

YouGov Survey: UFOs and aliens



Sample 1114 U.S. adult citizens
 Conducted November 4 - 9, 2025
 Margin of Error $\pm 3.8\%$

1. Do you believe that UFOs (Unidentified Flying Objects) are probably alien ships or alien life forms, or that they have some other explanation?

Aliens	30%
Some other explanation	45%
Don't know	24%

2. How likely do you think it is that aliens have visited Earth in recent years?

They definitely have	15%
They probably have	28%
They probably have not	21%
They definitely have not	20%
Not sure	17%

3. How likely do you think it is that aliens have ever visited Earth?

They definitely have	19%
They probably have	28%
They probably have not	19%
They definitely have not	18%
Not sure	16%

4. How likely do you think it is that we will make contact with alien life within the next...?

	Will definitely happen	Will probably happen	Will probably not happen	Will definitely not happen	Don't know
10 years	6%	10%	25%	36%	23%
50 years	11%	18%	26%	24%	22%
100 years	15%	27%	18%	18%	22%
200 years	21%	25%	14%	16%	23%

5. If aliens visited earth, do you think it would be more likely to have a positive or negative effect on human civilization?

Positive	14%
Neither positive nor negative	25%
Negative	29%
Not sure	33%

6. If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would...?

	Very likely	Somewhat likely	Not very likely	Not at all likely	Not sure
Be far more technologically advanced than humans	52%	22%	6%	3%	17%
Want to stay hidden from humans	28%	38%	8%	3%	23%
Introduce new diseases that can infect humans	20%	35%	13%	5%	27%
Be able to communicate with humans	14%	36%	19%	8%	23%
Be more moral than humans	12%	21%	16%	9%	42%
Unintentionally harm or kill people	11%	32%	17%	7%	33%
Come in peace	10%	33%	16%	6%	35%
Be hostile to humans	10%	32%	17%	6%	36%
Be far less technologically advanced than humans	9%	10%	20%	41%	21%
Want to settle on Earth	8%	23%	25%	15%	29%
Have a sense of humor	7%	22%	17%	11%	43%
Look like aliens commonly depicted in science fiction (green with large heads and eyes)	5%	13%	29%	26%	26%

7. If we encountered aliens, do you think it would make the world's countries and people...?

More united with more cooperation	28%
More divided with more conflict	22%
Not significantly different either way	20%
Not sure	29%

8. If the U.S. government had evidence of UFOs, do you think it would...?

Tell the public	13%
Hide it from the public	73%
Not sure	15%

9. Have you ever seen anything that you thought was a UFO (Unidentified Flying Object)?

Yes	21%
No	70%
Not sure	9%

10. Do you believe that the UFO you saw was more likely aliens or had some other explanation?

Asked of People Who Say They've Seen a UFO

Aliens	28%
Some other explanation	48%
Not sure	24%

11. How likely do you think it is that each of the following beings exist?

	Definitely exists	Probably exists	Probably does not exist	Definitely does not exist	Not sure
Aliens	18%	38%	16%	15%	14%
Bigfoot	4%	24%	27%	33%	12%
The Yeti	3%	20%	28%	32%	17%
Chupacabra	3%	13%	29%	31%	24%
Loch Ness monster	3%	19%	29%	35%	14%

12. How do you generally feel about the genre of science fiction?

Love it	25%
Like it	30%
Neutral	28%
Dislike it	10%
Hate it	4%
Not sure	3%

Interviewing Dates	November 4 - 9, 2025
Target population	U.S. Citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in panel to be representative of adult U.S. citizens.
Weighting	The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, 2024 presidential vote, 2020 election turnout and presidential vote, baseline party identification, and current voter registration status. Demographic weighting targets come from the 2019 American Community Survey. 2024 presidential vote, at time of weighting was estimated to be 48% Harris and 50% Trump. Baseline party identification is the respondent's most recent answer given around November 8, 2024, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (31% Democratic, 32% Republican). The weights range from 0.051 to 5.541, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.796.
Number of respondents	1114
Margin of error	± 3.8% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	77 questions not reported.

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1. Source of UFOs

Do you believe that UFOs (Unidentified Flying Objects) are probably alien ships or alien life forms, or that they have some other explanation?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Aliens	30%	32%	28%	26%	29%	34%	30%	31%	30%	35%	*
Some other explanation	45%	45%	45%	53%	43%	44%	44%	46%	39%	45%	*
Don't know	24%	22%	27%	21%	28%	23%	26%	23%	31%	21%	*
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(1,113)	(533)	(580)	(288)	(300)	(315)	(210)	(733)	(140)	(165)	(75)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Aliens	30%	34%	30%	26%	32%	29%	33%	26%	33%	32%	29%	29%	31%
Some other explanation	45%	45%	43%	49%	45%	45%	41%	48%	49%	46%	47%	45%	44%
Don't know	24%	20%	27%	25%	23%	26%	26%	26%	18%	22%	24%	26%	24%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(1,113)	(370)	(420)	(323)	(435)	(385)	(411)	(351)	(250)	(198)	(247)	(419)	(249)

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2. Likelihood Aliens Recently Visited Earth

