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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted March 3-16, 2025, with a random sample of **~1,002**—adults, ages 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. For results based on this sample of national adults, the margin of sampling error is **±4** percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

For results based on the sample of **-- 502 --** national adults in Form A and the sample of **~500**— national adults in Form B, the margin of sampling error is **±6** percentage points.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones and cellular phones, with interviews conducted in Spanish for respondents who are primarily Spanish-speaking. Each sample of national adults includes a minimum quota of 80% cell phone respondents and 20% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by time zone within region. Landline and cell phone telephone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member has the next birthday.

Samples are weighted to correct for unequal selection probability, non-response, and double coverage of landline and cell users in the two sampling frames. They are also weighted to match the national demographics of gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, population density, party identification, and phone status (cell phone-only/landline only/both and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the most recent Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the most recent National Health Interview Survey. Party identification targets are based on the average of the three prior Gallup polls. Population density targets are based on the 2020 census. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting.

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Turning to something else,

14. I'm going to read you a list of environmental problems. As I read each one, please tell me if you personally worry about this problem a great deal, a fair amount, only a little, or not at all. First, how much do you personally worry about -- [RANDOM ORDER]?

	Great deal	Fair amount	Only a little/ Not at all
<b><i>2025 Mar 3-16</i></b>			
<b><i>(sorted by "a great deal")</i></b>			
Pollution of drinking water	54	26	20
Pollution of rivers, lakes, and reservoirs	51	29	19
Management of waste produce in the U.S., including trash and recyclables	41	34	25
Global warming or Climate change	40	23	37
Extinction of plant and animal species	40	24	35
Air pollution	40	30	30
The loss of tropical rain forests	40	27	33

## Q.14 (ENVIRONMENTAL WORRIES) CONTINUED

### FULL TRENDS: ENVIRONMENTAL WORRIES

#### A. Pollution of rivers, lakes, and reservoirs

	<u>Great deal</u>	<u>Fair amount</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	51	29	14	5	*
2024 Mar 1-20	52	29	13	6	*
2023 Mar 1-23	50	31	14	4	--
2022 Mar 1-18	54	29	14	3	*
2021 Mar 1-15	53	30	12	5	--
2020 Mar 2-13	55	26	13	6	*
2019 Mar 1-10	53	27	14	6	*
2018 Mar 1-8	55	28	13	3	--
2017 Mar 1-5	57	28	11	4	*
2016 Mar 2-6	56	25	14	5	*
2015 Mar 5-8	47	32	15	6	*
2014 Mar 6-9	53	28	15	3	*
2013 Mar 7-10	46	32	16	6	*
2012 Mar 8-11	48	31	17	4	*
2011 Mar 3-6	46	33	16	6	*
2010 Mar 4-7	46	32	18	4	*
2009 Mar 5-8	52	31	13	4	*
2008 Mar 6-9	50	34	12	4	--
2007 Mar 11-14	53	31	13	3	--
2006 Mar 13-16	51	33	11	5	*
2004 Mar 8-11	48	31	16	5	*
2003 Mar 3-5	51	31	13	5	--
2002 Mar 4-7	53	32	12	3	*
2001 Mar 5-7	58	29	10	3	*
2000 Apr 3-9	66	24	8	2	*
1999 Apr 13-14	61	30	7	2	*
1999 Mar 12-14	55	30	12	3	*
1991 Apr 11-14	67	21	8	3	1
1990 Apr 5-8	64	23	9	4	--
1989 May 4-7	72	19	5	3	1

