

**1. Likelihood information has prevented terrorist attack**

The National Security Agency has been collecting information about phone and internet data. The agency claims this was done in order to reduce the threat of terrorism. How likely do you think it is that this information has prevented a terrorist attack?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Very likely	13%	14%	12%	12%	12%	13%	15%	13%	12%	13%
Somewhat likely	30%	31%	29%	26%	26%	31%	40%	35%	25%	36%
Somewhat unlikely	23%	23%	22%	28%	26%	20%	17%	26%	20%	24%
Very unlikely	24%	23%	26%	25%	23%	24%	25%	16%	31%	22%
Not sure	10%	9%	11%	10%	13%	12%	2%	10%	12%	5%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (483)	100% (511)	100% (193)	100% (260)	100% (380)	100% (161)	100% (333)	100% (444)	100% (217)

	Race			Family Income				Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very likely	13%	11%	25%	15%	12%	13%	3%	20%	15%	12%	12%	13%
Somewhat likely	30%	30%	28%	34%	27%	27%	37%	46%	31%	29%	32%	29%
Somewhat unlikely	23%	25%	14%	17%	24%	28%	16%	11%	28%	27%	17%	23%
Very unlikely	24%	26%	14%	22%	26%	23%	26%	20%	22%	23%	26%	24%
Not sure	10%	8%	20%	13%	11%	9%	19%	3%	5%	9%	12%	11%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (749)	100% (113)	100% (132)	100% (372)	100% (284)	100% (58)	100% (125)	100% (152)	100% (226)	100% (405)	100% (211)

**2. Intrusion or justified**

Do you think collecting and analyzing Americans' phone and internet data is justified as a way to combat terrorism, or is it an unnecessary intrusion into Americans' lives?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Justified as a way to combat terrorism	23%	26%	20%	19%	21%	25%	28%	30%	18%	25%
Unnecessary intrusion into Americans' lives	57%	59%	56%	62%	56%	55%	58%	48%	63%	59%
Not sure	19%	15%	23%	19%	22%	20%	14%	22%	19%	16%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (483)	100% (510)	100% (193)	100% (260)	100% (379)	100% (161)	100% (332)	100% (444)	100% (217)

	Race			Family Income				Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Justified as a way to combat terrorism	23%	22%	33%	23%	23%	24%	27%	33%	22%	23%	23%	24%
Unnecessary intrusion into Americans' lives	57%	60%	40%	60%	61%	56%	44%	49%	58%	59%	59%	53%
Not sure	19%	19%	27%	18%	16%	20%	29%	18%	20%	18%	18%	23%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (748)	100% (113)	100% (132)	100% (372)	100% (283)	100% (58)	100% (125)	100% (152)	100% (226)	100% (404)	100% (211)

### 3. Adequate oversight

Do you think federal courts and rules put in place by Congress provide adequate oversight on what telephone and internet data the government can collect?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Yes, they do provide adequate oversight	18%	20%	16%	22%	18%	16%	17%	24%	14%	19%
No, they do not provide adequate oversight	58%	64%	53%	53%	56%	61%	62%	54%	59%	64%
Not sure	24%	16%	31%	25%	26%	23%	21%	23%	27%	18%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (985)	100% (480)	100% (505)	100% (192)	100% (257)	100% (376)	100% (160)	100% (329)	100% (441)	100% (215)

  

	Race			Family Income				Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes, they do provide adequate oversight	18%	16%	23%	25%	20%	15%	15%	22%	25%	17%	15%	19%
No, they do not provide adequate oversight	58%	61%	51%	48%	53%	61%	61%	60%	53%	60%	61%	55%
Not sure	24%	23%	26%	27%	27%	24%	25%	18%	22%	23%	24%	25%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (985)	100% (743)	100% (111)	100% (131)	100% (367)	100% (283)	100% (56)	100% (124)	100% (150)	100% (225)	100% (400)	100% (210)

**4. Government go too far**

Generally speaking, do you think the government goes too far, not far enough, or strikes about the right balance in collecting Americans' phone and internet data as a way to reduce the threat of terrorism?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Goes too far	59%	64%	53%	54%	59%	61%	60%	48%	63%	66%
Strikes the right balance	20%	19%	20%	23%	22%	17%	16%	27%	15%	19%
Doesn't go far enough	6%	6%	6%	7%	4%	7%	8%	7%	6%	6%
Not sure	16%	10%	20%	16%	15%	15%	16%	19%	16%	10%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (992)	100% (482)	100% (510)	100% (192)	100% (259)	100% (380)	100% (161)	100% (331)	100% (444)	100% (217)

	Race				Family Income				Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Goes too far	59%	61%	43%	58%	57%	61%	56%	57%	54%	55%	62%	61%
Strikes the right balance	20%	18%	33%	19%	19%	19%	23%	23%	21%	21%	18%	19%
Doesn't go far enough	6%	6%	6%	7%	10%	3%	5%	5%	8%	8%	6%	3%
Not sure	16%	15%	18%	16%	15%	16%	16%	15%	17%	16%	14%	17%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (992)	100% (748)	100% (113)	100% (131)	100% (371)	100% (284)	100% (58)	100% (124)	100% (151)	100% (226)	100% (405)	100% (210)

**5. NSA recorded R's communication**

Do you think the NSA has recorded your phone calls or email?

	Total	Gender		Age				Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Yes	41%	47%	35%	52%	44%	38%	28%	34%	48%	36%
No	18%	16%	19%	15%	14%	18%	24%	21%	15%	19%
Not sure	42%	37%	46%	32%	42%	44%	47%	45%	37%	46%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (483)	100% (510)	100% (193)	100% (260)	100% (380)	100% (160)	100% (332)	100% (444)	100% (217)

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Yes	41%	39%	43%	49%	40%	40%	33%	46%	44%	41%	40%	40%
No	18%	19%	15%	15%	16%	15%	28%	20%	18%	16%	17%	20%
Not sure	42%	43%	42%	36%	44%	45%	39%	34%	38%	43%	44%	40%
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