

Appendix C: Hispanic Survey and Asian-American Survey Toplines

2013 Survey of Hispanics
Oct. 16 – Nov. 3, 2013
Total N=701 Hispanic adults

2013 Survey of Asian Americans
Oct. 16 – 31, 2013
Total N=802 Asian-American adults

	Sample size	Margin of error at 95% confidence level
<i>Total Hispanic respondents</i>	701	+/- 4.4% points
<i>Native born (including Puerto Rico)</i>	315	+/- 7.2% points
<i>Foreign born (excluding Puerto Rico)</i>	386	+/- 6.8% points
<i>Total Asian-American respondents</i>	802	+/- 5.0% points
<i>Native born</i>	259	+/- 9.0% points
<i>Foreign born</i>	543	+/- 6.0% points

All numbers are percentages. Percentages greater than zero but less than 0.5% are replaced by an asterisk (). Columns/rows may not total 100% due to rounding. NA indicates that the answer category was not an option. Unless otherwise noted, all trends for Hispanics reference surveys from the Pew Research Center Hispanic Trends Project; trends for Asian Americans reference the Pew Research Center 2012 Asian-American Survey (AAS).*

NO QUESTION 1

ASK ALL

Q2. Overall, are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way things are going in your life today?

Hispanics:

Oct 16– Nov 3 <u>2013</u>		July <u>2013</u>
81	Satisfied	88
17	Dissatisfied	10
2	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	2

Asian Americans:

Oct 16– Oct 31 <u>2013</u>		Mar <u>2012</u>
82	Satisfied	82
14	Dissatisfied	13
5	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	4

NO QUESTION 3-5

ASK ALL**(ROTATE ORDER OF Q6 and Q7)**

Q6. All in all, are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way things are going in this country today?

Hispanics:

Oct 16–		
Nov 3		
<u>2013</u>		
34	Satisfied	
60	Dissatisfied	
5	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	

Trends among Hispanics:

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>Don't know/Refused (VOL.)</u>
Nov 2013	34	60	5
Oct 2012	51	43	6
Dec 2011	38	56	6
Sep 2010	36	57	7
Nov 2008	27	66	6
July 2008	25	70	4
Mar 2006	33	60	7

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–		
Oct 31		Mar
<u>2013</u>		<u>2012</u>
38	Satisfied	43
54	Dissatisfied	48
7	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	9

ASK ALL

Q7. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as president?
(INTERVIEWER NOTE: IF RESPONDENT SAYS "DON'T KNOW," ENTER AS DK/R. IF RESPONDENT SAYS "DEPENDS," PROBE ONCE WITH: "Overall do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as president?" IF RESPONDENT STILL ANSWERS "DEPENDS," ENTER AS DK/R)

Hispanics:

Oct 16–		Dec	Sep
Nov 6		<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
<u>2013</u>			
54	Approve	49	58
34	Disapprove	38	31
n/a	No opinion (VOL.)	9	n/a
12	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	4	10

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–		
Oct 31		Mar
<u>2013</u>		<u>2012</u>
62	Approve	54
28	Disapprove	29
10	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	17

ASK ALL**(SCRAMBLE ITEMS A-E)**

Q8. How important is each of the following as an issue facing the country today? First, (is/are) (INSERT ITEM) extremely important, very important, somewhat important or not too important as an issue facing the country today? Next (INSERT ITEM)... **(IF NECESSARY: (Is/Are) (INSERT ITEM) extremely important, very important, somewhat important or not too important as an issue facing the country today?)**

- a. Jobs and the Economy

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

47	Extremely important
46	Very important
5	Somewhat important
1	Not too important
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

63	Extremely important
31	Very important
5	Somewhat important
1	Not too important
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

- b. Health care

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

41	Extremely important
44	Very important
12	Somewhat important
2	Not too important
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

40	Extremely important
40	Very important
16	Somewhat important
3	Not too important
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

QUESTION 8 CONTINUED ...

c. Education

Hispanics:

Oct 16–	
Nov 3	
<u>2013</u>	
54	Extremely important
42	Very important
2	Somewhat important
2	Not too important
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
56	Extremely important
35	Very important
8	Somewhat important
1	Not too important
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

d. Immigration

Hispanics:

