

Netherlands Topline Questionnaire Weight Comparison

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Methodological notes:

- The topline below reflects a comparison between the revised weight for the Netherlands data, which corrects the percentages for two regions, and the original weight.
- Only questions where the topline data changed due to this weighting correction are included.
- Due to rounding, percentages may not total 100%. The topline “total” columns show 100%, because they are based on unrounded numbers.

		Q3. Now thinking about our economic situation, how would you describe the current economic situation in (survey country) — is it very good, somewhat good, somewhat bad or very bad?					
		Very good	Somewhat good	Somewhat bad	Very bad	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	5	57	28	10	1	100
	Original weight	4	57	28	9	1	100

		Q10a. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of _____. a. the United States					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	7	58	24	5	6	100
	Original weight	7	56	26	6	6	100

		Q10b. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of _____. b. China					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	4	43	35	8	11	100
	Original weight	5	41	35	10	10	100

		Q10c. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of _____. c. the European Union					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	11	40	30	16	2	100
	Original weight	12	39	30	16	2	100

		Q10d. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of _____. d. the United Nations					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	16	58	15	5	6	100
	Original weight	15	57	16	6	6	100

		Q10e. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of _____. e. NATO, that is, North Atlantic Treaty Organization					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	17	55	14	5	10	100
	Original weight	16	55	14	5	10	100

		Q22a. I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns. Do you think that ____ is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to (survey country)? a. China's emergence as a world power				
		Major threat	Minor threat	Not a threat	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	23	44	29	4	100
	Original weight	21	45	29	4	100

		Q22b. I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns. Do you think that ____ is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to (survey country)? b. the United States' power and influence				
		Major threat	Minor threat	Not a threat	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	18	43	36	3	100
	Original weight	19	40	38	3	100

		Q22c. I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns. Do you think that ____ is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to (survey country)? c. tensions with Russia				
		Major threat	Minor threat	Not a threat	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	33	51	15	1	100
	Original weight	33	50	16	1	100

		Q22d. I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns. Do you think that ____ is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to (survey country)? d. global climate change				
		Major threat	Minor threat	Not a threat	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	56	34	9	1	100
	Original weight	56	33	9	1	100

		Q22e. I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns. Do you think that ____ is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to (survey country)? e. the Islamic militant group in Iraq and Syria known as ISIS				
		Major threat	Minor threat	Not a threat	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	72	24	3	1	100
	Original weight	71	24	3	2	100

		Q22f. I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns. Do you think that ____ is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to (survey country)? f. cyberattacks from other countries				
		Major threat	Minor threat	Not a threat	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	52	40	5	3	100
	Original weight	50	41	5	4	100

		Q22g. I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns. Do you think that ____ is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to (survey country)? g. a large number of refugees leaving countries such as Iraq and Syria				
		Major threat	Minor threat	Not a threat	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	37	39	22	1	100
	Original weight	36	39	23	1	100

		Q22h. I'd like your opinion about some possible international concerns. Do you think that ____ is a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to (survey country)? h. global economic instability				
		Major threat	Minor threat	Not a threat	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	47	43	7	4	100
	Original weight	48	42	7	3	100

		Q23. Today, which ONE of the following do you think is the world's leading economic power?							
		The United States	China	Japan	The countries of the European Union	Other (VOL)	None / There is no leading economic power (VOL)	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	42	36	4	11	1	1	5	100
	Original weight	41	36	3	12	1	1	5	100

		Q24a. Do you think the government of ____ respects the personal freedoms of its people or don't you think so? a. China			
		Yes – respects personal freedoms	No – does not respect personal freedoms	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	6	90	4	100
	Original weight	6	89	5	100

		Q24b. Do you think the government of ____ respects the personal freedoms of its people or don't you think so? b. the United States			
		Yes – respects personal freedoms	No – does not respect personal freedoms	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	54	41	5	100
	Original weight	55	41	5	100

