

Manchester - Essex
Domestic (no econ)

1. Are public sector unions doomed?
2. What will be the political fallout of the vote to strip public sector unions of their collective bargaining rights in Wisconsin?
3. Can any good come from Congressional hearings on the Muslim community?
4. Should school teachers have tenure?
5. Should Obama continue to make high speed rail in the U.S. a priority?
6. Can Obama be beaten in 2012?
7. Can Republican leadership in Congress successfully unite social and economic conservatives in their membership?
8. Who are the most viable Republican presidential candidates?
9. Should the U.S. take a stronger stand against Qaddafi?
10. Can the federal government continue to insist that "no child be left behind" if it cuts funding for education significantly?

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1. If congress fails to raise the debt ceiling, which political party stands to lose the most?
2. What should the government do to combat unemployment?
3. What can the government do to promote growth for small businesses?
4. Can Republicans and Democrats compromise on a budget proposal before the new March 18th deadline?
5. What should be done to make Social Security financially sustainable?
6. Should Obama open strategic petroleum reserves to combat rising oil prices?
7. Do unions represent a threat to states' economies?
8. How should Obama combat the rising trade deficit?
9. How will increased consumer spending impact the economic recovery?
10. How will a new Consumer Protection Agency impact the economy?
11. What can be done to resuscitate the housing market?
12. Should we be concerned about inflation?
13. Should the Federal Reserve raise interest rates?

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Foreign (no econ)

1. Can Afghan forces bring security when NATO leaves?
2. Should western nations try to protect Libyan civilians from Muammar Qaddafi's forces?
3. Can the Saudi government continue to manage unrest with increases in public spending?
4. Can the Libyan people build a new government?
5. Should Spain's Supreme Court allow Sortu to register as a political party?
6. What changes will Middle Eastern countries make as a result of the recent protests?
7. Can China continue to insulate her people from the spread of unrest?
8. What should be done about Somali piracy as the violence and ransom demands increase?
9. In the wake of the assassination of minorities minister Shahbaz Bhatti, can the Pakistani government maintain control over extremist groups?
10. What changes will Ireland's Fine Gael bring to the country?

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International Econ (Finals)**

1. Will the Middle Eastern revolutions strangle the global economy?
2. What will be the impact of the latest Greek financial setback?
3. How effective will be the world's central banking experiments?
4. What will be the effect of the overvalued Euro on the non-European economy?
5. How effective will be China's anti-inflation strategies?
6. How likely is India's economy to go-go-go in 2011?
7. How likely is Africa's economy to reach new heights in the coming decade?
8. What will be the impact of rising food prices in Bolivia?
9. What lies ahead for Ireland's economy?
10. Will Germany's economy continue to be strong?
- 11 How will the recent earthquake shake the Japanese economy?
- 12 What can India do to continue its economic growth?