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-- FINAL TOPLINE

- 2. Thinking about the presidential election in November 2012, are you more likely to vote for Barack Obama or for the Republican Party's candidate for president?
- 2A. (If undecided or other) As of today, do you lean more toward Obama or the Republican Party's candidate?

### COMBINED RESULTS (Q.2/2A): BASED ON REGISTERED VOTERS

	<u>Obama</u>	Republican candidate	Other (vol.)	No <u>opinion</u>
2011 Oct 6-9	42	50	2	6
2011 Sep 8-11	40	52	3	5
2011 Aug 4-7	49	45	1	5

### Longer-term trend (Q.2 only, not including leaning follow-up question):

		Republican	Other	No
	<u>Obama</u>	<u>candidate</u>	<u>(vol.)</u>	<u>opinion</u>
REGISTERED VOTERS				
2011 Oct 6-9	38	46	5	12
2011 Sep 8-11	38	46	5	11
2011 Aug 4-7	45	39	5	12
2011 Jul 7-10	39	47	3	12
2011 Jun 9-12	39	44	6	12
2011 May 5-8	43	40	5	12
2011 Apr 20-23	41	41	5	13
2011 Feb 2-5 ^	45	45	4	6
2010 Feb 1-3 ^	44	42	3	11

<sup>^</sup> WORDING: If Barack Obama runs for re-election in 2012, are you more likely to vote for Obama or for the Republican Party's candidate for president?

For comparison: George W. Bush Registered Voter Trend

	<u>Bush</u>	Democratic candidate	Other (vol.)	No <u>opinion</u>
2004 Jan 2-5 2003 Dec 5-7	51 48	38 41	2	9

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## Q.2 (OBAMA RE-ELECTION) CONTINUED

For comparison: George H.W. Bush Registered Voter Trend

		Democratic	Other	No
	<u>Bush</u>	<u>candidate</u>	<u>(vol.)</u>	<u>opinion</u>
1992 Jan 31-Feb 2	46	38		16
1992 Jan 3-6	39	43		18
1991 Dec 5-8	48	34		18
1991 Nov 14-17	48	36		16
1991 Oct 31-Nov 3	46	36		18
1991 Oct 10-13	49	32		19
1991 Sep 13-15	51	29		20
1991 Sep 5-8	52	29		19
1991 Aug 23-25	55	27		18
1991 Jun 13-16	53	30		17
1991 Apr 25-28	51	30		19
1991 Mar 7-10	67	17		16
1991 Feb 14-17	54	33		13