

YouGov Survey: Views on NATO



Sample 1000 U.S. Adult Citizens
Conducted February 12 - 14, 2024
Margin of Error ±3.8%

1. Do you believe that the U.S. does or does not have a responsibility to protect Europe?

The U.S. has a responsibility to protect Europe	47%
The U.S. does not have a responsibility to protect Europe	35%
Don't know	19%

2. How familiar are you with the principles of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) treaty?

Very familiar	14%
Somewhat familiar	42%
Not very familiar	28%
Not familiar at all	17%

3. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)?

Very favorable	22%
Somewhat favorable	33%
Somewhat unfavorable	12%
Very unfavorable	7%
Don't know	26%

4. Which of the following best reflects your views?

NATO still has an important role to play in the defense of Western countries	53%
NATO no longer has a useful role to play in the defense of Western countries	14%
Neither	10%
Not sure	23%

5. Do you think the U.S. should...?

Remain in NATO	58%
Withdraw from NATO	16%
Not sure	26%

6. An attack on one NATO member is considered to be an attack on any other, so the U.S. — as a NATO member — is obligated to come to the defense of any NATO member that has been attacked. Do you think the U.S. should or should not maintain this commitment to defend its NATO allies when they are attacked?

Should maintain commitment	63%
Should not maintain commitment	14%
Not sure	23%

7. NATO guidelines recommend that member countries spend a minimum of 2% of their Gross Domestic Product (GDP) on defense. Currently, how many NATO countries do you think meet these defense spending guidelines?

All of them	5%
Most of them	15%
Half of them	14%
Some of them	32%
None of them	6%
Not sure	28%

8. Do you think that the following country meets the NATO recommendation to spend at least 2% of its GDP on defense?

	Yes	No	Not sure
Poland	28%	24%	48%
The United States	76%	4%	20%
The United Kingdom	56%	12%	32%
Germany	39%	26%	35%
Canada	42%	20%	38%

9. Do you approve or disapprove of Joe Biden's approach to NATO?

Strongly approve	17%
Somewhat approve	21%
Somewhat disapprove	10%
Strongly disapprove	20%
Not sure	32%

10. Do you approve or disapprove of Donald Trump's approach to NATO?

Strongly approve	19%
Somewhat approve	18%
Somewhat disapprove	8%
Strongly disapprove	27%
Not sure	28%

11. If Russia were to invade a country that is a member of NATO, do you think the United States and its NATO allies would have any responsibility to defend that country?

Yes	68%
No	10%
Not sure	22%

12. If Russia were to invade a NATO member country that does not meet NATO defense spending guidelines, do you think the United States and its NATO allies would have any responsibility to defend that country?

Yes	42%
No	27%
Not sure	32%

13. Do you think there are any circumstances under which the United States and its NATO allies should go to war against Russia to defend an ally that is a NATO member, or not?

Yes	42%
No	18%
Not sure	40%

14. Do you think Ukraine should be allowed to join NATO?

Yes	45%
No	21%
Not sure	33%

15. Who is more likely to be the eventual winner of the conflict between Russia and Ukraine?

Russia	24%
Ukraine	20%
Equally likely	21%
Not sure	34%

16. In your opinion, would it be acceptable or unacceptable for a Western country to form a military alliance with Russia?

Acceptable	15%
Unacceptable	55%
Not sure	30%

17. How much have you heard about Donald Trump's recent comments related to defense spending among NATO countries and potential attacks from Russia?

A lot	23%
A little	36%
Nothing at all	42%

18. Donald Trump recently warned other NATO countries that he "would encourage" Russia "to do whatever the hell they want" to a member country that didn't meet defense spending guidelines. Would you approve or disapprove of the U.S. encouraging Russia to take action against NATO countries that don't meet spending guidelines?

Strongly approve	7%
Somewhat approve	11%
Somewhat disapprove	13%
Strongly disapprove	44%
Not sure	25%

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Interviewing Dates	February 12 - 14, 2024
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2019 American Community Survey.
Weighting	The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, 2020 election turnout and Presidential vote, baseline party identification, and current voter registration status. Demographic weighting targets come from the 2019 American Community Survey. Baseline party identification is the respondent's most recent answer given prior to November 1, 2022, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (33% Democratic, 31% Republican). The weights range from 0.056 to 6.527, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.698.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 3.8% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	63 questions not reported.

