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1. Gun control laws

Do you think gun control laws should be made more or less strict than they are now?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | Party ID |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Inde |  | Republican |
| More strict | 45\% | 36\% | 54\% | 53\% | 48\% | 38\% | 46\% | 68\% |  |  | 20\% |
| No change | 28\% | 32\% | 25\% | 23\% | 30\% | 30\% | 27\% | 18\% |  |  | 40\% |
| Less strict | 18\% | 26\% | 11\% | 15\% | 12\% | 21\% | 25\% | 4\% |  |  | 36\% |
| Not sure | 8\% | 6\% | 11\% | 9\% | 10\% | 10\% | 2\% | 9\% |  |  | 5\% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |  |  | 100\% |
|  | (995) | (464) | (531) | (162) | (264) | (396) | (173) | (334) |  |  | (235) |
|  | Total | Race |  |  | Family Income |  |  | Region |  |  |  |
|  |  | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| More strict | 45\% | 41\% | 58\% | 59\% | 48\% | 43\% | 48\% | 47\% | 44\% | 39\% | 55\% |
| No change | 28\% | 30\% | 19\% | 25\% | 29\% | 32\% | 25\% | 15\% | 26\% | 37\% | 25\% |
| Less strict | 18\% | 21\% | 12\% | 7\% | 15\% | 19\% | 21\% | 25\% | 23\% | 15\% | 14\% |
| Not sure | 8\% | 8\% | 11\% | 8\% | 8\% | 7\% | 5\% | 12\% | 7\% | 8\% | 6\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (995) | (742) | (119) | (134) | (386) | (269) | (203) | (158) | (210) | (368) | (259) |

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2. Blind gun purchases

Do you think it should be legal or illegal for someone who is blind to purchase a gun?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | Party ID |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Legal | 23\% | 29\% | 17\% | 20\% | 23\% | 24\% | 22\% | 12\% | 25\% | 33\% |
| Illegal | 51\% | 47\% | 54\% | 55\% | 50\% | 47\% | 53\% | 62\% | 50\% | 34\% |
| Not sure | 27\% | 24\% | 29\% | 25\% | 27\% | 28\% | 25\% | 26\% | 25\% | 33\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (992) | (463) | (529) | (162) | (263) | (395) | (172) | (334) | (424) | (234) |



## 3. Favor open carry

Generally speaking, do you favor or oppose allowing private citizens with a permit to openly carry guns in public places?


## 4. Favor open carry for the blind

Do you favor or oppose allowing private citizens who are blind to have a permit to openly carry guns in public places?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | Party ID |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Strongly favor | 6\% | 8\% | 4\% | 6\% | 7\% | 6\% | 5\% | 3\% | 8\% | 7\% |
| Somewhat favor | 10\% | 12\% | 8\% | 11\% | 9\% | 10\% | 8\% | 8\% | 10\% | 12\% |
| Somewhat oppose | 15\% | 15\% | 15\% | 18\% | 13\% | 14\% | 15\% | 15\% | 14\% | 15\% |
| Strongly oppose | 51\% | 48\% | 54\% | 48\% | 47\% | 53\% | 57\% | 62\% | 49\% | 40\% |
| Not sure | 18\% | 17\% | 20\% | 16\% | 25\% | 17\% | 14\% | 13\% | 19\% | 26\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (989) | (459) | (530) | (162) | (263) | (393) | (171) | (332) | (423) | (234) |


|  | Total | Race |  |  | Family Income |  |  | Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Strongly favor | 6\% | 7\% | 4\% | 1\% | 6\% | 7\% | 7\% | 4\% | 9\% | 5\% | 6\% |
| Somewhat favor | 10\% | 10\% | 8\% | 12\% | 10\% | 8\% | 12\% | 14\% | 11\% | 6\% | 11\% |
| Somewhat oppose | 15\% | 13\% | 18\% | 19\% | 17\% | 11\% | 16\% | 13\% | 12\% | 17\% | 15\% |
| Strongly oppose | 51\% | 49\% | 58\% | 60\% | 55\% | 53\% | 47\% | 43\% | 54\% | 54\% | 50\% |
| Not sure | 18\% | 21\% | 11\% | 9\% | 12\% | 21\% | 17\% | 25\% | 14\% | 18\% | 18\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (989) | (739) | (116) | (134) | (383) | (267) | (202) | (156) | (209) | (366) | (258) |