# **Q.14 (ENVIRONMENTAL WORRIES) CONTINUED**

## **B. Air pollution**

	<u>Great deal</u>	<u>Fair amount</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	40	30	20	10	*
2024 Mar 1-20	42	28	18	11	*
2023 Mar 1-23	38	32	22	8	--
2022 Mar 1-18	45	30	17	8	--
2021 Mar 1-15	41	32	20	8	--
2020 Mar 2-13	48	28	16	9	--
2019 Mar 1-10	43	31	16	10	--
2018 Mar 1-8	46	30	17	7	--
2017 Mar 1-5	47	31	15	7	--
2016 Mar 2-6	43	31	19	7	--
2015 Mar 5-8	38	33	19	10	*
2014 Mar 6-9	46	27	21	7	--
2013 Mar 7-10	40	30	20	9	--
2012 Mar 8-11	36	35	22	7	*
2011 Mar 3-6	36	36	20	8	*
2010 Mar 4-7	38	32	22	8	*
2009 Mar 5-8	45	31	18	6	*
2008 Mar 6-9	43	35	17	6	--
2007 Mar 11-14	46	33	15	5	*
2006 Mar 13-16	44	34	15	7	*
2004 Mar 8-11	39	30	23	8	*
2003 Mar 3-5	42	32	20	6	*
2002 Mar 4-7	45	33	18	4	*
2001 Mar 5-7	48	34	14	4	*
2000 Apr 3-9	59	29	9	3	*
1999 Apr 13-14	52	35	10	3	*
1999 Mar 12-14	47	33	16	4	*
1997 Oct 27-28	42	34	18	5	1
1991 Apr 11-14	59	28	10	4	*
1990 Apr 5-8	58	29	9	4	*
1989 May 4-7	63	24	8	4	*

# **Q.14 (ENVIRONMENTAL WORRIES) CONTINUED**

## **C. The loss of tropical rain forests**

	<u>Great deal</u>	<u>Fair amount</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	40	27	22	11	*
2024 Mar 1-20	40	27	20	12	1
2023 Mar 1-23	39	27	23	11	--
2022 Mar 1-18	46	27	17	10	*
2021 Mar 1-15	45	27	18	10	*
2020 Mar 2-13	49	26	15	10	*
2019 Mar 1-10	39	28	21	12	*
2018 Mar 1-8	42	25	22	11	*
2017 Mar 1-5	44	25	21	10	*
2016 Mar 2-6	39	28	20	13	*
2015 Mar 5-8	33	30	21	16	1
2014 Mar 6-9	41	27	22	11	*
2013 Mar 7-10	37	27	23	13	1
2012 Mar 8-11	37	27	24	12	1
2011 Mar 3-6	34	29	21	14	1
2010 Mar 4-7	33	33	22	11	1
2009 Mar 5-8	42	26	21	11	*
2008 Mar 6-9	40	29	20	11	*
2007 Mar 11-14	43	30	17	10	1
2006 Mar 13-16	40	24	22	13	1
2004 Mar 8-11	35	26	23	15	1
2003 Mar 3-5	39	29	21	11	*
2002 Mar 4-7	38	27	21	12	2
2001 Mar 5-7	44	32	15	8	1
2000 Apr 3-9	51	25	14	9	1
1999 Apr 13-14	49	30	14	6	1
1991 Apr 11-14	42	25	21	10	2
1990 Apr 5-8	40	24	19	14	3
1989 May 4-7	42	25	18	12	3