Oct 16–	
Nov 3	
<u>2013</u>	
32	Extremely important
44	Very important
16	Somewhat important
6	Not too important
3	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
17	Extremely important
37	Very important
34	Somewhat important
9	Not too important
3	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

e. The federal government debt

Hispanics:

Oct 16–	
Nov 3	
<u>2013</u>	
38	Extremely important
39	Very important
14	Somewhat important
5	Not too important
5	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16-	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
41	Extremely important
35	Very important
18	Somewhat important
3	Not too important
3	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

NO QUESTIONS 9 TO 12**ASK ALL**

(INSERT "Hispanics" IF IM-2A=1, INSERT "Latinos" IF IM-2A=2, 3, 9)

Q13. Compared with one year ago, do you think the situation of (HISPANICS/LATINOS/ASIAN AMERICANS) in this country today is better, worse, or about the same?

Hispanics:

Oct 16-					
Nov 3		Dec	Nov	July	Nov
<u>2013</u>		<u>2011</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
25	Better	13	17	13	26
15	Worse	38	38	50	33
58	The same	46	41	35	38
2	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	3	3	3	3

Asian Americans:

Oct 16-	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
16	Better
7	Worse
71	The same
5	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK ALL

(INSERT "Hispanics" IF IM-2A=1, INSERT "Latinos" IF IM-2A=2, 3, 9)

(SCRAMBLE ITEMS A-C)

Q14. Overall, would you say the [INSERT ITEM] cares a lot, cares some, or does not really care about the issues and concerns of (HISPANICS/LATINOS/ASIAN AMERICANS) today? Next, [INSERT ITEM]?

READ AS NECESSARY: Do you think [INSERT ITEM] cares a lot, cares some, or does not really care about the issues and concerns of (HISPANICS/LATINOS/ASIAN AMERICANS) today?

- a. The Democratic Party

Hispanics:

Oct 16-	
Nov 3	
<u>2013</u>	
27	Cares a lot
45	Cares some
20	Does not really care
8	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

QUESTION 14 CONTINUED ...**Asian Americans:**

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

15	Cares a lot
55	Cares some
19	Does not really care
10	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

b. The Republican Party

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

9	Cares a lot
31	Cares some
53	Does not really care
8	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

4	Cares a lot
38	Cares some
48	Does not really care
10	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

c. The Obama administration

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

31	Cares a lot
45	Cares some
19	Does not really care
4	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

17	Cares a lot
55	Cares some
21	Does not really care
8	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

READ TO ALL: On another topic...

ASK ALL

Q15. How important is it to you that the president and Congress pass significant new immigration legislation this year—extremely important, very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not important at all? **(INTERVIEWER NOTE: IF R SAYS "IMPORTANT" PROBE FOR RESPONSE CATEGORY)**

Hispanics:

Oct 16–
Nov 3
2013
38 Extremely important
31 Very important
19 Somewhat important
6 Not too important
4 Not important at all
2 Don't know/Refused **(VOL.)**

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–
Oct 31
2013
15 Extremely important
29 Very important
33 Somewhat important
14 Not too important
4 Not important at all
4 Don't know/Refused **(VOL.)**

ASK ALL

Q16. How much have you seen or heard about new immigration legislation being considered in Congress? **(READ ITEMS)**

Hispanics:

Oct 16–
Nov 3
2013
26 A lot
59 A little
15 Nothing at all
1 Don't know/Refused **(VOL.)**

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–
Oct 31
2013
19 A lot
60 A little
20 Nothing at all
2 Don't know/Refused **(VOL.)**

ASK ALL

Q17. Overall, do you favor or oppose the new immigration legislation being considered in Congress, or don't you know enough about it to say?

Hispanics:

Oct 16-
Nov 3
2013
27 Favor
5 Oppose
67 Don't know enough to say
1 Don't know/Refused **(VOL.)**

Asian Americans:

Oct 16-
Oct 31
2013
20 Favor
7 Oppose
72 Don't know enough to say
1 Don't know/Refused **(VOL.)**

ASK ALL**(SCRAMBLE 1-3)**

Q18. Just your best guess, if the president and Congress do NOT pass significant new immigration legislation this year, who do you think will be most responsible? **(READ ITEMS)**

Hispanics:

Oct 16-
Nov 3
2013
43 The Republicans in Congress [OR]
15 The Democrats in Congress [OR]
18 President Obama
1 The Democrats in Congress AND President Obama equally **(VOL.)**
All of these/None of these/Both Republicans in Congress AND (the Democrats in
12 Congress OR President Obama) **(VOL.)**
11 Don't know/Refused **(VOL.)**