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1. Responsibility to Protect Europe

Do you believe that the U.S. does or does not have a responsibility to protect Europe?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
The U.S. has a responsibility to protect Europe	47%	55%	39%	50%	41%	43%	56%	48%	53%	39%	*
The U.S. does not have a responsibility to protect Europe	35%	34%	35%	29%	39%	35%	34%	37%	21%	34%	*
Don't know	19%	11%	25%	21%	20%	21%	10%	15%	26%	27%	*
Totals	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(999)	(467)	(532)	(215)	(241)	(334)	(209)	(678)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The U.S. has a responsibility to protect Europe	47%	59%	39%	43%	61%	43%	40%	50%	63%	47%	44%	47%	49%
The U.S. does not have a responsibility to protect Europe	35%	22%	38%	44%	27%	44%	37%	38%	29%	31%	39%	36%	32%
Don't know	19%	18%	23%	14%	12%	13%	23%	13%	8%	21%	17%	18%	19%
Totals	101%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(363)	(353)	(283)	(346)	(317)	(432)	(279)	(198)	(162)	(221)	(378)	(238)

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2. Familiar with NATO

How familiar are you with the principles of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) treaty?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very familiar	14%	22%	6%	18%	15%	12%	11%	14%	10%	16%	*
Somewhat familiar	42%	49%	36%	36%	40%	41%	52%	44%	40%	40%	*
Not very familiar	28%	21%	34%	29%	26%	29%	26%	28%	30%	23%	*
Not familiar at all	17%	8%	24%	17%	19%	18%	11%	14%	20%	22%	*
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(999)	(468)	(531)	(215)	(241)	(333)	(210)	(678)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very familiar	14%	16%	9%	17%	15%	15%	9%	17%	23%	21%	9%	13%	13%
Somewhat familiar	42%	44%	39%	44%	49%	51%	35%	47%	54%	37%	48%	42%	40%
Not very familiar	28%	25%	27%	31%	26%	26%	33%	23%	19%	27%	30%	25%	31%
Not familiar at all	17%	15%	25%	8%	10%	8%	22%	13%	5%	15%	13%	20%	16%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(363)	(354)	(282)	(346)	(318)	(432)	(278)	(198)	(162)	(220)	(379)	(238)

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3. Favorability of NATO

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very favorable	22%	28%	17%	27%	19%	18%	29%	23%	21%	25%	*
Somewhat favorable	33%	36%	30%	35%	33%	30%	34%	32%	34%	33%	*
Somewhat unfavorable	12%	15%	10%	7%	9%	15%	16%	14%	6%	7%	*
Very unfavorable	7%	8%	6%	6%	4%	8%	9%	8%	3%	6%	*
Don't know	26%	14%	37%	24%	36%	29%	12%	23%	36%	29%	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(999)	(467)	(532)	(215)	(241)	(333)	(210)	(678)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very favorable	22%	33%	20%	14%	36%	13%	17%	29%	29%	27%	19%	22%	23%
Somewhat favorable	33%	36%	26%	37%	35%	35%	29%	33%	47%	30%	35%	31%	36%
Somewhat unfavorable	12%	5%	11%	21%	6%	21%	14%	11%	10%	9%	13%	15%	11%
Very unfavorable	7%	3%	7%	11%	2%	14%	7%	6%	4%	5%	7%	7%	7%
Don't know	26%	23%	36%	18%	20%	17%	33%	21%	10%	28%	27%	25%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(363)	(353)	(283)	(346)	(318)	(432)	(278)	(198)	(162)	(221)	(378)	(238)