How likely do you think it is that aliens have visited Earth in recent years?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
They definitely have	15%	16%	14%	9%	18%	18%	12%	13%	15%	19%	*
They probably have	28%	29%	26%	25%	24%	30%	31%	28%	32%	22%	*
They probably have not	21%	22%	19%	24%	22%	18%	20%	24%	15%	16%	*
They definitely have not	20%	18%	22%	28%	17%	19%	18%	21%	17%	19%	*
Not sure	17%	15%	18%	14%	20%	14%	19%	14%	21%	23%	*
Totals	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(534)	(578)	(288)	(300)	(315)	(209)	(733)	(139)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
They definitely have	15%	13%	19%	11%	13%	14%	19%	10%	13%	17%	13%	15%	15%
They probably have	28%	32%	24%	28%	30%	28%	29%	26%	29%	25%	29%	25%	34%
They probably have not	21%	22%	17%	23%	24%	21%	17%	22%	29%	22%	18%	22%	20%
They definitely have not	20%	18%	19%	24%	15%	21%	16%	26%	21%	19%	23%	19%	21%
Not sure	17%	15%	21%	14%	17%	16%	20%	16%	8%	17%	17%	20%	10%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(369)	(420)	(323)	(434)	(386)	(410)	(351)	(250)	(198)	(247)	(418)	(249)

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3. Likelihood Aliens Ever Visited Earth

How likely do you think it is that aliens have ever visited Earth?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
They definitely have	19%	21%	18%	13%	18%	25%	19%	18%	20%	23%	*
They probably have	28%	30%	27%	23%	33%	27%	29%	29%	29%	26%	*
They probably have not	19%	20%	18%	29%	16%	17%	18%	22%	12%	15%	*
They definitely have not	18%	16%	20%	22%	15%	18%	17%	17%	21%	19%	*
Not sure	16%	14%	17%	14%	18%	14%	17%	14%	18%	18%	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(1,108)	(532)	(576)	(287)	(299)	(314)	(208)	(730)	(139)	(164)	(75)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
They definitely have	19%	18%	25%	14%	19%	17%	26%	13%	17%	19%	18%	17%	24%
They probably have	28%	33%	25%	27%	32%	29%	27%	30%	28%	29%	29%	28%	27%
They probably have not	19%	22%	14%	23%	20%	19%	16%	19%	27%	19%	17%	19%	23%
They definitely have not	18%	14%	17%	22%	14%	20%	14%	22%	19%	17%	18%	18%	17%
Not sure	16%	13%	20%	13%	16%	14%	17%	17%	8%	15%	18%	18%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	99%	101%	99%	100%	101%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,108)	(369)	(419)	(320)	(432)	(384)	(409)	(349)	(249)	(196)	(246)	(418)	(248)

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4A. Contact Aliens In Future — 10 years

How likely do you think it is that we will make contact with alien life within the next . . ?

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Will definitely happen	6%	7%	6%	6%	8%	7%	3%	4%	5%	13%	*
Will probably happen	10%	10%	9%	4%	12%	12%	9%	10%	15%	3%	*
Will probably not happen	25%	26%	25%	26%	24%	26%	26%	27%	25%	24%	*
Will definitely not happen	36%	36%	36%	40%	33%	36%	34%	36%	32%	39%	*
Don't know	23%	22%	25%	25%	23%	19%	28%	23%	23%	21%	*
Totals	100%	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,113)	(534)	(579)	(288)	(301)	(314)	(210)	(733)	(140)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Will definitely happen	6%	4%	8%	7%	4%	7%	6%	6%	4%	9%	4%	6%	9%
Will probably happen	10%	12%	8%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	8%	9%	12%	9%	8%
Will probably not happen	25%	32%	21%	24%	30%	29%	25%	25%	31%	22%	25%	27%	24%
Will definitely not happen	36%	29%	36%	41%	32%	33%	33%	36%	40%	39%	37%	33%	37%
Don't know	23%	23%	28%	18%	25%	21%	25%	23%	17%	21%	23%	25%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,113)	(370)	(420)	(323)	(435)	(385)	(411)	(352)	(249)	(198)	(247)	(420)	(248)

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4B. Contact Aliens In Future — 50 years

How likely do you think it is that we will make contact with alien life within the next . . ?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Will definitely happen	11%	11%	10%	8%	13%	12%	8%	9%	12%	15%	*
Will probably happen	18%	19%	17%	13%	19%	22%	16%	18%	22%	20%	*
Will probably not happen	26%	29%	23%	29%	25%	25%	25%	30%	19%	20%	*
Will definitely not happen	24%	20%	27%	27%	21%	24%	24%	22%	23%	27%	*
Don't know	22%	21%	23%	23%	22%	17%	27%	21%	24%	18%	*
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,107)	(531)	(576)	(288)	(300)	(311)	(208)	(728)	(140)	(165)	(74)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Will definitely happen	11%	9%	10%	13%	7%	13%	12%	7%	12%	10%	9%	10%	13%
Will probably happen	18%	22%	16%	16%	22%	19%	19%	22%	15%	19%	19%	18%	17%
Will probably not happen	26%	28%	24%	26%	29%	25%	23%	25%	38%	26%	28%	22%	30%
Will definitely not happen	24%	18%	24%	29%	18%	25%	22%	25%	22%	26%	23%	25%	20%
Don't know	22%	23%	26%	16%	24%	19%	25%	21%	14%	19%	21%	25%	20%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,107)	(368)	(417)	(322)	(433)	(384)	(408)	(351)	(248)	(198)	(246)	(416)	(247)

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4C. Contact Aliens In Future — 100 years

