

# WORKING LONGER: OLDER AMERICANS' ATTITUDES ON WORK AND RETIREMENT

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## Study Methodology

This Associated Press-NORC Center for Public Affairs Research survey was conducted from August 8 through September 10, 2013. The survey was funded by The Alfred P. Sloan Foundation. AP and NORC staff collaborated on all aspects of the study, with input from AP's subject matter experts.

Telephone interviews were conducted with 1,024 adults by professional interviewers who were carefully trained on the specific survey for this study. Interviews were conducted with 815 respondents on landlines and 209 respondents on cellular telephones, for a total of 1,024 respondents. Cellular telephone respondents were offered a small monetary incentive for participating, as compensation for telephone usage charges. Interviews were conducted in both English and Spanish, depending on respondent preference.

The final response rate for the national sample was 21 percent, based on the widely accepted Council of American Survey Research Organizations (CASRO) method. Under this method, our response rate is calculated as the product of the resolution rate (69 percent), the screener rate (82 percent), and the interview completion rate (37 percent). The overall margin of error was +/- 4.1 percentage points.

The RDD sample was provided by a third-party vendor, Marketing Systems Group. Sampling weights were calculated to adjust for sample design aspects (such as unequal probabilities of selection) and for nonresponse bias arising from differential response rates across various demographic groups. Post-stratification variables included age, sex, race, region, education, and landline/cellular telephone use. The weighted data, which thus reflect the U.S. population of adults ages 50 and older, were used for all analyses.

A comprehensive listing of all study questions complete with tabulations of top-level results for each question is available on the AP-NORC Center for Public Affairs Research website: [www.apnorc.org](http://www.apnorc.org).

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The AP-NORC Center for Public Affairs Research taps into the power of social science research and the highest quality journalism to bring key information to people across the nation and throughout the world.

- The Associated Press is the world's essential news organization, bringing fast, unbiased news to all media platforms and formats.
- NORC at the University of Chicago is one of the oldest and most respected, objective social science research institutions in the world.

The two organizations have established the AP-NORC Center to conduct, analyze, and distribute social science research in the public interest on newsworthy topics, and to use the power of journalism to tell the stories that research reveals.

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**Index of Variables:** *Listed in the order as they appear on the file*

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
1	su_id	N/A	Num	6	Case ID
2	finalwt	N/A	Num	8	Final weight
3	LST_RDD_CELL	N/A	Num	8	Is this survey conducted through landline or cell?
4	O1	O1	Num	3	Generally speaking, would you say that things in this country are headed in the right direction or in the wrong direction?
5	Q1A	Q1A	Num	3	Are you currently employed full-time, part-time, or are you not currently employed?
6	Q1B	Q1B	Num	3	Are you retired, temporarily unemployed and looking for work, a homemaker or student, on medical leave or disability, or something else?
7	Q1D	Q1D	Num	3	Are you currently looking for work or not?
8	Q1E	Q1E	Num	3	Did you quit your last job, were you laid off, or something else?
9	Q2years	Q2	Num	8	For how long have you been unemployed, in years and months?
10	Q3	Q3	Num	3	Regardless of whether you are working or not, do you consider yourself retired, or not?
11	WORKSTAT	Q1A, Q1B, Q1D, Q1E, Q3	Num	3	Work status [derived from Q1A, Q1B, Q1D, Q1E, and Q3]
12	Q3A	Q3A	Num	3	Did you retire by choice or did you feel you had no choice except to retire?
13	Q3Byears	Q3B	Num	8	For how long have you been retired, in years and months?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
14	Q4	Q4	Num	3	Have you searched for a job in the last five years or not?
15	Q5A	Q5A	Num	3	What is the main reason why you are searching for a job/searched for a job in the last five years?
16	Q5B	Q5B	Num	3	Are there any other reasons why you are searching for a job/searched for a job in the last five years?
17	Q5C	Q5C	Num	3	Anything else?
18	Q6	Q6	Num	3	Would you say that your job search has been/was easy, difficult, or neither easy nor difficult?
19	Q7A	Q7A	Num	3	While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about a lack of available jobs?
20	Q7B	Q7A	Num	3	While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about not having the right skills for the available jobs?
21	Q7C	Q7A	Num	3	While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about employers being concerned about your age?
22	Q7D	Q7A	Num	3	While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about feeling too old for the available jobs?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
23	Q7E	Q7A	Num	3	While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about not having the right degree or education?
24	Q7F	Q7A	Num	3	While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about a lack of jobs offering an adequate salary?
25	Q7G	Q7A	Num	3	While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about a lack of jobs offering adequate benefits?
26	Q7H	Q7A	Num	3	While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about a high demand for your skills?
27	Q7I	Q7A	Num	3	While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about a high demand for your experience?
28	Q7J	Q7A	Num	3	While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about being told you were overqualified?
29	Q7B_appearance	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Professional appearance

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
30	Q7B_apply	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Filled out a lot of applications
31	Q7B_education	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Worked on increasing skills/went back to school
32	Q7B_flexibility	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Increased flexibility/willing to relocate
33	Q7B_followup	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Follow-up/put a lot of effort into job search
34	Q7B_jobagency	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Job service/employment agency/professional advice
35	Q7B_networking	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Networking
36	Q7B_research	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Research on the internet or otherwise