Asian Americans:

Oct 16-
Oct 31
2013
48 The Republicans in Congress [OR]
12 The Democrats in Congress [OR]
13 President Obama
4 The Democrats in Congress AND President Obama equally **(VOL.)**
All of these/None of these/Both Republicans in Congress AND (the Democrats in
8 Congress OR President Obama) **(VOL.)**
14 Don't know/Refused **(VOL.)**

ASK ALL**(SCRAMBLE ITEMS A-D)**

Q19. As you may know, Congress is considering several proposals to change immigration in the U.S. Please tell me if you approve or disapprove of each of the following proposals. First (INSERT ITEM)... Next (INSERT ITEM) (**READ AS NECESSARY:** Do you approve or disapprove of this?)

- a. Increasing the number of temporary work visas for agriculture and food industry workers

Hispanics:

Oct 16–
Nov 3
2013
85 Approve
13 Disapprove
3 Don't know/Refused (**VOL.**)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–
Oct 31
2013
79 Approve
16 Disapprove
4 Don't know/Refused (**VOL.**)

- b. Increasing enforcement of immigration laws at U.S. borders

Hispanics:

Oct 16–
Nov 3
2013
68 Approve
26 Disapprove
5 Don't know/Refused (**VOL.**)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–
Oct 31
2013
73 Approve
20 Disapprove
8 Don't know/Refused (**VOL.**)

- c. Increasing the number of temporary work visas for highly skilled workers

Hispanics:

Oct 16–
Nov 3
2013
85 Approve
14 Disapprove
1 Don't know/Refused (**VOL.**)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–
Oct 31
2013
83 Approve
14 Disapprove
4 Don't know/Refused (**VOL.**)

QUESTION 19 CONTINUED ...

- d. Creating a pathway to citizenship for undocumented immigrants if they meet certain requirements

Hispanics:

Oct 16–
Nov 3
2013
89 Approve
10 Disapprove
1 Don't know/Refused (**VOL.**)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–
Oct 31
2013
72 Approve
24 Disapprove
3 Don't know/Refused (**VOL.**)

ASK ALL**(ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS)**

- Q20. Which of these do you think is MORE IMPORTANT for undocumented immigrants currently living in the U.S.? (**READ LIST**) (**INTERVIEWER NOTE: Please read the response options as "ONE – (first statement), OR TWO – (second statement)"**) (**INTERVIEWER NOTE: – IF R SAYS NEITHER/BOTH, PROBE ONCE**)

Hispanics:

Oct 16–
Nov 3
2013
55 Being able to live and work in the U.S. legally without the threat of being deported [OR]
35 Having a pathway to citizenship for those who meet certain requirements
1 Neither (**VOL.**)
6 Both equally (**VOL.**)
2 Don't know/Refused (**VOL.**)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–
Oct 31
2013
49 Being able to live and work in the U.S. legally without the threat of being deported [OR]
44 Having a pathway to citizenship for those who meet certain requirements
2 Neither (**VOL.**)
3 Both equally (**VOL.**)
2 Don't know/Refused (**VOL.**)

ASK ALL

(INSERT "Hispanics" IF IM-2A=1, INSERT "Latinos" IF IM-2A=2, 3, 9)

Q21. Overall, what is the effect of UNDOCUMENTED or ILLEGAL immigration on (HISPANICS/LATINOS/ASIAN AMERICANS) already living in the U.S.? Would you say it is (READ LIST)?

Hispanics:

Oct 16– Nov 3 <u>2013</u>		July <u>2013</u>	Sep <u>2010</u>
38	A positive effect	45	29
26	A negative effect	21	31
31	Or would you say it has had no effect one way or the other	26	30
5	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	8	9

TREND FOR COMPARISON AMONG HISPANICS: ^a

	Nov <u>2007</u>
A positive effect	50
A negative effect	20
Or would you say it has had no effect one way or the other	20
Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	9

^a In 2007, the question read, "Overall, what is the effect of the growing number of undocumented or illegal immigrants on (HISPANICS/LATINOS) living in the U.S.? Would you say it's (READ LIST)?"