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4. NATO Role

Which of the following best reflects your views?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
NATO still has an important role to play in the defense of Western countries	53%	63%	43%	52%	47%	50%	64%	53%	57%	51%	*
NATO no longer has a useful role to play in the defense of Western countries	14%	16%	12%	13%	13%	16%	14%	17%	7%	8%	*
Neither	10%	6%	14%	6%	14%	10%	11%	10%	14%	8%	*
Not sure	23%	15%	30%	28%	26%	25%	11%	20%	22%	33%	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(998)	(468)	(530)	(215)	(240)	(334)	(209)	(677)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
NATO still has an important role to play in the defense of Western countries	53%	70%	40%	49%	73%	46%	41%	60%	70%	61%	50%	51%	53%
NATO no longer has a useful role to play in the defense of Western countries	14%	6%	12%	25%	7%	27%	14%	16%	14%	11%	14%	17%	11%
Neither	10%	8%	14%	9%	7%	10%	15%	8%	5%	6%	14%	10%	10%
Not sure	23%	17%	33%	17%	14%	17%	31%	15%	10%	22%	22%	22%	26%

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		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Totals	100%	101%	99%	100%	101%	100%	101%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(363)	(352)	(283)	(346)	(317)	(430)	(279)	(198)	(162)	(221)	(377)	(238)

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5. U.S. NATO Membership

Do you think the U.S. should... ?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Remain in NATO	58%	66%	50%	60%	56%	54%	64%	58%	65%	50%	*
Withdraw from NATO	16%	18%	14%	10%	12%	20%	20%	17%	7%	18%	*
Not sure	26%	16%	35%	30%	31%	26%	16%	24%	28%	32%	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(998)	(466)	(532)	(213)	(241)	(334)	(210)	(677)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Remain in NATO	58%	75%	49%	50%	80%	47%	47%	67%	75%	63%	55%	57%	58%
Withdraw from NATO	16%	7%	16%	27%	6%	31%	17%	18%	10%	12%	17%	17%	16%
Not sure	26%	19%	35%	23%	14%	22%	36%	15%	14%	24%	28%	26%	26%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(361)	(354)	(283)	(344)	(318)	(432)	(279)	(196)	(162)	(220)	(379)	(237)

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6. NATO | Commitment

An attack on one NATO member is considered to be an attack on any other, so the U.S. — as a NATO member — is obligated to come to the defense of any NATO member that has been attacked. Do you think the U.S. should or should not maintain this commitment to defend its NATO allies when they are attacked?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Should maintain commitment	63%	70%	56%	68%	57%	59%	69%	63%	71%	54%	*
Should not maintain commitment	14%	15%	13%	10%	14%	15%	18%	14%	3%	23%	*
Not sure	23%	15%	31%	23%	29%	26%	13%	23%	27%	23%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(468)	(532)	(215)	(241)	(334)	(210)	(679)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Should maintain commitment	63%	77%	54%	58%	79%	54%	56%	66%	75%	60%	59%	64%	67%
Should not maintain commitment	14%	8%	13%	22%	8%	25%	15%	17%	11%	17%	14%	13%	15%
Not sure	23%	15%	33%	20%	13%	21%	30%	17%	14%	23%	27%	23%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(363)	(354)	(283)	(346)	(318)	(432)	(279)	(198)	(162)	(221)	(379)	(238)

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7. NATO Countries Defense Spending

NATO guidelines recommend that member countries spend a minimum of 2% of their Gross Domestic Product (GDP) on defense. Currently, how many NATO countries do you think meet these defense spending guidelines?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
All of them	5%	7%	3%	9%	7%	3%	2%	4%	8%	7%	*
Most of them	15%	18%	13%	25%	13%	13%	12%	16%	14%	15%	*
Half of them	14%	15%	13%	19%	12%	12%	13%	13%	12%	21%	*
Some of them	32%	36%	28%	19%	30%	34%	45%	35%	22%	27%	*
None of them	6%	6%	6%	1%	3%	9%	9%	6%	6%	2%	*
Not sure	28%	19%	37%	27%	36%	29%	19%	25%	37%	29%	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	99%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(996)	(467)	(529)	(215)	(240)	(333)	(208)	(679)	(112)	(127)	(78)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
All of them	5%	6%	4%	5%	5%	4%	6%	4%	5%	4%	5%	6%	5%
Most of them	15%	19%	10%	17%	22%	12%	15%	15%	20%	17%	15%	14%	15%
Half of them	14%	17%	13%	11%	17%	10%	13%	17%	14%	21%	11%	12%	14%
Some of them	32%	26%	29%	42%	29%	46%	23%	41%	42%	24%	37%	32%	33%
None of them	6%	3%	6%	8%	2%	10%	8%	3%	5%	3%	10%	6%	4%
Not sure	28%	28%	38%	16%	25%	16%	35%	20%	14%	31%	22%	30%	28%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	98%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(996)	(362)	(352)	(282)	(345)	(318)	(429)	(278)	(198)	(162)	(220)	(377)	(237)

