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N=800 Likely Voters
Margin of Error: ±3.46%

A. Are you registered to vote at this address?

100% YES (**CONTINUE TO QUESTION B**)

B. Although the next federal election is not for a while....How likely is it that you will vote in the this year's federal and state elections in November? Is it (**ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP**) very likely, somewhat likely, not too likely, or not at all likely?

90% VERY LIKELY
10% SOMEWHAT LIKELY

C. Are you, or is anyone in your household, employed by a newspaper, television or radio station, a political party, or by a candidate for political office?

100% NO (**CONTINUE**)

Now, switching topics....

O1. And, thinking about the global economy, international business and jobs....have you ever heard of the term 'insourcing?'

43% YES
55% NO

2% DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT READ**)
-- REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)

O2. Still thinking about the global economy and jobs, what do you think the term 'insourcing' means? (**RANDOMIZE PUNCHES 1-3**) (**ACCEPT ONE ANSWER ONLY**)

42% When a foreign company operates in the United States and employs Americans
24% When a U.S. company operates in the United States and employs foreign citizens
18% When a U.S. company operates in another country and employs foreign citizens

3% NONE OF THESE (**DO NOT READ**)
1% ALL OF THESE (**DO NOT READ**)
12% DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT READ**)
* REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)

O3. Insourcing actually refers to when a foreign company operates in the United States and employs American workers. Now that you know what this term means, do you think insourcing is beneficial to the U.S. economy?

(**IF YES/NO THEN ASK:**) And do you think strongly or not-so-strongly insourcing (IS/IS NOT) beneficial to the U.S. economy?

74% TOTAL YES, IS
20% TOTAL NO, IS NOT

45% STRONGLY YES, IS
29% NOT-SO-STRONGLY, IS
8% NOT-SO-STRONGLY NO, IS NOT
12% STRONGLY NO, IS NOT

5% DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT READ**)
1% REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)

Now, I have just a few more questions for statistical purposes only...

D1. In what year were you born?

3% 18 to 24
11% 25 to 34
19% 35 to 44
22% 45 to 54
24% 55 to 64
21% 65 and over

* REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)

D2. What was the last grade you completed in school? (**DO NOT READ CATEGORIES**)

33% HIGH SCHOOL OR LESS
25% SOME COLLEGE
42% COLLEGE+

1% SOME GRADE SCHOOL (1-8)
5% SOME HIGH SCHOOL (9-11)
27% GRADUATED HIGH SCHOOL (9-12)
2% TECHNICAL OR VOCATIONAL SCHOOL (12)
23% SOME COLLEGE (13-15)
26% GRADUATED COLLEGE (16)
16% GRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL (16+)

-- REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)

D3. And for statistical purposes only...is your total annual household income greater or less than 60,000 dollars?

(IF LESS THAN \$60,000, ASK:) Is it...(ROTATE FROM TOP TO BOTTOM/BOTTOM TO TOP)

11% UNDER \$20,000
19% BETWEEN \$20,000 - \$40,000
16% OVER \$40,000

(IF GREATER THAN \$60,000, ASK:) Is it...(ROTATE FROM TOP TO BOTTOM/BOTTOM TO TOP)

16% UNDER \$80,000
11% BETWEEN \$80,000 - \$100,000
19% OVER \$100,000

8% REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)

D4. And in politics today, do you consider yourself... **(ROTATE)**

___ a Republican,
___ a Democrat,
or something else?

(IF REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRAT, ASK:) Would you call yourself a STRONG (REPUBLICAN/DEMOCRAT) or a NOT-SO-STRONG (REPUBLICAN/ DEMOCRAT)?

(IF SOMETHING ELSE, ASK:) Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or to the Democratic party?

42% TOTAL REPUBLICAN

44% TOTAL DEMOCRAT

21% STRONG REPUBLICAN

11% NOT-SO-STRONG REPUBLICAN

10% LEAN TO REPUBLICANS

13% SOMETHING ELSE/INDEPENDENT

8% LEAN TO DEMOCRATS

11% NOT-SO-STRONG DEMOCRAT

25% STRONG DEMOCRAT

1% DON'T KNOW **(DO NOT READ)**

* REFUSED **(DO NOT READ)**

D5. In politics today, do you consider yourself to be...
(ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP)

___ conservative
moderate
...or...
___ liberal

(IF CONSERVATIVE/LIBERAL, ASK:) And would you consider yourself to be VERY (CONSERVATIVE/LIBERAL), or just SOMEWHAT (CONSERVATIVE/LIBERAL)?

39% TOTAL CONSERVATIVE

20% TOTAL LIBERAL

18% VERY CONSERVATIVE

21% SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE

37% MODERATE

11% SOMEWHAT LIBERAL

9% VERY LIBERAL

3% UNDECIDED/NOT SURE(**DO NOT READ**)

1% REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)

And thinking back to the presidential election in 2004...

D6. Regardless of how you may feel today...for which of the following candidates did you vote for President... **(ROTATE PUNCHES 1-2, READ PUNCH 3 LAST)**

49% George W. Bush

40% John Kerry

...OR...

2% Ralph Nader

1% SOMEONE ELSE (**DO NOT READ**)

4% DID NOT VOTE (**DO NOT READ**)

1% DON'T KNOW/DON'T RECALL (**DO NOT READ**)

3% REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)

D7. Other than being an American, what is your main ethnic or racial heritage? (**READ CHOICES**)

- 11% AFRICAN AMERICAN OR BLACK
 - 77% WHITE
 - 3% HISPANIC OR LATINO AMERICAN
 - 1% ASIAN AMERICAN
 - 3% AMERICAN INDIAN
 - 1% OTHER (**DO NOT READ**) (**IF PUNCH , THEN ASK:**) Now I realize you just said your main ethnic or racial heritage doesn't fall into any of the categories I just mentioned...but if you had to choose JUST ONE of these categories, which ONE would you choose?

 - 4% REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)
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D8. Gender (**BY OBSERVATION, BUT ASK EVERYONE**) Are you employed outside of the home, are you a homemaker, or are you retired?

(**IF EMPLOYED OUTSIDE THE HOME, ASK:**) And, are you paid on an hourly basis or do you draw a yearly salary?

- 48% TOTAL MALE**
 - 52% TOTAL FEMALE**

 - 14% MALE/EMPLOYED/HOURLY
 - 16% MALE/EMPLOYED/SALARY
 - * MALE/HOMEMAKER
 - 15% MALE/RETIRED
 - 2% MALE/NOT IN LABOR FORCE

 - 15% FEMALE/EMPLOYED/HOURLY
 - 13% FEMALE/EMPLOYED/SALARY
 - 8% FEMALE/HOMEMAKER
 - 13% FEMALE/RETIRED
 - 3% FEMALE/NOT IN LABOR FORCE

 - 1% MALE REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)
 - * FEMALE REFUSED (**DO NOT READ**)
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(**IF QD8:1-2, 6-7 ASK:**)(**ASKED OF 465 RESPONDENTS**)

D9. And do you own or operate your own small business?

- | <u>SKIP</u> | <u>TOT</u> | |
|-------------|------------|--------------------------------|
| 18% | 10% | YES |
| 82% | 48% | NO |
| * | * | REFUSED (DO NOT READ) |
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D10. Are you married, widowed, separated, divorced or have you never been married?

60%	MARRIED
10%	WIDOWED
1%	SEPARATED
12%	DIVORCED
14%	NEVER BEEN MARRIED
3%	NOT SURE/REFUSED (DO NOT READ)