Asian Americans:

Oct 16– Oct 31 <u>2013</u>	
21	A positive effect
25	A negative effect
44	Or would you say it has had no effect one way or the other
10	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK IF NEGATIVE EFFECT

(IF Q21=2)

(INSERT "Hispanics" IF IM-2A=1, INSERT "Latinos" IF IM-2A=2, 3, 9)

(SCRAMBLE ITEMS A-B)

Q22. Would you say the following statement is an important reason you say that, or not an important reason? [INSERT ITEM] **READ IF NECESSARY:** Is this an important reason you say undocumented immigrants have a negative effect on (HISPANICS/LATINOS/ASIAN AMERICANS) already living in the U.S., or not an important reason?

- a. Undocumented immigrants take jobs away from (HISPANICS/LATINOS/ASIAN AMERICANS) already living in the U.S.

BASED ON ALL HISPANICS ASKED:

Oct 16– Nov 3 <u>2013</u>	
51	Yes, important reason
48	No, not important reason
2	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

(n=176)

QUESTION 22 CONTINUED ...**BASED ON ALL ASIAN AMERICANS ASKED:**

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

61	Yes, important reason
39	No, not important reason
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

(n=194)

- b. Undocumented immigrants create a negative perception of (HISPANICS/LATINOS/ASIAN AMERICANS) already living in the U.S.

BASED ON ALL HISPANICS ASKED:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

60	Yes, important reason
39	No, not important reason
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

(n=176)**BASED ON ALL ASIAN AMERICANS ASKED:**

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

61	Yes, important reason
37	No, not important reason
2	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

(n=194)**ASK ALL****(SCRAMBLE ITEMS A-D)**

Q23. Here are a few things that some people say could happen if undocumented immigrants were granted legal status. Just your best guess, please tell me your view about each. Do you think that granting legal status to undocumented immigrants would or would not [INSERT ITEM]... Next [INSERT ITEM]? **READ AS NECESSARY:** Do you think that granting legal status to undocumented immigrants would or would not [INSERT ITEM]?

- a. Strengthen the U.S. economy

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

76	Yes, would
22	No, would not
2	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

QUESTION 23 CONTINUED ...**Asian Americans:**

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

59	Yes, would
33	No, would not
9	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

b. Lead to more people coming here illegally

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

51	Yes, would
43	No, would not
7	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

61	Yes, would
32	No, would not
7	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

c. Improve the lives of undocumented immigrants

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

87	Yes, would
11	No, would not
2	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

75	Yes, would
18	No, would not
7	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

d. Reward illegal behavior

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

53	Yes, would
41	No, would not
6	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

QUESTION 23 CONTINUED ...**Asian Americans:**

Oct 16–	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
48	Yes, would
44	No, would not
8	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

NO QUESTION 24

READ TO ALL: Thinking now about LEGAL immigrants ...

ASK ALL

Q25. Should LEGAL immigration into the United States be kept at its present level, increased or decreased?

Hispanics:

Oct 16–	
Nov 3	
<u>2013</u>	
37	Kept at present level
40	Increased
19	Decreased
4	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
39	Kept at present level
43	Increased
12	Decreased
6	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK ALL

Q26. Overall, do you think legal immigration in the U.S. today has a positive effect on the country, a negative effect, or would you say it has no effect one way or the other?

Hispanics:

Oct 16–	
Nov 3	
<u>2013</u>	
59	A positive effect
15	A negative effect
22	Has no effect one way or the other
3	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
69	A positive effect
8	A negative effect
19	Has no effect one way or the other
5	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK ALL**(SCRAMBLE ITEMS A-B)**

Q27. Thinking about legal immigration, how much, if at all, do you think each of these would help the U.S. economy? (First/Next) [INSERT ITEM]. Would this help the U.S. economy a great deal, some, not too much or not at all?

- a. Increasing the number of temporary work visas for agriculture and food industry workers

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

57	A great deal
25	Some
11	Not too much
6	Not at all
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

30	A great deal
43	Some
18	Not too much
6	Not at all
3	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

- b. Increasing the number of temporary work visas for high-skill workers

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

52	A great deal
28	Some
11	Not too much
8	Not at all
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

47	A great deal
34	Some
10	Not too much
7	Not at all
2	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

NO QUESTION 28

READ TO ALL: On another subject ...