How likely do you think it is that we will make contact with alien life within the next . . . ?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Will definitely happen	15%	16%	14%	9%	20%	18%	13%	15%	13%	20%	*
Will probably happen	27%	27%	27%	29%	24%	28%	28%	27%	31%	29%	*
Will probably not happen	18%	20%	16%	20%	16%	19%	15%	20%	11%	13%	*
Will definitely not happen	18%	16%	20%	20%	16%	17%	19%	16%	23%	19%	*
Don't know	22%	20%	24%	22%	24%	18%	25%	22%	21%	19%	*
Totals	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,107)	(530)	(577)	(288)	(299)	(312)	(208)	(729)	(140)	(164)	(74)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Will definitely happen	15%	17%	13%	16%	15%	19%	17%	15%	15%	13%	15%	14%	19%
Will probably happen	27%	30%	25%	27%	33%	25%	26%	26%	31%	29%	24%	25%	32%
Will probably not happen	18%	19%	17%	17%	17%	15%	18%	17%	21%	16%	20%	19%	14%
Will definitely not happen	18%	12%	19%	22%	12%	21%	15%	22%	17%	20%	18%	17%	17%
Don't know	22%	21%	26%	18%	23%	20%	24%	21%	16%	21%	24%	24%	18%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,107)	(368)	(418)	(321)	(433)	(384)	(408)	(352)	(248)	(198)	(246)	(417)	(246)

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4D. Contact Aliens In Future — 200 years

How likely do you think it is that we will make contact with alien life within the next . . . ?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Will definitely happen	21%	24%	18%	15%	28%	22%	19%	21%	19%	24%	*
Will probably happen	25%	24%	26%	27%	23%	26%	25%	24%	31%	27%	*
Will probably not happen	14%	16%	13%	19%	12%	16%	10%	16%	10%	10%	*
Will definitely not happen	16%	14%	18%	16%	14%	17%	17%	15%	19%	17%	*
Don't know	23%	21%	25%	23%	24%	19%	29%	24%	21%	22%	*
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,108)	(529)	(579)	(288)	(300)	(311)	(209)	(729)	(140)	(165)	(74)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Will definitely happen	21%	22%	18%	24%	22%	25%	20%	20%	26%	22%	19%	19%	25%
Will probably happen	25%	30%	26%	20%	31%	22%	28%	23%	27%	25%	20%	27%	27%
Will probably not happen	14%	15%	12%	16%	13%	13%	12%	15%	19%	14%	15%	15%	13%
Will definitely not happen	16%	11%	16%	21%	11%	19%	14%	20%	13%	17%	18%	15%	16%
Don't know	23%	21%	28%	19%	23%	21%	26%	22%	16%	22%	28%	24%	18%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(1,108)	(369)	(419)	(320)	(435)	(385)	(408)	(351)	(250)	(198)	(246)	(416)	(248)

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5. Effect of Alien Visit

If aliens visited earth, do you think it would be more likely to have a positive or negative effect on human civilization?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Positive	14%	16%	12%	14%	11%	11%	19%	15%	12%	8%	*
Neither positive nor negative	25%	24%	25%	27%	22%	27%	21%	21%	31%	33%	*
Negative	29%	28%	30%	29%	30%	32%	23%	29%	27%	36%	*
Not sure	33%	33%	33%	30%	37%	29%	37%	34%	30%	23%	*
Totals	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,114)	(534)	(580)	(288)	(301)	(315)	(210)	(734)	(140)	(165)	(75)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Positive	14%	19%	9%	13%	18%	13%	13%	13%	18%	19%	11%	12%	14%
Neither positive nor negative	25%	23%	28%	22%	23%	24%	27%	28%	18%	18%	29%	24%	25%
Negative	29%	26%	24%	37%	23%	33%	29%	29%	32%	25%	30%	32%	26%
Not sure	33%	31%	39%	28%	35%	30%	31%	30%	32%	37%	30%	32%	35%
Totals	101%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,114)	(370)	(421)	(323)	(435)	(386)	(411)	(352)	(250)	(198)	(247)	(420)	(249)

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6A. Descriptions of Aliens — Be far more technologically advanced than humans

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would...?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	52%	57%	46%	34%	50%	57%	62%	55%	40%	51%	*
Somewhat likely	22%	20%	24%	32%	19%	20%	18%	21%	24%	23%	*
Not very likely	6%	5%	7%	10%	5%	5%	4%	5%	10%	8%	*
Not at all likely	3%	2%	4%	3%	5%	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%	*
Not sure	17%	16%	19%	22%	22%	15%	13%	16%	23%	14%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(534)	(578)	(288)	(301)	(314)	(209)	(732)	(140)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	52%	56%	53%	46%	56%	49%	56%	47%	53%	56%	50%	50%	53%
Somewhat likely	22%	21%	20%	24%	23%	23%	19%	24%	22%	11%	23%	22%	27%
Not very likely	6%	5%	6%	6%	5%	5%	4%	6%	8%	12%	5%	4%	4%
Not at all likely	3%	3%	2%	6%	2%	5%	4%	3%	2%	6%	3%	3%	1%
Not sure	17%	14%	20%	18%	14%	17%	16%	20%	14%	14%	19%	20%	14%
Totals	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%	99%
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(370)	(421)	(321)	(435)	(384)	(410)	(351)	(250)	(198)	(247)	(418)	(249)

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6B. Descriptions of Aliens — Want to stay hidden from humans

