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TABLE 003

2. Republican Congressman Paul Ryan has proposed a plan to cut the federal deficit sharply by cutting federal spending in every area except social security. From what you know of the plan do you strongly support somewhat support, somewhat oppose or strongly oppose the plan?

	AGE				GENDER		REGION				
	TOTAL	18-39	40-64	65+	MALE	FMALE	NEAST	MDWST	SOUTH	MOUNT	PCFIC
TOTAL	700	118	330	229	336	364	124	180	257	53	86
strongly support	212 30.3%	36 30.5%	98 29.7%	75 32.8%	132 39.3%	80 22.0%	44 35.5%	46 25.6%	83 32.3%	20 37.7%	19 22.1%
somewhat support	205 29.3%	40 33.9%	99 30.0%	60 26.2%	101 30.1%	104 28.6%	27 21.8%	60 33.3%	78 30.4%	12 22.6%	28 32.6%
somewhat oppose	49 7.0%	7 5.9%	28 8.5%	14 6.1%	23 6.8%	26 7.1%	9 7.3%	10 5.6%	14 5.4%	5 9.4%	11 12.8%
strongly oppose	60 8.6%	1 0.8%	32 9.7%	24 10.5%	24 7.1%	36 9.9%	18 14.5%	17 9.4%	15 5.8%	1 1.9%	9 10.5%
Don't Know/Refused	174 24.9% ****	34 28.8% ****	73 22.1% ****	56 24.5% ****	56 16.7% ****	118 32.4% ****	26 21.0% ****	47 26.1% ****	67 26.1% ****	15 28.3% ****	19 22.1% ****
support (NET)	417 59.6%	76 64.4%	197 59.7%	135 59.0%	233 69.3%	184 50.5%	71 57.3%	106 58.9%	161 62.6%	32 60.4%	47 54.7%
oppose (NET)	109 15.6%	8 6.8%	60 18.2%	38 16.6%	47 14.0%	62 17.0%	27 21.8%	27 15.0%	29 11.3%	6 11.3%	20 23.3%

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3. The most controversial part of the plan calls for replacing Medicare for those now under the age of 55 with a program where the government would give each senior a flat amount for medical care and they would buy their own health insurance. Do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose this plan?

	AGE			GENDER		REGION					
	18-39	40-64	65+	MALE	FMALE	NEAST	MDWST	SOUTH	MOUNT	PCFIC	
TOTAL	700	118	330	229	336	364	124	180	257	53	86
strongly support	109 15.6%	18 15.3%	55 16.7%	32 14.0%	71 21.1%	38 10.4%	25 20.2%	18 10.0%	46 17.9%	11 20.8%	9 10.5%
somewhat support	176 25.1%	38 32.2%	78 23.6%	56 24.5%	95 28.3%	81 22.3%	27 21.8%	53 29.4%	62 24.1%	14 26.4%	20 23.3%
somewhat oppose	110 15.7%	21 17.8%	59 17.9%	27 11.8%	45 13.4%	65 17.9%	15 12.1%	22 12.2%	45 17.5%	12 22.6%	16 18.6%
strongly oppose	197 28.1%	25 21.2%	93 28.2%	74 32.3%	78 23.2%	119 32.7%	41 33.1%	52 28.9%	65 25.3%	8 15.1%	31 36.0%
Don't Know/Refused	108 15.4% ****	16 13.6% ****	45 13.6% ****	40 17.5% ****	47 14.0% ****	61 16.8% ****	16 12.9% ****	35 19.4% ****	39 15.2% ****	8 15.1% ****	10 11.6% ****
support (NET)	285 40.7%	56 47.5%	133 40.3%	88 38.4%	166 49.4%	119 32.7%	52 41.9%	71 39.4%	108 42.0%	25 47.2%	29 33.7%
oppose (NET)	307 43.9%	46 39.0%	152 46.1%	101 44.1%	123 36.6%	184 50.5%	56 45.2%	74 41.1%	110 42.8%	20 37.7%	47 54.7%

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4. Ryan says we need to cut Medicare spending to save the program. Opponents say the government grants would fall short of the amount necessary. The Congressional Budget Office, a nonpartisan office, says that by 2030, the average elderly person would have to pay more than \$6,000 a year out of pocket. Ryan disputes this and says the grant from the government will hold down costs and that insurance companies will limit their premiums to that amount. In view of these arguments, do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose the Ryan plan?