## Q.14 (ENVIRONMENTAL WORRIES) CONTINUED

### D. Global Warming or Climate Change

	<u>Great deal</u>	<u>Fair amount</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	40	23	13	24	--
2024 Mar 1-20	42	20	16	22	*
2023 Mar 1-23	39	22	18	21	*
2022 Mar 1-18	43	22	18	17	--
2021 Mar 1-15	43	22	18	17	--
2020 Mar 2-13	46	19	15	19	*
2019 Mar 1-10	44	21	15	20	*
2018 Mar 1-8	43	20	18	18	*
2017 Mar 1-5	45	21	18	16	*
2016 Mar 2-6	37	27	17	19	*
2015 Mar 5-8	32	23	21	24	*
2014 Mar 6-9 †	34	22	19	24	*
2013 Mar 7-10 †	33	25	20	23	*
2012 Mar 8-11 †	30	25	22	23	1
2011 Mar 3-6 †	25	26	20	28	1
2010 Mar 4-7 †	28	24	19	29	*
2009 Mar 5-8 † ‡	34	26	20	20	1
2008 Mar 6-9 ‡	37	29	16	17	1
2007 Mar 11-14 ‡	41	24	18	16	1
2006 Mar 13-16 ‡	36	26	21	15	1
2004 Mar 8-11 ‡	26	25	28	19	2
2003 Mar 3-5 ‡	28	30	23	17	2
2002 Mar 4-7 ‡	29	29	23	17	2
2001 Mar 5-7 ‡	33	30	22	13	2
2000 Apr 3-9 ‡	40	32	15	12	1
1999 Apr 13-14 ‡	34	34	18	12	2
1999 Mar 12-14 ‡	28	31	23	16	2
1997 Oct 27-28 ‡	24	26	29	17	4
1991 Apr 11-14 ‡	35	27	22	12	5
1990 Apr 5-8 ‡	30	27	20	16	6
1989 May 4-7 ‡	35	28	18	12	7

Note: 2009-2014 WORDING: Global warming

1989-2009 WORDING: The "greenhouse effect" or global warming

2009 results based on combined results using the two different wordings, each asked of a half sample.

# **Q.14 (ENVIRONMENTAL WORRIES) CONTINUED**

## **E. Pollution of drinking water**

	<u>Great deal</u>	<u>Fair amount</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	54	26	13	7	*
2024 Mar 1-20	56	26	11	7	*
2023 Mar 1-23	55	25	14	6	--
2022 Mar 1-18	57	26	12	5	--
2021 Mar 1-15	56	24	12	7	--
2020 Mar 2-13	58	23	14	6	*
2019 Mar 1-10	56	23	14	7	*
2018 Mar 1-8	59	23	12	5	--
2017 Mar 1-5	63	22	11	4	--
2016 Mar 2-6	61	19	13	6	--
2015 Mar 5-8	55	22	15	8	*
2014 Mar 6-9	60	22	13	5	*
2013 Mar 7-10	53	26	14	6	--
2012 Mar 8-11	48	30	15	6	*
2011 Mar 3-6	51	26	16	7	*
2010 Mar 4-7	50	27	17	6	*
2009 Mar 5-8	59	25	11	5	*
2008 Mar 6-9	53	28	13	6	*
2007 Mar 11-14	58	24	12	5	*
2006 Mar 13-16	54	27	12	7	*
2004 Mar 8-11	53	24	17	6	*
2003 Mar 3-5	54	25	15	6	--
2002 Mar 4-7	57	25	13	5	*
2001 Mar 5-7	64	24	9	3	*
2000 Apr 3-9	72	20	6	2	*
1999 Apr 13-14	68	22	7	3	*
1991 Apr 11-14	67	19	10	3	1
1990 Apr 5-8	65	22	9	4	*

# **Q.14 (ENVIRONMENTAL WORRIES) CONTINUED**

## **F. Extinction of plant and animal species**

	<u>Great deal</u>	<u>Fair amount</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	40	24	20	15	*
2024 Mar 1-20	38	28	22	12	*
2023 Mar 1-23	40	29	20	11	*
2022 Mar 1-18	45	25	21	9	*
2021 Mar 1-15	40	30	20	10	*
2020 Mar 2-13	47	28	15	10	*
2019 Mar 1-10	43	25	20	11	*
2018 Mar 1-8	46	27	18	9	*
2017 Mar 1-5	44	28	18	10	*
2016 Mar 2-6	42	26	22	11	*
2015 Mar 5-8	36	28	22	14	*
2014 Mar 6-9	41	24	24	10	1
2013 Mar 7-10	35	29	22	13	*
2012 Mar 8-11	36	29	23	12	1
2011 Mar 3-6	34	30	23	13	1
2010 Mar 4-7	31	30	24	15	*
2009 Mar 5-8	37	28	22	12	*
2008 Mar 6-9	37	31	20	11	*
2007 Mar 11-14	39	30	19	12	*
2006 Mar 13-16	34	29	23	14	1
2004 Mar 8-11	36	26	23	15	*
2003 Mar 3-5	34	32	21	12	1
2002 Mar 4-7	35	30	22	12	1
2001 Mar 5-7	43	30	19	7	1
2000 Apr 3-9	45	33	14	8	*

*ITEMS G-H NOT ASKED*

## **I. Management of waste produced in the U.S., including trash and recyclables**

	<u>Great deal</u>	<u>Fair amount</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	41	34	17	8	*



19. Next, thinking about the issue of global warming, how well do you feel you understand this issue? Would you say -- very well, fairly well, not very well, or not at all?

