August 20 - 22, 2014



1. Following news
How closely are you following the news about recent events in Iraq?

		Ge	nder		Α	ge			Party ID	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Very closely	28%	37%	19%	17%	19%	34%	38%	26%	25%	36%
Somewhat closely	42%	43%	41%	35%	48%	41%	45%	46%	41%	39%
Not very closely	20%	13%	26%	24%	22%	18%	15%	19%	20%	20%
Not closely at all	10%	7%	13%	24%	10%	7%	2%	9%	13%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(482)	(517)	(183)	(267)	(376)	(173)	(330)	(440)	(229)

			Race		F	amily Income	•	Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very closely	28%	29%	24%	20%	22%	30%	35%	26%	30%	27%	28%
Somewhat closely	42%	41%	42%	48%	43%	41%	40%	44%	39%	41%	45%
Not very closely	20%	19%	23%	22%	22%	22%	19%	18%	19%	22%	18%
Not closely at all	10%	10%	10%	11%	13%	7%	6%	12%	12%	10%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(759)	(115)	(125)	(390)	(264)	(197)	(194)	(210)	(377)	(218)

August 20 - 22, 2014



2. Obama approval on Iraq

Do you approve or disapprove of the way President Obama is handling the situation in Iraq?

		Gender			Α	ge	Party ID			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Strongly approve	12%	17%	9%	12%	10%	12%	16%	24%	9%	4%
Somewhat approve	28%	29%	27%	26%	31%	27%	28%	45%	25%	11%
Somewhat disapprove	18%	18%	17%	14%	17%	19%	20%	8%	22%	23%
Strongly disapprove	23%	27%	19%	17%	22%	26%	25%	4%	22%	51%
Not sure	19%	9%	27%	30%	20%	15%	10%	19%	22%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(482)	(518)	(183)	(268)	(376)	(173)	(331)	(440)	(229)

			Race		F	amily Income	)		Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	12%	10%	29%	12%	13%	10%	12%	18%	9%	11%	12%
Somewhat approve	28%	26%	36%	31%	28%	29%	28%	24%	31%	29%	28%
Somewhat disapprove	18%	18%	12%	21%	18%	19%	20%	15%	20%	20%	14%
Strongly disapprove	23%	28%	4%	14%	17%	26%	27%	20%	23%	23%	27%
Not sure	19%	18%	19%	22%	24%	15%	13%	23%	18%	17%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(760)	(115)	(125)	(391)	(264)	(197)	(194)	(210)	(378)	(218)

August 20 - 22, 2014



3. Support for air strikes

As you may know, President Obama recently authorized the U.S. military to conduct air strikes against insurgents in Iraq. Do you support or oppose this decision?

		Gender			Α	ge	Party ID			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Strongly support	35%	47%	25%	24%	27%	40%	50%	38%	29%	44%
Somewhat support	31%	30%	33%	26%	31%	35%	31%	37%	27%	32%
Somewhat oppose	13%	9%	16%	17%	16%	10%	8%	10%	15%	11%
Strongly oppose	7%	7%	7%	9%	8%	6%	5%	3%	9%	7%
Not sure	14%	8%	20%	24%	18%	9%	6%	11%	19%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(481)	(518)	(182)	(268)	(376)	(173)	(331)	(439)	(229)

		Race			Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	35%	36%	38%	30%	29%	37%	44%	36%	25%	36%	43%
Somewhat support	31%	32%	26%	30%	28%	34%	35%	30%	41%	28%	29%
Somewhat oppose	13%	12%	15%	15%	16%	11%	9%	10%	16%	13%	11%
Strongly oppose	7%	7%	2%	8%	9%	5%	6%	9%	5%	8%	4%
Not sure	14%	13%	19%	17%	19%	13%	6%	16%	13%	14%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(759)	(115)	(125)	(391)	(264)	(197)	(193)	(210)	(378)	(218)

August 20 - 22, 2014



**4. Support for military intervention – Sending US ground troops to fight**Do you support or oppose any of the following types of US military intervention against the insurgents in Iraq?