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8A. Specific NATO Countries Defense Spending — Poland

Do you think that the following country meets the NATO recommendation to spend at least 2% of its GDP on defense?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	28%	35%	21%	34%	28%	25%	27%	27%	27%	38%	*
No	24%	27%	21%	20%	25%	25%	27%	25%	25%	20%	*
Not sure	48%	37%	58%	46%	48%	50%	46%	48%	48%	43%	*
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(990)	(463)	(527)	(214)	(237)	(330)	(209)	(672)	(110)	(128)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	28%	29%	22%	33%	27%	32%	23%	28%	40%	26%	25%	29%	30%
No	24%	23%	20%	30%	24%	31%	24%	26%	24%	20%	34%	21%	24%
Not sure	48%	48%	58%	37%	49%	37%	53%	45%	36%	54%	42%	50%	46%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(990)	(359)	(349)	(282)	(344)	(317)	(428)	(278)	(197)	(158)	(219)	(376)	(237)

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8B. Specific NATO Countries Defense Spending — The United States

Do you think that the following country meets the NATO recommendation to spend at least 2% of its GDP on defense?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	76%	85%	67%	72%	67%	78%	84%	77%	82%	68%	*
No	4%	4%	5%	7%	6%	3%	3%	5%	2%	5%	*
Not sure	20%	11%	28%	20%	27%	19%	13%	18%	16%	27%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(994)	(464)	(530)	(214)	(237)	(333)	(210)	(674)	(112)	(128)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	76%	80%	65%	83%	84%	85%	67%	82%	92%	71%	79%	77%	74%
No	4%	3%	6%	4%	2%	3%	6%	4%	2%	8%	4%	3%	4%
Not sure	20%	17%	29%	13%	14%	12%	27%	15%	6%	22%	17%	19%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(994)	(360)	(351)	(283)	(345)	(318)	(430)	(278)	(198)	(159)	(220)	(377)	(238)

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8C. Specific NATO Countries Defense Spending — The United Kingdom

Do you think that the following country meets the NATO recommendation to spend at least 2% of its GDP on defense?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	56%	65%	47%	55%	54%	51%	63%	56%	65%	55%	*
No	12%	14%	11%	11%	11%	14%	12%	13%	5%	12%	*
Not sure	32%	22%	42%	34%	34%	34%	25%	31%	30%	33%	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(991)	(462)	(529)	(213)	(237)	(331)	(210)	(672)	(111)	(128)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	56%	65%	40%	63%	64%	59%	48%	62%	70%	56%	54%	58%	53%
No	12%	8%	14%	15%	8%	19%	13%	13%	11%	7%	17%	12%	13%
Not sure	32%	27%	46%	22%	28%	22%	39%	25%	20%	37%	29%	31%	34%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(991)	(358)	(350)	(283)	(343)	(318)	(428)	(277)	(198)	(159)	(220)	(377)	(235)

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8D. Specific NATO Countries Defense Spending — Germany

Do you think that the following country meets the NATO recommendation to spend at least 2% of its GDP on defense?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	39%	45%	34%	47%	46%	32%	36%	38%	49%	40%	*
No	26%	30%	22%	14%	18%	34%	32%	28%	21%	20%	*
Not sure	35%	24%	45%	39%	37%	34%	32%	34%	30%	40%	*
Totals	100%	99%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(992)	(463)	(529)	(214)	(237)	(331)	(210)	(674)	(111)	(127)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	39%	50%	32%	36%	52%	33%	32%	44%	51%	37%	39%	41%	38%
No	26%	20%	21%	38%	17%	41%	26%	24%	27%	29%	30%	21%	27%
Not sure	35%	31%	47%	26%	31%	26%	42%	32%	22%	34%	31%	38%	35%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(992)	(360)	(350)	(282)	(345)	(317)	(428)	(278)	(198)	(159)	(220)	(377)	(236)