	<u>Very well</u>	<u>Fairly well</u>	<u>Not very well</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	30	53	14	2	*
2024 Mar 1-20	30	53	14	2	*
2023 Mar 1-23	26	56	16	2	*
2022 Mar 1-18	27	55	16	2	--
2021 Mar 1-15	26	57	16	2	*
2020 Mar 2-13	24	59	13	3	*
2019 Mar 1-10	27	53	18	2	1
2018 Mar 1-8	29	52	15	3	*
2017 Mar 1-5	29	50	19	3	*
2016 Mar 2-6	24	55	16	5	*
2015 Mar 5-8	25	52	19	4	*
2014 Mar 6-9	33	51	14	2	--
2013 Mar 7-10	27	52	18	3	*
2012 Mar 8-11	29	55	12	4	*
2011 Mar 3-6	25	55	15	4	1
2010 Mar 4-7	26	56	15	3	*
2008 Mar 6-9	21	59	18	2	*
2007 Mar 11-14	22	54	19	4	*
2006 Mar 13-16	21	53	20	6	*
2005 Mar 7-10	16	54	24	6	*
2004 Mar 8-11	18	50	26	6	*
2003 Mar 3-5	15	53	27	5	--
2002 Mar 4-7	17	52	25	6	*
2001 Mar 5-7	15	54	24	6	1
1997 Nov 6-9	16	45	28	10	1
1992 Jan	11	42	22	22	3

1992-2008 WORDING: Next, thinking about the issue of global warming, sometimes called the "greenhouse effect," how well do you feel you understand this issue -- would you say very well, fairly well, not very well, or not at all?

20. Which of the following statements reflects your view of when the effects of global warming will begin to happen – [ROTATED: they have already begun to happen, they will start happening within a few years, they will start happening within your lifetime, they will not happen within your lifetime, but they will affect future generations, (or) they will never happen]?

	<u>Already begun</u>	<u>Within a few years</u>	<u>Within your lifetime</u>	<u>Not within lifetime, but affect future</u>	<u>Will never happen</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	63	2	8	13	12	3
2024 Mar 1-20	59	4	6	16	12	3
2023 Mar 1-23	60	3	8	17	12	1
2022 Mar 1-18	60	4	8	16	11	1
2021 Mar 1-15	59	4	6	19	10	1
2020 Mar 2-13	61	3	8	17	9	1
2019 Mar 1-10	59	4	9	16	11	1
2018 Mar 1-8	60	4	5	16	12	3
2017 Mar 1-5	62	4	7	16	9	3
2016 Mar 2-6	59	5	9	17	10	1
2015 Mar 5-8	55	3	8	17	16	1
2014 Mar 6-9	54	3	8	16	18	2
2013 Mar 7-10	54	3	9	15	15	3
2012 Mar 8-11	52	4	10	15	15	2
2011 Mar 3-6	49	4	9	17	18	3
2010 Mar 4-7	50	3	10	16	19	2
2009 Mar 5-8	53	5	10	15	16	2
2008 Mar 6-9	61	4	10	13	11	1
2007 Mar 23-25	60	4	7	15	11	3
2007 Mar 11-14	59	3	8	19	8	3
2006 Mar 13-16	58	5	10	15	8	3
2005 Mar 7-10	54	5	10	19	9	3
2004 Mar 8-11	51	5	12	18	11	3
2003 Mar 3-5	51	6	12	17	10	4
2002 Mar 4-7	53	5	13	17	9	3
2001 Mar 5-7	54	4	13	18	7	4
1997 Nov 6-9	48	3	14	19	9	7

21. Thinking about what is said in the news, in your view is the seriousness of global warming -- [ROTATED: generally exaggerated, generally correct, or is it generally underestimated]?

