

1. Guantanamo Bay

The U.S. has been holding suspected terrorists at a military prison in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. Do you think the U.S. should continue to operate the prison or close it down?

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Continue to operate	51%	54%	48%	36%	39%	61%	70%	39%	47%	77%
Close down	28%	29%	27%	32%	35%	22%	22%	41%	28%	8%
Not sure	21%	17%	25%	32%	25%	17%	9%	20%	25%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (475)	100% (524)	100% (184)	100% (268)	100% (380)	100% (167)	100% (335)	100% (429)	100% (235)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Continue to operate	51%	54%	37%	45%	50%	50%	57%	50%	52%	53%	47%
Close down	28%	27%	31%	30%	25%	34%	29%	29%	26%	26%	32%
Not sure	21%	19%	32%	25%	25%	15%	14%	21%	22%	21%	21%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (752)	100% (112)	100% (135)	100% (390)	100% (279)	100% (171)	100% (148)	100% (243)	100% (359)	100% (249)

2. Support constitutional rights

Do you support or oppose the US Supreme Court decision that ruled detainees at Guantanamo Bay have constitutional rights?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Support	29%	29%	30%	36%	39%	22%	20%	45%	29%	9%
Oppose	44%	49%	40%	24%	29%	57%	68%	30%	41%	71%
Not sure	27%	23%	30%	40%	32%	21%	12%	26%	30%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(474)	(524)	(184)	(268)	(379)	(167)	(336)	(427)	(235)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Support	29%	30%	30%	26%	32%	29%	31%	34%	26%	26%	34%
Oppose	44%	49%	23%	38%	40%	48%	51%	42%	46%	46%	41%
Not sure	27%	22%	46%	36%	28%	22%	18%	24%	29%	28%	25%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(751)	(113)	(134)	(390)	(279)	(170)	(147)	(244)	(358)	(249)

3. Support for parole boards

Do you support or oppose parole boards to review the sentences of enemy combatants being held at Guantanamo Bay?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Support	35%	38%	31%	48%	41%	24%	28%	47%	31%	23%
Oppose	35%	42%	29%	15%	22%	48%	57%	24%	33%	55%
Not sure	30%	20%	40%	37%	37%	28%	15%	28%	35%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(994)	(474)	(520)	(183)	(266)	(379)	(166)	(334)	(425)	(235)

	Race				Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Support	35%	35%	31%	35%	37%	29%	39%	48%	38%	27%	33%
Oppose	35%	37%	25%	32%	33%	39%	42%	30%	33%	41%	31%
Not sure	30%	27%	44%	34%	30%	32%	19%	22%	29%	32%	35%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(994)	(749)	(113)	(132)	(388)	(278)	(171)	(146)	(242)	(358)	(248)

4. Detainees cleared for release

Around half of the detainees at Guantanamo have been cleared for release, but the government has not been able to find countries willing to accept them. What do you think should be done with detainees who the government has already cleared for release?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
They should be released inside the US	10%	10%	10%	18%	15%	5%	4%	13%	10%	6%
They should continue to be held indefinitely	51%	55%	47%	39%	39%	57%	75%	43%	45%	76%
Not sure	39%	35%	42%	44%	46%	38%	21%	44%	45%	18%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (996)	100% (473)	100% (523)	100% (184)	100% (266)	100% (379)	100% (167)	100% (335)	100% (426)	100% (235)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
They should be released inside the US	10%	8%	9%	26%	11%	12%	6%	12%	7%	10%	12%
They should continue to be held indefinitely	51%	55%	33%	46%	49%	54%	54%	55%	52%	52%	46%
Not sure	39%	37%	59%	28%	40%	34%	40%	32%	41%	38%	42%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (996)	100% (748)	100% (113)	100% (135)	100% (389)	100% (278)	100% (170)	100% (148)	100% (242)	100% (358)	100% (248)

5. Paid compensation

Do you think that former Guantanamo detainees who were never charged and have had their enemy combatant status revoked should or should not be paid compensation?