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
37	Q7B_resumeupdate	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Update resume/sharpen interview skills
38	Q7B_other	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Other
39	Q7B_nothing	Q7B	Num	3	While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Didn't do anything
40	Q8	Q8	Num	3	Over the last five years, has your pay increased, decreased, or stayed about the same?
41	Q9	Q9	Num	3	Regardless of how far down the road it might be, how much thought, if any, have you given to your retirement years?
42	Q10	Q10	Num	4	At what age do you expect to retire?
43	Q11	Q11	Num	4	When you were 40 years old, at what age did you expect to retire?
44	Q12A	Q12	Num	3	At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your satisfaction with your job?
45	Q12B	Q12	Num	3	At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your financial needs?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
46	Q12C	Q12	Num	3	At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your need for benefits such as health insurance offered through an employer?
47	Q12D	Q12	Num	3	At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your spouse or partner's plans for retirement?
48	Q12E	Q12	Num	3	At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about wanting more free time?
49	Q12F	Q12	Num	3	At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your health?
50	Q12G	Q12	Num	3	At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your ability to do your job?
51	Q13	Q13	Num	3	In general, would you say you feel more excited or more anxious about your retirement?
52	Q14	Q14	Num	3	How likely is it that you will do any work for pay during your retirement?
53	Q15	Q15	Num	3	How many of your friends and family around your age are still working?
54	Q16	Q16	Num	3	When you think about the amount of savings you have for retirement, do you feel mostly secure or mostly anxious?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
55	Q17	Q17	Num	3	In the past year, have you had to borrow money from a retirement plan, such as a 401K plan or pension, in order to meet your expenses or not?
56	Q18	Q18	Num	4	At what age do you expect to start collecting Social Security retirement benefits? If you are already collecting Social Security retirement benefits, please tell me the age you first started receiving them.
57	Q19	Q19	Num	3	Other than Social Security, are you currently saving any additional money for retirement?
58	Q20	Q20	Num	3	In total, about how much money do you currently have in savings and investments that you plan to use for retirement? Include your spouse or partner's savings if you are married or living with a partner. Please include savings and investments including a 401(k) or IRA, but do not include the value of a pension or your primary residence. Would you say...
59	Q21	Q21	Num	4	At what age do you expect to start using those savings for your retirement? If you are already using those savings, please tell me the age you first started using them.
60	Q22	Q22	Num	3	Will you/do you receive a pension or not?
61	Q23	Q23	Num	4	At what age do you think people should be eligible to receive full Social Security benefits in the United States?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
62	Q24A	Q24	Num	3	To address financial concerns about the Social Security program...Would you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose gradually raising the age at which people can begin receiving Social Security benefits?
63	Q24B	Q24	Num	3	To address financial concerns about the Social Security program...Would you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose reducing Social Security benefits for seniors with higher incomes?
64	Q24C	Q24	Num	3	To address financial concerns about the Social Security program...Would you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose changing the way Social Security benefits are calculated so that the annual cost of living raises are smaller?
65	Q24D	Q24	Num	3	To address financial concerns about the Social Security program...Would you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose raising the cap on income subject to Social Security taxes, so that those with higher incomes pay taxes on more of their wages?
66	Q25	Q25	Num	3	All in all, how satisfied would you say you are/were with your job?
67	Q26A	Q26	Num	3	In the last five years, have you made any of the following changes at work? Have you cut back on your hours at work, or not?
68	Q26B	Q26	Num	3	In the last five years, have you made any of the following changes at work? Have you tried to take on fewer physically demanding tasks at work, or not?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
69	Q26C	Q26	Num	3	In the last five years, have you made any of the following changes at work? Have you tried to take on fewer mentally demanding tasks at work, or not?
70	Q27	Q27	Num	3	In general, do/did you consider your age to be an asset to your career, a liability to your career, or not an issue in your work life?
71	Q28	Q28	Num	3	Since turning 50 years old, have you personally ever experienced prejudice or discrimination in the job market or at work because of your age, or not?
72	Q29A	Q29	Num	3	Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about been laid off, fired, or forced to retire because of your age?
73	Q29B	Q29	Num	3	Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about been denied access to training or the opportunity to acquire new skills because of your age?
74	Q29C	Q29	Num	3	Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about been passed over for a raise, promotion or chance to get ahead because of your age?
75	Q29D	Q29	Num	3	Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about been passed over for certain assignments because of your age?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
76	Q29E	Q29	Num	3	Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about received certain unwanted assignments because of your age?
77	Q29F	Q29	Num	3	Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about received or been exposed to unwelcome comments about your age in the workplace?
78	Q29G	Q29	Num	3	Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about had colleagues come to you for advice more often?
79	Q29H	Q29	Num	3	Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about felt as though you were receiving more respect within the company?
80	Q29I	Q29	Num	3	Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about received certain desirable assignments because of your age?
81	Q29J	Q29	Num	3	Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about worried about your ability to do your job as you age?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
82	Q30	Q30	Num	3	Would you say your current boss is younger than you, older than you, or about the same age? If you're not sure, your best guess is fine.
83	Q31	Q31	Num	3	And would you say most of your co-workers are younger than you, older than you, or about the same age? If you're not sure your best guess is fine.
84	Q32	Q32	Num	3	How much of the time does/did your job require physical effort?
85	Q33	Q33	Num	3	How does your ability to complete the physical requirements of your job compare to when you were younger? Would you say it's more difficult, about the same, or easier?
86	Q34	Q34	Num	3	How would you say your ability to complete the mental aspects of your job compares to when you were younger? Would you say it's more difficult, about the same, or easier?
87	Q35A	Q35A	Num	3	In general, would you say that you feel younger than your age, older than your age, or would you say you feel about your age?
88	Q35B	Q35B	Num	4	At what age do you think the average person becomes old?
89	Q36	Q36	Num	3	Are you currently the primary caretaker for a family member or close friend, or not? This can include older people like a parent or elderly neighbor, people your age, or younger people like a child or grandchild.
90	Q37	Q37	Num	3	Are you the primary source of financial support for anyone or not?
91	Q38	Q38	Num	3	What kind of work do/did you do, that is what is/was your occupation?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
92	Q39	Q39	Num	3	On your current/most recent job, are/were you covered by a union or employee association contract, or not?
93	POLITICS	D1	Num	3	Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent, or none of these?
94	DEMO	D2D	Num	3	Do you consider yourself a strong or moderate Democrat?
95	REPUB	D2R	Num	3	Do you consider yourself a strong or moderate Republican?
96	INDEP	D2I	Num	8	Do you lean more toward the Democrats or the Republicans?
97	LIBRAL	D3	Num	8	Generally speaking, do you consider yourself a liberal, moderate, or conservative?
98	MARITAL	D6	Num	8	What is your marital status? Are you...
99	PARENT	DParent	Num	3	Are you the parent or guardian of one or more children under the age of 18, or not?
100	EDUCATION	D7	Num	3	What is the last grade of school you completed?
101	AGEGRP	D8	Num	8	Age group
102	LIVEPL	D9	Num	3	Which one of the following best describes where you live?
103	HISPANIC	D12	Num	3	Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin?
104	RACETH	D12, D13, D14	Num	3	Race/ethnicity
105	NUMCELL	D16	Num	3	How many different cell-phone numbers, if any, could I have reached you for this call?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
106	NUMLAND	D17	Num	3	How many different landline telephone numbers, if any, are there in your home that I could have reached you on for this call? This includes listed or unlisted numbers. To answer this question, please don't count cell phones or landlines used only for faxes or modems.
107	TELETYPE	D18	Num	3	Generally speaking, would you say you use your landline phone most of the time, your cell phone most of the time, or would you say you use both about equally?
108	CELLUSE	D19	Num	3	How many adults, in addition to you, carry and use this cell phone at least once a week or more?
109	DPROGPARTA	DProgPart	Num	3	In the past 12 months...Have you or anyone in your household received food stamps or not?
110	DPROGPARTB	DProgPart	Num	3	In the past 12 months...Have you or anyone in your household received Supplemental Security Income (SSI), or not?
111	DPROGPARTC	DProgPart	Num	3	In the past 12 months...Have you or anyone in your household received Social Security Disability (SSDI) or any other form of disability, or not?
112	DPROGPARTD	DProgPart	Num	3	In the past 12 months...Have you or anyone in your household received assistance to pay for utility bills, or not?
113	DPROGPARTE	DProgPart	Num	3	In the past 12 months...Have you or anyone in your household received free or reduced medical care?

#	Variable	Question	Type	LEN	Label
114	INS1	Ins1	Num	3	The next questions are about health insurance. Please include health insurance obtained through employment or purchased directly as well as government programs like Medicare and Medicaid that provide medical care or help pay medical bills. Are you covered by any kind of health insurance or some other kind of health care plan or not?
115	INS2	Ins2	Num	3	What kind of health insurance or health care coverage do you have? Is it Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance that you buy through your employer or on your own, or some other type?
116	INC50K	D20	Num	3	Now, thinking about the income from all members of your household, does your total household income fall below \$50,000 dollars, or is it \$50,000 or higher?
117	INCOME	D20, D21, D22	Num	8	Now, thinking about the income from all members of your household, does your total household income fall below \$50,000 dollars, or is it \$50,000 or higher? And in which group does your total household income fall?
118	GENDER	D24	Num	3	Are you male or female?
119	CENSUS_REGION	N/A	Num	3	Census region

To minimize the risks of disclosing respondent privacy, the following actions were taken:

- Variables #6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 56, 61, 96, 97, 98, 101, 104, 105, 106, 108, and 117 are collapsed or recoded from original data, making the coding frame of these variables different from the survey questionnaire. Some of them are derived from more than one question, for example, #11 WORKSTAT is derived from Q1A, Q1B, Q1D, Q1E, and Q3 and # 141 INCOME is derived from questions D32, D33, and D34.

## Details of Variables

- “.” or space: missing, survey non-respondent
- -99: logic skip, respondent is not applicable to a specific question

Is this survey conducted through landline or cell?					
LST_RDD_CELL	LST_RDD_CELL	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
1	Landline	815	79.59	72,474,561	72.38
2	Cell	209	20.41	27,659,150	27.62

Generally speaking, would you say that things in this country are headed in the right direction or in the wrong direction?					
O1	O1	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	65	6.35	6,176,126	6.17
1	Right direction	303	29.59	32,056,451	32.01
2	Wrong direction	656	64.06	61,901,133	61.82

Are you currently employed full-time, part-time, or are you not currently employed?					
Q1A	Q1A	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
1	Full-time	268	26.17	34,761,156	34.71
2	Part-time	92	8.98	10,681,391	10.67
3	Not employed	304	29.69	27,290,363	27.25
4	Retired (VOL)	332	32.42	24,423,134	24.39
66	On medical leave or disability (VOL)	28	2.73	2,977,667	2.97

<b>Are you retired, temporarily unemployed and looking for work, a homemaker or student, on medical leave or disability, or something else?</b>					
<b>Q1B</b>	<b>Q1B</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Percent</b>
<b>-99</b>	<b>-99</b>	692	67.58	69,865,681	69.77
<b>1</b>	<b>Retired</b>	168	16.41	11,862,407	11.85
<b>2</b>	<b>Temporarily unemployed and looking for work</b>	30	2.93	3,256,256	3.25
<b>3</b>	<b>A homemaker</b>	36	3.52	4,092,179	4.09
<b>4</b>	<b>On medical leave or disability</b>	83	8.11	9,060,534	9.05
<b>5</b>	<b>Something else</b>	15	1.46	1,996,654	1.99

