

Pew Global Attitudes Project
 August - September 2009 Survey
 Topline Results

			Q49 Do you think the U.S. and NATO should keep military troops in Afghanistan until the situation has stabilized, or do you think the U.S. and NATO should remove their troops as soon as possible?			
			Keep troops in Afghanistan	Remove their troops	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Fall, 2009 --	Total	50	43	7	100
	Spring, 2009	Total	57	38	5	100
	Spring, 2008	Total	50	44	6	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	50	42	7	100
Britain	Fall, 2009 --	Total	38	54	8	100
	Spring, 2009	Total	46	48	7	100
	Spring, 2008	Total	48	43	9	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	45	42	13	100
France	Fall, 2009 --	Total	38	61	1	100
	Spring, 2009	Total	50	49	1	100
	Spring, 2008	Total	46	54	1	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	48	51	1	100
Germany	Fall, 2009 --	Total	42	54	3	100
		West	44	53	3	100
		East	35	61	3	100
	Spring, 2009	Total	48	47	4	100
	Spring, 2008	Total	43	54	3	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	44	49	8	100
	Italy	Fall, 2009 --	Total	34	56	9
Spring, 2007		Total	32	55	13	100
Spain	Fall, 2009 --	Total	38	48	13	100
	Spring, 2009	Total	44	46	10	100
	Spring, 2008	Total	34	56	10	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	22	67	11	100
Poland	Fall, 2009 --	Total	24	64	12	100
	Spring, 2009	Total	30	57	13	100
	Spring, 2008	Total	24	65	11	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	24	63	13	100
Czech Republic	Fall, 2009 --	Total	41	47	12	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	45	45	10	100
Slovakia	Fall, 2009 --	Total	31	49	20	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	29	58	13	100
Hungary	Fall, 2009 --	Total	33	45	22	100
Bulgaria	Fall, 2009 --	Total	30	47	24	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	21	60	19	100
Lithuania	Fall, 2009 --	Total	27	50	24	100
Ukraine	Fall, 2009 --	Total	7	62	30	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	11	72	17	100
Russia	Fall, 2009 --	Total	15	65	20	100
	Spring, 2009	Total	16	66	18	100
	Spring, 2008	Total	14	72	14	100
	Spring, 2007	Total	12	73	16	100

			Q50a What (INSERT ITEM), would this be a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of (SURVEY COUNTRY)? a. If Islamic extremists took control of Pakistan				
			Major threat	Minor threat	Not a threat	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Fall, 2009 --	Total	64	19	6	10	100
Britain	Fall, 2009 --	Total	65	20	7	8	100
France	Fall, 2009 --	Total	67	25	7	0	100
Germany	Fall, 2009 --	Total	57	32	7	4	100
		West	58	32	6	4	100
		East	55	31	8	5	100
Italy	Fall, 2009 --	Total	68	15	7	10	100
Spain	Fall, 2009 --	Total	59	20	9	12	100
Poland	Fall, 2009 --	Total	46	30	9	15	100
Czech Republic	Fall, 2009 --	Total	42	35	12	12	100
Slovakia	Fall, 2009 --	Total	25	37	21	18	100
Hungary	Fall, 2009 --	Total	26	32	25	17	100
Bulgaria	Fall, 2009 --	Total	42	22	13	23	100
Lithuania	Fall, 2009 --	Total	32	28	18	21	100
Ukraine	Fall, 2009 --	Total	11	23	35	31	100
Russia	Fall, 2009 --	Total	27	38	18	17	100

			Q50c What (INSERT ITEM), would this be a major threat, a minor threat or not a threat to the well being of (SURVEY COUNTRY)? c. If the Taliban regained control of Afghanistan				
			Major threat	Minor threat	Not a threat	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Fall, 2009 --	Total	76	17	3	4	100
Britain	Fall, 2009 --	Total	60	27	8	5	100
France	Fall, 2009 --	Total	66	27	7	0	100
Germany	Fall, 2009 --	Total	65	26	6	3	100
		West	65	26	6	3	100
		East	63	25	7	5	100
Italy	Fall, 2009 --	Total	72	14	6	9	100
Spain	Fall, 2009 --	Total	64	17	7	12	100
Poland	Fall, 2009 --	Total	49	27	11	13	100
Czech Republic	Fall, 2009 --	Total	45	34	11	10	100
Slovakia	Fall, 2009 --	Total	30	37	17	16	100
Hungary	Fall, 2009 --	Total	27	31	22	19	100
Bulgaria	Fall, 2009 --	Total	47	20	11	22	100
Lithuania	Fall, 2009 --	Total	35	27	15	22	100
Ukraine	Fall, 2009 --	Total	13	21	32	34	100
Russia	Fall, 2009 --	Total	32	37	14	17	100

Methods Table

<u>Country</u>	<u>Sample size</u>	<u>Margin of Error (pct. points)</u>	<u>Field dates</u>	<u>Mode</u>	<u>Sample design</u>
U.S.	1,006	±4.0	Sept. 10 – Sept. 15	Telephone	National
Britain	1,000	±3.5	Sept. 1 – Sept. 11	Telephone	National
Bulgaria	1,000	±4.0	Aug. 27 – Sept. 19	Face-to-face	National
Czech Rep.	1,145	±3.5	Aug. 30 – Sept. 14	Face-to-face	National
France	1,002	±3.5	Sept. 8 – Sept. 15	Telephone	National
Germany	1,600	±4.0	Aug. 31 – Sept. 19	Telephone	National (East Germany oversample)
Hungary	1,000	±5.0	Aug. 31 – Sept. 13	Face-to-face	National
Italy	1,005	±4.5	Sept. 10 – Sept. 22	Face-to-face	National
Lithuania	1,000	±4.0	Sept. 3 – Sept. 19	Face-to-face	National
Poland	1,000	±4.0	Sept. 1 – Sept. 15	Face-to-face	National
Russia	1,000	±4.0	Aug. 28 – Sept. 24	Face-to-face	National
Slovakia	1,001	±4.0	Sept. 2 – Sept. 17	Face-to-face	National
Spain	1,001	±3.5	Aug. 31 – Sept. 16	Telephone	National
Ukraine	1,000	±4.0	Sept. 2 – Sept. 19	Face-to-face	National

Note: For more comprehensive information on the methodology of this study, see the report “End of Communism Cheered but Now with More Reservations,” released on November 2, 2009.