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		KEY REGIONS					GENDER AGE							GENDER/AGE							EDUCATION			
	TOTAL (A)		SOUTH -EAST (C)	NORTH -EAST NC (D)	MONT	CHAR- LOTTE (F)	WEST- ERN NC (G)	MEN (H)	WOMEN (I)	18-25 (J)	26-40 (K)	41-55 (L)	56-65 (M)	66+ (N)	MEN 18-44 (0)	MEN 45-64 (P)	MEN 65+ (Q)	WOMEN 18-44 (R)		WOMEN 65+ (T)	HS OR LESS (U)	2 YR COLL (V)	4 YR COLL (W)	POST GRAD (X)
BASE=TOTAL SAMPLE	600 100%	117 19%	89 15%	74 12%	112 19%	124 21%	85 14%	288 48%	312 52%	16 3%	63 11%	186 31%	122 20%	151 25%	58 10%	126 21%	82 14%	57 9왕	137 23%	78 13%	160 27%	167 28%	150 25%	102 17%
**D/S (REPUBLICANS - DEMOCRATS)	78 13%	1 1%	11 13% B	5 7% b	22 20% BD	14 12% B	24 28% BCDF	61 21% I	18 6%	-2 -11%	22 35% JLMN	32 17% Jm	12 10% J	17 11% J	14 24% ST	26 20% ST	16 19% ST	14 25% ST	9 7%	2 3%	30 19% X	28 17% X	38 26% vX	-16 -16%
REPUBLICANS	271 45%	44 38%	40 45%	30 40%	57 51% b	55 45%	45 53% B	141 49% i	130 42%	4 23%	35 55% J	87 47% j	58 48% J	69 46% j	28 49%	62 49%	41 50%	30 52%	59 43%	33 42%	77 48% X	80 48% X	77 51% X	35 34%
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BANNER 2		P#	ARTY RE	PARTY REG/GENDER						ID	EOLOG	Y		RACE		EMPLOY	MENT :	STATUS	INCOME					
	TOTAL (A)	GOP (B)	DEM (C)	IND (D)	GOP MEN (E)	GOP WOMEN (F)	DEM MEN (G)	DEM WOMEN (H)	IND MEN (I)	IND WOMEN (J)	LIB (K)	MOD (L)	CONS (M)	BLACK (N)	WHITE (O)	OTHER (P)		RET- IRED (R)	UN- EMPL- OYED (S)	UNDER \$25K (T)	\$25- \$50K (U)		\$75- \$100K (W)	OVER \$100K (X)
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Significance Z-testing shown at 95% in UPPERCASE and 90% in lowercase in the groupings: B/C/D E/F/G/H/I/J K/L/M N/O/P Q/R/S T/U/V/W/X NATIONAL RESEARCH INC