ASK ALL

Q29. How much would you say you know about the immigration system in the U.S.—that is the process for getting legal residency permits and work visas? **(READ LIST)**

Hispanics:

Oct 16–	
Nov 3	
<u>2013</u>	
23	A lot
61	A little
15	Nothing at all
*	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
34	A lot
52	A little
13	Nothing at all
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK ALL

Q30. As far as you know, do you think the U.S. immigration system in this country works pretty well and requires only MINOR CHANGES, do you think it needs MAJOR CHANGES, or do you think it needs to be COMPLETELY REBUILT?

Hispanics:

Oct 16–	
Nov 3	
<u>2013</u>	
34	Works pretty well/Only minor changes
39	Major changes
23	Completely rebuilt
4	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
45	Works pretty well/Only minor changes
35	Major changes
12	Completely rebuilt
8	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK ALL**(SCRAMBLE ITEMS A-D)**

Q31. As I name a few aspects of the immigration system, please tell me how well you think each works. First, (INSERT ITEM). [Would you say this process works very well, somewhat well, not too well, or not at all well?] Next, (INSERT ITEM) ... **(IF NECESSARY: Would you say this process works very well, somewhat well, not too well, or not at all well?)**

- a. Getting family reunification visas for immediate family members

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

31	Very well
31	Somewhat well
21	Not too well
9	Not at all well
1	It depends (VOL.)
7	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

21	Very well
36	Somewhat well
22	Not too well
6	Not at all well
0	It depends (VOL.)
15	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

- b. Getting work-related visas for those in high-skilled jobs

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

36	Very well
37	Somewhat well
13	Not too well
7	Not at all well
1	It depends (VOL.)
6	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

27	Very well
45	Somewhat well
16	Not too well
3	Not at all well
1	It depends (VOL.)
9	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

QUESTION 31 CONTINUED ...

- c. Getting legal permanent residency

Hispanics:

Oct 16– Nov 3 <u>2013</u>	
35	Very well
39	Somewhat well
16	Not too well
6	Not at all well
*	It depends (VOL.)
4	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16– Oct 31 <u>2013</u>	
19	Very well
50	Somewhat well
19	Not too well
5	Not at all well
1	It depends (VOL.)
6	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

- d. Getting work-related visas for international students who want to work in the U.S. after they complete their degree

Hispanics:

Oct 16– Nov 3 <u>2013</u>	
37	Very well
38	Somewhat well
14	Not too well
4	Not at all well
1	It depends (VOL.)
7	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16– Oct 31 <u>2013</u>	
24	Very well
44	Somewhat well
18	Not too well
6	Not at all well
*	It depends (VOL.)
9	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK ALL

Q32. Do you or a family member have any personal experience using the services of the U.S. immigration system, or not?

Hispanics:

Oct 16-	
Nov 3	
<u>2013</u>	
45	Yes, have experience
54	No, no experience
*	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Asian Americans:

Oct 16-	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
69	Yes, have experience
29	No, no experience
2	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK IF YES

(IF Q32=1)

Q33. Have you or a family member ever gone to a U.S. immigration office or had an in-person interview with employees of the US immigration system, or not?

BASED ON ALL HISPANICS ASKED:

Oct 16-	
Nov 3	
<u>2013</u>	
83	Yes, have
16	No, not
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

(n=304)

BASED ON ALL ASIAN AMERICANS ASKED:

Oct 16-	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
85	Yes, have
13	No, not
2	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

(n=579)

ASK ALL

Q34. Regardless of your own immigration or citizenship status, how much, if at all, do you worry that you, a family member, or a close friend could be deported? Would you say that you worry a lot, some, not much, or not at all?

Hispanics:

Oct 16-				
Nov 3				
<u>2013</u>		<u>2010</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
25	A lot	34	36	33
21	Some	18	17	20
11	Not much	9	12	12
42	Not at all	37	34	34
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	1	1	1

QUESTION 34 CONTINUED ...**Asian Americans:**

Oct 16–	
Oct 31	
<u>2013</u>	
8	A lot
8	Some
16	Not much
67	Not at all
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK ALL

FINSIT How would you rate your own personal financial situation? Would you say you are in excellent shape, good shape, only fair shape or poor shape financially?

