



		Country																						
France	Germany	Sweden	Denmark	Spain	Italy	Greece	Hungary	Poland	GB	Australia	United States	Canada	Brazil	Mexico	Turkey	Egypt	Saudi Arabia	India	Japan	Indonesia	Thailand	Kenya	Nigeria	South Africa

There are different views on the circumstances that led to the war in Ukraine. Thinking about this subject, do you think the following statement is true or false?

**Glob, Ukraine - Causes, 1. Before the war started, ethnic Russians living in Ukraine were being subjected to mass murder - or "genocide" - by Ukrainians**

Unweighted base	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Base: All country adults</b>	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Definitely true</b>	5%	6%	3%	2%	2%	7%	15%	16%	14%	8%	3%	9%	7%	7%	10%	13%	9%	14%	10%	17%	3%	8%	12%	12%	14%
<b>Probably true</b>	11%	11%	7%	8%	14%	16%	22%	20%	10%	6%	12%	12%	11%	14%	19%	10%	24%	10%	30%	30%	30%	20%	17%	20%	
<b>Don't know either way - this may be true or may be false</b>	32%	29%	27%	26%	29%	41%	35%	38%	31%	33%	33%	33%	33%	35%	41%	41%	41%	37%	46%	49%	24%	46%	29%	34%	
<b>Probably false</b>	24%	25%	27%	28%	25%	13%	17%	19%	20%	24%	22%	22%	22%	16%	23%	17%	12%	13%	28%	13%	9%	28%	23%	19%	
<b>Definitely false</b>	21%	29%	34%	29%	24%	12%	10%	11%	32%	28%	22%	26%	25%	12%	11%	17%	7%	9%	7%	18%	5%	4%	15%	16%	
<b>Net True</b>	17%	17%	13%	11%	21%	29%	39%	34%	17%	6%	21%	19%	17%	24%	32%	32%	23%	31%	35%	42%	14%	30%	41%	33%	
<b>Net False</b>	44%	44%	49%	50%	39%	32%	27%	30%	52%	56%	46%	46%	46%	34%	37%	43%	24%	21%	20%	44%	15%	12%	42%	30%	

**Glob, Ukraine - Causes, 2. Before the war started, the Ukrainian Government had fallen under the influence of militant extremists who support the ideology of Nazism and Adolf Hitler**

Unweighted base	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Base: All country adults</b>	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Definitely true</b>	7%	5%	4%	2%	6%	11%	19%	11%	9%	2%	8%	8%	7%	11%	11%	13%	18%	20%	2%	10%	13%	13%	16%	18%	
<b>Probably true</b>	10%	11%	7%	9%	14%	19%	25%	17%	13%	7%	13%	13%	10%	17%	21%	16%	21%	23%	28%	10%	28%	31%	28%	27%	
<b>Don't know either way - this may be true or may be false</b>	41%	31%	28%	30%	34%	42%	38%	38%	37%	30%	33%	33%	37%	41%	43%	40%	48%	44%	38%	46%	42%	30%	30%	30%	
<b>Probably false</b>	22%	22%	26%	28%	22%	13%	21%	19%	27%	22%	19%	19%	20%	15%	19%	13%	20%	11%	24%	12%	10%	20%	16%	15%	
<b>Definitely false</b>	20%	31%	37%	28%	24%	12%	9%	12%	23%	33%	24%	28%	27%	12%	11%	9%	4%	6%	9%	19%	5%	9%	6%	6%	
<b>Net True</b>	17%	16%	11%	11%	20%	20%	43%	29%	21%	16%	21%	21%	17%	28%	33%	21%	24%	40%	46%	18%	33%	44%	41%	41%	
<b>Net False</b>	42%	53%	63%	53%	46%	32%	22%	27%	43%	60%	44%	46%	46%	37%	25%	28%	17%	15%	16%	43%	17%	15%	29%	24%	