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would...?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	28%	28%	27%	23%	20%	36%	28%	28%	31%	31%	*
Somewhat likely	38%	34%	42%	37%	40%	35%	42%	41%	28%	33%	*
Not very likely	8%	12%	5%	9%	10%	5%	10%	8%	10%	10%	*
Not at all likely	3%	3%	2%	3%	6%	1%	1%	3%	4%	4%	*
Not sure	23%	23%	23%	27%	23%	23%	19%	21%	28%	22%	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(533)	(579)	(288)	(300)	(315)	(209)	(733)	(139)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	28%	29%	28%	25%	30%	27%	32%	26%	25%	25%	29%	26%	30%
Somewhat likely	38%	41%	34%	41%	38%	40%	39%	37%	41%	42%	33%	39%	39%
Not very likely	8%	9%	6%	11%	10%	8%	7%	9%	10%	9%	7%	10%	7%
Not at all likely	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	4%	2%	2%
Not sure	23%	17%	30%	20%	20%	22%	20%	25%	20%	21%	27%	22%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(369)	(420)	(323)	(434)	(385)	(410)	(351)	(250)	(198)	(247)	(418)	(249)

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6C. Descriptions of Aliens — Introduce new diseases that can infect humans

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would. . . ?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	20%	21%	20%	26%	23%	18%	15%	20%	21%	29%	*
Somewhat likely	35%	34%	36%	34%	29%	36%	40%	37%	23%	31%	*
Not very likely	13%	14%	12%	9%	14%	16%	10%	14%	15%	9%	*
Not at all likely	5%	6%	4%	4%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	*
Not sure	27%	25%	29%	26%	28%	25%	30%	24%	35%	26%	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(533)	(579)	(287)	(301)	(315)	(209)	(732)	(140)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	20%	19%	18%	24%	20%	19%	19%	23%	20%	18%	22%	22%	18%
Somewhat likely	35%	38%	35%	31%	36%	35%	36%	32%	39%	40%	32%	33%	37%
Not very likely	13%	12%	11%	15%	12%	16%	12%	11%	18%	15%	12%	10%	17%
Not at all likely	5%	3%	6%	5%	5%	6%	5%	4%	7%	8%	5%	4%	6%
Not sure	27%	27%	30%	24%	27%	25%	28%	29%	16%	20%	28%	32%	22%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%	99%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(370)	(420)	(322)	(435)	(384)	(410)	(352)	(249)	(198)	(246)	(419)	(249)

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6D. Descriptions of Aliens — Be able to communicate with humans

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would...?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	14%	16%	13%	9%	13%	16%	18%	12%	22%	18%	*
Somewhat likely	36%	37%	35%	33%	33%	34%	45%	39%	25%	32%	*
Not very likely	19%	18%	21%	23%	16%	23%	14%	20%	17%	21%	*
Not at all likely	8%	7%	9%	10%	11%	7%	4%	9%	5%	10%	*
Not sure	23%	23%	22%	24%	26%	21%	19%	20%	31%	19%	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	99%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,110)	(534)	(576)	(287)	(299)	(314)	(210)	(731)	(140)	(164)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	14%	15%	14%	14%	15%	18%	17%	13%	13%	16%	8%	16%	16%
Somewhat likely	36%	39%	34%	35%	40%	31%	35%	36%	41%	44%	33%	32%	41%
Not very likely	19%	19%	19%	20%	20%	19%	20%	19%	22%	15%	22%	20%	18%
Not at all likely	8%	9%	6%	9%	7%	9%	10%	6%	9%	7%	9%	9%	6%
Not sure	23%	18%	27%	22%	19%	24%	18%	26%	16%	18%	28%	23%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,110)	(369)	(419)	(322)	(433)	(385)	(410)	(349)	(250)	(197)	(247)	(419)	(247)

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6E. Descriptions of Aliens — Be more moral than humans

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would. . . ?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	12%	14%	10%	9%	14%	14%	10%	12%	10%	14%	*
Somewhat likely	21%	19%	23%	17%	25%	24%	17%	21%	23%	21%	*
Not very likely	16%	18%	15%	20%	13%	16%	15%	17%	16%	16%	*
Not at all likely	9%	8%	9%	10%	10%	8%	7%	9%	9%	9%	*
Not sure	42%	41%	44%	43%	38%	38%	51%	40%	43%	40%	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,110)	(531)	(579)	(287)	(300)	(314)	(209)	(730)	(140)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	12%	15%	11%	11%	11%	13%	12%	14%	12%	15%	9%	13%	11%
Somewhat likely	21%	24%	20%	19%	24%	20%	25%	18%	21%	21%	20%	19%	26%
Not very likely	16%	14%	15%	18%	15%	16%	17%	13%	21%	19%	18%	16%	12%
Not at all likely	9%	8%	5%	14%	6%	13%	9%	8%	10%	9%	13%	8%	6%
Not sure	42%	39%	49%	38%	44%	39%	38%	47%	35%	36%	41%	44%	45%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,110)	(368)	(420)	(322)	(433)	(385)	(410)	(351)	(248)	(198)	(245)	(418)	(249)

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6F. Descriptions of Aliens — Unintentionally harm or kill people