<b>Are you currently looking for work or not?</b>					
<b>Q1D</b>	<b>Q1D</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Percent</b>
<b>-99</b>	<b>-99</b>	524	51.17	63,848,170	63.76
<b>1</b>	<b>Yes</b>	18	1.76	1,508,104	1.51
<b>2</b>	<b>No</b>	475	46.39	34,328,907	34.28
<b>66</b>	<b>Already working (VOL)</b>	7	0.68	448,530	0.45

<b>Did you quit your last job, were you laid off, or something else?</b>					
<b>Q1E</b>	<b>Q1E</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Percent</b>
<b>-99</b>	<b>-99</b>	994	97.07	96,877,455	96.75
<b>1</b>	<b>Quit</b>	7	0.68	1,035,501	1.03
<b>2</b>	<b>Laid off</b>	14	1.37	1,338,109	1.34
<b>3</b>	<b>Something else</b>	9	0.88	882,645	0.88

<b>For how long have you been unemployed, in years and months?</b>					
<b>Q2years</b>	<b>Q2years</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Percent</b>
<b>-99</b>	<b>-99</b>	994	97.07	96,877,455	96.75
<b>1</b>	<b>Less than 1 year</b>	10	0.98	1,239,385	1.24
<b>2</b>	<b>1 year to less than 3 years</b>	12	1.17	1,136,442	1.13
<b>3</b>	<b>3 years or more</b>	8	0.78	880,429	0.88

Regardless of whether you are working or not, do you consider yourself retired, or not?					
Q3	Q3	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
-99	-99	500	48.83	36,285,541	36.24
1	Yes	149	14.55	15,476,488	15.46
2	No	375	36.62	48,371,682	48.31

Work status [derived from Q1A, Q1B, Q1D, Q1E, and Q3]					
workstat	workstat	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
1	Working and not on medical leave/disability or retired	305	29.79	40,396,828	40.34
2	On medical leave/disability	19	1.86	1,934,319	1.93
3	Completely retired (not working)	566	55.27	44,412,476	44.35
4	Retired and working	62	6.05	5,494,249	5.49
5	Retired and looking for work	21	2.05	1,855,304	1.85
6	Temporarily unemployed and looking for work	27	2.64	2,909,055	2.91
7	Not working for other reasons	24	2.34	3,131,479	3.13

Did you retire by choice or did you feel you had no choice except to retire?					
Q3A	Q3A	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	3	0.29	228,367	0.23
-99	-99	383	37.4	48,994,087	48.93
1	By choice	452	44.14	34,113,500	34.07
2	Had no choice	186	18.16	16,797,757	16.78

For how long have you been retired, in years and months?					
Q3Byears	Q3Byears	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
-99	-99	408	39.84	50,631,702	50.56
1	5 years or less	184	17.97	16,679,985	16.66
2	5 years to less than 11 years	173	16.89	14,900,978	14.88
3	11 years or more	259	25.29	17,921,046	17.9

Have you searched for a job in the last five years or not?					
Q4	Q4	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	1	0.1	35,466	0.04
1	Yes	183	17.87	21,938,246	21.91
2	No	840	82.03	78,159,999	78.06

<b>What is the main reason why you are searching for a job/searched for a job in the last five years?</b>					
<b>Q5A</b>	<b>Q5A</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Percent</b>
.	.	2	0.2	263,375	0.26
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Retired, but wanted to continue working	6	0.59	405,121	0.4
2	Quit	2	0.2	436,798	0.44
3	Laid off from job	28	2.73	4,018,456	4.01
6	Wanted less physical work	1	0.1	373,440	0.37
7	Unhappy at your job	5	0.49	563,674	0.56
8	Unhappy with boss	1	0.1	135,777	0.14
10	Wanted a better salary	8	0.78	1,458,472	1.46
11	Wanted benefits/better benefits	8	0.78	947,370	0.95
12	Needed extra income	79	7.71	8,880,426	8.87
13	Wanted to change career path/type of work	8	0.78	837,376	0.84
15	Wanted to work for a different employer	1	0.1	151,200	0.15
16	Just wanted to be doing something - leaving the house	11	1.07	1,245,781	1.24
18	Wanted a job with different/fewer hours	2	0.2	138,649	0.14
19	Other	17	1.66	1,584,885	1.58
20	Relocation	4	0.39	497,446	0.5

<b>Are there any other reasons why you are searching for a job/searched for a job in the last five years?</b>					
<b>Q5B</b>	<b>Q5B</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Percent</b>
.	.	96	9.38	12,050,849	12.03
-99	-99	843	82.32	78,458,840	78.35
1	Retired, but wanted to continue working	4	0.39	514,368	0.51
3	Laid off from job	3	0.29	234,340	0.23
7	Unhappy at your job	3	0.29	380,238	0.38
8	Unhappy with boss	1	0.1	52,306	0.05
10	Wanted a better salary	6	0.59	677,307	0.68
11	Wanted benefits/better benefits	2	0.2	47,130	0.05
12	Needed extra income	32	3.13	4,302,243	4.3
14	No room to advance/no opportunities to move up	1	0.1	109,380	0.11
15	Wanted to change career path/type of work	2	0.2	111,354	0.11
16	Just wanted to be doing something - leaving the house	15	1.46	1,574,376	1.57
18	Wanted a job with different/fewer hours	2	0.2	252,352	0.25
19	Other	12	1.17	1,037,297	1.04
20	Relocation	2	0.2	331,332	0.33

Anything else?					
Q5C	Q5C	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	59	5.76	6,343,134	6.33
-99	-99	937	91.5	90,288,439	90.17
1	Retired, but wanted to continue working	1	0.1	153,065	0.15
4	Too much stress at previous/current job	1	0.1	373,440	0.37
7	Unhappy at your job	1	0.1	184,511	0.18
10	Wanted a better salary	2	0.2	239,945	0.24
11	Wanted benefits/better benefits	1	0.1	33,974	0.03
12	Needed extra income	8	0.78	553,140	0.55
13	Wanted to change career path/type of work	1	0.1	45,056	0.04
14	No room to advance/no opportunities to move up	1	0.1	230,790	0.23
16	Just wanted to be doing something - leaving the house	3	0.29	327,672	0.33
19	Other	8	0.78	1,082,824	1.08
20	Relocation	1	0.1	277,721	0.28

Would you say that your job search has been/was easy, difficult, or neither easy nor difficult?					
Q6	Q6	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	1	0.1	152,950	0.15
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Very easy	17	1.66	1,686,009	1.68
2	Moderately Easy	27	2.64	3,772,539	3.77
3	Neither easy nor difficult	35	3.42	4,276,199	4.27
4	Moderately difficult	35	3.42	4,333,054	4.33
5	Very difficult	68	6.64	7,717,495	7.71

While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about a lack of available jobs?					
Q7A	Q7A	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	4	0.39	661,856	0.66
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Yes	134	13.09	15,037,643	15.02
2	No	45	4.39	6,238,746	6.23

While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about not having the right skills for the available jobs?					
Q7B	Q7B	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	4	0.39	333,122	0.33
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Yes	61	5.96	8,700,934	8.69
2	No	118	11.52	12,904,190	12.89

While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about employers being concerned about your age?					
Q7C	Q7C	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	11	1.07	1,037,584	1.04
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Yes	79	7.71	9,403,519	9.39
2	No	93	9.08	11,497,142	11.48

While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about feeling too old for the available jobs?					
Q7D	Q7D	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	3	0.29	287,128	0.29
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Yes	82	8.01	9,858,057	9.84
2	No	98	9.57	11,793,060	11.78

While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about not having the right degree or education?					
Q7E	Q7E	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	4	0.39	609,011	0.61
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Yes	53	5.18	7,674,440	7.66
2	No	126	12.3	13,654,795	13.64

While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about a lack of jobs offering an adequate salary?					
Q7F	Q7F	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	3	0.29	486,892	0.49
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Yes	117	11.43	13,919,909	13.9
2	No	63	6.15	7,531,444	7.52

While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about a lack of jobs offering adequate benefits?					
Q7G	Q7G	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	14	1.37	1,566,216	1.56
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Yes	90	8.79	11,729,963	11.71
2	No	79	7.71	8,642,067	8.63

While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about a high demand for your skills?					
Q7H	Q7H	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	5	0.49	428,625	0.43
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Yes	81	7.91	9,414,090	9.4
2	No	97	9.47	12,095,531	12.08

While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about a high demand for your experience?					
Q7I	Q7I	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	6	0.59	652,526	0.65
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Yes	66	6.45	6,774,643	6.77
2	No	111	10.84	14,511,077	14.49

