

Views of the United States
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Questionnaire

Q1. Please select if you agree or disagree with the following statement: *The U.S. is playing the role of world policeman more than it should be.*

	Agree (%)	Disagree (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	76	21	3
Argentina	62	27	10
Armenia	63	27	10
Australia	80	18	2
China	77	14	9
France	89	11	*
India	53	33	14
Indonesia	68	23	9
Israel	48	48	4
Palestine	74	23	3
Peru	76	21	3
Philippines	31	57	12
Russia	76	12	12
South Korea	73	24	3
Ukraine	67	18	15

Q2. Do you think that the United States has the responsibility to play the role of 'world policeman,' that is, to fight violations of international law and aggression wherever they occur?

	Yes (%)	No (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	22	75	3
Armenia	21	70	9
Australia	27	70	3
China	30	61	9
India	53	35	13
Indonesia	20	69	11
Palestine	20	76	4

South Korea	39	60	1
Ukraine	17	69	14

Q3. Which statement comes closest to your position?

	As the sole remaining superpower, the U.S. should continue to be the preeminent world leader in solving international problems. (%)	The U.S. should do its share in efforts to solve international problems together with other countries. (%)	The U.S. should withdraw from most efforts to solve international problems. (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	10	75	12	3
Argentina	1	34	55	10
Armenia	7	58	27	8
China	9	68	14	9
France	3	75	21	1
India	34	42	10	13
Israel	24	62	10	5
Mexico	12	59	22	8
Palestine	5	36	55	4
Peru	10	61	22	7
Philippines	20	55	16	9
Russia	8	42	38	12
South Korea	14	79	6	0
Thailand	8	47	18	27
Ukraine	3	52	34	11

Q4. How much do you trust the following countries to act responsibly in the world...the U.S.

	Not at all (%)	Not very much (%)	Somewhat (%)	A great deal (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
Argentina	69	15	9	2	5
Armenia	27	31	25	14	3
Australia	19	21	41	18	1
China	20	39	30	5	7
France	30	42	25	3	1
India	27	25	22	17	9
Indonesia	16	48	26	6	4
Israel	9	7	25	56	3
Peru	23	57	7	10	3

Philippines	4	9	37	48	1
Poland	10	22	44	7	17
Russia	31	42	17	3	7
South Korea	11	42	37	9	0
Thailand	32	24	9	11	25
Ukraine	13	24	31	18	14

Q5. Thinking about long-term military bases the U.S. has overseas, do you think the U.S. should have more bases overseas, fewer bases overseas, or about as many as we have now?

	More bases (%)	Fewer bases (%)	About as many as now (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	15	27	53	5
Argentina	4	75	7	15
Armenia	16	37	26	20
China	9	63	12	16
France	2	69	27	3
India	26	39	13	22
Israel	20	22	39	19
Palestine	7	70	12	11
Philippines	18	19	60	2
Poland	9	22	45	24
Thailand	16	25	18	41
Ukraine	3	62	13	22

Q6. How much do you think the following countries take the interest of [survey country] into account when making foreign policy decisions...the U.S.:

	Not at all (%)	Not very much (%)	Somewhat (%)	A great deal (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
China	23	35	30	6	6
India	23	23	24	20	9
Israel	7	7	25	57	4
Poland	19	57	9	2	13
Russia	33	33	22	4	8
Thailand	19	30	15	8	28
Ukraine	38	25	22	4	10

Q7. In your opinion, are relations of [survey country] with the following countries improving, or staying about the same...the U.S.

	Improving (%)	Worsening (%)	Staying about the same (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
Armenia	48	8	40	4
Australia	50	8	41	1
China	53	15	27	5
India	58	18	17	8
Indonesia	46	23	27	4
Israel	32	12	52	5
Poland	25	8	60	7
Russia	28	20	45	8
South Korea	10	34	56	0
Thailand	37	28	10	25
Ukraine	29	9	52	10