

Topline Questionnaire

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Methodological notes:

- Survey results are based on national samples. For further details on sample designs, see Methodology section and our [international survey methods database](#).
- Due to rounding, percentages may not total 100%. The topline “total” columns show 100%, because they are based on unrounded numbers.
- Spring, 2011 survey in Pakistan was fielded before the death of Osama bin Laden (April 10 – April 26), while the Late Spring, 2011 survey was conducted afterwards (May 8 – May 15).
- Not all questions included in the Spring 2015 survey are presented in this topline. Omitted questions have either been previously released or will be released in future reports.

		Q12n. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of ____? n. the Islamic militant group in Iraq and Syria known as ISIS					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Pakistan	Spring, 2015	1	8	9	19	62	100

		Q109b. And thinking about some political leaders and organizations in our country, please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of ____? b. al Qaeda					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Pakistan	Spring, 2015	0	7	15	32	45	100
	Spring, 2014	2	10	14	28	46	100
	Spring, 2013	2	11	12	34	41	100
	Spring, 2012	1	12	16	39	31	100
	Late Spring, 2011	2	10	11	44	33	100
	Spring, 2011	2	8	14	42	34	100
	Spring, 2010	2	16	16	37	28	100
	Spring, 2009	1	8	20	41	30	100
	Spring, 2008	9	16	14	20	41	100

		Q109d. And thinking about some political leaders and organizations in our country, please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of ____? d. The Taliban					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Pakistan	Spring, 2015	1	5	13	59	23	100
	Spring, 2014	1	7	14	45	33	100
	Spring, 2013	2	9	13	51	23	100
	Spring, 2012	2	11	20	46	20	100
	Late Spring, 2011	2	10	14	49	24	100
	Spring, 2011	3	8	16	49	23	100
	Spring, 2010	2	13	20	45	19	100
	Spring, 2009	1	9	17	53	20	100
	Spring, 2008	12	15	14	19	40	100

		Q111a. How serious of a threat is ____ to our country? Is it a very serious threat, a somewhat serious threat, a minor threat or not a threat at all? a. the Taliban					
		Very serious threat	Somewhat serious threat	Minor threat	No threat at all	DK/Refused	Total
Pakistan	Spring, 2015	55	18	6	5	16	100
	Spring, 2014	46	16	6	3	30	100
	Spring, 2013	49	14	5	8	23	100
	Spring, 2012	37	21	12	12	17	100
	Late Spring, 2011	34	20	11	14	21	100
	Spring, 2011	29	22	12	13	24	100
	Spring, 2010	34	20	13	16	17	100
	Spring, 2009	57	16	7	6	13	100

		Q113. Do you support or oppose using the Pakistani army to fight extremist groups in Federally Administered Tribal Areas and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa?			
		Support	Oppose	DK/Refused	Total
Pakistan	Spring, 2015	58	16	27	100
	Spring, 2013	35	29	36	100
	Spring, 2012	32	35	33	100
	Late Spring, 2011	37	25	38	100
	Spring, 2011	37	30	33	100
	Spring, 2010	49	20	30	100
	Spring, 2009	53	24	22	100

		Q114a. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of ____? a. Tehrik-i-Taliban					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Pakistan	Spring, 2015	3	6	17	43	30	100
	Spring, 2013	3	14	17	39	27	100
	Spring, 2012	4	13	23	29	32	100
	Late Spring, 2011	6	13	16	35	30	100
	Spring, 2011	3	10	18	37	32	100
	Spring, 2010	4	14	19	32	31	100

		Q114b. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of ____? b. Lashkar-e-Taiba					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Pakistan	Spring, 2015	3	11	13	23	49	100
	Spring, 2013	8	16	13	23	40	100
	Spring, 2012	6	16	14	23	41	100
	Late Spring, 2011	7	20	11	26	36	100
	Spring, 2011	5	11	16	29	39	100
	Spring, 2010	6	19	15	20	40	100

		Q114c. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of ____? c. Afghan Taliban					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Pakistan	Spring, 2015	3	6	16	37	38	100
	Spring, 2013	3	9	14	33	42	100
	Spring, 2012	4	10	20	25	41	100
	Late Spring, 2011	5	10	13	37	35	100
	Spring, 2011	3	9	16	35	36	100
	Spring, 2010	2	14	20	29	34	100

		Q115. In your opinion, is the Pakistani government making progress in the fight against extremist groups, losing ground or are things about the same as they have been in the past?				
		Making progress	Losing ground	About the same	DK/Refused	Total
Pakistan	Spring, 2015	56	7	12	25	100
	Spring, 2014	28	10	24	38	100