While you have been searching/searched for a job in the last five years, did you experience any of the following or not? How about being told you were overqualified?					
Q7J	Q7J	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	2	0.2	244,781	0.24
-99	-99	841	82.13	78,195,465	78.09
1	Yes	64	6.25	6,937,176	6.93
2	No	117	11.43	14,756,289	14.74

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Professional appearance					
Q7b_appearance	Q7b_appearance	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	1010	98.63	98,740,173	98.61
1	Yes	14	1.37	1,393,538	1.39

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Filled out a lot of applications					
Q7b_apply	Q7b_apply	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	1008	98.44	98,358,410	98.23
1	Yes	16	1.56	1,775,301	1.77

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Worked on increasing skills/went back to school					
Q7b_education	Q7b_education	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	992	96.88	95,853,822	95.73
1	Yes	32	3.13	4,279,889	4.27

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Increased flexibility/willing to relocate					
Q7b_flexibility	Q7b_flexibility	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	1012	98.83	98,712,074	98.58
1	Yes	12	1.17	1,421,637	1.42

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Follow-up/put a lot of effort into job search					
Q7b_followup	Q7b_followup	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	1015	99.12	98,593,771	98.46
1	Yes	9	0.88	1,539,940	1.54

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Job service/employment agency/professional advice					
Q7b_jobagency	Q7b_jobagency	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	1009	98.54	98,581,686	98.45
1	Yes	15	1.46	1,552,025	1.55

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Networking					
Q7b_networking	Q7b_networking	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	1003	97.95	97,798,965	97.67
1	Yes	21	2.05	2,334,746	2.33

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Research on the internet or otherwise					
Q7b_research	Q7b_research	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	996	97.27	97,503,916	97.37
1	Yes	28	2.73	2,629,795	2.63

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Update resume/sharpen interview skills					
Q7b_resume update	Q7b_resumeupdate	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	993	96.97	96,825,872	96.7
1	Yes	31	3.03	3,307,839	3.3

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Other					
Q7b_other	Q7b_other	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	993	96.97	96,627,987	96.5
1	Yes	31	3.03	3,505,724	3.5

While you've been/were searching for a job, what have you done/did you do, if anything to increase your chances of being hired? Didn't do anything					
Q7b_nothing	Q7b_nothing	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
0	No	1006	98.24	97,362,097	97.23
1	Yes	18	1.76	2,771,614	2.77

Over the last five years, has your pay increased, decreased, or stayed about the same?					
Q8	Q8	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	3	0.29	205,280	0.21
-99	-99	657	64.16	54,242,634	54.17
1	Increased a lot	37	3.61	4,722,165	4.72
2	Increased a little	118	11.52	15,689,670	15.67
3	Stayed about the same	142	13.87	17,663,399	17.64
4	Decreased a little	18	1.76	2,493,911	2.49
5	Decreased a lot	49	4.79	5,116,651	5.11

Regardless of how far down the road it might be, how much thought, if any, have you given to your retirement years?					
Q9	Q9	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	5	0.49	521,035	0.52
-99	-99	641	62.6	51,139,624	51.07
1	A great deal	199	19.43	23,861,202	23.83
2	Some	101	9.86	12,573,318	12.56
3	A little	43	4.2	6,632,067	6.62
4	Not much at all	35	3.42	5,406,465	5.4

At what age do you expect to retire?					
Q10	Q10	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	37	3.61	4,017,422	4.01
-99	-99	651	63.57	51,846,931	51.78
55	55	5	0.49	1,100,866	1.1
56	56	1	0.1	68,107	0.07
57	57	2	0.2	129,616	0.13
58	58	5	0.49	745,248	0.74
59	59	2	0.2	222,883	0.22
60	60	16	1.56	3,593,597	3.59
61	61	2	0.2	148,473	0.15
62	62	39	3.81	5,533,009	5.53
63	63	8	0.78	1,120,203	1.12
64	64	4	0.39	751,254	0.75
65	65	73	7.13	10,298,939	10.29
66	66	23	2.25	2,587,636	2.58
67	67	16	1.56	1,973,841	1.97
68	68	10	0.98	1,286,378	1.28
69	69	1	0.1	50,102	0.05
70	70	42	4.1	5,197,837	5.19
71	71	3	0.29	148,945	0.15
72	72	7	0.68	956,176	0.95
73	73	1	0.1	68,125	0.07
74	74	1	0.1	54,134	0.05
75	75	19	1.86	2,198,859	2.2
78	78	1	0.1	63,051	0.06
80	80	4	0.39	511,503	0.51
82	82	1	0.1	61,702	0.06
85	85	3	0.29	182,639	0.18
90	90	1	0.1	61,063	0.06
666	Never (VOL)	46	4.49	5,155,173	5.15

When you were 40 years old, at what age did you expect to retire?					
Q11	Q11	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	84	8.2	8,885,835	8.87
-99	-99	2	0.2	84,901	0.08
21	21	1	0.1	47,443	0.05
32	32	1	0.1	46,525	0.05
38	38	1	0.1	93,051	0.09
40	40	1	0.1	233,935	0.23
42	42	2	0.2	169,863	0.17
43	43	1	0.1	37,779	0.04
45	45	9	0.88	828,620	0.83
47	47	1	0.1	127,069	0.13
48	48	4	0.39	279,325	0.28
49	49	1	0.1	206,585	0.21
50	50	17	1.66	1,691,560	1.69
51	51	2	0.2	172,746	0.17
52	52	5	0.49	357,811	0.36
55	55	63	6.15	6,335,264	6.33
56	56	5	0.49	461,488	0.46
57	57	4	0.39	515,425	0.51
58	58	8	0.78	671,669	0.67
59	59	4	0.39	398,882	0.4
60	60	74	7.23	8,535,513	8.52
61	61	1	0.1	70,933	0.07
62	62	121	11.82	13,010,884	12.99
63	63	7	0.68	539,662	0.54
64	64	3	0.29	675,655	0.67
65	65	393	38.38	35,029,767	34.98
66	66	14	1.37	1,245,715	1.24
67	67	9	0.88	929,317	0.93
68	68	3	0.29	409,931	0.41
70	70	52	5.08	5,574,010	5.57
72	72	8	0.78	427,805	0.43
75	75	11	1.07	1,108,992	1.11
80	80	5	0.49	478,941	0.48
85	85	1	0.1	57,415	0.06
89	89	1	0.1	376,102	0.38
666	Never (VOL)	105	10.25	10,017,293	10

At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your satisfaction with your job?					
Q12A	Q12A	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	42	4.1	3,283,937	3.28
-99	-99	188	18.36	16,882,659	16.86
1	Not important at all	131	12.79	12,286,939	12.27
2	Only a little important	50	4.88	4,266,034	4.26
3	Moderately important	173	16.89	18,447,892	18.42
4	Very important	285	27.83	29,242,303	29.2
5	Extremely important	155	15.14	15,723,948	15.7

At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your financial needs?					
Q12B	Q12B	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	24	2.34	1,559,718	1.56
-99	-99	188	18.36	16,882,659	16.86
1	Not important at all	90	8.79	7,061,659	7.05
2	Only a little important	48	4.69	4,085,705	4.08
3	Moderately important	151	14.75	12,964,518	12.95
4	Very important	299	29.2	31,836,245	31.79
5	Extremely important	224	21.88	25,743,207	25.71

At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your need for benefits such as health insurance offered through an employer?					
Q12C	Q12C	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	51	4.98	4,224,393	4.22
-99	-99	188	18.36	16,882,659	16.86
1	Not important at all	192	18.75	15,584,939	15.56
2	Only a little important	46	4.49	4,765,653	4.76
3	Moderately important	82	8.01	8,172,421	8.16
4	Very important	266	25.98	27,741,265	27.7
5	Extremely important	199	19.43	22,762,382	22.73

At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your spouse or partner's plans for retirement?					
Q12D	Q12D	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	227	22.17	20,352,573	20.33
-99	-99	188	18.36	16,882,659	16.86
1	Not important at all	170	16.6	15,745,150	15.72
2	Only a little important	58	5.66	6,320,773	6.31
3	Moderately important	111	10.84	10,397,340	10.38
4	Very important	177	17.29	18,481,950	18.46
5	Extremely important	93	9.08	11,953,266	11.94

At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about wanting more free time?					
Q12E	Q12E	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	22	2.15	2,091,588	2.09
-99	-99	188	18.36	16,882,659	16.86
1	Not important at all	138	13.48	13,923,259	13.9
2	Only a little important	100	9.77	10,049,195	10.04
3	Moderately important	259	25.29	25,444,331	25.41
4	Very important	230	22.46	21,953,780	21.92
5	Extremely important	87	8.5	9,788,898	9.78