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would...?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	11%	11%	11%	16%	10%	13%	5%	9%	19%	16%	*
Somewhat likely	32%	29%	35%	41%	35%	26%	26%	33%	22%	30%	*
Not very likely	17%	19%	14%	9%	14%	19%	23%	18%	9%	16%	*
Not at all likely	7%	7%	7%	3%	9%	6%	11%	8%	9%	6%	*
Not sure	33%	34%	33%	31%	32%	35%	35%	31%	41%	31%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,107)	(533)	(574)	(288)	(299)	(312)	(208)	(727)	(140)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	11%	14%	8%	12%	10%	11%	11%	11%	12%	11%	11%	12%	9%
Somewhat likely	32%	31%	30%	35%	34%	30%	30%	33%	33%	28%	26%	34%	37%
Not very likely	17%	19%	13%	18%	16%	20%	18%	15%	17%	23%	16%	14%	18%
Not at all likely	7%	6%	8%	8%	7%	8%	8%	8%	7%	7%	11%	5%	8%
Not sure	33%	30%	41%	27%	32%	30%	32%	33%	31%	31%	36%	35%	28%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,107)	(370)	(417)	(320)	(434)	(382)	(408)	(348)	(250)	(196)	(246)	(419)	(246)

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6G. Descriptions of Aliens — Come in peace

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would. . . ?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	10%	10%	10%	8%	12%	8%	14%	10%	10%	11%	*
Somewhat likely	33%	30%	35%	29%	30%	37%	33%	36%	29%	25%	*
Not very likely	16%	17%	15%	19%	16%	18%	8%	14%	22%	19%	*
Not at all likely	6%	6%	7%	5%	9%	7%	3%	6%	7%	9%	*
Not sure	35%	37%	34%	39%	33%	30%	42%	34%	33%	36%	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(534)	(575)	(287)	(300)	(313)	(209)	(730)	(140)	(165)	(74)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	10%	14%	8%	9%	13%	10%	11%	11%	9%	9%	9%	8%	17%
Somewhat likely	33%	35%	29%	35%	35%	34%	32%	30%	39%	31%	34%	33%	31%
Not very likely	16%	17%	14%	16%	12%	16%	16%	14%	19%	21%	15%	14%	15%
Not at all likely	6%	5%	4%	11%	4%	12%	7%	6%	7%	7%	6%	7%	5%
Not sure	35%	29%	46%	29%	35%	29%	33%	39%	26%	32%	35%	38%	32%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(368)	(418)	(323)	(431)	(386)	(408)	(351)	(250)	(195)	(245)	(420)	(249)

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6H. Descriptions of Aliens — Be hostile to humans

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would. . . ?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	10%	12%	8%	12%	15%	9%	3%	7%	18%	17%	*
Somewhat likely	32%	30%	33%	35%	34%	32%	25%	33%	24%	28%	*
Not very likely	17%	16%	17%	13%	13%	20%	21%	18%	14%	17%	*
Not at all likely	6%	6%	6%	4%	6%	6%	7%	7%	5%	5%	*
Not sure	36%	36%	36%	35%	33%	34%	44%	35%	39%	33%	*
Totals	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,110)	(531)	(579)	(288)	(301)	(313)	(208)	(730)	(140)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	10%	10%	9%	11%	9%	10%	11%	8%	11%	8%	7%	12%	9%
Somewhat likely	32%	32%	24%	40%	28%	34%	29%	33%	37%	38%	31%	32%	27%
Not very likely	17%	22%	14%	15%	22%	18%	17%	15%	21%	18%	17%	13%	23%
Not at all likely	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	5%	7%	6%	4%	5%	8%	5%	6%
Not sure	36%	31%	47%	28%	36%	33%	36%	38%	27%	31%	38%	38%	35%
Totals	101%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,110)	(369)	(420)	(321)	(434)	(385)	(411)	(349)	(250)	(196)	(246)	(420)	(248)

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6I. Descriptions of Aliens — Be far less technologically advanced than humans

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would...?

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	9%	9%	9%	12%	10%	7%	8%	6%	9%	20%	*
Somewhat likely	10%	7%	12%	15%	10%	10%	4%	9%	11%	11%	*
Not very likely	20%	19%	21%	26%	17%	18%	20%	20%	19%	22%	*
Not at all likely	41%	47%	35%	23%	40%	47%	51%	45%	33%	31%	*
Not sure	21%	17%	24%	25%	24%	19%	17%	19%	27%	17%	*
Totals	101%	99%	101%	101%	101%	101%	100%	99%	99%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(533)	(578)	(287)	(301)	(315)	(208)	(731)	(140)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	9%	10%	10%	7%	8%	7%	11%	6%	13%	15%	4%	9%	11%
Somewhat likely	10%	9%	9%	12%	8%	11%	10%	11%	8%	8%	12%	10%	9%
Not very likely	20%	20%	18%	21%	21%	19%	17%	21%	21%	19%	18%	20%	21%
Not at all likely	41%	43%	42%	38%	48%	41%	43%	36%	44%	43%	41%	39%	43%
Not sure	21%	18%	21%	23%	16%	22%	19%	25%	15%	16%	26%	22%	16%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(368)	(420)	(323)	(433)	(385)	(411)	(350)	(249)	(198)	(245)	(419)	(249)

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6J. Descriptions of Aliens — Want to settle on Earth

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would. . . ?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	8%	10%	6%	12%	12%	6%	3%	5%	18%	14%	*
Somewhat likely	23%	20%	25%	27%	25%	20%	19%	21%	22%	29%	*
Not very likely	25%	26%	24%	22%	21%	26%	33%	28%	22%	24%	*
Not at all likely	15%	12%	17%	9%	15%	17%	17%	17%	12%	11%	*
Not sure	29%	32%	27%	30%	28%	31%	28%	29%	25%	22%	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(533)	(576)	(288)	(301)	(312)	(208)	(732)	(140)	(163)	(74)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	8%	10%	6%	9%	9%	9%	7%	11%	9%	8%	7%	10%	7%
Somewhat likely	23%	24%	21%	23%	22%	22%	20%	23%	27%	15%	19%	24%	29%
Not very likely	25%	27%	24%	24%	29%	24%	27%	21%	30%	31%	23%	26%	22%
Not at all likely	15%	14%	14%	17%	13%	15%	19%	14%	12%	17%	21%	12%	12%
Not sure	29%	25%	34%	27%	27%	30%	26%	31%	23%	29%	31%	28%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(369)	(419)	(321)	(433)	(384)	(410)	(349)	(250)	(197)	(246)	(418)	(248)

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6K. Descriptions of Aliens — Have a sense of humor

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would. . . ?

