

1. Local Level

Thinking about the level of gun violence in your community compared to the nation as a whole, would you say that:

	Gender		Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point				
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Gun violence is more of an issue in your community than in other places	10%	11%	9%	9%	13%	9%	7%	7%	10%	16%	18%
Gun violence is about as much of an issue in your community as in other places	31%	28%	35%	23%	29%	37%	35%	28%	46%	34%	30%
Gun violence is less of an issue in your community than in other places	48%	50%	45%	45%	46%	49%	50%	55%	30%	41%	29%
Not sure	11%	11%	11%	23%	12%	5%	8%	10%	14%	9%	23%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (482)	100% (517)	100% (177)	100% (257)	100% (394)	100% (171)	100% (684)	100% (117)	100% (130)	100% (68)

	Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Gun violence is more of an issue in your community than in other places	10%	11%	11%	5%	10%	10%	7%	10%	6%	14%	8%	12%
Gun violence is about as much of an issue in your community as in other places	31%	45%	27%	22%	34%	29%	33%	26%	25%	25%	34%	39%
Gun violence is less of an issue in your community than in other places	48%	33%	47%	66%	43%	56%	52%	45%	55%	48%	45%	46%
Not sure	11%	11%	14%	6%	13%	5%	8%	19%	14%	13%	14%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(368)	(380)	(251)	(467)	(285)	(121)	(126)	(187)	(226)	(389)	(197)

2. Reducing Gun Violence – Passing stricter gun control laws

How helpful do you think the following action would be in reducing gun violence?

	Gender			Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very helpful	33%	32%	33%	32%	35%	33%	30%	25%	47%	51%	41%
Somewhat helpful	17%	13%	21%	20%	19%	16%	12%	16%	22%	23%	7%
Not very helpful	14%	12%	15%	18%	12%	13%	14%	16%	10%	7%	11%
Not at all helpful	28%	35%	22%	15%	25%	33%	37%	36%	6%	13%	24%
Not sure	9%	8%	9%	15%	9%	5%	7%	7%	14%	7%	17%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (481)	100% (517)	100% (177)	100% (256)	100% (394)	100% (171)	100% (683)	100% (117)	100% (130)	100% (68)

	Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very helpful	33%	58%	28%	11%	35%	26%	30%	39%	39%	30%	28%	39%
Somewhat helpful	17%	23%	13%	16%	19%	20%	14%	8%	16%	15%	20%	14%
Not very helpful	14%	8%	15%	18%	16%	13%	13%	6%	10%	20%	11%	17%
Not at all helpful	28%	7%	31%	48%	20%	37%	37%	32%	25%	27%	31%	26%
Not sure	9%	4%	12%	7%	9%	4%	6%	16%	10%	8%	10%	4%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (367)	100% (380)	100% (251)	100% (466)	100% (285)	100% (121)	100% (126)	100% (187)	100% (226)	100% (389)	100% (196)

3. Reducing Gun Violence – Allowing more private citizens to carry guns

How helpful do you think the following action would be in reducing gun violence?

	Gender			Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very helpful	26%	31%	21%	12%	25%	33%	30%	32%	9%	15%	20%
Somewhat helpful	22%	21%	24%	30%	22%	19%	20%	24%	14%	25%	20%
Not very helpful	12%	9%	15%	13%	13%	12%	9%	10%	17%	20%	12%
Not at all helpful	22%	23%	21%	18%	23%	22%	26%	20%	30%	32%	11%
Not sure	18%	16%	19%	28%	17%	13%	15%	15%	30%	8%	36%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (996)	100% (481)	100% (515)	100% (176)	100% (256)	100% (394)	100% (170)	100% (683)	100% (115)	100% (130)	100% (68)

	Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very helpful	26%	12%	26%	43%	22%	30%	27%	31%	24%	28%	24%	28%
Somewhat helpful	22%	16%	21%	32%	27%	22%	18%	10%	21%	18%	24%	23%
Not very helpful	12%	18%	12%	6%	13%	13%	14%	4%	10%	12%	11%	17%
Not at all helpful	22%	41%	19%	4%	19%	23%	31%	26%	25%	25%	19%	23%
Not sure	18%	14%	22%	15%	19%	12%	10%	29%	20%	17%	22%	8%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (996)	100% (367)	100% (380)	100% (249)	100% (465)	100% (285)	100% (121)	100% (125)	100% (188)	100% (225)	100% (386)	100% (197)

4. Reducing Gun Violence – Creating programs that help reduce poverty in high-crime areas

How helpful do you think the following action would be in reducing gun violence?