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Definitely should be paid	9%	8%	9%	10%	14%	7%	3%	12%	9%	3%
Probably should be paid	17%	19%	15%	27%	22%	9%	10%	23%	18%	7%
Probably should NOT be paid	16%	14%	17%	20%	15%	14%	14%	16%	13%	21%
Definitely should NOT be paid	39%	43%	35%	19%	21%	54%	62%	29%	37%	59%
Not sure	20%	16%	24%	23%	28%	16%	10%	21%	23%	10%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (474)	100% (524)	100% (184)	100% (267)	100% (380)	100% (167)	100% (336)	100% (427)	100% (235)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Definitely should be paid	9%	8%	10%	15%	9%	11%	8%	9%	9%	10%	7%
Probably should be paid	17%	16%	18%	23%	20%	11%	21%	16%	15%	14%	23%
Probably should NOT be paid	16%	15%	17%	16%	14%	17%	17%	17%	19%	14%	14%
Definitely should NOT be paid	39%	44%	21%	24%	33%	43%	45%	36%	37%	41%	39%
Not sure	20%	17%	34%	23%	23%	17%	9%	21%	20%	21%	17%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (751)	100% (112)	100% (135)	100% (390)	100% (278)	100% (171)	100% (148)	100% (244)	100% (358)	100% (248)

6. Trials for Guantanamo Bay detainees

Do you favor or oppose holding trials for the terrorist suspects being held at Guantanamo?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Favor strongly	32%	35%	30%	25%	36%	37%	28%	44%	28%	26%
Favor somewhat	28%	28%	29%	38%	21%	28%	25%	31%	28%	25%
Oppose somewhat	7%	9%	6%	10%	7%	6%	5%	5%	7%	12%
Oppose strongly	14%	14%	14%	6%	10%	16%	28%	6%	14%	27%
Not sure	18%	14%	22%	22%	25%	13%	13%	15%	24%	10%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (470)	100% (523)	100% (182)	100% (266)	100% (379)	100% (166)	100% (334)	100% (424)	100% (235)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Favor strongly	32%	34%	21%	31%	35%	33%	34%	35%	30%	32%	34%
Favor somewhat	28%	29%	32%	21%	26%	33%	28%	28%	26%	30%	28%
Oppose somewhat	7%	7%	6%	12%	8%	7%	9%	6%	9%	8%	6%
Oppose strongly	14%	16%	8%	13%	12%	14%	19%	17%	15%	12%	15%
Not sure	18%	15%	33%	23%	20%	13%	10%	14%	21%	19%	17%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (746)	100% (112)	100% (135)	100% (388)	100% (277)	100% (170)	100% (148)	100% (242)	100% (355)	100% (248)

7. Type of trial for Guantanamo Bay detainees

If trials are held for terrorist suspects, should they be held in U.S. courts or military tribunals?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
U.S. courts	22%	23%	20%	24%	32%	15%	15%	32%	20%	11%
Military tribunals	56%	63%	50%	46%	39%	69%	72%	47%	53%	77%
Not sure	22%	14%	29%	30%	28%	16%	13%	22%	27%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(996)	(473)	(523)	(182)	(267)	(380)	(167)	(335)	(426)	(235)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
U.S. courts	22%	20%	23%	28%	25%	20%	25%	20%	22%	20%	25%
Military tribunals	56%	60%	40%	50%	53%	58%	59%	59%	56%	57%	55%
Not sure	22%	20%	37%	23%	22%	22%	16%	21%	23%	23%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(996)	(749)	(112)	(135)	(389)	(277)	(171)	(148)	(244)	(356)	(248)

8. Future of prisoners

If the prison at Guantanamo Bay closed, where should the prisoners who are serving life sentences go?