Hispanics:

Oct 16–			
Nov 3		Oct	Dec
<u>2013</u>		<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
6	Excellent shape	5	5
31	Good shape	28	19
42	Only fair shape	50	51
20	Poor shape	16	25
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	1	1
			Nov
			<u>2008</u>
			4
			19
			46
			30
			2

Asian Americans:

Oct 16–		
Oct 31		Mar
<u>2013</u>		<u>2012</u>
12	Excellent shape	12
43	Good shape	40
32	Only fair shape	36
13	Poor shape	11
*	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	2

SELECTED BACKGROUND VARIABLES SHOWN. SEE QUESTIONNAIRE FOR FULL DETAIL OF QUESTIONS ASKED.

ASK ALL HISPANICS

DM3. Now I want to ask you about you and your family's heritage. Are you Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Dominican, Salvadoran, or are you and your ancestors from another country? (**IF ANOTHER COUNTRY:** What country is that?) (**IF STILL NOT SURE, ASK:** Are you and your ancestors from Central America, South America, or somewhere else?) (**ACCEPT ONE ANSWER. IF MORE THAN ONE ANSWER GIVEN, ASK:** Which do you identify more with?)

Oct 16– Nov 3 <u>2013</u>		July <u>2013</u>	Oct <u>2012</u>	Sep <u>2010</u>	Sep <u>2009</u>	Jul <u>2008</u>	Nov <u>2007</u>	Jun <u>2004</u>
60	Mexican	60	61	64	62	62	63	64
9	Puerto Rican	9	9	9	9	9	8	9
4	Cuban	4	4	4	5	4	4	4
4	Dominican	3	4	3	5	2	3	3
5	Salvadoran	5	4	5	5	3	3	2
4	Other Central American	6	6	5	5	7	6	6
3	Other South American	6	6	6	6	7	7	6
8	Other	4	5	4	2	5	5	4
2	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

TREND FOR COMPARISON:

	Dec <u>2011</u> ^a
Mexican	62
Puerto Rican	9
Cuban	4
Dominican	3
Salvadoran	4
Other Central American	8
Other South American	7
Other	2
Mixed heritage (VOL.)	1
Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	1

^a In Dec 2011, multiple mentions were allowed. If a respondent named more than one heritage, they are listed as "mixed heritage."

ASK ALL ASIAN AMERICANS

ALT_ASIANID Please tell me which one or more of the following specific Asian groups you are. Are you Chinese, Filipino, Indian, Japanese, Korean, Vietnamese, or of some other Asian background?

[ACCEPT MULTIPLE RESPONSES]

ASK IF MULTIPLE RESPONSES TO ALT_ASIANID:

ALT_ASIANONE Thinking about the specific Asian groups you just mentioned, which ONE of these do you identify with most? **[DO NOT READ] INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTIONS: IF NONE/IDENTIFY WITH BOTH OR ALL EQUALLY, PROBE ONCE:** In general, which ONE of these do you identify with most?

ALT_ASNIDONE: combined variable for those with one Asian group mentioned in ALT_ASIANID and responses to ALT_ASIANONE for those with multiple groups mentioned.

Oct 16-

Oct 31

2013

25	Chinese
15	Filipino
24	Indian
9	Japanese
10	Korean
6	Vietnamese
1	Bangladeshi
*	Bhutanese
*	Burmese
1	Cambodian
*	Hmong
*	Indonesian
1	Laotian
0	Maldivian
*	Malaysian
*	Mongolian
1	Nepali
3	Pakistani
0	Singaporean
1	Sri Lankan
2	Thai
1	Taiwanese or Chinese Taipei
2	Other
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK ALL HISPANICS

DM4. Were you born on the island of Puerto Rico, in the United States, or in another country?

Hispanics:

Oct 16-

Nov 3

2013

4	Puerto Rico
44	U.S.
52	Another country
*	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Trends among Hispanics:

	<u>Puerto Rico</u>	<u>U.S.</u>	<u>Another country</u>	<u>Don't know/Refused</u> (VOL.)
Nov 2013	4	44	52	*
July 2013	4	40	56	*
Oct 2012	4	44	52	*
Dec 2011	5	41	55	0
Sep 2010	4	41	55	*
Nov 2008	4	45	51	*
Sep 2009	4	41	55	*
July 2008	4	38	59	*
Nov 2007	4	37	59	*
July 2006	4	37	59	*
June 2002	5	37	58	0

ASK ALL ASIAN AMERICANS

BIRTH In what country were you born? [OPEN END; PRE-CODED; PROBE FOR COUNTRY IF CONTINENT OR REGION GIVEN]

Asian Americans:

Oct 16-

Oct 31

2013

27	U.S.
72	Another country
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Mar

2012

24
75
*

QUESTION DM5 ON HISPANIC SURVEY NOT SHOWN**ASK IF HISPANIC AND DM4 = 1, 3, 9****(INSERT "(excluding Puerto Rico)" IF DM4=1 or DM5=24)**

DM6. How many years have you lived in the United States (excluding Puerto Rico)?