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	7%	9%	6%	7%	10%	7%	5%	7%	8%	7%	*
Somewhat likely	22%	20%	23%	26%	23%	21%	17%	23%	15%	25%	*
Not very likely	17%	17%	17%	18%	18%	17%	15%	17%	21%	15%	*
Not at all likely	11%	11%	11%	9%	15%	10%	9%	9%	15%	17%	*
Not sure	43%	43%	44%	40%	34%	44%	55%	44%	41%	36%	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(531)	(580)	(287)	(300)	(314)	(210)	(731)	(140)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	7%	8%	8%	6%	8%	7%	9%	6%	8%	8%	5%	7%	9%
Somewhat likely	22%	24%	19%	23%	23%	20%	22%	21%	24%	25%	22%	19%	24%
Not very likely	17%	16%	16%	19%	14%	19%	16%	16%	21%	20%	15%	17%	17%
Not at all likely	11%	9%	8%	15%	8%	14%	13%	9%	9%	11%	11%	12%	9%
Not sure	43%	43%	49%	37%	47%	40%	40%	47%	39%	36%	47%	45%	42%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(370)	(421)	(320)	(435)	(384)	(410)	(352)	(249)	(198)	(244)	(420)	(249)

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6L. Descriptions of Aliens — Look like aliens commonly depicted in science fiction (green with large heads and eyes)

If we encountered aliens, how likely do you think it is that they would. . . ?

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very likely	5%	6%	3%	8%	7%	3%	1%	3%	9%	11%	*
Somewhat likely	13%	13%	13%	16%	18%	13%	7%	12%	17%	15%	*
Not very likely	29%	28%	30%	29%	26%	30%	33%	32%	21%	29%	*
Not at all likely	26%	25%	27%	25%	21%	28%	29%	29%	19%	22%	*
Not sure	26%	27%	26%	22%	29%	26%	29%	25%	34%	23%	*
Totals	99%	99%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(533)	(579)	(286)	(301)	(315)	(210)	(733)	(140)	(165)	(74)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	5%	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%	6%	4%	5%	7%	1%	5%	7%
Somewhat likely	13%	12%	11%	17%	9%	16%	14%	12%	15%	17%	9%	12%	19%
Not very likely	29%	35%	27%	27%	32%	29%	30%	30%	31%	28%	33%	28%	28%
Not at all likely	26%	26%	27%	24%	32%	23%	24%	26%	29%	22%	29%	26%	26%
Not sure	26%	21%	30%	27%	22%	28%	25%	28%	21%	26%	29%	29%	20%
Totals	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	101%	99%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(370)	(419)	(323)	(434)	(386)	(410)	(351)	(250)	(198)	(246)	(419)	(249)

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7. Aliens would Unite or Divide Humans

If we encountered aliens, do you think it would make the world's countries and people...?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
More united with more cooperation	28%	32%	25%	25%	28%	29%	31%	29%	25%	32%	*
More divided with more conflict	22%	19%	25%	29%	24%	21%	16%	22%	27%	22%	*
Not significantly different either way	20%	20%	20%	18%	18%	23%	20%	22%	16%	17%	*
Not sure	29%	29%	30%	27%	31%	27%	33%	28%	31%	29%	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(532)	(579)	(288)	(301)	(314)	(208)	(733)	(140)	(164)	(74)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
More united with more cooperation	28%	36%	24%	25%	34%	29%	27%	28%	36%	35%	23%	24%	36%
More divided with more conflict	22%	22%	22%	23%	22%	20%	21%	26%	21%	17%	26%	24%	19%
Not significantly different either way	20%	19%	19%	22%	20%	24%	18%	24%	17%	19%	21%	19%	22%
Not sure	29%	23%	35%	29%	24%	26%	34%	22%	26%	29%	29%	33%	23%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(370)	(420)	(321)	(434)	(384)	(411)	(349)	(250)	(196)	(247)	(419)	(249)

8. Government Evidence of UFOs

If the U.S. government had evidence of UFOs, do you think it would...?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Tell the public	13%	17%	9%	18%	12%	9%	13%	11%	12%	20%	*
Hide it from the public	73%	67%	78%	57%	75%	81%	73%	75%	70%	69%	*
Not sure	15%	16%	14%	24%	13%	10%	14%	13%	18%	11%	*
Totals	101%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,114)	(534)	(580)	(288)	(301)	(315)	(210)	(734)	(140)	(165)	(75)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Tell the public	13%	13%	10%	16%	12%	17%	13%	13%	16%	18%	10%	12%	13%
Hide it from the public	73%	75%	71%	72%	73%	72%	75%	70%	75%	69%	74%	73%	73%
Not sure	15%	12%	19%	12%	14%	11%	12%	17%	9%	13%	16%	15%	14%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,114)	(370)	(421)	(323)	(435)	(386)	(411)	(352)	(250)	(198)	(247)	(420)	(249)