	AGE			GENDER		REGION				
	18-39	40-64	65+	MALE	FMALE	NEAST	MDWST	SOUTH	MOUNT	PCFIC
TOTAL	118	330	229	336	364	124	180	257	53	86
strongly support	23	56	30	72	40	24	23	48	8	9
	16.0%	17.0%	13.1%	21.4%	11.0%	19.4%	12.8%	18.7%	15.1%	10.5%
somewhat support	37	97	49	99	88	26	53	74	18	16
	31.4%	29.4%	21.4%	29.5%	24.2%	21.0%	29.4%	28.8%	34.0%	18.6%
somewhat oppose	17	54	22	41	56	14	24	37	5	17
	14.4%	16.4%	9.6%	12.2%	15.4%	11.3%	13.3%	14.4%	9.4%	19.8%
strongly oppose	19	74	68	69	98	39	45	49	9	25
	16.1%	22.4%	29.7%	20.5%	26.9%	31.5%	25.0%	19.1%	17.0%	29.1%
Don't Know/Refused	22	49	60	55	82	21	35	49	13	19
	18.6%	14.8%	26.2%	16.4%	22.5%	16.9%	19.4%	19.1%	24.5%	22.1%
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support (NET)	60	153	79	171	128	50	76	122	26	25
	50.8%	46.4%	34.5%	50.9%	35.2%	40.3%	42.2%	47.5%	49.1%	29.1%
oppose (NET)	36	128	90	110	154	53	69	86	14	42
	30.5%	38.8%	39.3%	32.7%	42.3%	42.7%	38.3%	33.5%	26.4%	48.8%

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TABLE 006

X1. Some criticize the Ryan plan because it continues the \$500 billion cut in Medicare that the Republicans campaigned against in the 2010 election. The cut was originally made by Obama to fund his health care program. Ryan's budget continues the cut but puts the money saved back into the Medicare trust fund to extend the life of the program. Do you support or oppose continuing the \$500 billion cut Ryan as proposes to do?

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TOTAL	700	118	330	229	336	364	124	180	257	53	86
strongly support	176 25.1%	26 22.0%	85 25.8%	61 26.6%	114 33.9%	62 17.0%	36 29.0%	36 20.0%	71 27.6%	19 35.8%	14 16.3%
somewhat support	164 23.4%	32 27.1%	86 26.1%	45 19.7%	86 25.6%	78 21.4%	29 23.4%	44 24.4%	57 22.2%	12 22.6%	22 25.6%
somewhat oppose	73 10.4%	14 11.9%	38 11.5%	18 7.9%	30 8.9%	43 11.8%	10 8.1%	21 11.7%	33 12.8%	3 5.7%	6 7.0%
strongly oppose	131 18.7%	19 16.1%	59 17.9%	48 21.0%	52 15.5%	79 21.7%	26 21.0%	29 16.1%	46 17.9%	3 5.7%	27 31.4%
Don't Know/Refused	156 22.3% ****	27 22.9% ****	62 18.8% ****	57 24.9% ****	54 16.1% ****	102 28.0% ****	23 18.5% ****	50 27.8% ****	50 19.5% ****	16 30.2% ****	17 19.8% ****
support (NET)	340 48.6%	58 49.2%	171 51.8%	106 46.3%	200 59.5%	140 38.5%	65 52.4%	80 44.4%	128 49.8%	31 58.5%	36 41.9%
oppose (NET)	204 29.1%	33 28.0%	97 29.4%	66 28.8%	82 24.4%	122 33.5%	36 29.0%	50 27.8%	79 30.7%	6 11.3%	33 38.4%

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TABLE 007

X2. Some say that a better plan would be to use the Ryan model of a voucher system but to include a safety net so that the government would pay all of a senior citizen's medical costs if the illness was severe and their health insurance coverage would not pay for it. Would you support or oppose this idea?

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TOTAL	118	330	229	336	364	124	180	257	53	86	
strongly support	166 23.7%	72 21.8%	61 26.6%	96 28.6%	70 19.2%	21 16.9%	42 23.3%	79 30.7%	13 24.5%	11 12.8%	
somewhat support	207 29.6%	117 35.5%	48 21.0%	100 29.8%	107 29.4%	40 32.3%	53 29.4%	66 25.7%	19 35.8%	29 33.7%	
somewhat oppose	82 11.7%	48 14.5%	24 10.5%	36 10.7%	46 12.6%	14 11.3%	18 10.0%	39 15.2%	5 9.4%	6 7.0%	
strongly oppose	118 16.9%	55 16.7%	40 17.5%	57 17.0%	61 16.8%	30 24.2%	26 14.4%	31 12.1%	5 9.4%	26 30.2%	
Don't Know/Refused	127 18.1% ****	24 20.3% ****	38 11.5% ****	56 24.5% ****	47 14.0% ****	80 22.0% ****	19 15.3% ****	41 22.8% ****	42 16.3% ****	11 20.8% ****	14 16.3% ****
support (NET)	373 53.3%	189 57.3%	109 47.6%	196 58.3%	177 48.6%	61 49.2%	95 52.8%	145 56.4%	32 60.4%	40 46.5%	
oppose (NET)	200 28.6%	103 31.2%	64 27.9%	93 27.7%	107 29.4%	44 35.5%	44 24.4%	70 27.2%	10 18.9%	32 37.2%	

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TABLE 008

5. If the Republican Primary for President were held today and the candidates were Mitt Romney, Newt Gingrich, Herman Cain, Michele Bachmann, Tim Pawlenty, Ron Paul, and Rick Santorum for whom would you vote?