		Q27a. Which of these characteristics do you associate with Americans? Do you associate ____ with Americans or not? a. violent			
		Yes, associate	No, do not associate	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	45	50	5	100
	Original weight	47	49	4	100

		Q27b. Which of these characteristics do you associate with Americans? Do you associate ____ with Americans or not? b. hardworking			
		Yes, associate	No, do not associate	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	82	12	7	100
	Original weight	82	11	6	100

		Q27c. Which of these characteristics do you associate with Americans? Do you associate ____ with Americans or not? c. greedy			
		Yes, associate	No, do not associate	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	58	36	7	100
	Original weight	59	34	7	100

		Q27d. Which of these characteristics do you associate with Americans? Do you associate ____ with Americans or not? d. tolerant			
		Yes, associate	No, do not associate	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	46	46	8	100
	Original weight	45	48	7	100

		Q27e. Which of these characteristics do you associate with Americans? Do you associate ____ with Americans or not? e. optimistic			
		Yes, associate	No, do not associate	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	71	23	6	100
	Original weight	70	24	6	100

		Q27f. Which of these characteristics do you associate with Americans? Do you associate ____ with Americans or not? f. arrogant			
		Yes, associate	No, do not associate	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	51	44	5	100
	Original weight	52	44	4	100

		Q29. Which of these statements comes closer to your view?					
		(Survey country) should deal with its own problems and let other countries deal with their own problems as best they can [OR]	(Survey country) should help other countries deal with their problems	Both (VOL)	Neither (VOL)	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	51	43	4	3	1	100
	Original weight	51	43	3	3	0	100

		Q30. Do you think the United States plays a more important and powerful role as a world leader today compared to 10 years ago, a less important role or about as important a role as a world leader as it did 10 years ago?				
		More important role	Less important role	As important as 10 years ago	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	20	37	41	2	100
	Original weight	19	38	41	2	100

		Q31a. Do you think ____ plays a more important role in the world today compared to 10 years ago, a less important role or about as important a role in the world as it did 10 years ago? a. (Survey country)				
		More important role	Less important role	As important as 10 years ago	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	24	31	44	1	100
	Original weight	23	30	45	1	100

		Q31b. Do you think ____ plays a more important role in the world today compared to 10 years ago, a less important role or about as important a role in the world as it did 10 years ago? b. the European Union				
		More important role	Less important role	As important as 10 years ago	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	52	21	25	2	100
	Original weight	51	21	26	2	100

		Q32. Please tell me whether the first statement or the second statement comes closer to your own views, even if neither is exactly right.				
		In foreign policy, (survey country) should take into account the interests of its allies, even if it means making compromises	In foreign policy, (survey country) should follow its own national interests, even when its allies strongly disagree	Neither/Both equally (VOL)	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	50	46	1	3	100
	Original weight	50	46	2	3	100

		Q36a. I'd like you to rate some different groups of people in (survey country) according to how you feel about them. Please tell me whether your opinion is very favorable, mostly favorable, mostly unfavorable or very unfavorable. a. Jews					
		Very favorable	Mostly favorable	Mostly unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	23	67	2	1	7	100
	Original weight	25	65	3	1	7	100

		Q36b. I'd like you to rate some different groups of people in (survey country) according to how you feel about them. Please tell me whether your opinion is very favorable, mostly favorable, mostly unfavorable or very unfavorable. b. Roma					
		Very favorable	Mostly favorable	Mostly unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	8	45	30	8	10	100
	Original weight	8	44	30	7	11	100

		Q36c. I'd like you to rate some different groups of people in (survey country) according to how you feel about them. Please tell me whether your opinion is very favorable, mostly favorable, mostly unfavorable or very unfavorable. c. Muslims					
		Very favorable	Mostly favorable	Mostly unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	6	54	24	11	5	100
	Original weight	7	53	24	11	5	100