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9. Ever Seen UFO

Have you ever seen anything that you thought was a UFO (Unidentified Flying Object)?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	21%	22%	20%	15%	22%	26%	19%	22%	15%	17%	*
No	70%	68%	72%	79%	69%	65%	71%	71%	76%	75%	*
Not sure	9%	10%	8%	7%	10%	9%	9%	8%	9%	8%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,113)	(534)	(579)	(288)	(301)	(314)	(210)	(733)	(140)	(165)	(75)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	21%	18%	21%	24%	17%	24%	25%	17%	20%	18%	23%	18%	27%
No	70%	75%	67%	70%	75%	69%	67%	75%	75%	74%	69%	75%	61%
Not sure	9%	7%	12%	6%	9%	7%	8%	9%	5%	8%	8%	7%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,113)	(370)	(420)	(323)	(435)	(386)	(410)	(352)	(250)	(198)	(247)	(419)	(249)

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10. Identify UFO Seen

Do you believe that the UFO you saw was more likely aliens or had some other explanation?

Asked of People Who Say They've Seen a UFO

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Aliens	28%	27%	28%	*	*	*	*	25%	*	*	*
Some other explanation	48%	52%	44%	*	*	*	*	49%	*	*	*
Not sure	24%	20%	28%	*	*	*	*	26%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	99%	100%	*	*	*	*	100%	*	*	*
Unweighted N	(232)	(116)	(116)	(43)	(69)	(76)	(44)	(161)	(22)	(32)	(17)

		Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Aliens	28%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Some other explanation	48%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not sure	24%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Totals	100%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Unweighted N	(232)	(69)	(88)	(75)	(80)	(92)	(98)	(71)	(48)	(38)	(58)	(76)	(60)

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11A. Likelihood of Beings Existing — Aliens

How likely do you think it is that each of the following beings exist?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Definitely exists	18%	20%	16%	17%	21%	20%	12%	16%	19%	26%	*
Probably exists	38%	39%	37%	41%	36%	37%	39%	40%	35%	35%	*
Probably does not exist	16%	15%	17%	14%	15%	19%	16%	17%	17%	9%	*
Definitely does not exist	15%	13%	17%	16%	12%	15%	16%	15%	16%	15%	*
Not sure	14%	14%	13%	13%	16%	10%	17%	13%	13%	15%	*
Totals	101%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(534)	(578)	(288)	(301)	(315)	(208)	(732)	(140)	(165)	(75)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Definitely exists	18%	20%	21%	12%	18%	16%	20%	13%	19%	19%	17%	16%	21%
Probably exists	38%	42%	38%	34%	44%	34%	39%	36%	41%	41%	37%	34%	43%
Probably does not exist	16%	17%	10%	22%	14%	18%	14%	17%	18%	15%	16%	19%	12%
Definitely does not exist	15%	10%	15%	20%	12%	19%	12%	20%	14%	15%	16%	14%	15%
Not sure	14%	11%	16%	12%	12%	13%	15%	14%	8%	11%	13%	17%	10%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(370)	(421)	(321)	(435)	(384)	(409)	(352)	(250)	(198)	(246)	(419)	(249)

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11B. Likelihood of Beings Existing — Bigfoot

How likely do you think it is that each of the following beings exist?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Definitely exists	4%	3%	5%	4%	5%	5%	1%	3%	4%	12%	*
Probably exists	24%	24%	24%	20%	23%	28%	23%	24%	34%	19%	*
Probably does not exist	27%	27%	28%	26%	29%	27%	28%	30%	19%	28%	*
Definitely does not exist	33%	35%	31%	40%	27%	31%	34%	33%	28%	31%	*
Not sure	12%	12%	12%	10%	16%	9%	14%	11%	15%	11%	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(532)	(580)	(288)	(301)	(315)	(208)	(732)	(140)	(165)	(75)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Definitely exists	4%	4%	5%	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%	3%	5%	5%
Probably exists	24%	23%	21%	28%	21%	27%	30%	22%	16%	23%	20%	24%	29%
Probably does not exist	27%	29%	25%	28%	32%	30%	26%	29%	32%	30%	31%	27%	22%
Definitely does not exist	33%	35%	34%	30%	35%	28%	28%	34%	39%	37%	32%	30%	34%
Not sure	12%	10%	15%	11%	9%	11%	12%	11%	9%	8%	14%	13%	10%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(369)	(421)	(322)	(434)	(385)	(409)	(352)	(250)	(198)	(247)	(418)	(249)

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11C. Likelihood of Beings Existing — The Yeti

How likely do you think it is that each of the following beings exist?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Definitely exists	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%	4%	1%	3%	3%	7%	*
Probably exists	20%	22%	17%	18%	22%	21%	15%	18%	27%	20%	*
Probably does not exist	28%	23%	33%	28%	31%	28%	26%	30%	21%	29%	*
Definitely does not exist	32%	33%	30%	34%	26%	33%	33%	33%	25%	29%	*
Not sure	17%	18%	17%	16%	17%	14%	25%	16%	23%	16%	*
Totals	100%	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(1,113)	(533)	(580)	(288)	(301)	(315)	(209)	(733)	(140)	(165)	(75)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Definitely exists	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%	2%
Probably exists	20%	16%	21%	21%	17%	21%	23%	19%	16%	21%	16%	20%	21%
Probably does not exist	28%	31%	26%	28%	30%	29%	27%	29%	32%	26%	29%	28%	29%
Definitely does not exist	32%	34%	30%	31%	36%	29%	26%	34%	37%	39%	32%	29%	32%
Not sure	17%	15%	20%	17%	14%	17%	20%	14%	12%	12%	20%	19%	16%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,113)	(370)	(421)	(322)	(435)	(385)	(411)	(352)	(249)	(198)	(247)	(420)	(248)

