

Omnibus Poll

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1. Was Zimmerman justified

Do you think that George Zimmerman was justified in shooting Trayvon Martin?

	Gender			Age				Party ID			Voter Registration	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Yes	32%	40%	24%	20%	29%	35%	44%	12%	34%	60%	34%	13%
No	44%	39%	49%	50%	46%	44%	33%	71%	37%	14%	44%	42%
Not sure	24%	21%	27%	30%	25%	21%	23%	17%	29%	26%	21%	45%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (476)	100% (524)	100% (181)	100% (274)	100% (380)	100% (165)	100% (349)	100% (409)	100% (242)	100% (905)	100% (95)

	Total	Race			Education					Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	32%	36%	7%	30%	22%	32%	35%	27%	29%	27%	36%	34%	29%
No	44%	39%	80%	43%	46%	41%	44%	50%	52%	50%	43%	41%	46%
Not sure	24%	25%	13%	26%	32%	27%	21%	23%	19%	23%	21%	26%	26%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (811)	100% (105)	100% (84)	100% (25)	100% (341)	100% (352)	100% (192)	100% (90)	100% (173)	100% (204)	100% (349)	100% (274)

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2. Media treatment of Zimmerman due to race

Do you think that George Zimmerman received favorable or unfavorable treatment from the media because of his race?

	Gender			Age				Party ID			Voter Registration	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
He was treated more favorably because of his race	16%	12%	19%	20%	16%	16%	9%	28%	12%	4%	16%	16%
He was treated less favorably because of his race	39%	48%	31%	32%	34%	41%	53%	17%	41%	69%	41%	22%
He was treated fairly	21%	21%	22%	23%	16%	22%	26%	32%	17%	13%	23%	13%
Not sure	24%	19%	28%	24%	34%	21%	13%	23%	30%	13%	21%	48%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (476)	100% (524)	100% (181)	100% (274)	100% (380)	100% (165)	100% (349)	100% (409)	100% (242)	100% (905)	100% (95)

	Total	Race			Education					Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
He was treated more favorably because of his race	16%	13%	36%	12%	16%	16%	16%	14%	16%	20%	15%	15%	15%
He was treated less favorably because of his race	39%	44%	13%	37%	14%	38%	41%	41%	47%	29%	42%	42%	40%
He was treated fairly	21%	20%	34%	18%	24%	24%	20%	20%	15%	25%	21%	20%	22%
Not sure	24%	23%	17%	33%	45%	22%	23%	25%	22%	25%	22%	24%	23%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (811)	100% (105)	100% (84)	100% (25)	100% (341)	100% (352)	100% (192)	100% (90)	100% (173)	100% (204)	100% (349)	100% (274)

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3. Media treatment of Martin due to race

Do you think that Trayvon Martin received favorable or unfavorable treatment from the media because of his race?

	Gender			Age				Party ID			Voter Registration	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
He was treated more favorably because of his race	42%	49%	35%	30%	40%	45%	52%	18%	47%	68%	43%	29%
He was treated less favorably because of his race	24%	21%	27%	32%	25%	22%	18%	42%	15%	13%	26%	13%
He was treated fairly	16%	16%	16%	16%	11%	17%	21%	21%	15%	10%	16%	13%
Not sure	18%	14%	23%	22%	25%	16%	9%	19%	23%	9%	15%	46%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (476)	100% (524)	100% (181)	100% (274)	100% (380)	100% (165)	100% (349)	100% (409)	100% (242)	100% (905)	100% (95)

	Total	Race			Education					Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
He was treated more favorably because of his race	42%	46%	15%	40%	38%	39%	40%	50%	47%	36%	42%	44%	43%
He was treated less favorably because of his race	24%	22%	50%	15%	14%	25%	24%	25%	26%	25%	28%	22%	24%
He was treated fairly	16%	15%	24%	16%	11%	17%	17%	12%	14%	17%	14%	16%	15%
Not sure	18%	17%	12%	29%	37%	20%	18%	14%	13%	22%	16%	18%	18%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (811)	100% (105)	100% (84)	100% (25)	100% (341)	100% (352)	100% (192)	100% (90)	100% (173)	100% (204)	100% (349)	100% (274)

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4. Zimmerman verdict impact on race relations

Do you think that the Zimmerman verdict will have a positive or a negative impact on race relations in the United States?