		Q38Na. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs — a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence or no confidence at all. a. U.S. President Barack Obama					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	53	39	5	2	1	100
	Original weight	54	37	5	3	1	100

		Q38Nb. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs — a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence or no confidence at all. b. U.S. presidential candidate Hillary Clinton					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	20	57	14	6	3	100
	Original weight	20	56	15	7	3	100

		Q38Nc. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs — a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence or no confidence at all. c. U.S. presidential candidate Donald Trump					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	1	6	18	71	4	100
	Original weight	1	6	17	71	4	100

		Q38Nd. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs — a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence or no confidence at all. d. U.S. presidential candidate Bernie Sanders					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	7	38	20	9	26	100
	Original weight	7	38	19	10	26	100

		Q38Ne. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs — a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence or no confidence at all. e. U.S. presidential candidate Ted Cruz					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	1	27	28	17	27	100
	Original weight	1	27	28	18	26	100

		Q38Nh. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs — a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence or no confidence at all. h. Russian President Vladimir Putin					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	1	12	27	58	2	100
	Original weight	1	13	26	58	2	100

		Q38Ni. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs — a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence or no confidence at all. i. German Chancellor Angela Merkel					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	41	42	7	6	3	100
	Original weight	42	41	8	7	3	100

		Q39. Do you think the EU should play a more active role or less active role in world affairs than it does today?					
		More active role	Less active role	About the same (VOL)	No role (VOL)	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	60	30	7	0	3	100
	Original weight	58	31	7	0	4	100

		Q40. Now thinking about (survey country), do you think that we should increase our spending on national defense, keep it about the same or decrease it?					
		Increase	Keep same	Decrease	DK/Refused	Total	
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	50	38	9	4	100	
	Original weight	49	38	9	3	100	

		Q43. Which statement comes closer to your view about (survey country)'s involvement in the global economy, even if neither is exactly right?				
		It is a good thing because it provides (survey country) with new markets and opportunities for growth	It is a bad thing because it lowers wages and costs jobs in (survey country)	Neither (VOL)	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	71	25	2	2	100
	Original weight	72	24	2	2	100

		Q44. Overall, do you think having an increasing number of people of many different races, ethnic groups and nationalities in (survey country) makes this country a better place to live, a worse place to live or doesn't make much difference either way?				
		A better place to live	A worse place to live	Doesn't make much difference either way	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	16	36	47	1	100
	Original weight	17	36	46	1	100

		Q45. Which of the following statements comes closer to your view, even if neither is exactly right?					
		Improving human rights around the world should be one of (survey country)'s most important foreign policy goals	Improving human rights is important, but many other foreign policy goals should be more important	Improving human rights around the world should not be an important foreign policy goal for (survey country)	None of the above (VOL)	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	53	35	10	1	1	100
	Original weight	52	36	11	1	1	100

		Q46a. I'm going to read you a list of things (survey country) might do in dealing with developing countries. As I read each one, please tell me if you would support or oppose it. a. increasing foreign aid to developing countries			
		Support	Oppose	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	55	42	3	100
	Original weight	53	43	4	100

		Q46b. I'm going to read you a list of things (survey country) might do in dealing with developing countries. As I read each one, please tell me if you would support or oppose it. b. importing more goods from developing countries			
		Support	Oppose	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	85	13	2	100
	Original weight	85	12	2	100

		Q46c. I'm going to read you a list of things (survey country) might do in dealing with developing countries. As I read each one, please tell me if you would support or oppose it. c. increasing (SURVEY COUNTRY NATIONALITY) companies' investment in developing countries			
		Support	Oppose	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	79	19	2	100
	Original weight	78	19	3	100

		Q47. Do you support or oppose the U.S.-led military actions against the Islamic militant group in Iraq and Syria known as ISIS?			
		Support	Oppose	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	79	17	4	100
	Original weight	77	19	4	100