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8E. Specific NATO Countries Defense Spending — Canada

Do you think that the following country meets the NATO recommendation to spend at least 2% of its GDP on defense?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	42%	44%	40%	48%	41%	36%	45%	40%	57%	44%	*
No	20%	27%	14%	14%	17%	25%	24%	22%	7%	20%	*
Not sure	38%	29%	46%	38%	42%	39%	31%	38%	36%	36%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(991)	(463)	(528)	(213)	(237)	(331)	(210)	(673)	(110)	(128)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	42%	55%	31%	40%	53%	38%	38%	46%	47%	49%	36%	41%	45%
No	20%	17%	17%	28%	13%	34%	19%	21%	28%	20%	23%	20%	19%
Not sure	38%	29%	51%	32%	34%	28%	43%	33%	25%	32%	41%	39%	37%
Totals	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(991)	(359)	(349)	(283)	(344)	(318)	(428)	(277)	(198)	(159)	(220)	(376)	(236)

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9. Approval of Joe Biden on NATO

Do you approve or disapprove of Joe Biden's approach to NATO?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	17%	20%	15%	16%	14%	16%	24%	16%	28%	20%	*
Somewhat approve	21%	25%	18%	37%	22%	16%	13%	18%	35%	18%	*
Somewhat disapprove	10%	11%	9%	7%	9%	14%	8%	11%	3%	11%	*
Strongly disapprove	20%	20%	20%	8%	10%	26%	35%	26%	0%	10%	*
Not sure	32%	24%	39%	32%	45%	28%	21%	29%	34%	40%	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(998)	(467)	(531)	(214)	(240)	(334)	(210)	(677)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	17%	35%	13%	4%	38%	4%	12%	23%	20%	20%	15%	19%	15%
Somewhat approve	21%	33%	18%	12%	28%	11%	19%	21%	27%	27%	16%	18%	26%
Somewhat disapprove	10%	8%	7%	15%	7%	15%	12%	7%	11%	14%	11%	9%	7%
Strongly disapprove	20%	1%	18%	43%	0%	50%	21%	22%	17%	12%	25%	22%	18%
Not sure	32%	22%	45%	26%	27%	20%	36%	27%	25%	28%	33%	30%	34%
Totals	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	98%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(363)	(352)	(283)	(346)	(318)	(432)	(278)	(198)	(162)	(221)	(377)	(238)

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10. Approval of Donald Trump on NATO

Do you approve or disapprove of Donald Trump's approach to NATO?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	19%	23%	16%	16%	14%	23%	24%	24%	7%	14%	*
Somewhat approve	18%	19%	17%	23%	17%	14%	20%	19%	18%	15%	*
Somewhat disapprove	8%	9%	8%	7%	8%	10%	7%	9%	9%	4%	*
Strongly disapprove	27%	27%	26%	14%	20%	35%	34%	24%	35%	25%	*
Not sure	28%	22%	33%	41%	40%	19%	15%	24%	31%	41%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(468)	(532)	(215)	(241)	(334)	(210)	(679)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	19%	6%	10%	45%	4%	46%	19%	23%	16%	18%	21%	22%	14%
Somewhat approve	18%	11%	15%	30%	7%	29%	17%	16%	23%	17%	19%	17%	19%
Somewhat disapprove	8%	14%	5%	5%	11%	6%	8%	7%	13%	11%	8%	7%	8%
Strongly disapprove	27%	47%	26%	5%	58%	4%	21%	32%	28%	25%	28%	30%	22%
Not sure	28%	23%	44%	15%	20%	14%	35%	21%	20%	29%	25%	24%	37%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(363)	(354)	(283)	(346)	(318)	(432)	(279)	(198)	(162)	(221)	(379)	(238)

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11. Responsibility to defend NATO Country

If Russia were to invade a country that is a member of NATO, do you think the United States and its NATO allies would have any responsibility to defend that country?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	68%	74%	62%	66%	60%	65%	81%	72%	65%	55%	*
No	10%	11%	9%	8%	11%	12%	7%	9%	8%	18%	*
Not sure	22%	15%	29%	26%	29%	23%	12%	20%	27%	27%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(998)	(466)	(532)	(215)	(240)	(334)	(209)	(677)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	68%	75%	60%	69%	80%	69%	59%	73%	86%	65%	69%	68%	67%
No	10%	8%	7%	15%	5%	14%	12%	12%	3%	15%	10%	9%	8%
Not sure	22%	16%	33%	17%	14%	17%	29%	15%	11%	20%	21%	22%	25%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(362)	(354)	(282)	(345)	(317)	(432)	(278)	(197)	(162)	(221)	(379)	(236)

