

# YouGov Survey Results

## Iraq War Tracker

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**Sample Size:** 923  
 %

**Do you think the United States and Britain were right or wrong to take military action against Iraq?**

Right 54  
 Wrong 40  
 Don't know 6

**Do you think George Bush's handling of the Iraq crisis as a whole so far has been...**

Excellent 4  
 Good 34  
 Poor 35  
 Very poor 25  
 Don't know 3

**Do you think Tony Blair's handling of the Iraq crisis as a whole so far has been...**

Excellent 12  
 Good 43  
 Poor 28  
 Very poor 15  
 Don't know 2

**Now that there is a war, do you think Tony Blair's handling of the war itself, apart from the Iraq crisis as a whole, has so far been ...**

Excellent 13  
 Good 51  
 Poor 23  
 Very poor 9  
 Don't know 3

**Thinking generally and from what you know, how well do you think the war is going from the point of view of the British and American forces?**

Very well 10  
 Fairly well 58  
 Fairly badly 28  
 Very badly 3  
 Don't know 2

**In the war in Iraq, do you think the United States and Britain are fighting the war too vigorously, or are they holding back too much?**

Fighting too vigorously 9  
 Holding back too much 33  
 Getting the balance about right 43  
 Don't know 15

**Which of these statements do you most agree with about the numbers of British casualties so far in the war?**

'The number of casualties is remarkably low' 37  
 'The number of casualties is worrying, but bearable' 41  
 'The number of casualties is unbearably high' 19  
 Don't know 3

**Which of these statements do you most agree with about the numbers of Iraqi civilian casualties so far in the war?**

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| 'The number of casualties is remarkably low'         | <b>35</b> |
| 'The number of casualties is worrying, but bearable' | <b>36</b> |
| 'The number of casualties is unbearably high'        | <b>23</b> |
| Don't know   | <b>5</b>  |

**Do you think the Americans, British and other coalition forces will defeat the bulk of the Iraqi forces...**

|                             |           |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Within hours                | <b>0</b>  |
| Within days                 | <b>0</b>  |
| Within a week or so         | <b>3</b>  |
| Within a fortnight or so    | <b>7</b>  |
| Within a month              | <b>28</b> |
| Within a few months         | <b>52</b> |
| Will not defeat them at all | <b>5</b>  |
| Don't know                  | <b>5</b>  |

**What do you think are the chances that America and Britain will get bogged down in a drawn-out war in Iraq?**

|                 |           |
|-----------------|-----------|
| Very likely     | <b>16</b> |
| Fairly likely   | <b>40</b> |
| Fairly unlikely | <b>34</b> |
| Very unlikely   | <b>6</b>  |
| Don't know      | <b>4</b>  |

**How much do you trust George Bush to take the right decisions from now on about military action in Iraq?**

|                        |           |
|------------------------|-----------|
| Trust a great deal     | <b>4</b>  |
| Trust a fair amount    | <b>32</b> |
| Do not trust very much | <b>32</b> |
| Do not trust at all    | <b>30</b> |
| Don't know             | <b>2</b>  |

**How much do you trust Tony Blair to take the right decisions from now on about military action in Iraq?**

|                        |           |
|------------------------|-----------|
| Trust a great deal     | <b>15</b> |
| Trust a fair amount    | <b>46</b> |
| Do not trust very much | <b>22</b> |
| Do not trust at all    | <b>16</b> |
| Don't know             | <b>1</b>  |

**Which of these should Britain do now?**

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Continue to take part in the war until Saddam Hussein is defeated   | <b>78</b> |
| Continue to take part in the war for the time being, but seek an early cease-fire without Saddam having been defeated | <b>4</b>  |
| Withdraw from the American-led coalition immediately and bring Britain's troops back home                             | <b>14</b> |
| Don't know  | <b>4</b>  |

**How satisfied are you with Tony Blair as Prime Minister?**

|                      |           |
|----------------------|-----------|
| Very satisfied       | <b>18</b> |
| Fairly satisfied     | <b>34</b> |
| Not very satisfied   | <b>25</b> |
| Not at all satisfied | <b>22</b> |
| Don't know           | <b>1</b>  |

**How much do you respect Tony Blair?**

|               |           |
|---------------|-----------|
| A great deal  | <b>20</b> |
| A fair amount | <b>36</b> |
| Not much      | <b>25</b> |
| Not at all    | <b>19</b> |
| Don't know    | <b>0</b>  |



**When the current crisis is over, do you think Tony Blair should or should not continue as Prime Minister?**

|            |           |
|------------|-----------|
| Should     | <b>55</b> |
| Should not | <b>34</b> |
| Don't know | <b>11</b> |

**George Galloway, the Labour MP, has said British soldiers should refuse to fight in Iraq. Should he be prosecuted for incitement to mutiny for saying this?**

|                          |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Should be prosecuted     | <b>43</b> |
| Should not be prosecuted | <b>45</b> |
| Don't know               | <b>12</b> |