		Q49. Which statement best describes your views about the future of the European Union, even if none is exactly right?				
		National governments should transfer more powers to the European Union	The current division of powers between national governments and the EU should remain the same	Some powers should be returned to national governments	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	23	28	45	4	100
	Original weight	24	29	44	4	100

		Q50b. Thinking about some issues, do you approve or disapprove of the way the European Union is dealing with ____? b. the refugee issue			
		Approve	Disapprove	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	30	62	7	100
	Original weight	31	63	6	100

		Q50c. Thinking about some issues, do you approve or disapprove of the way the European Union is dealing with ____? c. Russia			
		Approve	Disapprove	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	40	50	10	100
	Original weight	41	49	10	100

		Q50N. If the UK were to leave the European Union, do you think this would be a good thing or a bad thing for the EU?			
		Good thing	Bad thing	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	16	75	9	100
	Original weight	17	75	8	100

		Q51a. Does Statement #1 or Statement #2 come closer to your own views: a. refugees make our country stronger because of their work and talents OR refugees are a burden on our country because they take our jobs and social benefits				
		Statement 1	Statement 2	Neither/Both equally (VOL)	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	43	44	9	5	100
	Original weight	43	44	9	4	100

		Q51c. Does Statement #1 or Statement #2 come closer to your own views: c. refugees will increase the likelihood of terrorism in our country OR refugees will not increase the likelihood of terrorism in our country				
		Statement 1	Statement 2	Neither/Both equally (VOL)	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	60	36	1	3	100
	Original weight	61	36	0	3	100

		Q53. Europe has had strong political and economic ties with the United States on the one hand and the nations of Asia on the other hand. Which area do you think is more important to Europe?				
		The United States	The nations of Asia	Equally important (VOL)	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	57	34	3	6	100
	Original weight	56	34	4	6	100

		Q54. Thinking about our relations with Russia, in your view, which is more important?			
		Being tough with Russia on foreign policy disputes	Having a strong economic relationship with Russia	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	49	46	5	100
	Original weight	50	46	5	100

		Q72. In your opinion, how many Muslims in our country support extremist groups like the Islamic militant group in Iraq and Syria known as ISIS: Would you say most, many, just some or very few?					
		Most	Many	Just some	Very few	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	2	12	46	36	4	100
	Original weight	3	13	43	38	4	100

		Q85a. Some people say that the following things are important for being truly (SURVEY COUNTRY NATIONALITY). Others say they are not important. How important do you think each of the following is? a. to have been born in the Netherlands					
		Very important	Somewhat important	Not very important	Not at all important	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	17	26	29	27	1	100
	Original weight	16	26	30	27	1	100

		Q85b. Some people say that the following things are important for being truly (SURVEY COUNTRY NATIONALITY). Others say they are not important. How important do you think each of the following is? b. to be able to speak Dutch					
		Very important	Somewhat important	Not very important	Not at all important	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	84	15	1	0	0	100
	Original weight	84	14	1	0	1	100

		Q85c. Some people say that the following things are important for being truly (SURVEY COUNTRY NATIONALITY). Others say they are not important. How important do you think each of the following is? c. to be a Christian					
		Very important	Somewhat important	Not very important	Not at all important	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	8	17	24	50	1	100
	Original weight	8	16	24	52	1	100

		Q85d. Some people say that the following things are important for being truly (SURVEY COUNTRY NATIONALITY). Others say they are not important. How important do you think each of the following is? d. to share Dutch customs and traditions					
		Very important	Somewhat important	Not very important	Not at all important	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	38	45	11	5	0	100
	Original weight	37	46	11	5	0	100

		Q86. Which statement comes closer to your own views, even if neither is exactly right?			
		Using overwhelming military force is the best way to defeat terrorism around the world	Relying too much on military force to defeat terrorism creates hatred that leads to more terrorism	DK/Refused	Total
Netherlands, Spring 2016	Revised weight	31	65	4	100
	Original weight	30	66	4	100