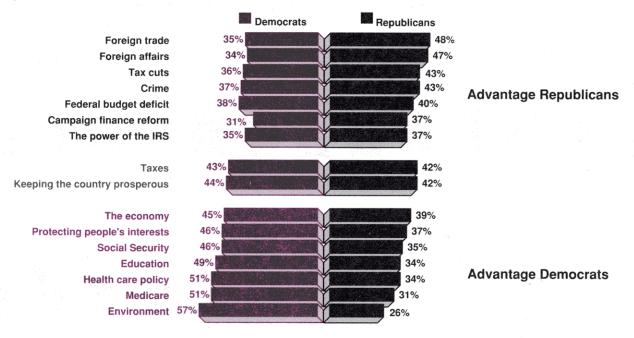
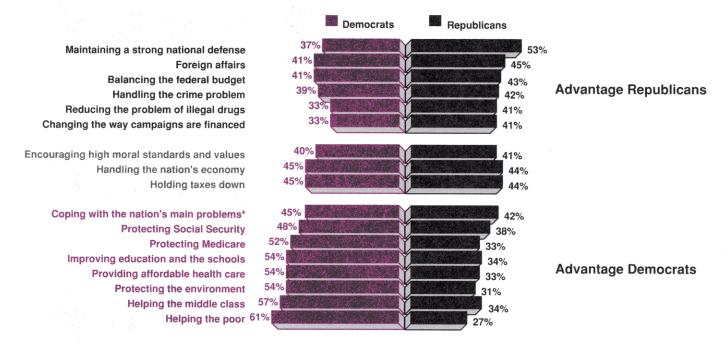
## The Parties Remain at a Kind of Parity on Who's Best at What

**Question**: Do you think the Republican Party or the Democratic Party would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues and problems...?



Source: Survey by the Gallup Organization for CNN/USA Today, October 27-28, 1997.

Question: Which political party, the Democrats or the Republicans, do you trust to do a better job on ...?



<sup>\*</sup>The question posed in this case was "Overall, which party, the Democrats or the Republicans, do you trust to do a better job in coping with the main problems the nation faces over the next few years?"

Source: Survey by ABC News/Washington Post, January 15-19, 1998.