

THE LANGUAGE OF NUCLEAR TERRORISM

A SURVEY FOR THE SAGA FOUNDATION



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N=1,000
Margin of Error +/- 3%



GENERAL MOOD/EXPECTATIONS

(SPLIT SAMPLE)

1. In looking ahead to the next five years, which of the following potential threats is your greatest concern?

TOTAL	
35%	SUCCESSFUL TERRORIST ATTACK ON U.S. SOIL
29%	ECONOMIC RECESSION
17%	GLOBAL WARMING
8%	NATURAL DISASTER
6%	DISEASE PANDEMIC
5%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

2. In looking ahead to the next five years, which of the following potential threats is your greatest concern?

TOTAL	
32%	TERRORIST ATTACK ON U.S. SOIL
29%	ECONOMIC RECESSION
19%	GLOBAL WARMING
5%	DISEASE PANDEMIC
9%	NATURAL DISASTER
6%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

3. When you think about the specific threat of terrorism, do you think America is becoming a safer or less safe place to live?

TOTAL	
56%	LESS SAFE
36%	SAFER
8%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED



(SPLIT SAMPLE)

4. And if you had to guess, how likely is it that the United States will face a successful terrorist attack **ON AMERICAN SOIL** in the next five years or so?

TOTAL	
74%	LIKELY
31%	VERY LIKELY
42%	SOMEWHAT LIKELY
23%	UNLIKELY
15%	SOMEWHAT UNLIKELY
9%	VERY UNLIKELY
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

5. And if you had to guess, how likely is it that the United States will face a successful terrorist attack **ON AMERICAN SOIL THAT INCLUDES SOME SORT OF NUCLEAR DEVICE** in the next five years or so?

TOTAL	
49%	LIKELY
16%	VERY LIKELY
33%	SOMEWHAT LIKELY
47%	UNLIKELY
24%	SOMEWHAT UNLIKELY
22%	VERY UNLIKELY
5%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

GENERAL RATINGS

6. Generally speaking, how effective has the U.S. government been since 9/11 in preventing a terrorist attack in America?

TOTAL	
73%	EFFECTIVE
33%	VERY EFFECTIVE
41%	SOMEWHAT EFFECTIVE
24%	INEFFECTIVE
10%	SOMEWHAT INEFFECTIVE
13%	VERY INEFFECTIVE
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

(SPLIT SAMPLE)

7. And over the next five years, do you want the U.S. government to ...

TOTAL	
43%	KEEP SPENDING WHERE IT IS NOW
32%	INCREASE ITS SPENDING TO PREVENT A TERRORIST ATTACK
17%	DECREASE SPENDING ON TERRORISM PREVENTION EFFORTS
8%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

8. And over the next five years, do you want the U.S. government to ...

TOTAL	
45%	INCREASE ITS INVESTMENT TO PREVENT A TERRORIST ATTACK
37%	KEEP INVESTMENT WHERE IT IS NOW
11%	DECREASE INVESTMENT ON TERRORISM PREVENTION EFFORTS
6%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

9. To the best of your knowledge, has there been a terrorist attack on U.S. soil since 9/11?

TOTAL	
78%	NO
16%	YES
7%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

(SPLIT SAMPLE)

10. And generally speaking, do you believe that the recommendations of the 9/11 Commission **WERE HELPFUL** or not?

TOTAL	
60%	YES
27%	NO
14%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED



11. And generally speaking, do you believe that the recommendations of the 9/11 Commission **HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY IMPLEMENTED** or not?

TOTAL	
55%	NO
27%	YES
19%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

GAUGING NUCLEAR KNOWLEDGE

12. To the best of your knowledge, which U.S. FEDERAL agency is chiefly responsible for preventing a nuclear attack on U.S. soil? A guess will do (**OPEN END**)

TOTAL	
36%	DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
14%	CIA
11%	US MILITARY
7%	FBI
2%	NSA
2%	STATE DEPARTMENT
-	ENERGY DEPARTMENT
7%	OTHER
22%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

13. And to your knowledge, is there a treaty in existence that regulates the proliferation, or spread, of nuclear weapons, materials, and technologies?

TOTAL	
67%	YES
19%	NO
14%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

14. Honestly, have you ever heard of the Nunn-Lugar Act? Again, please be honest.

TOTAL	
86%	NO
12%	YES
2%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED



15. If you had to guess, how many nations in the world are considered nuclear powers?

TOTAL	
1%	ONE
3%	TWO
9%	THREE
10%	FOUR
16%	FIVE
9%	SIX
9%	SEVEN
8%	EIGHT
3%	NINE
10%	TEN
16%	ELEVEN OR MORE
6%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

16. Which nation is generally considered the #1 spreader of nuclear technology?

TOTAL	
31%	THE UNITED STATES
18%	RUSSIA
11%	CHINA
9%	NORTH KOREA
6%	IRAN
4%	PAKISTAN
2%	IRAQ
-	ISRAEL
-	PALESTINIANS
-	INDIA
3%	OTHER
16%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED



GAUGING NUCLEAR CONCERN

(SPLIT SAMPLE)

17. How concerned are you about the possibility of a **NUCLEAR** attack on U.S. soil?

TOTAL	
62%	CONCERNED
25%	VERY CONCERNED
37%	SOMEWHAT CONCERNED
38%	NOT CONCERNED
27%	NOT VERY CONCERNED
11%	NOT AT ALL CONCERNED
-	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

18. How concerned are you about the possibility of a **TERRORIST** attack on U.S. soil?

TOTAL	
77%	CONCERNED
34%	VERY CONCERNED
43%	SOMEWHAT CONCERNED
23%	NOT CONCERNED
15%	NOT VERY CONCERNED
8%	NOT AT ALL CONCERNED
-	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

19. How concerned are you that adversaries and potential adversaries, including China and Russia, are modernizing their nuclear deterrent, but the United States is not?