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
A maximum security prison in the US	37%	43%	32%	31%	38%	39%	42%	39%	33%	44%
A prison in the prisoner's home country	22%	16%	27%	16%	21%	25%	24%	24%	21%	19%
A prison in any country willing to take the prisoner	17%	19%	15%	23%	9%	18%	16%	12%	18%	19%
Set free and returned to the prisoner's home country	5%	5%	5%	4%	9%	4%	3%	6%	6%	2%
Set free and sent to any country willing to take the prisoner	2%	3%	1%	3%	4%	1%	0%	3%	1%	2%
Not sure	18%	15%	20%	23%	20%	14%	14%	14%	21%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(474)	(523)	(183)	(267)	(380)	(167)	(335)	(427)	(235)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A maximum security prison in the US	37%	39%	23%	39%	35%	44%	41%	32%	33%	42%	38%
A prison in the prisoner's home country	22%	22%	26%	15%	23%	21%	21%	21%	28%	21%	17%
A prison in any country willing to take the prisoner	17%	17%	9%	19%	17%	16%	18%	17%	18%	13%	21%
Set free and returned to the prisoner's home country	5%	5%	8%	3%	7%	4%	4%	5%	3%	4%	9%
Set free and sent to any country willing to take the prisoner	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%
Not sure	18%	15%	33%	21%	17%	14%	13%	21%	16%	19%	14%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (749)	100% (113)	100% (135)	100% (390)	100% (277)	100% (171)	100% (148)	100% (244)	100% (357)	100% (248)

9. Importance of issue

How important an issue to you is closing the military prison at Guantanamo Bay?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Very important	21%	21%	20%	14%	20%	21%	30%	21%	17%	27%
Somewhat important	30%	25%	34%	32%	29%	30%	26%	28%	31%	28%
Not very important	32%	31%	33%	41%	33%	29%	25%	37%	31%	26%
Unimportant	18%	23%	13%	14%	18%	20%	19%	14%	20%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(991)	(472)	(519)	(181)	(265)	(378)	(167)	(334)	(422)	(235)

	Race				Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very important	21%	21%	20%	17%	21%	22%	16%	20%	19%	24%	17%
Somewhat important	30%	30%	30%	29%	28%	30%	31%	30%	33%	29%	26%
Not very important	32%	32%	33%	30%	32%	35%	31%	32%	33%	27%	39%
Unimportant	18%	17%	17%	25%	18%	13%	23%	18%	15%	20%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(991)	(745)	(113)	(133)	(387)	(276)	(171)	(147)	(242)	(356)	(246)

10. Approval of Obama's handling of Guantanamo Bay

Do you approve or disapprove of the way President Obama has handled the prison at Guantanamo?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Approve strongly	7%	7%	7%	4%	13%	5%	6%	15%	4%	2%
Approve somewhat	18%	19%	18%	23%	16%	17%	19%	31%	14%	11%
Disapprove somewhat	13%	14%	12%	10%	19%	13%	8%	12%	15%	11%
Disapprove strongly	27%	33%	22%	13%	14%	36%	49%	5%	28%	58%
Not sure	34%	27%	41%	50%	38%	29%	19%	37%	40%	19%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (474)	100% (523)	100% (183)	100% (267)	100% (380)	100% (167)	100% (335)	100% (427)	100% (235)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Approve strongly	7%	5%	21%	6%	9%	6%	6%	6%	11%	6%	6%
Approve somewhat	18%	17%	23%	24%	19%	17%	22%	24%	19%	16%	17%
Disapprove somewhat	13%	14%	5%	16%	12%	16%	14%	10%	17%	12%	11%
Disapprove strongly	27%	33%	7%	13%	22%	29%	37%	24%	23%	29%	30%
Not sure	34%	31%	45%	41%	39%	32%	21%	35%	29%	36%	36%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (749)	100% (113)	100% (135)	100% (390)	100% (277)	100% (171)	100% (148)	100% (244)	100% (357)	100% (248)