

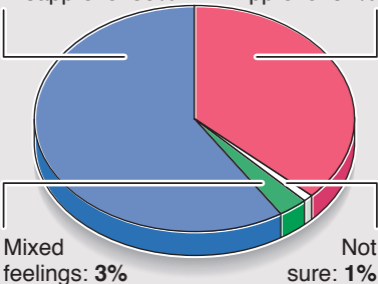
# Bush's rating slumps

President Bush's job approval has fallen to the lowest level of his presidency, with six in 10 Americans disapproving of the way he is handling his job as president



Disapprove: 59%

Approve: 37%



## Bush's growing problems

- Rising U.S. casualties in Iraq
- Failed bid to reform Social Security
- Rising fuel costs
- Slow and inadequate response to *Hurricane Katrina* devastation
- Striking defeat of his Supreme Court nomination of *Harriet Miers*
- Indictment of Vice President *Dick Cheney's* former aide, *Lewis Libby*

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