At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your health?					
Q12F	Q12F	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	25	2.44	2,686,692	2.68
-99	-99	188	18.36	16,882,659	16.86
1	Not important at all	174	16.99	13,409,780	13.39
2	Only a little important	46	4.49	3,796,268	3.79
3	Moderately important	94	9.18	9,137,519	9.13
4	Very important	310	30.27	33,895,728	33.85
5	Extremely important	187	18.26	20,325,065	20.3

At the time of your retirement, how important was/will each of the following factors be in your decision about when to retire? How about your ability to do your job?					
Q12G	Q12G	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	40	3.91	2,662,661	2.66
-99	-99	188	18.36	16,882,659	16.86
1	Not important at all	194	18.95	16,578,229	16.56
2	Only a little important	44	4.3	3,535,259	3.53
3	Moderately important	104	10.16	11,837,484	11.82
4	Very important	269	26.27	29,023,264	28.98
5	Extremely important	185	18.07	19,614,155	19.59

In general, would you say you feel more excited or more anxious about your retirement?					
Q13	Q13	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	31	3.03	2,702,078	2.7
-99	-99	2	0.2	84,901	0.08
1	More excited	452	44.14	43,208,648	43.15
2	More anxious	359	35.06	37,549,776	37.5
55	Neither (VOL)	163	15.92	14,950,114	14.93
66	Both (VOL)	17	1.66	1,638,193	1.64

How likely is it that you will do any work for pay during your retirement?					
Q14	Q14	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	14	1.37	1,291,974	1.29
-99	-99	64	6.25	5,579,150	5.57
1	Extremely likely	90	8.79	10,419,188	10.41
2	Very likely	151	14.75	18,987,781	18.96
3	Somewhat likely	228	22.27	26,481,487	26.45
4	Not too likely	150	14.65	11,815,445	11.8
5	Not at all likely	327	31.93	25,558,687	25.52

How many of your friends and family around your age are still working?					
Q15	Q15	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	12	1.17	1,132,593	1.13
1	Almost all	291	28.42	36,895,470	36.85
2	Most	120	11.72	12,809,320	12.79
3	Some	130	12.7	11,249,181	11.23
4	Just a few	283	27.64	24,696,030	24.66
5	None	188	18.36	13,351,117	13.33

When you think about the amount of savings you have for retirement, do you feel mostly secure or mostly anxious?					
Q16	Q16	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	21	2.05	2,248,879	2.25
1	Mostly secure	527	51.46	46,496,677	46.43
2	Mostly anxious	420	41.02	44,963,597	44.9
55	Neither (VOL)	47	4.59	5,568,124	5.56
66	Both (VOL)	9	0.88	856,434	0.86

In the past year, have you had to borrow money from a retirement plan, such as a 401K plan or pension, in order to meet your expenses or not?					
Q17	Q17	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	3	0.29	169,539	0.17
-99	-99	649	63.38	51,762,029	51.69
1	Yes	50	4.88	5,902,444	5.89
2	No	314	30.66	41,615,214	41.56
88	Don't have a retirement plan/not applicable (VOL)	8	0.78	684,485	0.68

At what age do you expect to start collecting Social Security retirement benefits? If you are already collecting Social Security retirement benefits, please tell me the age you first started receiving them.					
Q18	Q18	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	90	8.79	9,643,476	9.63
0	Younger than 50	27	2.64	2,853,470	2.85
50	50	3	0.29	244,517	0.24
51	51	1	0.1	76,350	0.08
52	52	8	0.78	902,319	0.9
53	53	4	0.39	279,496	0.28
54	54	4	0.39	852,216	0.85
55	55	15	1.46	1,275,716	1.27
56	56	3	0.29	517,242	0.52
57	57	5	0.49	585,178	0.58
58	58	1	0.1	14,284	0.01
59	59	4	0.39	247,430	0.25
60	60	29	2.83	2,802,327	2.8
61	61	1	0.1	185,046	0.18
62	62	265	25.88	23,858,458	23.83
63	63	47	4.59	3,399,035	3.39
64	64	33	3.22	3,015,890	3.01
65	65	256	25	26,532,690	26.5
66	66	92	8.98	8,308,230	8.3
67	67	53	5.18	6,270,442	6.26
68	68	13	1.27	1,815,065	1.81
69	69	2	0.2	192,551	0.19
70	70	44	4.3	3,831,835	3.83
72	72	16	1.56	1,574,536	1.57
73	73	1	0.1	68,125	0.07
74	74	1	0.1	57,139	0.06
75	75	3	0.29	571,487	0.57
76	76	1	0.1	20,508	0.02
78	78	1	0.1	77,095	0.08
82	82	1	0.1	61,557	0.06

<b>Other than Social Security, are you currently saving any additional money for retirement?</b>					
<b>Q19</b>	<b>Q19</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Percent</b>
.	.	5	0.49	269,233	0.27
-99	-99	657	64.16	54,242,634	54.17
1	Yes	266	25.98	34,277,804	34.23
2	No	96	9.38	11,344,040	11.33

<b>In total, about how much money do you currently have in savings and investments that you plan to use for retirement? Include your spouse or partner's savings if you are married or living with a partner. Please include savings and investments including a 401(k) or IRA, but do not include the value of a pension or your primary residence. Would you say...</b>					
<b>Q20</b>	<b>Q20</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Percent</b>
.	.	345	33.69	32,310,571	32.27
1	Less than \$1,000	141	13.77	16,399,199	16.38
2	\$1,000 to \$9,000	58	5.66	7,527,744	7.52
3	\$10,000 to \$24,000	50	4.88	4,504,983	4.5
4	\$25,000 to \$49,000	43	4.2	3,920,261	3.92
5	\$50,000 to \$99,000	68	6.64	6,850,091	6.84
6	\$100,000 to \$149,000	58	5.66	5,250,683	5.24
7	\$150,000 to \$249,000	56	5.47	6,107,188	6.1
8	\$250,000 to \$499,000	74	7.23	6,557,988	6.55
9	\$500,000 to \$1 million	74	7.23	6,241,429	6.23
10	\$1 million or more	57	5.57	4,463,575	4.46

At what age do you expect to start using those savings for your retirement? If you are already using those savings, please tell me the age you first started using them.					
Q21	Q21	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	223	21.78	22,081,424	22.05
38	38	1	0.1	106,127	0.11
40	40	2	0.2	140,623	0.14
43	43	1	0.1	37,779	0.04
44	44	1	0.1	78,388	0.08
45	45	4	0.39	329,606	0.33
47	47	3	0.29	190,882	0.19
48	48	1	0.1	156,409	0.16
49	49	2	0.2	407,588	0.41
50	50	11	1.07	1,552,075	1.55
51	51	3	0.29	443,906	0.44
52	52	7	0.68	430,036	0.43
53	53	5	0.49	853,664	0.85
54	54	3	0.29	460,619	0.46
55	55	17	1.66	1,642,290	1.64
56	56	4	0.39	231,445	0.23
57	57	6	0.59	600,977	0.6
58	58	17	1.66	1,200,485	1.2
59	59	12	1.17	1,108,510	1.11
60	60	42	4.1	6,033,628	6.03
61	61	6	0.59	965,993	0.96
62	62	67	6.54	7,688,099	7.68
63	63	21	2.05	1,489,733	1.49
64	64	14	1.37	1,367,926	1.37
65	65	135	13.18	14,241,451	14.22
66	66	40	3.91	3,385,825	3.38
67	67	28	2.73	2,731,493	2.73
68	68	21	2.05	2,162,190	2.16
69	69	8	0.78	318,845	0.32
70	70	115	11.23	10,873,825	10.86
71	71	15	1.46	899,230	0.9
72	72	23	2.25	1,764,941	1.76
73	73	3	0.29	197,127	0.2
74	74	4	0.39	430,137	0.43
75	75	34	3.32	2,785,828	2.78
76	76	4	0.39	369,976	0.37
78	78	2	0.2	149,878	0.15

