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Note: Q.7, 27-34 should be cited as a *USA Today*/Gallup poll.

Results are based on telephone interviews conducted August 11-14, 2011 with a random sample of –1,008— adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia.

For results based on the total sample of national adults, one can say with 95% confidence that the margin of error is ± 4 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –495—national adults in Form A and –513—national adults in Form B, the maximum margins of sampling error are ± 6 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –886— registered voters, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 4 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –489—adults employed full- or part-time, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 6 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –221—parents with children in Kindergarten through Grade 12, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 8 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –485—men, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 6 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –523—women, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 6 percentage points.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones and cellular phones, with interviews conducted in Spanish for respondents who are primarily Spanish-speaking. Each sample includes a minimum quota of 400 cell phone respondents and 600 landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas among landline respondents by region. Landline numbers are chosen at random among listed telephone numbers, cell phone numbers are selected using random-digit dial methods. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member had the most recent birthday.

Samples are weighted by gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, adults in the household, and phone status (cell phone only/landline only/both, having an unlisted landline number, and being cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2010 Current Population Survey figures for the age 18+ non-institutionalized population living in U.S. telephone households. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting and sample design.

In addition to sampling error, question wording and practical difficulties in conducting surveys can introduce error or bias into the findings of public opinion polls.

23. On another subject, for each of the following business sectors in the United States, please say whether your overall view of it is very positive, somewhat positive, neutral, somewhat negative or very negative. How about -- [RANDOM ORDER; EACH RESPONDENT RATES A RANDOMLY SELECTED LIST OF 13 INDUSTRIES]?

EACH ITEM BASED ON APPROXIMATELY--500-- NATIONAL ADULTS; ±6 PCT PTS

2011 Aug 11-14 (sorted by "net positive")	Total positive	Neutral	Total Negative	Net positive
Computer industry	72	16	10	+62
Restaurant industry	61	25	12	+49
Internet industry	56	26	16	+40
Farming and agriculture	57	22	19	+38
Grocery industry	52	24	24	+28
Retail industry	44	33	22	+22
Travel industry	42	35	21	+21
Accounting	36	42	19	+17
Publishing industry	38	38	22	+16
Automobile industry	42	25	32	+10
Telephone industry	39	30	31	+8
Movie industry	38	23	37	+1
Sports industry	37	25	36	+1
Television and radio industry	39	21	40	-1
Electric and gas utilities	38	20	40	-2
Advertising and public relations industry	32	29	37	-5
Pharmaceutical industry	36	20	43	-7
Airline industry	29	30	39	-10
Education	35	18	47	-12
The legal field	29	24	45	-16
Banking	30	21	47	-17
Healthcare industry	27	18	55	-28
Real Estate industry	23	23	52	-29
Oil and gas industry	20	15	64	-44
The federal government	17	20	63	-46

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Full Trends: Business and Industry Sector Ratings

A. Accounting

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	8	28	42	12	7	3	36
2010 Aug 5-8	8	27	41	13	3	8	35
2009 Aug 6-9	9	25	42	14	4	5	34
2008 Aug 7-10	6	30	46	10	2	6	36
2007 Aug 13-16	9	31	42	10	2	6	40
2006 Aug 7-10	8	34	41	7	4	6	42
2005 Aug 8-11	9	33	40	11	3	4	42
2004 Aug 9-11	6	29	45	12	3	5	35
2003 Aug 4-6	8	37	37	10	4	4	45
2002 Aug 5-8	7	24	32	19	12	6	31
2001 Aug 16-19	10	37	40	7	1	5	47

B. Advertising and public relations industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	8	24	29	26	11	2	32
2010 Aug 5-8	6	27	27	25	11	4	33
2009 Aug 6-9	6	25	30	27	11	1	31
2008 Aug 7-10	4	23	33	26	11	3	27
2007 Aug 13-16	6	29	29	21	13	2	35
2006 Aug 7-10	6	27	27	27	11	2	33
2005 Aug 8-11	9	21	32	27	8	3	30
2004 Aug 9-11	8	25	32	21	11	3	33
2003 Aug 4-6	9	32	29	19	8	3	41
2002 Aug 5-8	7	24	34	23	9	3	31
2001 Aug 16-19	10	28	28	23	9	2	38