		Ge	nder		Α	ge			Party ID	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Support	20%	26%	15%	17%	19%	24%	19%	18%	17%	31%
Oppose	56%	55%	57%	48%	58%	54%	67%	63%	59%	41%
Not sure	24%	18%	29%	35%	23%	22%	14%	20%	25%	27%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(480)	(518)	(183)	(268)	(374)	(173)	(329)	(440)	(229)

			Race		F	amily Income	)		Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Support	20%	20%	21%	22%	20%	22%	22%	17%	15%	21%	28%
Oppose	56%	56%	57%	54%	58%	55%	55%	62%	57%	55%	51%
Not sure	24%	24%	22%	24%	22%	23%	23%	21%	29%	24%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(759)	(115)	(124)	(390)	(264)	(197)	(194)	(210)	(378)	(216)

August 20 - 22, 2014



5. Support for military intervention – Sending US troops to assist Iraqi army units

Do you support or oppose any of the following types of US military intervention against the insurgents in Iraq?

		Ge	nder		Α	ge	Party ID			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Support	37%	48%	27%	26%	28%	45%	46%	34%	29%	57%
Oppose	38%	36%	40%	42%	45%	34%	34%	38%	44%	26%
Not sure	25%	17%	33%	32%	28%	21%	21%	28%	27%	17%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (481)	100% (518)	100% (183)	100% (267)	100% (376)	100% (173)	100% (331)	100% (440)	100% (228)

			Race		F	amily Income	)	Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Support	37%	39%	34%	26%	34%	38%	45%	34%	35%	34%	47%
Oppose	38%	37%	42%	40%	40%	39%	32%	39%	40%	39%	34%
Not sure	25%	23%	25%	35%	27%	23%	22%	27%	26%	27%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(760)	(114)	(125)	(391)	(264)	(197)	(194)	(210)	(378)	(217)

August 20 - 22, 2014



### 6. Support for military intervention – Drone strikes

Do you support or oppose any of the following types of US military intervention against the insurgents in Iraq?

		Ge	nder		Α	ge			Party ID	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Support	62%	74%	51%	45%	57%	68%	78%	65%	55%	72%
Oppose	16%	12%	19%	25%	19%	12%	9%	14%	19%	13%
Not sure	22%	14%	30%	30%	23%	20%	13%	21%	26%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (481)	100% (518)	100% (183)	100% (268)	100% (375)	100% (173)	100% (331)	100% (439)	100% (229)

			Race		F	amily Income	)		Regi	on	
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Support	62%	64%	52%	58%	50%	66%	78%	60%	61%	59%	70%
Oppose	16%	16%	15%	17%	20%	16%	10%	19%	11%	20%	12%
Not sure	22%	20%	33%	24%	30%	18%	12%	21%	29%	21%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(759)	(115)	(125)	(390)	(264)	(197)	(194)	(210)	(377)	(218)

August 20 - 22, 2014



**7. Aggressive response**Do you think the US government...

	Total	Gender		Age				Party ID			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	
Should have a tougher response towards											
insurgents in Iraq	44%	54%	34%	28%	34%	53%	57%	33%	40%	66%	
Has gotten the response											
about right	22%	23%	21%	23%	27%	17%	24%	39%	17%	8%	
Should respond less aggressively towards											
insurgents in Iraq	13%	12%	15%	23%	15%	9%	11%	11%	16%	11%	
Don't know	21%	11%	30%	26%	24%	22%	9%	16%	27%	15%	
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(481)	(518)	(183)	(268)	(375)	(173)	(331)	(439)	(229)	

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Should have a tougher response towards											
insurgents in Iraq	44%	47%	34%	34%	34%	45%	57%	42%	42%	42%	50%
Has gotten the response											
about right	22%	20%	28%	30%	22%	25%	18%	24%	22%	21%	23%
Should respond less aggressively towards											
insurgents in Iraq	13%	14%	10%	16%	17%	12%	12%	16%	12%	16%	8%
Don't know	21%	20%	28%	20%	26%	17%	12%	18%	24%	22%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(759)	(115)	(125)	(390)	(264)	(197)	(194)	(210)	(377)	(218)