	<u>Generally exaggerated</u>	<u>Generally correct</u>	<u>Generally underestimated</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	41	20	38	1
2024 Mar 1-20	37	22	39	3
2023 Mar 1-23	39	25	36	1
2022 Mar 1-18	38	21	40	1
2021 Mar 1-15	38	22	39	1
2020 Mar 2-13	37	25	38	*
2019 Mar 1-10	35	22	42	1
2018 Mar 1-8	33	25	41	1
2017 Mar 1-5	34	28	35	2
2016 Mar 2-6	34	25	40	2
2015 Mar 5-8	42	21	35	2
2014 Mar 6-9	42	23	33	2
2013 Mar 7-10	41	24	33	2
2012 Mar 8-11	42	24	31	3
2011 Mar 3-6	43	26	29	3
2010 Mar 4-7	48	24	25	3
2009 Mar 5-8	41	29	28	2
2008 Mar 6-9	35	33	29	2
2007 Mar 11-14	33	29	35	4
2006 Mar 13-16	30	28	38	4
2005 Mar 7-10	31	29	35	5
2004 Mar 8-11	38	25	33	4
2003 Mar 3-5	33	29	33	5
2002 Mar 4-7	31	32	32	5
2001 Mar 5-7	30	34	32	4
1997 Nov 6-9 ^	31	34	27	8

^ Based on half sample.

22. And from what you have heard or read, do you believe increases in the Earth's temperature over the last century are due more to – [ROTATED: the effects of pollution from human activities (or) natural changes in the environment that are not due to human activities]?

	<u>Human activities</u>	<u>Natural causes</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	62	34	4
2024 Mar 1-20	61	33	5
2023 Mar 1-23	62	36	2
2022 Mar 1-18	65	34	2
2021 Mar 1-15	64	34	2
2020 Mar 2-13	64	34	2
2019 Mar 1-10	66	31	3
2018 Mar 1-8	64	33	3
2017 Mar 1-5	68	29	3
2016 Mar 2-6	65	31	4
2015 Mar 5-8	55	41	4
2014 Mar 6-9	57	40	3
2013 Mar 7-10	57	39	4
2012 Mar 8-11	53	41	6
2011 Mar 3-6	52	43	5
2010 Mar 4-7	50	46	5
2008 Mar 6-9	58	38	5
2007 Mar 11-14	61	35	5
2006 Mar 13-16	58	36	6
2003 Mar 3-5	61	33	6
2001 Mar 5-7	61	33	6

23. Do you think that global warming will pose a serious threat to you or your way of life in your lifetime?

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2025 Mar 3-16	48	51	1
2024 Mar 1-20	44	55	1
2023 Mar 1-23	46	54	*
2022 Mar 1-18	45	54	1
2021 Mar 1-15	43	57	*
2020 Mar 2-13	45	54	*
2019 Mar 1-10	45	55	*
2018 Mar 1-8	45	54	1
2017 Mar 1-5	42	57	1
2016 Mar 2-6	41	57	2
2015 Mar 5-8	37	62	2
2014 Mar 6-9	36	64	1
2013 Mar 7-10	34	64	1
2012 Mar 8-11	38	61	1
2010 Mar 4-7	32	67	2
2009 Mar 5-8	38	60	2
2008 Mar 6-9	40	58	2
2006 Mar 13-16	35	62	2
2002 Mar 4-7	33	65	2
2001 Mar 5-7	31	66	3
1997 Nov 6-9 ^	25	69	6

^ Asked of a half sample.