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C. Airline industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	5	24	30	26	13	2	29
2010 Aug 5-8	4	26	25	27	14	4	30
2009 Aug 6-9	6	26	29	30	7	2	32
2008 Aug 7-10	3	15	27	29	23	3	18
2007 Aug 13-16	7	23	33	24	9	4	30
2006 Aug 7-10	7	26	32	22	9	4	33
2005 Aug 8-11	6	32	32	21	6	3	38
2004 Aug 9-11	6	32	33	20	3	6	38
2003 Aug 4-6	6	31	30	24	7	2	37
2002 Aug 5-8	7	24	33	24	6	6	31
2001 Aug 16-19	10	27	29	23	7	4	37

D. Automobile industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	8	34	25	21	11	1	42
2010 Aug 5-8	6	33	23	26	10	2	39
2009 Aug 6-9	4	20	16	38	21	1	24
2008 Aug 7-10	5	24	22	32	14	3	29
2007 Aug 13-16	8	30	29	27	5	1	38
2006 Aug 7-10	11	28	27	24	8	2	39
2005 Aug 8-11	10	32	29	19	7	3	42
2004 Aug 9-11	11	33	29	17	7	3	44
2003 Aug 4-6	12	40	27	14	5	2	52
2002 Aug 5-8	10	36	31	12	7	4	46
2001 Aug 16-19	11	34	28	20	6	1	45

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E. Banking

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	7	23	21	28	19	1	30
2010 Aug 5-8	7	19	20	33	21	1	26
2009 Aug 6-9	7	21	20	30	21	1	28
2008 Aug 7-10	7	29	25	26	11	2	36
2007 Aug 13-16	13	37	30	16	2	2	50
2006 Aug 7-10	15	41	25	14	3	2	56
2005 Aug 8-11	12	34	31	18	4	1	46
2004 Aug 9-11	15	31	34	14	3	3	46
2003 Aug 4-6	13	39	26	15	5	2	52
2002 Aug 5-8	12	34	29	17	7	1	46
2001 Aug 16-19	12	35	31	13	7	2	47

F. Computer industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	30	42	16	6	4	1	72
2010 Aug 5-8	22	38	26	9	2	3	60
2009 Aug 6-9	21	41	23	8	3	4	62
2008 Aug 7-10	22	38	27	6	4	3	60
2007 Aug 13-16	22	39	25	7	3	4	61
2006 Aug 7-10	22	38	26	6	3	5	60
2005 Aug 8-11	20	37	30	8	2	3	57
2004 Aug 9-11	20	40	26	6	2	6	60
2003 Aug 4-6	24	46	20	5	1	4	70
2002 Aug 5-8	20	42	24	5	4	5	62
2001 Aug 16-19 ^	27	40	20	9	1	3	67

^ BASED ON --326-- NATIONAL ADULTS INTERVIEWED AUG. 17-19, 2001.

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G. Education

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	7	28	18	35	12	*	35
2010 Aug 5-8	9	30	17	32	11	1	39
2009 Aug 6-9	10	33	16	31	10	1	43
2008 Aug 7-10	8	33	15	31	12	1	41
2007 Aug 13-16	13	34	16	28	8	1	47
2006 Aug 7-10	9	32	19	27	11	2	41
2005 Aug 8-11	17	35	18	24	5	1	52
2004 Aug 9-11	12	33	21	25	7	2	45
2003 Aug 4-6	13	38	18	20	10	1	51
2002 Aug 5-8	12	35	16	27	9	1	47
2001 Aug 16-19	13	37	18	23	9	*	50

