

WND - ATTITUDES TOWARD THE FEDERAL DEBT AND TAXES

Crosstab Report May 23, 2011

1. Thinking about how effectively and efficiently the federal government in Washington DC spends taxpayer dollars, generally speaking, would you say taxpayers get an excellent, good, only fair, or poor value for the money the federal government spends?

Table of observed frequencies:

	DEMS	GOP	INDY	Total
Excellent	48	2	15	65
Good	90	18	38	146
Only fair	110	91	86	287
Poor	103	237	150	490
Not sure	12	23	17	52
Total	363	371	306	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	DEMS	GOP	INDY	Total
Excellent	13.2	0.5	4.9	6.3
Good	24.8	4.9	12.4	14.0
Only fair	30.3	24.5	28.1	27.6
Poor	28.4	63.9	49.0	47.1
Not sure	3.3	6.2	5.6	5.0
Total	100	100	100	100

Table of observed frequencies:

	MEN	WOMEN	Total
Excellent	34	31	65
Good	66	80	146
Only fair	125	162	287
Poor	266	224	490
Not sure	14	38	52
Total	505	535	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	MEN	WOMEN	Total
Excellent	6.7	5.8	6.3
Good	13.1	15.0	14.0
Only fair	24.8	30.3	27.6
Poor	52.7	41.9	47.1
Not sure	2.8	7.1	5.0
Total	100	100	100

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	WEST	MIDWEST	SOUTH	EAST	Total
Excellent	17	10	16	22	65
Good	34	32	45	35	146
Only fair	58	73	69	87	287
Poor	126	123	132	109	490
Not sure	18	16	2	16	52
Total	253	254	264	269	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	WEST	MIDWEST	SOUTH	EAST	Total
Excellent	6.7	3.9	6.1	8.2	6.3
Good	13.4	12.6	17.0	13.0	14.0
Only fair	22.9	28.7	26.1	32.3	27.6
Poor	49.8	48.4	50.0	40.5	47.1
Not sure	7.1	6.3	0.8	5.9	5.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100

Table of observed frequencies:

	WHITE	BLACK	HISPANIC	ASIAN/OTHER	Total
Excellent	32	23	1	9	65
Good	105	20	6	15	146
Only fair	225	38	12	12	287
Poor	411	31	33	15	490
Not sure	50	2	0	0	52
Total	823	114	52	51	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	WHITE	BLACK	HISPANIC	ASIAN/OTHER	Total
Excellent	3.9	20.2	1.9	17.6	6.3
Good	12.8	17.5	11.5	29.4	14.0
Only fair	27.3	33.3	23.1	23.5	27.6
Poor	49.9	27.2	63.5	29.4	47.1
Not sure	6.1	1.8	0.0	0.0	5.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100

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	- AGE 30	30s	40s	50s	60+	Total
Excellent	12	6	10	19	18	65
Good	30	24	24	27	41	146
Only fair	24	42	61	46	114	287
Poor	30	72	58	105	225	490
Not sure	24	6	4	3	15	52
Total	120	150	157	200	413	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	- AGE 30	30s	40s	50s	60+	Total
Excellent	10.0	4.0	6.4	9.5	4.4	6.3
Good	25.0	16.0	15.3	13.5	9.9	14.0
Only fair	20.0	28.0	38.9	23.0	27.6	27.6
Poor	25.0	48.0	36.9	52.5	54.5	47.1
Not sure	20.0	4.0	2.5	1.5	3.6	5.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100

Table of observed frequencies:

	- \$50K	\$50K - \$75K	\$75K - \$125K	\$125K +	Total
Excellent	18	6	9	32	65
Good	63	18	42	23	146
Only fair	119	60	73	35	287
Poor	216	135	98	41	490
Not sure	24	9	6	13	52
Total	440	228	228	144	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	- \$50K	\$50K - \$75K	\$75K - \$125K	\$125K +	Total
Excellent	4.1	2.6	3.9	22.2	6.3
Good	14.3	7.9	18.4	16.0	14.0
Only fair	27.0	26.3	32.0	24.3	27.6
Poor	49.1	59.2	43.0	28.5	47.1
Not sure	5.5	3.9	2.6	9.0	5.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100

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Table of observed frequencies:

	GET GOVT BENIES	NO GOVT BENIES	Total
Excellent	21	44	65
Good	55	91	146
Only fair	113	174	287
Poor	247	243	490
Not sure	30	22	52
Total	466	574	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	GET GOVT BENIES	NO GOVT BENIES	Total
Excellent	4.5	7.7	6.3
Good	11.8	15.9	14.0
Only fair	24.2	30.3	27.6
Poor	53.0	42.3	47.1
Not sure	6.4	3.8	5.0
Total	100	100	100

Table of observed frequencies:

	PVT SECTOR	PUB SECTOR	NON-PROFIT	UNEMP-RET	Total
Excellent	30	15	3	17	65
Good	46	42	10	48	146
Only fair	100	58	28	101	287
Poor	165	74	30	221	490
Not sure	4	15	7	26	52
Total	345	204	78	413	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	PVT SECTOR	PUB SECTOR	NON-PROFIT	UNEMP-RET	Total
Excellent	8.7	7.4	3.8	4.1	6.3
Good	13.3	20.6	12.8	11.6	14.0
Only fair	29.0	28.4	35.9	24.5	27.6
Poor	47.8	36.3	38.5	53.5	47.1
Not sure	1.2	7.4	9.0	6.3	5.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100