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**QN14A: Pollution of rivers, lakes and reservoirs BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
A great deal	51%	45%	58%	46%	63%	57%	51%	50%	43%	55%	57%	35%	56%	63%	64%	47%	42%
A fair amount	29%	32%	28%	33%	23%	22%	34%	30%	35%	27%	25%	33%	27%	30%	22%	33%	36%
Only a little	14%	17%	11%	15%	9%	15%	11%	15%	18%	13%	10%	23%	13%	5%	8%	15%	19%
Not at all	5%	7%	3%	6%	5%	6%	5%	5%	3%	4%	9%	9%	5%	2%	7%	5%	4%
(Don't know)/(Refused)	0%	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	0%	0%	1%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-

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**QN14B: Air pollution BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
A great deal	40%	33%	48%	32%	58%	43%	46%	36%	40%	39%	41%	21%	43%	57%	49%	37%	35%
A fair amount	30%	32%	30%	35%	21%	30%	29%	33%	31%	28%	31%	34%	27%	32%	27%	32%	33%
Only a little	20%	23%	17%	23%	13%	15%	16%	23%	22%	21%	17%	31%	19%	9%	18%	18%	22%
Not at all	10%	13%	5%	10%	8%	12%	9%	8%	7%	12%	11%	15%	10%	2%	6%	13%	10%
(Don't know)/(Refused)	0%	-	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**QN14C: Loss of tropical rain forests BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
A great deal	40%	36%	44%	36%	50%	49%	40%	37%	35%	42%	44%	24%	45%	50%	52%	37%	33%
A fair amount	27%	26%	28%	27%	27%	19%	27%	31%	27%	26%	28%	28%	23%	29%	25%	26%	29%
Only a little	22%	24%	20%	24%	16%	20%	23%	20%	27%	20%	17%	30%	21%	15%	15%	22%	28%
Not at all	11%	14%	7%	13%	7%	12%	10%	12%	11%	12%	11%	18%	10%	5%	8%	15%	11%
(Don't know)/(Refused)	0%	-	0%	0%	-	-	-	0%	0%	0%	-	-	0%	-	0%	-	-

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**QN14D: Global warming or climate change BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

		Gender		Race I		Age				College Grad	Education Some College	HS Grad or Less	Party I.D.			Household Income		
	Total	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+					Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000- 100,000	\$100,000+
A great deal	40%	31%	50%	33%	58%	49%	43%	35%		43%	36%	41%	8%	45%	70%	53%	37%	33%
A fair amount	23%	26%	21%	23%	22%	28%	22%	21%		22%	21%	25%	18%	22%	25%	19%	22%	25%
Only a little	13%	14%	11%	14%	9%	7%	12%	16%		14%	13%	11%	22%	13%	3%	11%	12%	16%
Not at all	24%	30%	18%	30%	10%	17%	23%	29%		21%	30%	24%	52%	20%	2%	17%	29%	26%

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**QN14E: Pollution of drinking water BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			College Grad	Education Some College	HS Grad or Less	Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+				Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
A great deal	54%	49%	59%	48%	65%	58%	54%	51%	45%	56%	60%	44%	55%	63%	62%	51%	46%
A fair amount	26%	27%	25%	30%	17%	17%	30%	27%	33%	26%	18%	26%	24%	27%	17%	30%	32%
Only a little	13%	15%	12%	14%	11%	15%	10%	14%	16%	14%	11%	19%	13%	8%	12%	13%	16%
Not at all	7%	9%	4%	8%	6%	10%	5%	7%	6%	4%	10%	10%	7%	3%	9%	6%	6%
(Don't know)/(Refused)	0% -		1%	0%	1% -	-		1%	0% -		1% -	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**QN14F: Extinction of plant and animal species BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			College Grad	Education Some College	HS Grad or Less	Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+				Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
A great deal	40%	32%	49%	33%	56%	51%	46%	31%	37%	38%	46%	20%	46%	55%	49%	40%	34%
A fair amount	24%	26%	22%	27%	18%	18%	22%	29%	25%	24%	23%	25%	20%	26%	20%	25%	25%
Only a little	20%	22%	19%	23%	14%	18%	17%	22%	26%	22%	12%	29%	18%	15%	17%	19%	25%
Not at all	15%	20%	9%	17%	12%	12%	14%	18%	12%	16%	19%	26%	16%	4%	14%	16%	16%
(Don't know)/(Refused)	0% -		0%	0% -	-	-	0%	0%	0% -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**QN14I: Management of waste produced in U.S. BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
A great deal	41%	34%	47%	33%	58%	49%	42%	37%	34%	37%	51%	24%	43%	55%	54%	36%	32%
A fair amount	34%	36%	33%	38%	25%	27%	34%	37%	38%	36%	28%	39%	33%	30%	27%	35%	39%
Only a little	17%	20%	15%	20%	11%	17%	15%	18%	19%	20%	13%	24%	16%	12%	12%	20%	20%
Not at all	8%	10%	5%	9%	7%	7%	9%	8%	9%	7%	8%	14%	7%	3%	7%	8%	9%
(Don't know)/(Refused)	0%	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	0%	-	1%	-	0%	-	0%	-	1%	-