H. Electric and gas utilities

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	11	27	20	24	16	*	38
2010 Aug 5-8	8	29	22	27	14	*	37
2009 Aug 6-9	5	26	22	33	12	1	31
2008 Aug 7-10	4	23	19	28	24	2	27
2007 Aug 13-16	6	25	23	26	19	1	31
2006 Aug 7-10	6	22	20	30	21	1	28
2005 Aug 8-11	11	25	24	26	12	2	36
2004 Aug 9-11	8	24	29	26	12	1	32
2003 Aug 4-6	12	33	23	21	10	1	45
2002 Aug 5-8	9	27	27	24	11	2	36
2001 Aug 16-19	9	22	21	30	17	1	31

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I. Farming and agriculture

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	18	39	22	13	6	2	57
2010 Aug 5-8	21	32	24	12	6	4	53
2009 Aug 6-9	19	37	24	15	3	3	56
2008 Aug 7-10	13	37	27	15	4	4	50
2007 Aug 13-16	13	38	24	17	5	3	51
2006 Aug 7-10	20	36	25	13	2	4	56
2005 Aug 8-11	22	36	27	10	3	2	58
2004 Aug 9-11	19	31	34	9	3	4	50
2003 Aug 4-6	17	35	27	16	4	1	52
2002 Aug 5-8	16	35	28	12	4	5	51
2001 Aug 16-19	23	36	24	10	5	2	59

J. Grocery industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	13	39	24	19	5	*	52
2010 Aug 5-8	14	39	25	17	5	1	53
2009 Aug 6-9	14	37	25	16	7	1	51
2008 Aug 7-10	9	27	27	27	9	1	36
2007 Aug 13-16	13	40	26	16	4	1	53
2006 Aug 7-10	18	37	29	11	3	2	55
2005 Aug 8-11	17	41	27	11	4	*	58
2004 Aug 9-11	14	38	31	13	2	2	52
2003 Aug 4-6	16	47	24	8	4	1	63
2002 Aug 5-8	18	40	25	13	3	1	58
2001 Aug 16-19	18	39	29	11	2	1	57

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K. Healthcare industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	8	19	18	32	23	*	27
2010 Aug 5-8	8	21	17	31	23	*	29
2009 Aug 6-9	8	28	15	26	22	1	36
2008 Aug 7-10	7	20	14	29	28	2	27
2007 Aug 13-16	6	22	16	34	22	*	28
2006 Aug 7-10	11	24	17	29	17	2	35
2005 Aug 8-11	12	20	16	32	18	2	32
2004 Aug 9-11	10	23	16	33	17	1	33
2003 Aug 4-6	11	31	12	28	17	1	42
2002 Aug 5-8	10	20	19	32	17	2	30
2001 Aug 16-19	11	26	19	29	15	*	37

L. Internet industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	22	34	26	11	5	3	56
2010 Aug 5-8	18	32	24	17	5	4	50
2009 Aug 6-9	17	34	25	14	6	4	51
2008 Aug 7-10	17	32	27	10	8	6	49
2007 Aug 13-16	17	37	23	14	5	4	54
2006 Aug 7-10	18	32	24	16	6	4	50
2005 Aug 8-11	15	31	27	18	4	5	46
2004 Aug 9-11	16	29	26	15	7	7	45
2003 Aug 4-6	16	35	25	15	5	4	51
2002 Aug 5-8	14	29	26	16	5	10	43
2001 Aug 16-19	14	30	26	20	7	3	44

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M. The legal field

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	7	22	24	26	19	2	29
2010 Aug 5-8	5	22	28	26	15	4	27
2009 Aug 6-9	6	19	32	26	15	1	25
2008 Aug 7-10	4	22	28	25	18	3	26
2007 Aug 13-16	5	26	25	24	18	2	31
2006 Aug 7-10	8	19	27	29	15	2	27
2005 Aug 8-11	7	20	24	30	17	2	27
2004 Aug 9-11	6	21	28	27	15	3	27
2003 Aug 4-6	8	28	24	24	14	2	36
2002 Aug 5-8	4	18	35	24	15	4	22
2001 Aug 16-19	7	22	24	28	17	2	29

