

**1. Death penalty - most humane**

Which of the following methods of execution do you think is most humane?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Lethal injection	47%	47%	47%	37%	40%	55%	55%	44%	44%	58%
Hanging	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	0%	3%	2%	1%
Gas chamber	3%	4%	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	5%
Electric chair	3%	2%	3%	1%	0%	3%	7%	2%	4%	2%
Firing squad	8%	13%	4%	6%	8%	10%	8%	2%	11%	10%
Beheading	4%	5%	3%	5%	6%	4%	1%	4%	5%	5%
None of these	21%	15%	26%	27%	29%	14%	17%	32%	20%	11%
Not sure	11%	11%	11%	16%	12%	8%	9%	10%	13%	9%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (462)	100% (531)	100% (160)	100% (274)	100% (391)	100% (168)	100% (320)	100% (445)	100% (228)

	Race			Family Income				Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Lethal injection	47%	49%	33%	49%	46%	52%	51%	46%	54%	48%	46%	43%
Hanging	2%	2%	0%	3%	3%	2%	2%	4%	1%	3%	2%	3%
Gas chamber	3%	3%	7%	1%	2%	3%	7%	6%	1%	3%	5%	2%
Electric chair	3%	4%	0%	0%	4%	1%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	5%
Firing squad	8%	10%	5%	1%	8%	9%	18%	14%	11%	5%	6%	14%
Beheading	4%	4%	7%	4%	5%	3%	5%	1%	5%	7%	3%	4%
None of these	21%	16%	37%	36%	20%	25%	11%	24%	13%	20%	25%	22%
Not sure	11%	12%	11%	4%	12%	5%	5%	4%	15%	11%	11%	8%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (788)	100% (126)	100% (79)	100% (342)	100% (297)	100% (76)	100% (109)	100% (132)	100% (217)	100% (390)	100% (254)

## 2. Death penalty - least humane

Which of the following methods of execution do you think is LEAST humane?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Lethal injection	3%	3%	3%	7%	3%	2%	1%	3%	4%	2%
Hanging	14%	11%	16%	12%	18%	10%	18%	17%	11%	16%
Gas chamber	12%	11%	12%	16%	11%	10%	12%	8%	14%	13%
Electric chair	12%	16%	9%	10%	14%	15%	7%	12%	12%	12%
Firing squad	6%	5%	7%	9%	3%	8%	3%	5%	5%	10%
Beheading	35%	36%	33%	23%	27%	40%	49%	35%	35%	33%
None of these	7%	6%	8%	10%	6%	6%	5%	9%	5%	8%
Not sure	12%	12%	12%	13%	18%	9%	6%	12%	14%	6%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (995)	100% (461)	100% (534)	100% (159)	100% (275)	100% (392)	100% (169)	100% (321)	100% (445)	100% (229)

	Race			Family Income				Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Lethal injection	3%	3%	2%	3%	5%	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	5%
Hanging	14%	14%	10%	15%	14%	16%	13%	18%	9%	15%	14%	17%
Gas chamber	12%	11%	16%	15%	13%	10%	14%	10%	14%	13%	12%	9%
Electric chair	12%	12%	15%	7%	10%	16%	11%	15%	13%	11%	12%	11%
Firing squad	6%	7%	7%	1%	7%	4%	6%	4%	6%	6%	7%	5%
Beheading	35%	37%	26%	29%	32%	39%	44%	37%	29%	37%	34%	39%
None of these	7%	5%	9%	16%	7%	8%	4%	10%	7%	6%	7%	7%
Not sure	12%	11%	14%	14%	12%	5%	5%	5%	20%	10%	11%	8%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (995)	100% (790)	100% (126)	100% (79)	100% (342)	100% (298)	100% (76)	100% (110)	100% (132)	100% (217)	100% (391)	100% (255)