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**QN19: Understanding of global warming BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
Very well	30%	34%	24%	29%	31%	25%	36%	28%	36%	26%	26%	27%	34%	26%	26%	32%	34%
Fairly well	53%	49%	60%	60%	41%	47%	53%	57%	55%	60%	47%	62%	45%	58%	46%	57%	57%
Not very well	14%	14%	15%	11%	22%	23%	9%	13%	8%	11%	23%	10%	17%	12%	23%	9%	9%
Not at all	2%	3%	2%	1%	6%	5%	2%	2%	0%	2%	4%	1%	3%	3%	5%	1%	-
(Don't know)/(Refused)	0%	1%	-	0%	-	-	1%	0%	1%	0%	-	-	0%	0%	-	0%	-

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**QN20: Global warming timeframe BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
They have already begun to happen	63%	56%	70%	60%	70%	72%	63%	58%	71%	64%	54%	31%	66%	91%	64%	61%	64%
They will start happening within a few years	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	0%	1%	3%	0%
They will start happening within your lifetime	8%	8%	7%	7%	10%	8%	10%	5%	6%	5%	11%	10%	9%	4%	8%	8%	7%
They will not happen within your lifetime, but will affect future generations	13%	15%	11%	15%	10%	10%	10%	16%	9%	13%	17%	27%	10%	4%	15%	11%	14%
They will never happen	12%	15%	9%	14%	6%	5%	13%	16%	10%	17%	11%	27%	10%	0%	8%	14%	14%
(Don't know)/(Refused)	3%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	1%	5%	4%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%

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**QN21: Global warming seriousness BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
Generally exaggerated	41%	48%	34%	46%	26%	30%	40%	47%	36%	43%	45%	78%	38%	6%	35%	44%	44%
Generally correct	20%	17%	24%	19%	25%	18%	19%	22%	23%	16%	20%	15%	20%	26%	20%	17%	21%
Generally underestimated	38%	34%	41%	34%	47%	52%	38%	30%	39%	39%	34%	6%	41%	66%	44%	38%	35%
(Don't know)/(Refused)	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	0%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%

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**QN22: Cause of earth temperature increase BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
The effects of pollution from human activities	62%	57%	68%	58%	71%	74%	65%	54%	68%	59%	57%	30%	67%	89%	69%	59%	60%
Natural changes in the environment that are not due to human activities	34%	38%	29%	39%	23%	23%	31%	42%	29%	38%	36%	67%	28%	8%	26%	38%	39%
(Don't know)/(Refused)	4%	5%	3%	3%	6%	3%	4%	4%	3%	3%	7%	3%	5%	3%	5%	3%	1%

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**QN23: Global warming: Threat BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income**

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
Yes	48%	40%	57%	40%	65%	64%	53%	36%	50%	43%	49%	14%	52%	78%	58%	42%	44%
No	51%	58%	43%	59%	33%	35%	46%	63%	49%	56%	49%	86%	47%	21%	41%	57%	56%
(Don't know)/(Refused)	1%	2%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%

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