<b>79</b>	<b>79</b>	1	0.1	127,069	0.13
<b>80</b>	<b>80</b>	22	2.15	1,574,431	1.57
<b>81</b>	<b>81</b>	3	0.29	258,653	0.26
<b>82</b>	<b>82</b>	3	0.29	136,902	0.14
<b>83</b>	<b>83</b>	3	0.29	121,102	0.12
<b>85</b>	<b>85</b>	4	0.39	368,869	0.37
<b>88</b>	<b>88</b>	1	0.1	142,705	0.14
<b>89</b>	<b>89</b>	2	0.2	47,075	0.05
<b>90</b>	<b>90</b>	2	0.2	129,184	0.13
<b>95</b>	<b>95</b>	1	0.1	20,508	0.02
<b>666</b>	<b>Never (VOL)</b>	77	7.52	7,298,256	7.29

<b>Will you/do you receive a pension or not?</b>					
<b>Q22</b>	<b>Q22</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Percent</b>
.	.	17	1.66	2,052,950	2.05
<b>1</b>	<b>Yes</b>	498	48.63	44,660,777	44.6
<b>2</b>	<b>No</b>	509	49.71	53,419,984	53.35

At what age do you think people should be eligible to receive full Social Security benefits in the United States?					
Q23	Q23	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	55	5.37	5,091,758	5.08
0	Younger than 50	4	0.39	339,249	0.34
50	50	10	0.98	1,277,465	1.28
54	54	1	0.1	504,636	0.5
55	55	22	2.15	2,387,644	2.38
57	57	2	0.2	232,076	0.23
58	58	2	0.2	328,244	0.33
59	59	2	0.2	421,371	0.42
60	60	58	5.66	7,307,318	7.3
61	61	1	0.1	43,185	0.04
62	62	163	15.92	19,627,958	19.6
63	63	9	0.88	644,948	0.64
64	64	2	0.2	465,729	0.47
65	65	468	45.7	43,144,275	43.09
66	66	49	4.79	3,614,775	3.61
67	67	50	4.88	4,291,684	4.29
68	68	35	3.42	3,293,196	3.29
69	69	4	0.39	186,348	0.19
70	70	75	7.32	5,784,592	5.78
72	72	5	0.49	272,703	0.27
75	75	6	0.59	834,170	0.83
79	79	1	0.1	40,387	0.04

To address financial concerns about the Social Security program...Would you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose gradually raising the age at which people can begin receiving Social Security benefits?					
Q24A	Q24A	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	31	3.03	2,654,944	2.65
1	Strongly favor	151	14.75	13,284,971	13.27
2	Moderately favor	194	18.95	16,174,246	16.15
3	Neither favor nor oppose	91	8.89	9,729,428	9.72
4	Moderately oppose	143	13.96	13,339,831	13.32
5	Strongly oppose	414	40.43	44,950,291	44.89

To address financial concerns about the Social Security program...Would you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose reducing Social Security benefits for seniors with higher incomes?					
Q24B	Q24B	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	42	4.1	4,284,752	4.28
1	Strongly favor	189	18.46	19,521,135	19.5
2	Moderately favor	219	21.39	21,423,410	21.39
3	Neither favor nor oppose	107	10.45	11,221,711	11.21
4	Moderately oppose	168	16.41	14,277,874	14.26
5	Strongly oppose	299	29.2	29,404,829	29.37

To address financial concerns about the Social Security program...Would you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose changing the way Social Security benefits are calculated so that the annual cost of living raises are smaller?					
Q24C	Q24C	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	69	6.74	6,175,680	6.17
1	Strongly favor	89	8.69	10,237,854	10.22
2	Moderately favor	108	10.55	10,546,668	10.53
3	Neither favor nor oppose	121	11.82	11,156,758	11.14
4	Moderately oppose	205	20.02	19,686,638	19.66
5	Strongly oppose	432	42.19	42,330,112	42.27

To address financial concerns about the Social Security program...Would you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose raising the cap on income subject to Social Security taxes, so that those with higher incomes pay taxes on more of their wages?					
Q24D	Q24D	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	47	4.59	3,962,032	3.96
1	Strongly favor	436	42.58	40,261,443	40.21
2	Moderately favor	215	21	20,759,491	20.73
3	Neither favor nor oppose	86	8.4	10,198,156	10.18
4	Moderately oppose	106	10.35	11,220,919	11.21
5	Strongly oppose	134	13.09	13,731,669	13.71

All in all, how satisfied would you say you are/were with your job?					
Q25	Q25	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	14	1.37	1,583,254	1.58
-99	-99	52	5.08	6,094,657	6.09
1	Very satisfied	667	65.14	60,942,985	60.86
2	Somewhat satisfied	220	21.48	24,156,590	24.12
3	Not too satisfied	37	3.61	3,395,316	3.39
4	Not at all satisfied	34	3.32	3,960,909	3.96

In the last five years, have you made any of the following changes at work? Have you cut back on your hours at work, or not?					
Q26A	Q26A	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	6	0.59	583,177	0.58
-99	-99	618	60.35	50,507,133	50.44
1	Yes	99	9.67	10,889,723	10.88
2	No	301	29.39	38,153,678	38.1

In the last five years, have you made any of the following changes at work? Have you tried to take on fewer physically demanding tasks at work, or not?					
Q26B	Q26B	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	10	0.98	639,838	0.64
-99	-99	618	60.35	50,507,133	50.44
1	Yes	86	8.4	10,048,576	10.04
2	No	310	30.27	38,938,163	38.89

In the last five years, have you made any of the following changes at work? Have you tried to take on fewer mentally demanding tasks at work, or not?					
Q26C	Q26C	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	7	0.68	863,343	0.86
-99	-99	618	60.35	50,507,133	50.44
1	Yes	53	5.18	7,504,254	7.49
2	No	346	33.79	41,258,980	41.2

In general, do/did you consider your age to be an asset to your career, a liability to your career, or not an issue in your work life?					
Q27	Q27	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	18	1.76	1,487,892	1.49
-99	-99	2	0.2	84,901	0.08
1	An asset	180	17.58	17,489,733	17.47
2	A liability	174	16.99	18,411,111	18.39
3	Not an issue	644	62.89	62,041,066	61.96
66	Both (VOL)	6	0.59	619,007	0.62

Since turning 50 years old, have you personally ever experienced prejudice or discrimination in the job market or at work because of your age, or not?					
Q28	Q28	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	10	0.98	728,622	0.73
-99	-99	2	0.2	84,901	0.08
1	Yes	191	18.65	19,737,331	19.71
2	No	789	77.05	77,372,795	77.27
88	Haven't worked since turned 50 (VOL)	32	3.13	2,210,062	2.21

Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about been laid off, fired, or forced to retire because of your age?					
Q29A	Q29A	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	14	1.37	1,580,179	1.58
-99	-99	34	3.32	2,294,963	2.29
1	Yes	73	7.13	7,685,811	7.68
2	No	805	78.61	79,733,270	79.63
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	98	9.57	8,839,488	8.83

Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about been denied access to training or the opportunity to acquire new skills because of your age?					
Q29B	Q29B	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	7	0.68	632,570	0.63
-99	-99	34	3.32	2,294,963	2.29
1	Yes	91	8.89	8,526,341	8.51
2	No	794	77.54	79,840,349	79.73
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	98	9.57	8,839,488	8.83

Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about been passed over for a raise, promotion, or chance to get ahead because of your age?					
Q29C	Q29C	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	16	1.56	1,636,617	1.63
-99	-99	34	3.32	2,294,963	2.29
1	Yes	117	11.43	12,704,329	12.69
2	No	759	74.12	74,658,314	74.56
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	98	9.57	8,839,488	8.83

Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about been passed over for certain assignments because of your age?					
Q29D	Q29D	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	15	1.46	1,281,174	1.28
-99	-99	34	3.32	2,294,963	2.29
1	Yes	118	11.52	12,180,386	12.16
2	No	759	74.12	75,537,700	75.44
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	98	9.57	8,839,488	8.83

Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about received certain unwanted assignments because of your age?					
Q29E	Q29E	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	11	1.07	1,465,374	1.46
-99	-99	34	3.32	2,294,963	2.29
1	Yes	96	9.38	9,872,484	9.86
2	No	785	76.66	77,661,402	77.56
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	98	9.57	8,839,488	8.83

Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about received or been exposed to unwelcome comments about your age in the workplace?					
Q29F	Q29F	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	4	0.39	419,286	0.42
-99	-99	34	3.32	2,294,963	2.29
1	Yes	115	11.23	12,523,027	12.51
2	No	773	75.49	76,056,947	75.96
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	98	9.57	8,839,488	8.83

Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about had colleagues come to you for advice more often?					
Q29G	Q29G	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	12	1.17	1,132,267	1.13
-99	-99	34	3.32	2,294,963	2.29
1	Yes	590	57.62	58,619,322	58.54
2	No	290	28.32	29,247,671	29.21
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	98	9.57	8,839,488	8.83

Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about felt as though you were receiving more respect within the company?					
Q29H	Q29H	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	26	2.54	2,370,816	2.37
-99	-99	34	3.32	2,294,963	2.29
1	Yes	405	39.55	41,331,510	41.28
2	No	461	45.02	45,296,935	45.24
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	98	9.57	8,839,488	8.83

Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about received certain desirable assignments because of your age?					
Q29I	Q29I	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	21	2.05	1,544,059	1.54
-99	-99	34	3.32	2,294,963	2.29
1	Yes	145	14.16	14,532,754	14.51
2	No	726	70.9	72,922,447	72.83
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	98	9.57	8,839,488	8.83

Since turning 50, please indicate if you believe you have experienced any of the following situations because of your age. How about worried about your ability to do your job as you age?					
Q29J	Q29J	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	8	0.78	1,010,040	1.01
-99	-99	34	3.32	2,294,963	2.29
1	Yes	201	19.63	22,363,685	22.33
2	No	683	66.7	65,625,535	65.54
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	98	9.57	8,839,488	8.83

Would you say your current boss is younger than you, older than you, or about the same age? If you're not sure your best guess is fine.					
Q30	Q30	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	3	0.29	257,414	0.26
-99	-99	683	66.7	56,800,096	56.72
1	Younger than you	177	17.29	20,623,681	20.6
2	Older than you	48	4.69	7,913,286	7.9
3	About the same age	85	8.3	11,805,595	11.79
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	28	2.73	2,733,639	2.73

And would you say most of your co-workers are younger than you, older than you, or about the same age? If you're not sure your best guess is fine.					
Q31	Q31	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	2	0.2	214,482	0.21
-99	-99	643	62.79	52,606,196	52.54
1	Younger than you	264	25.78	30,175,191	30.13
2	Older than you	12	1.17	1,976,033	1.97
3	About the same age	64	6.25	10,418,009	10.4
66	Not applicable/no co-workers (VOL)	14	1.37	1,464,653	1.46
88	Not applicable/self-employed (VOL)	25	2.44	3,279,146	3.27

How much of the time does/did your job require physical effort?					
Q32	Q32	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	5	0.49	567,683	0.57
-99	-99	2	0.2	84,901	0.08
1	Almost all of the time	233	22.75	25,858,342	25.82
2	Most of the time	171	16.7	18,551,954	18.53
3	Some of the time	268	26.17	25,476,692	25.44
4	Almost none of the time	183	17.87	15,711,943	15.69
5	None of the time	162	15.82	13,882,195	13.86

How does your ability to complete the physical requirements of your job compare to when you were younger? Would you say it's more difficult, about the same, or easier?					
Q33	Q33	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	5	0.49	511,477	0.51
-99	-99	657	64.16	54,242,634	54.17
1	Much more difficult	36	3.52	4,130,800	4.13
2	Somewhat more difficult	94	9.18	12,538,550	12.52
3	Same	195	19.04	23,904,952	23.87
4	Somewhat easier	14	1.37	2,057,142	2.05
5	Much easier	23	2.25	2,748,156	2.74

How would you say your ability to complete the mental aspects of your job compares to when you were younger? Would you say it's more difficult, about the same, or easier?					
Q34	Q34	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	3	0.29	396,623	0.4
-99	-99	657	64.16	54,242,634	54.17
1	Much more difficult	13	1.27	2,564,616	2.56
2	Somewhat more difficult	42	4.1	5,808,742	5.8
3	Same	194	18.95	23,469,048	23.44
4	Somewhat easier	50	4.88	5,705,209	5.7
5	Much easier	65	6.35	7,946,838	7.94

In general, would you say that you feel younger than your age, older than your age, or would you say you feel about your age?					
Q35A	Q35A	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	19	1.86	1,446,657	1.44
1	A lot younger	322	31.45	29,355,464	29.32
2	A little younger	322	31.45	31,047,104	31.01
3	About your age	299	29.2	32,645,235	32.6
4	A little older	30	2.93	2,867,587	2.86
5	A lot older	32	3.13	2,771,665	2.77

At what age do you think the average person becomes old?					
Q35B	Q35B	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	69	6.74	5,808,460	5.8
30	30	1	0.1	115,395	0.12
40	40	3	0.29	254,565	0.25
45	45	2	0.2	154,302	0.15
48	48	1	0.1	214,389	0.21
50	50	25	2.44	3,617,786	3.61
54	54	1	0.1	166,925	0.17
55	55	20	1.95	2,961,133	2.96
60	60	55	5.37	6,740,290	6.73
62	62	3	0.29	641,739	0.64
63	63	3	0.29	240,380	0.24
65	65	68	6.64	8,241,354	8.23
67	67	3	0.29	387,868	0.39
68	68	3	0.29	478,361	0.48
69	69	2	0.2	376,436	0.38
70	70	149	14.55	15,308,864	15.29
72	72	7	0.68	939,789	0.94
73	73	2	0.2	136,044	0.14
75	75	108	10.55	10,742,308	10.73
76	76	6	0.59	851,258	0.85
78	78	9	0.88	845,306	0.84
79	79	3	0.29	234,972	0.23
80	80	136	13.28	11,715,080	11.7
82	82	1	0.1	27,281	0.03
83	83	1	0.1	49,985	0.05
85	85	47	4.59	3,806,150	3.8
86	86	1	0.1	109,327	0.11
87	87	1	0.1	83,881	0.08
88	88	1	0.1	15,586	0.02
89	89	1	0.1	62,919	0.06
90	90	42	4.1	4,248,567	4.24
95	95	4	0.39	258,209	0.26
100	100	10	0.98	768,282	0.77
666	Depends on the individual person (VOL)	236	23.05	19,530,523	19.5

**Are you currently the primary caretaker for a family member or close friend, or not?  
This can include older people like a parent or elderly neighbor, people your age, or  
younger people like a child or grandchild.**

Q36	Q36	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	4	0.39	178,127	0.18
1	Yes	258	25.2	28,651,799	28.61
2	No	762	74.41	71,303,785	71.21

**Are you the primary source of financial support for anyone or not?**

Q37	Q37	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	1	0.1	167,731	0.17
1	Yes	262	25.59	30,135,588	30.1
2	No	761	74.32	69,830,392	69.74

**What kind of work do/did you do, that is what is/was your occupation?**

Q38	Q38	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	6	0.59	260,679	0.26
-99	-99	2	0.2	84,901	0.08
1	Management	167	16.31	15,374,964	15.35
2	Professional services	251	24.51	19,997,330	19.97
3	Sales or retail	68	6.64	7,105,720	7.1
4	Clerical	61	5.96	6,425,394	6.42
5	Public service	155	15.14	13,259,717	13.24
6	Service	115	11.23	15,728,133	15.71
7	Manufacturing	79	7.71	9,008,157	9
8	Construction	45	4.39	5,865,190	5.86
9	Technology	36	3.52	3,195,241	3.19
10	Farming or agriculture	16	1.56	1,368,483	1.37
11	Other	23	2.25	2,459,802	2.46

**On your current/most recent job, are/were you covered by a union or employee  
association contract, or not?**

Q39	Q39	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	7	0.68	932,078	0.93
-99	-99	2	0.2	84,901	0.08
1	Yes	244	23.83	24,006,702	23.97
2	No	771	75.29	75,110,030	75.01

Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent or none of these?					
POLITICS	POLITICS	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	19	1.86	2,191,997	2.19
1	Democrat	385	37.6	37,097,814	37.05
2	Republican	244	23.83	23,782,652	23.75
3	Independent	263	25.68	23,972,507	23.94
4	None of these	113	11.04	13,088,742	13.07

Do you consider yourself a strong or moderate Democrat?					
DEMO	DEMO	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	2	0.2	79,762	0.08
-99	-99	639	62.4	63,035,897	62.95
1	Democrat - strong	226	22.07	21,138,942	21.11
2	Democrat - moderate	157	15.33	15,879,110	15.86

Do you consider yourself a strong or moderate Republican?					
REPUB	REPUB	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	6	0.59	656,953	0.66
-99	-99	780	76.17	76,351,059	76.25
1	Republican - strong	107	10.45	10,887,439	10.87
2	Republican - moderate	131	12.79	12,238,260	12.22