	AGE			GENDER		REGION					
	TOTAL	18-39	40-64	65+	MALE	FMALE	NEAST	MDWST	SOUTH	MOUNT	PCFIC
TOTAL	700	118	330	229	336	364	124	180	257	53	86
Mitt Romney	180 25.7%	28 23.7%	76 23.0%	70 30.6%	87 25.9%	93 25.5%	28 22.6%	50 27.8%	57 22.2%	18 34.0%	27 31.4%
Newt Gingrich	28 4.0%	3 2.5%	12 3.6%	13 5.7%	19 5.7%	9 2.5%	4 3.2%	5 2.8%	15 5.8%	2 3.8%	2 2.3%
Herman Cain	44 6.3%	8 6.8%	27 8.2%	9 3.9%	28 8.3%	16 4.4%	5 4.0%	9 5.0%	21 8.2%	4 7.5%	5 5.8%
Michele Bachmann	72 10.3%	10 8.5%	38 11.5%	22 9.6%	39 11.6%	33 9.1%	12 9.7%	21 11.7%	28 10.9%	3 5.7%	8 9.3%
Tim Pawlenty	26 3.7%	6 5.1%	13 3.9%	6 2.6%	15 4.5%	11 3.0%	6 4.8%	6 3.3%	11 4.3%	2 3.8%	1 1.2%
Ron Paul	45 6.4%	9 7.6%	26 7.9%	10 4.4%	34 10.1%	11 3.0%	9 7.3%	14 7.8%	15 5.8%	2 3.8%	5 5.8%
Rick Santorum	17 2.4%	3 2.5%	9 2.7%	5 2.2%	11 3.3%	6 1.6%	10 8.1%	2 1.1%	3 1.2%	2 3.8%	-
Don't Know/Refused	288 41.1%	51 43.2%	129 39.1%	94 41.0%	103 30.7%	185 50.8%	50 40.3%	73 40.6%	107 41.6%	20 37.7%	38 44.2%



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TABLE 009

6. If the Republican primary for president were held today and the candidates were Mitt Romney, Newt Gingrich, Herman Cain, Rick Perry, Jon Huntsman, Michele Bachmann, Tim Pawlenty, Ron Paul and Rick Santorum for whom would you vote?

	AGE				GENDER		REGION				
	TOTAL	18-39	40-64	65+	MALE	FMALE	NEAST	MDWST	SOUTH	MOUNT	PCFIC
TOTAL	700	118	330	229	336	364	124	180	257	53	86
Mitt Romney	160 22.9%	29 24.6%	66 20.0%	61 26.6%	75 22.3%	85 23.4%	27 21.8%	37 20.6%	56 21.8%	17 32.1%	23 26.7%
Newt Gingrich	33 4.7%	4 3.4%	12 3.6%	16 7.0%	22 6.5%	11 3.0%	5 4.0%	4 2.2%	19 7.4%	1 1.9%	4 4.7%
Herman Cain	38 5.4%	6 5.1%	24 7.3%	8 3.5%	25 7.4%	13 3.6%	5 4.0%	9 5.0%	17 6.6%	3 5.7%	4 4.7%
Rick Perry	33 4.7%	9 7.6%	16 4.8%	7 3.1%	21 6.3%	12 3.3%	2 1.6%	6 3.3%	22 8.6%	-	3 3.5%
Jon Huntsman	8 1.1%	-	5 1.5%	3 1.3%	7 2.1%	1 0.3%	1 0.8%	2 1.1%	3 1.2%	1 1.9%	1 1.2%
Michele Bachmann	84 12.0%	10 8.5%	43 13.0%	31 13.5%	40 11.9%	44 12.1%	18 14.5%	24 13.3%	25 9.7%	6 11.3%	11 12.8%
Tim Pawlenty	24 3.4%	4 3.4%	12 3.6%	7 3.1%	13 3.9%	11 3.0%	3 2.4%	9 5.0%	8 3.1%	2 3.8%	2 2.3%
Ron Paul	87 12.4%	18 15.3%	47 14.2%	21 9.2%	43 12.8%	44 12.1%	17 13.7%	28 15.6%	33 12.8%	3 5.7%	6 7.0%
Rick Santorum	16 2.3%	1 0.8%	10 3.0%	4 1.7%	10 3.0%	6 1.6%	6 4.8%	2 1.1%	5 1.9%	2 3.8%	1 1.2%

Don't Know/Refused

217	37	95	71	80	137	40	59	69	18	31
31.0%	31.4%	28.8%	31.0%	23.8%	37.6%	32.3%	32.8%	26.8%	34.0%	36.0%

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TABLE 010  
7. And please tell me your age?