	Gender			Age				Party ID			Voter Registration	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Very positive	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Somewhat positive	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	3%
Neither positive nor negative	19%	22%	15%	15%	22%	17%	20%	15%	20%	21%	19%	19%
Somewhat negative	35%	36%	35%	34%	33%	38%	37%	37%	33%	38%	37%	22%
Very negative	30%	28%	32%	29%	27%	31%	35%	35%	27%	29%	31%	25%
Not sure	12%	11%	13%	16%	15%	11%	6%	8%	17%	9%	10%	30%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (476)	100% (524)	100% (181)	100% (274)	100% (380)	100% (165)	100% (349)	100% (409)	100% (242)	100% (905)	100% (95)

	Total	Race			Education					Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very positive	2%	2%	3%	1%	5%	2%	2%	—	—	2%	3%	1%	1%
Somewhat positive	2%	2%	5%	2%	—	1%	3%	3%	2%	1%	0%	3%	3%
Neither positive nor negative	19%	18%	20%	20%	11%	23%	14%	19%	19%	18%	18%	20%	18%
Somewhat negative	35%	40%	19%	26%	34%	31%	34%	41%	52%	36%	40%	30%	41%
Very negative	30%	27%	47%	32%	24%	31%	33%	30%	18%	29%	31%	33%	25%
Not sure	12%	11%	6%	20%	26%	12%	13%	7%	8%	13%	8%	13%	12%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (811)	100% (105)	100% (84)	100% (25)	100% (341)	100% (352)	100% (192)	100% (90)	100% (173)	100% (204)	100% (349)	100% (274)

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5. Are young black men treated fairly

Do you think that young, black men in America are treated fairly by law enforcement and the judicial system?

	Gender			Age				Party ID			Voter Registration	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Yes	37%	41%	32%	24%	32%	38%	56%	15%	38%	67%	39%	21%
No	44%	41%	46%	54%	46%	42%	28%	70%	38%	11%	44%	40%
Not sure	20%	18%	22%	21%	22%	19%	16%	15%	23%	21%	18%	39%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
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	Total	Race			Education					Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	37%	42%	7%	33%	25%	39%	38%	30%	37%	36%	42%	37%	31%
No	44%	37%	83%	43%	49%	39%	44%	50%	50%	49%	38%	41%	49%
Not sure	20%	21%	10%	24%	26%	22%	18%	20%	13%	15%	20%	22%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(811)	(105)	(84)	(25)	(341)	(352)	(192)	(90)	(173)	(204)	(349)	(274)

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6.

Do you think that the federal government should prosecute George Zimmerman under federal hate crimes legislation?

	Gender			Age				Party ID			Voter Registration	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
Yes	26%	21%	30%	31%	26%	28%	14%	44%	19%	10%	26%	27%
No	54%	62%	47%	43%	51%	55%	71%	33%	58%	80%	57%	32%
Not sure	20%	17%	23%	26%	23%	17%	14%	24%	23%	10%	18%	41%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
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	Race				Education					Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	26%	19%	66%	26%	27%	29%	27%	20%	17%	31%	21%	25%	27%
No	54%	63%	18%	39%	41%	50%	53%	65%	62%	48%	56%	56%	53%
Not sure	20%	18%	16%	35%	32%	21%	20%	15%	21%	21%	23%	19%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(811)	(105)	(84)	(25)	(341)	(352)	(192)	(90)	(173)	(204)	(349)	(274)

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7.

Does the Zimmerman verdict make you feel more or less safe?

	Gender			Age				Party ID			Voter Registration	
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Registered	Not registered
More safe	8%	11%	5%	13%	5%	8%	7%	4%	8%	15%	8%	5%
No change	55%	56%	54%	39%	59%	58%	62%	48%	56%	63%	56%	43%
Less safe	28%	24%	31%	32%	26%	28%	26%	43%	23%	14%	28%	30%
Not sure	9%	8%	10%	16%	11%	6%	5%	5%	13%	8%	8%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
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	Total	Race			Education					Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Less than high school	High school	Some college	College grad	Post grad	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
More safe	8%	9%	4%	5%	2%	6%	12%	7%	6%	6%	8%	8%	9%
No change	55%	58%	46%	44%	50%	57%	50%	61%	57%	55%	64%	52%	51%
Less safe	28%	25%	46%	28%	25%	23%	32%	28%	35%	33%	23%	26%	32%
Not sure	9%	8%	3%	23%	23%	13%	7%	4%	3%	6%	5%	14%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(811)	(105)	(84)	(25)	(341)	(352)	(192)	(90)	(173)	(204)	(349)	(274)