oppose	14%	12%	18%	14%	14%	9%	14%	13%	14%	13%
Strongly oppose	43%	49%	36%	32%	50%	28%	40%	48%	39%	49%
TOTAL SUPPORT	39%	35%	42%	51%	31%	62%	43%	33%	43%	33%
TOTAL OPPOSE	57%	61%	53%	46%	63%	38%	54%	61%	54%	62%
Don't know	5%	4%	4%	3%	6%	1%	3%	6%	4%	6%

Q6. Please tell me if you would support or oppose each of the different gun policy proposals: Allow teachers or campus security guards to carry loaded weapons in public schools.

	Total	College	No College	Less \$40k	\$40k- \$80k	More \$80k	Male	Female	18-39	40-59	60+	Catholi	Born- Again
Strongly support	20%	20%	21%	19%	24%	26%	27%	14%	21%	23%	 15%	18%	23%
Somewhat support	18%	16%	19%	20%	15%	19%	16%	20%	23%	19%	13%	19%	22%
Somewhat oppose	14%	14%	12%	13%	12%	14%	11%	16%	12%	14%	15%	17%	11%
Strongly oppose	43%	46%	42%	43%	44%	40%	43%	43%	40%	39%	54%	42%	39%
TOTAL SUPPORT	39%	36%	41%	39%	39%	45%	43%	34%	44%	42%	27%	37%	45%
TOTAL OPPOSE	57%	61%	55%	57%	55%	54%	54%	60%	52%	54%	68%	58%	50%
Don't know	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%	1%	2%	7%	3%	4%	4%	5%	5%