

Sample 1000 Adult Interviews
 Conducted October 11 - 12, 2013
 Margin of Error ±3.7%

1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling negotiations to end the government shutdown?

Strongly approve	21%
Somewhat approve	16%
Somewhat disapprove	9%
Strongly disapprove	44%
Not sure	10%

2. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Republicans in Congress are handling negotiations to end the government shutdown?

Strongly approve	12%
Somewhat approve	16%
Somewhat disapprove	12%
Strongly disapprove	50%
Not sure	11%

3. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Democrats in Congress are handling negotiations to end the government shutdown?

Strongly approve	13%
Somewhat approve	20%
Somewhat disapprove	14%
Strongly disapprove	40%
Not sure	13%

4. Who do you think is most to blame for the shutdown of the federal government?

Compiled from individual responses

Democrats in Congress	2%
Republicans in Congress	38%
President Obama	20%
Both Democrats in Congress and President Obama	12%
Both Republicans in Congress and President Obama	1%
Both Democrats and Republicans in Congress	1%
All of them	11%
Other	5%
Not sure	7%
None of them	1%
No Answer	0%