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11D. Likelihood of Beings Existing — Chupacabra

How likely do you think it is that each of the following beings exist?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Definitely exists	3%	2%	4%	2%	5%	4%	1%	2%	6%	6%	*
Probably exists	13%	13%	13%	17%	17%	12%	7%	9%	21%	22%	*
Probably does not exist	29%	30%	29%	32%	28%	30%	28%	32%	21%	27%	*
Definitely does not exist	31%	33%	29%	32%	30%	31%	30%	32%	24%	28%	*
Not sure	24%	23%	25%	18%	20%	24%	35%	24%	28%	17%	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%	101%	99%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,114)	(534)	(580)	(288)	(301)	(315)	(210)	(734)	(140)	(165)	(75)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Definitely exists	3%	5%	2%	2%	3%	2%	4%	3%	1%	2%	3%	4%	2%
Probably exists	13%	13%	15%	10%	13%	12%	16%	11%	11%	16%	9%	13%	14%
Probably does not exist	29%	28%	28%	32%	28%	31%	31%	28%	31%	26%	27%	31%	32%
Definitely does not exist	31%	34%	29%	29%	36%	28%	24%	36%	37%	35%	32%	28%	32%
Not sure	24%	21%	25%	26%	20%	27%	25%	22%	21%	22%	29%	24%	20%
Totals	100%	101%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,114)	(370)	(421)	(323)	(435)	(386)	(411)	(352)	(250)	(198)	(247)	(420)	(249)

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11E. Likelihood of Beings Existing — Loch Ness monster

How likely do you think it is that each of the following beings exist?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Definitely exists	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	1%	2%	4%	7%	*
Probably exists	19%	16%	22%	16%	22%	20%	17%	19%	20%	22%	*
Probably does not exist	29%	27%	30%	31%	25%	29%	32%	30%	25%	26%	*
Definitely does not exist	35%	39%	31%	33%	33%	37%	35%	38%	28%	32%	*
Not sure	14%	15%	14%	16%	16%	12%	14%	12%	23%	13%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	101%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(532)	(580)	(288)	(299)	(315)	(210)	(733)	(140)	(164)	(75)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Definitely exists	3%	2%	4%	3%	2%	4%	3%	4%	1%	4%	2%	3%	2%
Probably exists	19%	22%	17%	18%	17%	19%	22%	19%	15%	16%	18%	19%	23%
Probably does not exist	29%	26%	30%	30%	32%	32%	27%	27%	34%	25%	34%	26%	31%
Definitely does not exist	35%	40%	31%	35%	40%	34%	32%	34%	42%	43%	32%	34%	34%
Not sure	14%	11%	18%	13%	10%	12%	16%	15%	8%	12%	14%	18%	10%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,112)	(370)	(420)	(322)	(435)	(385)	(411)	(351)	(249)	(197)	(247)	(419)	(249)

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12. Feelings on Science Fiction

How do you generally feel about the genre of science fiction?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Love it	25%	34%	16%	20%	36%	24%	18%	25%	19%	30%	*
Like it	30%	32%	29%	40%	28%	28%	27%	31%	23%	37%	*
Neutral	28%	26%	31%	29%	25%	28%	32%	27%	41%	20%	*
Dislike it	10%	6%	14%	6%	6%	12%	16%	12%	7%	6%	*
Hate it	4%	2%	5%	1%	1%	6%	6%	4%	5%	2%	*
Not sure	3%	1%	4%	3%	4%	2%	1%	2%	6%	4%	*
Totals	100%	101%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,113)	(534)	(579)	(288)	(301)	(314)	(210)	(734)	(140)	(164)	(75)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Love it	25%	25%	26%	24%	28%	27%	25%	19%	31%	27%	24%	26%	23%
Like it	30%	35%	29%	29%	32%	29%	25%	37%	34%	32%	27%	30%	33%
Neutral	28%	27%	30%	28%	25%	26%	33%	30%	16%	24%	31%	26%	33%
Dislike it	10%	8%	9%	14%	9%	13%	9%	9%	13%	14%	11%	11%	6%
Hate it	4%	4%	2%	4%	5%	5%	3%	2%	5%	1%	6%	3%	4%
Not sure	3%	1%	5%	2%	1%	1%	4%	2%	1%	2%	2%	4%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	99%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,113)	(370)	(420)	(323)	(434)	(386)	(411)	(351)	(250)	(198)	(247)	(419)	(249)

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Interviewing Dates	November 4 - 9, 2025
Target population	U.S. Citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in panel to be representative of adult U.S. citizens.
Weighting	The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, 2024 presidential vote, 2020 election turnout and presidential vote, baseline party identification, and current voter registration status. Demographic weighting targets come from the 2019 American Community Survey. 2024 presidential vote, at time of weighting was estimated to be 48% Harris and 50% Trump. Baseline party identification is the respondent's most recent answer given around November 8, 2024, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (31% Democratic, 32% Republican). The weights range from 0.051 to 5.541, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.796.
Number of respondents	1114
Margin of error	± 3.8% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	77 questions not reported.