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12. Responsibility to defend NATO Country Not Meeting Guidelines

If Russia were to invade a NATO member country that does not meet NATO defense spending guidelines, do you think the United States and its NATO allies would have any responsibility to defend that country?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	42%	50%	34%	46%	36%	38%	49%	42%	44%	40%	*
No	27%	25%	28%	25%	27%	26%	29%	27%	20%	33%	*
Not sure	32%	25%	38%	30%	37%	36%	22%	32%	36%	27%	*
Totals	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(998)	(468)	(530)	(214)	(241)	(334)	(209)	(677)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	42%	58%	34%	33%	60%	29%	34%	49%	54%	46%	39%	39%	46%
No	27%	16%	25%	40%	17%	45%	27%	29%	25%	22%	29%	27%	28%
Not sure	32%	26%	41%	27%	23%	27%	39%	22%	21%	33%	32%	34%	27%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(998)	(362)	(353)	(283)	(345)	(318)	(432)	(277)	(198)	(161)	(221)	(379)	(237)

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13. War with Russia

Do you think there are any circumstances under which the United States and its NATO allies should go to war against Russia to defend an ally that is a NATO member, or not?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	42%	53%	32%	46%	33%	41%	51%	46%	38%	30%	*
No	18%	18%	18%	15%	21%	17%	18%	16%	20%	25%	*
Not sure	40%	29%	50%	38%	46%	42%	31%	38%	42%	46%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(993)	(468)	(525)	(212)	(239)	(332)	(210)	(676)	(112)	(125)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	42%	47%	37%	43%	52%	39%	36%	44%	54%	36%	42%	45%	43%
No	18%	16%	15%	23%	13%	24%	18%	23%	11%	24%	20%	17%	13%
Not sure	40%	37%	47%	34%	34%	36%	46%	33%	34%	41%	38%	38%	44%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(993)	(361)	(350)	(282)	(345)	(316)	(426)	(279)	(197)	(160)	(221)	(377)	(235)

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14. Allow Ukraine Join NATO

Do you think Ukraine should be allowed to join NATO?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	45%	49%	42%	45%	36%	47%	54%	47%	50%	35%	*
No	21%	24%	19%	20%	24%	20%	22%	23%	12%	21%	*
Not sure	33%	27%	39%	35%	40%	33%	24%	30%	38%	44%	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(999)	(468)	(531)	(214)	(241)	(334)	(210)	(678)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	45%	58%	37%	41%	64%	37%	42%	46%	51%	41%	46%	48%	44%
No	21%	14%	18%	32%	13%	35%	20%	24%	24%	22%	21%	22%	21%
Not sure	33%	27%	44%	27%	23%	28%	38%	30%	26%	37%	33%	31%	35%
Totals	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(362)	(354)	(283)	(346)	(317)	(431)	(279)	(198)	(161)	(221)	(379)	(238)

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15. More Likely to Win - Russia or Ukraine

Who is more likely to be the eventual winner of the conflict between Russia and Ukraine?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Russia	24%	28%	20%	23%	26%	21%	28%	25%	17%	28%	*
Ukraine	20%	19%	22%	21%	19%	19%	23%	22%	16%	17%	*
Equally likely	21%	25%	18%	19%	17%	25%	23%	22%	26%	17%	*
Not sure	34%	28%	40%	36%	38%	36%	26%	32%	41%	38%	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(997)	(468)	(529)	(214)	(239)	(334)	(210)	(676)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Russia	24%	18%	23%	31%	20%	36%	20%	28%	30%	24%	32%	21%	21%
Ukraine	20%	31%	12%	19%	31%	15%	17%	22%	24%	22%	18%	22%	19%
Equally likely	21%	19%	19%	26%	19%	25%	21%	21%	24%	22%	22%	20%	22%
Not sure	34%	31%	46%	24%	29%	24%	41%	30%	22%	32%	29%	36%	38%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(362)	(352)	(283)	(346)	(317)	(430)	(278)	(198)	(160)	(221)	(378)	(238)