N. Movie industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	14	24	23	22	15	2	38
2010 Aug 5-8	8	27	27	22	13	3	35
2009 Aug 6-9	11	27	26	21	12	3	38
2008 Aug 7-10	9	26	30	20	12	3	35
2007 Aug 13-16	10	26	25	25	12	2	36
2006 Aug 7-10	9	25	26	25	13	2	34
2005 Aug 8-11	11	22	25	27	12	3	33
2004 Aug 9-11	10	27	26	20	13	4	37
2003 Aug 4-6	12	30	25	19	12	2	42
2002 Aug 5-8	12	22	27	22	13	4	34
2001 Aug 16-19	9	24	23	24	17	3	33

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O. Oil and gas industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	7	13	15	27	37	2	20
2010 Aug 5-8	4	16	16	34	29	1	20
2009 Aug 6-9	5	16	16	28	35	1	21
2008 Aug 7-10	4	11	8	24	52	1	15
2007 Aug 13-16	6	13	14	32	35	*	19
2006 Aug 7-10	5	10	7	28	49	1	15
2005 Aug 8-11	9	11	17	27	35	1	20
2004 Aug 9-11	6	15	18	35	23	3	21
2003 Aug 4-6	9	26	22	29	14	*	35
2002 Aug 5-8	6	19	28	28	16	3	25
2001 Aug 16-19	7	17	21	33	21	1	24

P. Pharmaceutical industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	11	25	20	26	17	1	36
2010 Aug 5-8	6	26	17	25	23	3	32
2009 Aug 6-9	8	23	18	28	21	1	31
2008 Aug 7-10	10	21	23	25	20	1	31
2007 Aug 13-16	11	22	16	31	19	1	33
2006 Aug 7-10	12	27	15	24	21	1	39
2005 Aug 8-11	10	19	22	25	22	2	29
2004 Aug 9-11	9	22	19	31	17	2	31
2003 Aug 4-6	12	31	18	22	16	1	43
2002 Aug 5-8	11	22	22	25	18	2	33
2001 Aug 16-19	12	27	22	24	14	1	39

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Q. Publishing industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	9	29	38	15	7	3	38
2010 Aug 5-8	9	28	40	14	6	3	37
2009 Aug 6-9	12	28	33	16	7	3	40
2008 Aug 7-10	7	29	38	17	5	4	36
2007 Aug 13-16	11	32	36	12	6	3	43
2006 Aug 7-10	12	32	33	13	6	4	44
2005 Aug 8-11	10	32	35	14	6	3	42
2004 Aug 9-11	10	31	36	14	5	4	41
2003 Aug 4-6	12	34	37	11	4	2	46
2002 Aug 5-8	8	30	37	15	5	5	38
2001 Aug 16-19	12	35	32	13	5	3	47

R. Real Estate industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	5	18	23	33	19	2	23
2010 Aug 5-8	5	21	24	32	16	3	26
2009 Aug 6-9	5	19	27	32	16	2	24
2008 Aug 7-10	3	13	26	35	21	2	16
2007 Aug 13-16	9	25	30	26	9	1	34
2006 Aug 7-10	9	33	31	19	6	2	42
2005 Aug 8-11	13	33	29	17	6	2	46
2004 Aug 9-11	15	32	31	15	4	3	47
2003 Aug 4-6	13	40	28	13	5	1	53
2002 Aug 5-8	12	35	32	13	4	4	47
2001 Aug 16-19	12	34	32	16	4	2	46

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S. Restaurant industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	17	44	25	7	5	1	61
2010 Aug 5-8	15	42	31	10	1	1	57
2009 Aug 6-9	14	43	28	12	2	1	57
2008 Aug 7-10	11	40	35	10	2	2	51
2007 Aug 13-16	18	45	26	9	1	1	63
2006 Aug 7-10	18	47	25	8	1	1	65
2005 Aug 8-11	14	44	31	6	2	3	58
2004 Aug 9-11	15	43	32	6	1	3	58
2003 Aug 4-6	15	51	25	6	2	1	66
2002 Aug 5-8	16	45	28	7	1	3	61
2001 Aug 16-19	15	47	28	6	2	2	62