Do you lean more toward the Democrats or the Republicans?					
INDEP	INDEP	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	24	2.34	2,474,797	2.47
-99	-99	629	61.43	60,880,466	60.8
1	Lean Democrat	116	11.33	10,916,375	10.9
2	Don't Lean	107	10.45	10,678,243	10.66
3	Lean Republican	135	13.18	14,080,969	14.06
4	Other	13	1.27	1,102,861	1.1

Generally speaking, do you consider yourself a liberal, moderate, or conservative?					
LIBRAL	LIBRAL	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	58	5.66	5,333,900	5.33
1	Liberal - strongly	143	13.96	11,446,906	11.43
2	Liberal - somewhat	115	11.23	13,272,961	13.26
3	Moderate	325	31.74	28,342,721	28.3
4	Conservative - somewhat	177	17.29	20,729,235	20.7
5	Conservative - strongly	206	20.12	21,007,989	20.98

What is your marital status? Are you...					
marital	marital	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	5	0.49	416,475	0.42
1	Married/living as married/co-habiting	558	54.49	61,312,384	61.23
2	Separated	15	1.46	2,235,889	2.23
3	Divorced	163	15.92	13,973,304	13.95
4	Widowed	209	20.41	15,019,271	15
5	Never married	74	7.23	7,176,387	7.17

Are you the parent or guardian of one or more children under the age of 18, or not?					
PARENT	PARENT	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	1	0.1	35,466	0.04
1	Yes	102	9.96	13,695,562	13.68
2	No	921	89.94	86,402,682	86.29

What is the last grade of school you completed?					
EDUCATION	EDUCATION	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	6	0.59	546,880	0.55
1	Less than high school graduate	78	7.62	11,539,416	11.52
2	High school graduate	219	21.39	34,515,932	34.47
3	Technical/trade school	34	3.32	3,046,205	3.04
4	Some college	182	17.77	17,331,006	17.31
5	College graduate (Associates/community college, BA, or BS)	263	25.68	17,809,245	17.79
6	Some graduate school	31	3.03	1,683,701	1.68
7	Graduate degree	211	20.61	13,661,325	13.64

Age group					
AGEGRP	AGEGRP	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
1	50-54	119	11.62	21,946,948	21.92
2	55-59	150	14.65	19,576,407	19.55
3	60-64	187	18.26	17,244,269	17.22
4	65+	568	55.47	41,366,086	41.31

Which one of the following best describes where you live?					
LIVEPL	LIVEPL	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	19	1.86	1,695,004	1.69
1	Urban area	224	21.88	23,610,621	23.58
2	Suburban area	435	42.48	40,676,668	40.62
3	Rural area	346	33.79	34,151,418	34.11

Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin?					
HISPANIC	HISPANIC	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	9	0.88	514,524	0.51
1	Yes	52	5.08	8,841,807	8.83
2	No	963	94.04	90,777,380	90.66

Race/ethnicity					
raceth	raceth	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	37	3.61	3,116,617	3.11
1	Non-Hispanic white	803	78.42	74,004,797	73.91
2	Non-Hispanic black	85	8.3	9,277,811	9.27
3	Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin	52	5.08	8,841,807	8.83
4	Non-Hispanic other	47	4.59	4,892,680	4.89

How many different cell-phone numbers, if any, could I have reached you for this call?					
NUMCELL	NUMCELL	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	8	0.78	1,302,357	1.3
0	0	277	27.05	14,309,523	14.29
1	1	622	60.74	73,263,937	73.17
2	2 or more	117	11.43	11,257,895	11.24

How many different landline telephone numbers, if any, are there in your home that I could have reached you on for this call? This includes listed or unlisted numbers. To answer this question, please don't count cell phones or landlines used only for faxes or modems.					
NUMLAND	NUMLAND	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	7	0.68	587,010	0.59
0	0	136	13.28	22,855,171	22.82
1	1	805	78.61	72,450,527	72.35
2	2 or more	76	7.42	4,241,004	4.24

Generally speaking, would you say you use your landline phone most of the time, your cell phone most of the time, or would you say you use both about equally?					
TELETYPE	TELETYPE	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	4	0.39	257,830	0.26
-99	-99	412	40.23	37,542,861	37.49
1	Landline	243	23.73	23,075,841	23.05
2	Cell phone	162	15.82	16,770,168	16.75
3	Both equally	203	19.82	22,487,011	22.46

How many adults, in addition to you, carry and use this cell phone at least once a week or more?					
CELLUSE	CELLUSE	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	2	0.2	117,840	0.12
-99	-99	815	79.59	72,547,040	72.45
0	0	142	13.87	18,682,707	18.66
1	1 or more	65	6.35	8,786,124	8.77

In the past 12 months...Have you or anyone in your household received food stamps or not?					
dprogpata	dprogpata	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
1	Yes	91	8.89	10,462,179	10.45
2	No	933	91.11	89,671,532	89.55

In the past 12 months...Have you or anyone in your household received Supplemental Security Income (SSI), or not?					
dprogpartb	dprogpartb	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	20	1.95	1,190,169	1.19
1	Yes	79	7.71	7,814,228	7.8
2	No	925	90.33	91,129,315	91.01

In the past 12 months...Have you or anyone in your household received Social Security Disability (SSDI) or any other form of disability, or not?					
dprogpartc	dprogpartc	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	2	0.2	83,510	0.08
1	Yes	180	17.58	17,701,995	17.68
2	No	842	82.23	82,348,206	82.24

In the past 12 months...Have you or anyone in your household received assistance to pay for utility bills, or not?					
dprogpartd	dprogpartd	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	1	0.1	30,779	0.03
1	Yes	60	5.86	5,399,117	5.39
2	No	963	94.04	94,703,815	94.58

In the past 12 months...Have you or anyone in your household received free or reduced medical care?					
dprogparte	dprogparte	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	10	0.98	995,058	0.99
1	Yes	160	15.63	17,200,782	17.18
2	No	854	83.4	81,937,871	81.83

The next questions are about health insurance. Please include health insurance obtained through employment or purchased directly as well as government programs like Medicare and Medicaid that provide medical care or help pay medical bills. Are you covered by any kind of health insurance or some other kind of health care plan or not?					
INS1	INS1	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	4	0.39	435,304	0.43
1	Yes	930	90.82	85,224,137	85.11
2	No	90	8.79	14,474,270	14.45

What kind of health insurance or health care coverage do you have? Is it Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance that you buy through your employer or on your own, or some other type?					
INS2	INS2	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	20	1.95	2,152,437	2.15
-99	-99	90	8.79	14,474,270	14.45
1	Medicare	181	17.68	14,357,592	14.34
2	Medicaid	27	2.64	2,984,203	2.98
3	Private	332	32.42	36,377,824	36.33
4	Some other type	61	5.96	6,607,437	6.6
55	Both Medicare and private (VOL)	273	26.66	19,359,427	19.33
66	Both Medicare and Medicaid (VOL)	40	3.91	3,820,521	3.82

Now, thinking about the income from all members of your household, does your total household income fall below \$50,000 dollars, or is it \$50,000 or higher?					
INC50K	INC50K	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	92	8.98	8,608,172	8.6
1	Below \$50,000	478	46.68	47,195,155	47.13
2	\$50,000+	454	44.34	44,330,384	44.27

Now, thinking about the income from all members of your household, does your total household income fall below \$50,000 dollars, or is it \$50,000 or higher? And in which group does your total household income fall?					
INCOME	INCOME	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
.	.	164	16.02	14,911,390	14.89
1	Under \$10,000	69	6.74	7,989,545	7.98
2	\$10,000 to under \$20,000	113	11.04	11,154,946	11.14
3	\$20,000 to under \$30,000	100	9.77	9,885,131	9.87
4	\$30,000 to under \$40,000	75	7.32	7,678,387	7.67
5	\$40,000 to under \$50,000	86	8.4	7,319,884	7.31
6	\$50,000 to under \$75,000	153	14.94	15,331,926	15.31
7	\$75,000 to under \$100,000	102	9.96	9,856,585	9.84
8	\$100,000 to under \$150,000	83	8.11	8,915,763	8.9
9	\$150,000 or more	79	7.71	7,090,154	7.08

Are you male or female?					
GENDER	GENDER	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
1	Male	445	43.46	46,492,082	46.43
2	Female	579	56.54	53,641,629	53.57

Census region					
census_region	census_region	Frequency	Percent	Weighted Frequency	Weighted Percent
1	Northeast	191	18.65	18,885,218	18.86
2	Midwest	283	27.64	22,219,671	22.19
3	South	356	34.77	36,869,232	36.82
4	West	194	18.95	22,159,590	22.13