	Gender			Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very helpful	28%	31%	24%	32%	28%	25%	27%	27%	28%	30%	26%
Somewhat helpful	40%	38%	42%	40%	38%	43%	38%	41%	38%	42%	34%
Not very helpful	12%	11%	13%	7%	10%	13%	18%	14%	7%	12%	9%
Not at all helpful	8%	8%	8%	4%	11%	7%	9%	9%	4%	7%	8%
Not sure	12%	12%	12%	16%	13%	12%	7%	10%	22%	8%	23%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (477)	100% (516)	100% (175)	100% (256)	100% (392)	100% (170)	100% (680)	100% (117)	100% (129)	100% (67)

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	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very helpful	28%	37%	27%	16%	27%	24%	36%	29%	32%	25%	26%	29%
Somewhat helpful	40%	43%	38%	40%	44%	39%	36%	29%	33%	49%	37%	45%
Not very helpful	12%	7%	9%	24%	9%	20%	11%	12%	13%	9%	13%	12%
Not at all helpful	8%	4%	9%	10%	8%	8%	5%	11%	6%	6%	11%	7%
Not sure	12%	8%	17%	9%	12%	9%	12%	20%	16%	11%	13%	8%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (367)	100% (378)	100% (248)	100% (464)	100% (284)	100% (121)	100% (124)	100% (187)	100% (224)	100% (386)	100% (196)

5. Reducing Gun Violence – Creating programs that keep teenagers from joining gangs

How helpful do you think the following action would be in reducing gun violence?

	Gender			Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very helpful	42%	43%	41%	44%	39%	40%	48%	43%	43%	44%	29%
Somewhat helpful	38%	37%	38%	31%	36%	43%	36%	38%	36%	37%	36%
Not very helpful	6%	6%	7%	7%	7%	7%	5%	6%	5%	4%	16%
Not at all helpful	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%	4%	7%	5%	3%	6%	7%
Not sure	9%	9%	9%	13%	13%	6%	4%	8%	13%	8%	13%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (481)	100% (517)	100% (176)	100% (257)	100% (395)	100% (170)	100% (684)	100% (116)	100% (130)	100% (68)

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	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very helpful	42%	48%	41%	36%	44%	39%	49%	34%	45%	34%	44%	43%
Somewhat helpful	38%	39%	32%	45%	36%	43%	34%	35%	35%	43%	35%	40%
Not very helpful	6%	5%	7%	8%	6%	9%	4%	6%	4%	8%	7%	6%
Not at all helpful	5%	4%	8%	3%	5%	4%	2%	10%	3%	5%	7%	4%
Not sure	9%	5%	12%	8%	9%	5%	12%	14%	12%	10%	8%	7%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (367)	100% (381)	100% (250)	100% (465)	100% (285)	100% (121)	100% (127)	100% (187)	100% (225)	100% (389)	100% (197)

6. Biggest Contributor

Which do you think is a bigger contributing factor to gun violence in you community?

	Total	Gender		Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Social problems like poverty or a lack of options	27%	31%	23%	29%	30%	25%	23%	28%	25%	25%	27%
Laws that make it easy for people to obtain guns	21%	20%	22%	17%	23%	23%	18%	15%	32%	38%	21%
Neither of those things	16%	14%	17%	10%	13%	19%	22%	20%	6%	12%	4%
There is not a problem with gun violence in my community	22%	25%	20%	22%	16%	26%	25%	25%	11%	13%	32%
Not sure	14%	10%	18%	22%	18%	7%	12%	12%	26%	12%	16%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (482)	100% (518)	100% (177)	100% (257)	100% (395)	100% (171)	100% (685)	100% (117)	100% (130)	100% (68)

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Social problems like poverty or a lack of options	27%	26%	26%	29%	22%	33%	32%	29%	27%	31%	26%	24%
Laws that make it easy for people to obtain guns	21%	40%	15%	8%	23%	20%	19%	16%	17%	21%	20%	26%
Neither of those things	16%	9%	14%	27%	16%	16%	13%	15%	12%	14%	20%	13%
There is not a problem with gun violence in my community	22%	12%	27%	27%	21%	23%	28%	23%	23%	20%	21%	27%
Not sure	14%	13%	18%	9%	17%	9%	8%	18%	21%	15%	12%	10%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (368)	100% (381)	100% (251)	100% (467)	100% (285)	100% (121)	100% (127)	100% (188)	100% (226)	100% (389)	100% (197)

Interviewing Dates	December 9 - 10, 2015
Target population	U.S. adults, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by age, gender, race, education, and region) was selected from the 2010 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2010 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement. Religion, minor party identification, and non-placement on an ideology scale, were imputed from the 2008 Pew Religion in American Life Survey.
Weighting	The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on age, gender, race, education, voter registration, and non-placement on an ideology scale. The weights range from 0.214 to 4.145, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.881.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 4.1% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	20 questions not reported.