

# The Economist/YouGov Poll

March 15-17, 2014



## 1. Bush's use of power

Do you think President George W. Bush used too much power, not enough power, or the right amount of power?

	Total	Bush favorability				
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Too much power	45%	7%	20%	67%	84%	15%
The right amount of power	32%	74%	51%	8%	3%	20%
Not enough power	11%	13%	18%	13%	5%	1%
Not sure	13%	6%	11%	13%	8%	64%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(189)	(244)	(153)	(341)	(63)

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## 2. Bush's leadership abilities

Would you say George W. Bush was a strong or a weak leader?

	Total	Bush favorability				
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Very strong	18%	55%	19%	5%	4%	7%
Somewhat strong	38%	35%	68%	34%	16%	39%
Somewhat weak	26%	6%	11%	52%	33%	52%
Very weak	18%	4%	3%	9%	48%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(995)	(188)	(244)	(153)	(340)	(62)

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<b>Sponsorship</b>	<i>The Economist</i>
<b>Fieldwork</b>	YouGov
<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	March 15-17, 2014
<b>Target population</b>	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
<b>Sampling method</b>	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, political interest, minor party identification, and non-placement on an ideology scale, were imputed from the 2008 Pew Religion in American Life Survey.
<b>Weighting</b>	The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on age, gender, race, education, news interest, voter registration, and non-placement on an ideology scale. The weights range from 0.1 to 4, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.78.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	1000
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 3.9% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	21 questions not reported.