**Glob, Ukraine - Causes, 3. Before the war started, Western countries were seeking to establish a military infrastructure in Ukraine in order to bully and threaten Russia**

Unweighted base	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Base: All country adults</b>	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Definitely true</b>	7%	7%	5%	3%	6%	12%	25%	13%	5%	4%	10%	8%	8%	16%	16%	20%	19%	21%	25%	4%	18%	14%	19%	24%	
<b>Probably true</b>	12%	10%	9%	10%	13%	22%	32%	27%	11%	12%	18%	20%	15%	24%	23%	24%	24%	25%	22%	15%	41%	32%	29%	33%	
<b>Don't know either way - this may be true or may be false</b>	46%	28%	30%	35%	35%	41%	29%	35%	41%	40%	33%	35%	43%	40%	37%	40%	43%	42%	33%	48%	33%	43%	24%	25%	
<b>Probably false</b>	18%	29%	25%	28%	22%	11%	9%	15%	23%	29%	23%	21%	21%	18%	13%	7%	9%	7%	7%	22%	6%	8%	20%	14%	
<b>Definitely false</b>	13%	12%	12%	14%	16%	7%	6%	6%	10%	16%	13%	14%	15%	13%	4%	9%	4%	1%	3%	12%	2%	6%	6%	6%	
<b>Net True</b>	20%	16%	13%	13%	21%	30%	58%	41%	18%	24%	27%	23%	24%	40%	44%	50%	43%	46%	57%	18%	50%	47%	48%	48%	
<b>Net False</b>	29%	58%	57%	52%	38%	24%	13%	22%	43%	44%	39%	38%	37%	35%	20%	19%	11%	14%	12%	9%	34%	8%	11%	28%	

**Glob, Ukraine - Causes, 4. Russia's leader, Vladimir Putin, ordered Russian troops to enter Ukraine because he does not consider Ukraine a "real country" and wants to end its independence**

Unweighted base	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Base: All country adults</b>	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Definitely true</b>	36%	39%	42%	38%	33%	22%	16%	17%	48%	38%	36%	31%	33%	30%	24%	18%	17%	20%	28%	11%	12%	20%	33%	29%	31%
<b>Probably true</b>	32%	28%	31%	32%	34%	34%	31%	33%	27%	40%	38%	38%	38%	38%	29%	29%	24%	22%	29%	34%	38%	30%	29%	33%	
<b>Don't know either way - this may be true or may be false</b>	24%	20%	16%	22%	22%	27%	29%	30%	22%	19%	20%	23%	23%	28%	28%	32%	40%	33%	29%	35%	35%	33%	19%	22%	
<b>Probably false</b>	6%	7%	6%	8%	8%	11%	15%	15%	3%	2%	5%	7%	5%	7%	11%	12%	12%	10%	10%	13%	8%	13%	14%	8%	
<b>Definitely false</b>	8%	6%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	2%	7%	7%	5%	7%	6%	3%	5%	7%	4%	
<b>Net True</b>	67%	67%	74%	71%	67%	58%	47%	50%	72%	18%	72%	67%	68%	68%	53%	47%	42%	42%	47%	47%	46%	56%	68%	68%	
<b>Net False</b>	9%	13%	10%	7%	12%	24%	20%	6%	9%	8%	10%	9%	14%	19%	20%	19%	15%	14%	18%	19%	11%	17%	21%	12%	

**Glob, Ukraine - Causes, 5. Russia's leader, Vladimir Putin, ordered Russian troops to enter Ukraine as part of a larger ambition to build a new Russian empire in the former lands of the Soviet Union**

