

8. Would you favor or oppose an amendment to the U.S. Constitution that would require that the federal government operate with a balanced budget every year?

Table of observed frequencies:

	DEMS	GOP	INDY	Total
Strongly favor	114	225	140	479
Somewhat favor	120	76	102	298
Somewhat oppose	33	21	23	77
Strongly oppose	50	9	33	92
Not sure	46	40	8	94
Total	363	371	306	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	DEMS	GOP	INDY	Total
Strongly favor	31.4	60.6	45.8	46.1
Somewhat favor	33.1	20.5	33.3	28.7
Somewhat oppose	9.1	5.7	7.5	7.4
Strongly oppose	13.8	2.4	10.8	8.8
Not sure	12.7	10.8	2.6	9.0
Total	100	100	100	100

Table of observed frequencies:

	MEN	WOMEN	Total
Strongly favor	244	235	479
Somewhat favor	140	158	298
Somewhat oppose	43	34	77
Strongly oppose	47	45	92
Not sure	31	63	94
Total	505	535	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	MEN	WOMEN	Total
Strongly favor	48.3	43.9	46.1
Somewhat favor	27.7	29.5	28.7
Somewhat oppose	8.5	6.4	7.4
Strongly oppose	9.3	8.4	8.8
Not sure	6.1	11.8	9.0
Total	100	100	100

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Table of observed frequencies:

	WEST	MIDWEST	SOUTH	EAST	Total
Strongly favor	124	100	127	128	479
Somewhat favor	54	95	69	80	298
Somewhat oppose	30	13	23	11	77
Strongly oppose	23	26	19	24	92
Not sure	22	20	26	26	94
Total	253	254	264	269	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	WEST	MIDWEST	SOUTH	EAST	Total
Strongly favor	49.0	39.4	48.1	47.6	46.1
Somewhat favor	21.3	37.4	26.1	29.7	28.7
Somewhat oppose	11.9	5.1	8.7	4.1	7.4
Strongly oppose	9.1	10.2	7.2	8.9	8.8
Not sure	8.7	7.9	9.8	9.7	9.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100

Table of observed frequencies:

	WHITE	BLACK	HISPANIC	ASIAN/OTHER	Total
Strongly favor	391	32	38	18	479
Somewhat favor	241	32	1	24	298
Somewhat oppose	65	5	7	0	77
Strongly oppose	66	20	3	3	92
Not sure	60	25	3	6	94
Total	823	114	52	51	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	WHITE	BLACK	HISPANIC	ASIAN/OTHER	Total
Strongly favor	47.5	28.1	73.1	35.3	46.1
Somewhat favor	29.3	28.1	1.9	47.1	28.7
Somewhat oppose	7.9	4.4	13.5	0.0	7.4
Strongly oppose	8.0	17.5	5.8	5.9	8.8
Not sure	7.3	21.9	5.8	11.8	9.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100

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Table of observed frequencies:

	- AGE 30	30s	40s	50s	60+	Total
Strongly favor	42	78	60	90	209	479
Somewhat favor	36	48	57	62	95	298
Somewhat oppose	18	6	6	16	31	77
Strongly oppose	18	6	18	20	30	92
Not sure	6	12	16	12	48	94
Total	120	150	157	200	413	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	- AGE 30	30s	40s	50s	60+	Total
Strongly favor	35.0	52.0	38.2	45.0	50.6	46.1
Somewhat favor	30.0	32.0	36.3	31.0	23.0	28.7
Somewhat oppose	15.0	4.0	3.8	8.0	7.5	7.4
Strongly oppose	15.0	4.0	11.5	10.0	7.3	8.8
Not sure	5.0	8.0	10.2	6.0	11.6	9.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100

Table of observed frequencies:

	- \$50K	\$50K - \$75K	\$75K - \$125K	\$125K +	Total
Strongly favor	222	121	99	37	479
Somewhat favor	120	55	76	47	298
Somewhat oppose	30	10	17	20	77
Strongly oppose	26	17	20	29	92
Not sure	42	25	16	11	94
Total	440	228	228	144	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	- \$50K	\$50K - \$75K	\$75K - \$125K	\$125K +	Total
Strongly favor	50.5	53.1	43.4	25.7	46.1
Somewhat favor	27.3	24.1	33.3	32.6	28.7
Somewhat oppose	6.8	4.4	7.5	13.9	7.4
Strongly oppose	5.9	7.5	8.8	20.1	8.8
Not sure	9.5	11.0	7.0	7.6	9.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100

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Table of observed frequencies:

	GET GOVT BENIES	NO GOVT BENIES	Total
Strongly favor	233	246	479
Somewhat favor	109	189	298
Somewhat oppose	30	47	77
Strongly oppose	31	61	92
Not sure	63	31	94
Total	466	574	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	GET GOVT BENIES	NO GOVT BENIES	Total
Strongly favor	50.0	42.9	46.1
Somewhat favor	23.4	32.9	28.7
Somewhat oppose	6.4	8.2	7.4
Strongly oppose	6.7	10.6	8.8
Not sure	13.5	5.4	9.0
Total	100	100	100

Table of observed frequencies:

	PVT SECTOR	PUB SECTOR	NON-PROFIT	UNEMP-RET	Total
Strongly favor	138	85	38	218	479
Somewhat favor	110	75	31	82	298
Somewhat oppose	31	13	5	28	77
Strongly oppose	47	19	2	24	92
Not sure	19	12	2	61	94
Total	345	204	78	413	1040

Table of percentages / columns:

	PVT SECTOR	PUB SECTOR	NON-PROFIT	UNEMP-RET	Total
Strongly favor	40.0	41.7	48.7	52.8	46.1
Somewhat favor	31.9	36.8	39.7	19.9	28.7
Somewhat oppose	9.0	6.4	6.4	6.8	7.4
Strongly oppose	13.6	9.3	2.6	5.8	8.8
Not sure	5.5	5.9	2.6	14.8	9.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100