	AGE			GENDER		REGION					
	TOTAL	18-39	40-64	65+	MALE	FMALE	NEAST	MDWST	SOUTH	MOUNT	PCFIC
TOTAL	700	118	330	229	336	364	124	180	257	53	86
18-20	7 1.0%	7 5.9%	-	-	3 0.9%	4 1.1%	-	3 1.7%	2 0.8%	1 1.9%	1 1.2%
21-24	16 2.3%	16 13.6%	-	-	9 2.7%	7 1.9%	3 2.4%	5 2.8%	6 2.3%	1 1.9%	1 1.2%
25-29	27 3.9%	27 22.9%	-	-	17 5.1%	10 2.7%	7 5.6%	6 3.3%	9 3.5%	3 5.7%	2 2.3%
30-34	29 4.1%	29 24.6%	-	-	12 3.6%	17 4.7%	2 1.6%	8 4.4%	12 4.7%	4 7.5%	3 3.5%
35-39	39 5.6%	39 33.1%	-	-	18 5.4%	21 5.8%	7 5.6%	13 7.2%	13 5.1%	2 3.8%	4 4.7%
40-44	38 5.4%	-	38 11.5%	-	21 6.3%	17 4.7%	9 7.3%	11 6.1%	9 3.5%	2 3.8%	7 8.1%
45-49	64 9.1%	-	64 19.4%	-	27 8.0%	37 10.2%	13 10.5%	17 9.4%	18 7.0%	9 17.0%	7 8.1%
50-54	72 10.3%	-	72 21.8%	-	41 12.2%	31 8.5%	12 9.7%	13 7.2%	27 10.5%	7 13.2%	13 15.1%
55-59	64 9.1%	-	64 19.4%	-	33 9.8%	31 8.5%	12 9.7%	16 8.9%	25 9.7%	4 7.5%	7 8.1%
60-64	92 13.1%	-	92 27.9%	-	50 14.9%	42 11.5%	14 11.3%	25 13.9%	35 13.6%	4 7.5%	14 16.3%

65-69	83 11.9%	-	-	83 36.2%	45 13.4%	38 10.4%	13 10.5%	21 11.7%	33 12.8%	5 9.4%	11 12.8%
70 OR OLDER	146 20.9%	-	-	146 63.8%	56 16.7%	90 24.7%	28 22.6%	36 20.0%	56 21.8%	10 18.9%	16 18.6%
(DNR) DK/Refused	23 3.3%	-	-	-	4 1.2%	19 5.2%	4 3.2%	6 3.3%	12 4.7%	1 1.9%	-

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TABLE 011  
 8. Gender

	AGE			GENDER		REGION					
	18-39	40-64	65+	MALE	FEMALE	NEAST	MDWST	SOUTH	MOUNT	PCFIC	
TOTAL	700	118	330	229	336	364	124	180	257	53	86
Male	336	59	172	101	336	-	56	88	122	29	41
	48.0%	50.0%	52.1%	44.1%	100.0%		45.2%	48.9%	47.5%	54.7%	47.7%
Female	364	59	158	128	-	364	68	92	135	24	45
	52.0%	50.0%	47.9%	55.9%		100.0%	54.8%	51.1%	52.5%	45.3%	52.3%

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TABLE 012  
 9. region (FROM SAMPLE)

	AGE			GENDER		REGION					
	TOTAL	18-39	40-64	65+	MALE	FMALE	NEAST	MDWST	SOUTH	MOUNT	PCFIC
TOTAL	700	118	330	229	336	364	124	180	257	53	86
Northeast/New England	124	19	60	41	56	68	124	-	-	-	-
	17.7%	16.1%	18.2%	17.9%	16.7%	18.7%	100.0%				
South	257	42	114	89	122	135	-	-	257	-	-
	36.7%	35.6%	34.5%	38.9%	36.3%	37.1%			100.0%		
Midwest	180	35	82	57	88	92	-	180	-	-	-
	25.7%	29.7%	24.8%	24.9%	26.2%	25.3%		100.0%			
Mountain	53	11	26	15	29	24	-	-	-	53	-
	7.6%	9.3%	7.9%	6.6%	8.6%	6.6%				100.0%	
Pacific	86	11	48	27	41	45	-	-	-	-	86
	12.3%	9.3%	14.5%	11.8%	12.2%	12.4%					100.0%