BASED ON ALL HISPANICS ASKED:

Oct 16-

Nov 3

2013

10	0-5 years in U.S.
12	6-10 years in U.S.
33	11-20 years in U.S.
44	More than 20 years in U.S.
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

(n=433)

July

2013

8
15
32
44
1

Oct

2012

8
14
33
43
2

Dec

2011

10
19
27
38
5

QUESTION DM6 CONTINUED ...**TREND FOR COMPARISON:^a**

	Sep <u>2010</u>	Sep <u>2009</u>	Jul <u>2008</u>	Nov <u>2007</u>	Jul <u>2006</u>
0-5 years	11	14	19	16	20
6-10 years	16	19	16	20	17
11-20 years	29	26	28	28	28
More than 20 years	41	40	36	36	32
Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	2	1	1	1	4

^a For all trends, asked "How many years have you lived in the continental United States?" of Puerto Ricans. Did not ask those with "don't know" or "refused" responses to Q4 in 2008, 2007 or 2006.

ASK IF ASIAN AND BORN IN ANOTHER COUNTRY

(ASK IF BIRTH=2-99)

YEARUS In what year did you come to live in the U.S.? [**RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE**]**BASED ON ALL ASIAN AMERICANS ASKED:**

Oct 16- Oct 31 <u>2013</u>		Mar <u>2012^a</u>
14	0-5 years in U.S. (Came to the U.S. 2008 or later)	11
12	6-10 years in U.S. (Came to the U.S. in 2003-2007)	12
26	11-20 years in U.S. (Came to the U.S. in 1993-2002)	26
44	More than 20 years in U.S. (Came to the U.S. in 1992 or earlier)	50
3	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	1

(n=543)^a For 2012, data reflect the categories outside the parenthesis (0-5 years in U.S., etc.)**NO QUESTIONS DM7 AND DM8****ASK IF HISPANIC AND BORN IN ANOTHER COUNTRY**

(ASK IF DM4=3, 9 OR DM5<>24)

DM9. Are you a citizen of the United States?

BASED ON ALL HISPANICS ASKED:

Oct 16- Nov 3 <u>2013</u>		Oct <u>2012</u>	Dec <u>2011</u>	Sep <u>2010</u>	Sep <u>2009</u>	Nov <u>2008</u>	Jul <u>2008</u>	Nov <u>2007</u>	Jul <u>2006</u>
37	Yes	37	40	41	40	35	34	36	36
63	No	63	57	57	58	63	66	62	63
*	Don't know/ Refused (VOL.)	*	3	2	2	2	*	2	1

(n=386)**ASK IF ASIAN AMERICAN AND BORN IN ANOTHER COUNTRY**

(ASK IF BIRTH=2-99)

CITIZEN Are you currently a citizen of the United States, or not?

BASED ON ALL ASIAN AMERICANS ASKED:

Oct 16- Oct 31 <u>2013</u>		Mar <u>2012</u>
65	Yes	67
33	No	33
2	Don't know/ Refused (VOL.)	*

(n=543)

ASK IF HISPANIC

PARTY. In politics today, do you consider yourself a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else?

Hispanics:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

11	Republican
34	Democrat
38	Independent
9	Something else
8	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

Trends among Hispanics:

	<u>Republican</u>	<u>Democrat</u>	<u>Independent</u>	<u>Something else</u>	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)
Nov 2013	11	34	38	9	8
Oct 2012	10	49	23	10	8
Dec 2011	12	41	25	12	10
Sep 2010	13	35	28	12	13
Sep 2009	13	38	20	13	15
Nov 2008	11	43	25	10	10
Jul 2008	12	40	30	8	9
Nov 2007	12	31	36	9	13
Jul 2006	14	31	25	9	21
Jun 2004	14	35	26	12	14
Jun 2002	16	35	28	9	13

ASK IF HISPANIC

PARTY. In politics today, do you consider yourself a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else?