T. Retail industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	11	33	33	17	5	2	44
2010 Aug 5-8	8	36	33	18	4	2	44
2009 Aug 6-9	7	37	30	19	3	3	44
2008 Aug 7-10	6	33	36	17	5	3	39
2007 Aug 13-16	6	45	29	14	4	2	51
2006 Aug 7-10	12	41	33	9	2	3	53
2005 Aug 8-11	10	42	31	11	4	2	52
2004 Aug 9-11	11	43	31	11	2	2	54
2003 Aug 4-6	7	47	29	14	2	1	54
2002 Aug 5-8	12	42	30	11	2	3	54
2001 Aug 16-19	12	35	34	14	3	2	47

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U. Sports industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	11	26	25	22	14	2	37
2010 Aug 5-8	11	27	28	20	10	4	38
2009 Aug 6-9	11	28	28	17	13	3	39
2008 Aug 7-10	12	24	31	18	11	4	36
2007 Aug 13-16	11	24	27	24	11	3	35
2006 Aug 7-10	14	31	24	18	9	4	45
2005 Aug 8-11	13	20	26	24	14	3	33
2004 Aug 9-11	12	27	26	22	10	3	39
2003 Aug 4-6	16	28	26	18	9	3	44
2002 Aug 5-8	15	20	28	22	11	4	35
2001 Aug 16-19	14	24	28	21	12	1	38

V. Telephone industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	11	28	30	23	8	1	39
2010 Aug 5-8	11	30	30	21	8	1	41
2009 Aug 6-9	10	31	30	22	7	1	41
2008 Aug 7-10	9	30	30	21	8	2	39
2007 Aug 13-16	8	38	26	18	9	1	46
2006 Aug 7-10	12	31	25	22	9	1	43
2005 Aug 8-11	13	27	31	21	6	2	40
2004 Aug 9-11	10	28	28	23	8	3	38
2003 Aug 4-6	11	32	26	20	10	1	43
2002 Aug 5-8	10	24	27	24	13	2	34
2001 Aug 16-19	10	29	24	27	10	*	39

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W. Television and radio industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	11	28	21	24	16	1	39
2010 Aug 5-8	7	36	22	24	11	*	43
2009 Aug 6-9	11	29	21	27	11	1	40
2008 Aug 7-10	8	29	22	27	13	1	37
2007 Aug 13-16	10	31	21	25	12	1	41
2006 Aug 7-10	11	30	22	26	10	1	41
2005 Aug 8-11	12	23	25	26	12	2	35
2004 Aug 9-11	12	25	25	27	10	1	37
2003 Aug 4-6	11	34	24	23	8	*	45
2002 Aug 5-8	11	31	24	23	9	2	42
2001 Aug 16-19	11	31	22	24	12	*	42

X. Travel industry

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	9	33	35	16	5	2	42
2010 Aug 5-8	8	35	35	16	4	3	43
2009 Aug 6-9	9	33	34	17	5	2	42
2008 Aug 7-10	5	29	36	18	8	4	34
2007 Aug 13-16	8	34	35	17	3	3	42
2006 Aug 7-10	9	37	34	12	5	3	46
2005 Aug 8-11	12	36	35	10	3	4	48
2004 Aug 9-11	13	37	35	8	1	6	50
2003 Aug 4-6	9	40	33	11	4	3	49
2002 Aug 5-8	9	33	35	15	2	6	42
2001 Aug 16-19	11	39	35	11	2	2	50

Y. The federal government

	Very positive	Some-what positive	Neutral	Some-what negative	Very negative	No opinion	Total positive
2011 Aug 11-14	5	12	20	34	29	*	17
2010 Aug 5-8	4	22	14	33	25	1	26
2009 Aug 6-9	6	23	15	31	23	1	29
2008 Aug 7-10	3	15	20	34	26	2	18
2007 Aug 13-16	5	16	21	39	18	1	21
2006 Aug 7-10	6	19	23	30	20	2	25
2005 Aug 8-11	6	27	20	31	14	2	33
2004 Aug 9-11	9	25	25	30	9	2	34
2003 Aug 4-6	9	32	23	22	13	1	41