Unweighted base	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Base: All country adults</b>	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Definitely true</b>	32%	35%	41%	45%	32%	28%	20%	16%	44%	35%	38%	35%	35%	31%	28%	20%	19%	20%	29%	12%	13%	22%	39%	35%	36%
<b>Probably true</b>	36%	32%	33%	33%	41%	37%	33%	29%	30%	43%	37%	36%	37%	33%	32%	28%	27%	28%	27%	33%	30%	32%	36%	41%	38%
<b>Don't know either way - this may be true or may be false</b>	29%	28%	18%	20%	21%	28%	28%	29%	21%	22%	25%	26%	26%	27%	30%	30%	27%	28%	29%	38%	39%	38%	12%	16%	22%
<b>Probably false</b>	4%	7%	6%	1%	2%	5%	8%	12%	17%	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	6%	9%	10%	10%	5%	7%	8%	15%	6%	6%	
<b>Definitely false</b>	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	4%	8%	9%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	7%	6%	6%	5%	3%	3%	10%	5%	3%	4%	
<b>Net True</b>	68%	68%	73%	75%	67%	67%	63%	50%	72%	18%	72%	67%	68%	68%	53%	47%	42%	42%	47%	47%	46%	56%	68%	68%	
<b>Net False</b>	6%	11%	9%	3%	7%	12%	20%	22%	6%	4%	6%	6%	9%	18%	17%	15%	16%	17%	15%	16%	21%	8%	8%	12%	

**Glob, Ukraine - Causes, 6. Russia's leader, Vladimir Putin, ordered Russian troops to enter Ukraine partly because he wants to boost the international status of Russia as a great power in the world**

Unweighted base	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Base: All country adults</b>	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Definitely true</b>	29%	33%	42%	39%	28%	28%	23%	20%	37%	31%	33%	30%	31%	29%	21%	21%	22%	23%	28%	11%	16%	22%	34%	31%	30%
<b>Probably true</b>	32%	36%	31%	38%	39%	41%	40%	38%	38%	49%	39%	39%	38%	37%	30%	32%	32%	28%	27%	33%	38%	38%	37%	41%	38%
<b>Don't know either way - this may be true or may be false</b>	28%	28%	18%	20%	21%	24%	28%	29%	21%	22%	25%	26%	26%	27%	30%	29%	27%	28%	29%	38%	39%	38%	12%	16%	22%
<b>Probably false</b>	6%	7%	6%	8%	8%	12%	14%	4%	3%	4%	6%	6%	6%	6%	9%	10%	10%	8%	6%	9%	15%	7%	11%	7%	
<b>Definitely false</b>	2%	4%	4%	2%	5%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	8%	5%	3%	5%	4%	7%	4%	2%	4%	4%	
<b>Net True</b>	68%	68%	73%	75%	67%	67%	63%	50%	72%	18%	72%	67%	68%	68%	53%	47%	42%	42%	47%	47%	46%	56%	68%	68%	
<b>Net False</b>	7%	11%	9%	5%	12%	9%	11%	15%	6%	9%	7%	9%	9%	12%	11%	11%	14%	11%	17%	14%	8%	14%	15%	11%	

**Glob, Ukraine - Blame, Generally speaking, who do you think is more to blame, if at all, for the outbreak of the Russia-Ukraine War - Russia or Western countries?**

Unweighted base	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Base: All country adults</b>	1067	1183	1015	1038	1011	1007	1112	1006 <td>1011</td> <td>1019</td> <td>1005</td> <td>1054</td> <td>1007</td> <td>1065</td> <td>1014</td> <td>1045</td> <td>1004</td> <td>1003</td> <td>1025</td> <td>1074</td> <td>1060</td> <td>1013</td> <td>1036</td> <td>1054</td> <td>1011</td>	1011	1019	1005	1054	1007	1065	1014	1045	1004	1003	1025	1074	1060	1013	1036	1054	1011
<b>Russia is entirely to blame, not Western countries</b>	39%	44%	61%	58%	44%	28%	15%	21%	58%	61%	44%	42%	44%	29%	18%	9%	8%	11%	11%	41%	7%	13%	28%	17%	29%
<b>Russia is more to blame than Western countries</b>	22%	21%																							