ASK IF HISPANIC AND INDEP/SOMETHING ELSE/DK/REF (PARTY=3,4,9):

PARTYLN. Do you consider yourself closer to the Republican Party or the Democratic Party?

BASED ON ALL HISPANICS:

Oct 16–

Nov 3

2013

22	Republican/Leaned Rep.
53	Democrat/Leaned Dem.
25	Neither/Other/Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

PARTY/PARTYLN CONTINUED ...**Trends among Hispanics: ^a**

	Republican/ <u>Leaned Rep.</u>	Democrat/ <u>Leaned Dem.</u>	Neither/Other/ Don't know/Refused (VOL.)
Nov 2013	22	53	25
Oct 2012	18	66	16
Dec 2011	19	60	21
Sep 2010	22	54	24
Sep 2009	19	53	28
Nov 2008	19	61	20
Jul 2008	22	61	18
Nov 2007	18	46	35
Jul 2006	19	39	42
Jun 2004	22	48	30
Jun 2002	22	44	34

^a In Jul 2006 and Jun 2002, the follow-up question was asked only of those who said "Independent" to the first question. In Jun 2004, it was asked only of those who said "Independent" or "Something else."

ASK IF ASIAN AMERICAN

PARTY. In politics today, do you consider yourself a Republican, Democrat, or Independent?

Asian Americans:

Oct 16– Oct 31 <u>2013</u>		Mar <u>2012</u>
12	Republican	18
40	Democrat	33
40	Independent	34
4	No preference (VOL.)	7
*	Other party (VOL.)	*
4	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	7

ASK IF ASIAN AMERICAN

PARTY. In politics today, do you consider yourself a Republican, Democrat, or Independent?

ASK IF ASIAN AMERICAN AND IF INDEP/NO PREF/OTHER/DK/REF (PARTY=3,4,5,9):

PARTYLN As of today do you lean more to the Republican Party or more to the Democratic Party?

BASED ON ALL ASIAN AMERICANS:

Oct 16– Oct 31 <u>2013</u>		Mar <u>2012</u>
24	Republican/Leaned Rep.	28
64	Democrat/Leaned Dem.	50
12	Neither/Other/Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	22

ASK ALLREGA. Which of these statements best describes you? **[READ LIST]****BASED ON ALL HISPANICS:**

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Nov 3

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- | | |
|----|--|
| 67 | Citizen/Born in U.S. |
| 47 | Are you absolutely certain that you are registered to vote at your current address, OR |
| 5 | Are you probably registered, but there is a chance your registration has lapsed, OR |
| 13 | Are you not registered to vote at your current address |
| 0 | Was in prison/Not eligible to vote (VOL.) |
| 2 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) |
| 33 | Not a citizen/Don't know |

BASED ON ALL ASIAN AMERICANS:

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

- | | |
|----|--|
| 75 | Citizen/Born in U.S. |
| 58 | Are you absolutely certain that you are registered to vote at your current address, OR |
| 4 | Are you probably registered, but there is a chance your registration has lapsed, OR |
| 13 | Are you not registered to vote at your current address |
| 0 | Was in prison/Not eligible to vote (VOL.) |
| * | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) |
| 25 | Not a citizen/Don't know |

ASK IF ASIAN AMERICAN

OTHLANG Do you speak a language other than English at home?

[INTERVIEWER: IF LANGUAGE OF INTERVIEW OTHER THAN ENGLISH DON'T ASK ITEM AND PUNCH 1]**Asian Americans:**

Oct 16–

Oct 31

2013

		<u>Native born</u>	<u>Foreign born/ DK nativity</u>
72	Yes	40	84
28	No	60	15
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	0	1
		(n=259)	(n=543)

ASK IF ASIAN AMERICAN AND BORN OUTSIDE THE US/FOREIGN BORN (BIRTH=2-99) OR IF YES/DK RESPONSE ON OTHRLANG=1,9:

SPEAKENG How well do you speak English? Would you say...

BASED ON ALL ASIAN AMERICANS:

Oct 16-

Oct 31

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73	Foreign born/Don't know nativity
11	Speaks only English at home
29	Speaks English very well
21	Speaks English well
9	Speaks English not well
2	Does not speak English
1	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)
27	Native born
11	Speaks a language other than English at home
16	Does not speak another language