

Topline questionnaire

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		Q8b. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable opinion of ____? b. China					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2019	4	22	37	23	13	100
	Spring, 2018	5	33	32	15	14	100
	Spring, 2017	5	39	33	14	10	100
	Spring, 2016	6	31	36	19	9	100
	Spring, 2015	4	34	33	21	8	100
	Spring, 2014	7	28	34	21	10	100
	Spring, 2013	7	30	32	20	12	100
	Spring, 2012	6	34	25	15	19	100
	Spring, 2011	12	39	22	14	12	100
	Spring, 2010	10	39	24	12	14	100
	Spring, 2009	9	41	25	13	13	100
	Spring, 2008	9	30	26	16	19	100
	Spring, 2007	8	34	25	14	18	100
	Spring, 2006	12	40	19	10	19	100
	Spring, 2005	9	34	22	13	22	100

		Spring, 2019	Spring, 2014	Spring, 2007
		United States	United States	United States
Q23. What country or group poses the greatest threat to (survey country) in the future?	Afghanistan	1	1	0
	Canada	0	1	0
	China	24	19	12
	Iran	6	16	24
	Iraq	1	2	21
	Israel	0	1	0
	Japan	1	2	1
	Mexico	1	0	0
	North Korea	12	7	8
	Pakistan	0	6	0
	Russia	24	23	2
	Saudi Arabia	1	0	0
	South Korea	1	0	0
	Syria	1	1	0
	United States	3	2	1
	Terrorists	1	0	1
	Al Qaeda	0	2	3
	Middle Eastern countries	3	1	3
	Extremists	0	1	0
	ISIS	1	0	0
	None	1	0	0
Other	9	4	7	
DK/Refused	9	12	13	
Total	100	100	100	
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Data is displayed vertically.

		Q33. Today, which ONE of the following do you think is the world's leading economic power?							
		The United States	China	Japan	The countries of the European Union	Other (DO NOT READ)	None/There is no leading economic power (DO NOT READ)	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2019	50	32	7	6	1	1	4	100
	Spring, 2018	49	33	6	7	1	1	4	100
	Spring, 2017	51	35	5	5	0	0	2	100
	Spring, 2016	54	34	6	2	0	1	3	100
	Spring, 2015	46	36	7	7	0	1	3	100
	Spring, 2014	40	41	8	7	0	0	4	100
	Spring, 2013	39	44	7	4	0	1	6	100
	Spring, 2012	40	41	6	5	0	1	7	100
	Spring, 2011	38	43	6	6	0	0	6	100
	Spring, 2010	38	41	8	6	0	0	7	100
	Spring, 2009	48	33	7	5	0	1	6	100
Spring, 2008	46	26	10	10	0	1	7	100	

		Q37b. Overall, do you think current economic ties between (survey country) and ____ are very good, somewhat good, somewhat bad or very bad? b. China					
		Very good	Somewhat good	Somewhat bad	Very bad	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2019	2	39	40	13	5	100

		Q38b. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs – a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence, or no confidence at all. b. Chinese President Xi Jinping					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2019	2	35	27	23	13	100
	Spring, 2018	5	34	27	23	12	100
	Spring, 2017	2	29	29	31	9	100
	Spring, 2014	2	26	26	32	14	100

		Q38f. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs – a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence, or no confidence at all. f. Japanese Prime Minister Shinzo Abe					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2019	13	48	10	10	20	100
	Spring, 2018	12	45	15	12	16	100
	Spring, 2014	6	43	16	19	17	100

		Q38g. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs – a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence, or no confidence at all. g. Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2019	4	38	15	12	33	100
	Spring, 2018	4	35	19	13	28	100

		Q38i. For each, tell me how much confidence you have in each leader to do the right thing regarding world affairs – a lot of confidence, some confidence, not too much confidence, or no confidence at all. i. North Korean leader Kim Jong-un					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2019	1	8	14	72	5	100

		Q41. Overall do you think that China's growing economy is a good thing or a bad thing for our country?			
		Good thing	Bad thing	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2019	50	41	10	100
	Spring, 2014	49	42	8	100
	Spring, 2011	37	53	10	100
	Spring, 2010	40	47	13	100
	Spring, 2008	35	53	11	100
	Spring, 2007	41	45	13	100
	Spring, 2005	49	40	11	100

		Q42. Overall do you think that China's growing military power is a good thing or a bad thing for our country?			
		Good thing	Bad thing	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2019	11	81	8	100
	Spring, 2011	11	79	10	100
	Spring, 2010	12	79	10	100
	Spring, 2008	8	82	10	100
	Spring, 2007	15	68	17	100