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16. Western Alliance with Russia

In your opinion, would it be acceptable or unacceptable for a Western country to form a military alliance with Russia?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Acceptable	15%	20%	11%	30%	19%	6%	10%	13%	20%	21%	*
Unacceptable	55%	56%	53%	42%	38%	62%	75%	61%	40%	40%	*
Not sure	30%	24%	36%	28%	43%	32%	15%	25%	41%	39%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(998)	(467)	(531)	(214)	(241)	(333)	(210)	(677)	(112)	(129)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Acceptable	15%	18%	12%	15%	14%	15%	14%	14%	20%	25%	11%	15%	12%
Unacceptable	55%	59%	48%	58%	66%	59%	51%	56%	62%	40%	58%	58%	58%
Not sure	30%	23%	40%	27%	21%	27%	35%	30%	17%	35%	31%	28%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(363)	(352)	(283)	(346)	(317)	(431)	(279)	(198)	(162)	(220)	(379)	(237)

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17. Heard About Trump NATO Comments

How much have you heard about Donald Trump's recent comments related to defense spending among NATO countries and potential attacks from Russia?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A lot	23%	30%	16%	18%	20%	23%	30%	23%	23%	24%	*
A little	36%	38%	34%	36%	32%	37%	36%	38%	34%	24%	*
Nothing at all	42%	32%	51%	45%	48%	40%	33%	39%	43%	52%	*
Totals	101%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(996)	(467)	(529)	(214)	(240)	(333)	(209)	(677)	(112)	(128)	(79)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A lot	23%	28%	19%	22%	32%	21%	17%	26%	28%	20%	21%	26%	21%
A little	36%	34%	32%	42%	34%	46%	32%	36%	42%	42%	34%	34%	34%
Nothing at all	42%	39%	49%	36%	34%	33%	50%	38%	30%	38%	44%	40%	45%
Totals	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(362)	(352)	(282)	(345)	(317)	(430)	(279)	(197)	(161)	(220)	(378)	(237)

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18. Agree With Trump Comments on NATO

Donald Trump recently warned other NATO countries that he “would encourage” Russia “to do whatever the hell they want” to a member country that didn’t meet defense spending guidelines. Would you approve or disapprove of the U.S. encouraging Russia to take action against NATO countries that don’t meet spending guidelines?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	7%	10%	4%	12%	6%	5%	5%	7%	7%	5%	*
Somewhat approve	11%	14%	9%	17%	13%	9%	7%	11%	9%	15%	*
Somewhat disapprove	13%	14%	12%	15%	13%	11%	15%	13%	18%	12%	*
Strongly disapprove	44%	44%	44%	35%	37%	48%	53%	44%	49%	38%	*
Not sure	25%	19%	31%	21%	32%	26%	20%	25%	17%	31%	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(997)	(466)	(531)	(213)	(241)	(333)	(210)	(677)	(112)	(128)	(80)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	7%	6%	4%	11%	3%	11%	8%	5%	7%	11%	4%	8%	4%
Somewhat approve	11%	10%	6%	19%	7%	18%	10%	11%	14%	14%	7%	13%	11%
Somewhat disapprove	13%	12%	11%	17%	10%	17%	12%	17%	13%	10%	14%	11%	18%
Strongly disapprove	44%	57%	46%	26%	69%	25%	38%	49%	48%	37%	47%	45%	42%
Not sure	25%	15%	32%	28%	11%	30%	31%	18%	18%	27%	27%	23%	25%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(362)	(353)	(282)	(346)	(317)	(432)	(279)	(198)	(162)	(220)	(377)	(238)

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Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2019 American Community Survey.
Weighting	The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, 2020 election turnout and Presidential vote, baseline party identification, and current voter registration status. Demographic weighting targets come from the 2019 American Community Survey. Baseline party identification is the respondent's most recent answer given prior to November 1, 2022, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (33% Democratic, 31% Republican). The weights range from 0.056 to 6.527, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.698.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 3.8% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	63 questions not reported.