TOTAL	
69%	CONCERNED
32%	VERY CONCERNED
38%	SOMEWHAT CONCERNED
27%	NOT CONCERNED
18%	NOT VERY CONCERNED
9%	NOT AT ALL CONCERNED
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

20. And do you believe the United States should take ALL necessary steps to ensure the future safety and reliability of its nuclear weapons stockpile?

TOTAL	
89%	YES
9%	NO
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

21. Of the following, which TYPE of terrorist attack would scare you the most?

TOTAL	
54%	POISONED WATER SUPPLY
30%	DETONATION OF A SMALL NUCLEAR DEVICE IN A MAJOR U.S. CITY
6%	AIRLINE ATTACK SIMILAR TO 9/11
4%	DETONATION OF A CONVENTIONAL BOMB ON A TRAIN OR SUBWAY
5%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

22. In your opinion, which nation or government is the single greatest nuclear threat to the United States? I need you to pick only one nation or people you think is the single greatest nuclear threat. (OPEN ENDED – DO NOT ACCEPT ARABS, AI QAEDA OR OSAMA BIN LADEN)

TOTAL	
25%	CHINA
23%	IRAN
20%	NORTH KOREA
9%	RUSSIA
3%	PAKISTAN
3%	IRAQ
1%	ISRAEL
-	PALESTINIANS
-	INDIA
5%	OTHER
11%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

23. And who do you think is a greater nuclear threat to the United States, the country you just mentioned or a splinter terrorist group like Al Qaeda?

TOTAL	
49%	AL QAEDA
42%	NATION/PEOPLE
9%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

24. How likely is it that a terrorist organization like Al Qaeda will acquire nuclear weapons over the next decade? Will they ... acquire nuclear weapons over the next decade?

TOTAL	
59%	LIKELY
24%	DEFINITELY
35%	PROBABLY
28%	POSSIBLY
9%	PROBABLY NOT
2%	DEFINITELY NOT
11%	UNLIKELY
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

25. If a terrorist organization like Al Qaeda were to acquire nuclear weapons, how likely would they be to use them against the United States? Would they ... use nuclear weapons against the United States?

TOTAL	
73%	LIKELY
44%	DEFINITELY
30%	PROBABLY
18%	POSSIBLY
5%	PROBABLY NOT
2%	DEFINITELY NOT
7%	UNLIKELY
2%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

26. And which fact concerns you MORE... the fact that ... over 2,000 nuclear warheads around the world are on hair-trigger alert ... OR ... one portable bomb that would fit in a pick-up truck could destroy Washington DC?

TOTAL	
47%	ONE PORTABLE BOMB THAT COULD DESTROY WASHINGTON
45%	2,000 WARHEADS ON HAIR-TRIGGER ALERT
8%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

FACTS THAT MATTER

27. Of the following, which fact concerns you the most? Again, these are all FACTS.

TOTAL	
22%	DETONATION OF A SMALL PORTABLE NUCLEAR WEAPON IN A MAJOR CITY COULD RESULT IN AN EXPLOSION EQUAL TO THAT OF HIROSHIMA.
22%	IF DETONATED IN THE HEART OF NEW YORK CITY, A SMALL PORTABLE NUCLEAR WEAPON WOULD OBLITERATE LOWER MANHATTAN AND HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE WOULD BE KILLED.
21%	THERE ARE OVER FOUR MILLION POUNDS OF HIGHLY ENRICHED URANIUM IN THE WORLD, WHICH IS ENOUGH TO BUILD TENS OF THOUSANDS OF SMALL PORTABLE NUCLEAR WEAPONS.
17%	ONLY 15 TO 55 POUNDS OF HIGHLY ENRICHED URANIUM IS NEEDED TO BUILD A PORTABLE NUCLEAR WEAPON -- AND 15 POUNDS OF HIGHLY ENRICHED URANIUM WOULD FIT INTO A COFFEE CUP.
18%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

28. Again, of the following, which fact concerns you the most?

TOTAL	
37%	COUNTLESS "HOW-TO" MANUALS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE INTERNET THAT DESCRIBE HOW TO BUILD A NUCLEAR "DIRTY BOMB"
23%	A 2005 SURVEY OF NATIONAL SECURITY ANALYSTS SET THE ODDS AT 50-50 THAT A NUCLEAR ATTACK WILL OCCUR IN THE NEXT FIVE YEARS
15%	OSAMA BIN LADEN HAS ALREADY MET WITH TOP NUCLEAR SCIENTISTS IN THE MIDDLE EAST
13%	DRAWINGS OF CRUDE NUCLEAR DEVICES HAVE BEEN FOUND IN THE HOME OF AN AL-QAEDA LEADER
11%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

29. Again, which of the following facts concerns you the most?

TOTAL	
25%	THERE IS A VERY ACTIVE BLACK MARKET FOR NUCLEAR WEAPONRY AND TECHNOLOGY.
25%	NORTH KOREA HAS BEEN DEVELOPING NUCLEAR CAPABILITIES SINCE THE LATE 70'S AND NOW HAS FACILITIES WITH THE CAPABILITY TO REPROCESS PLUTONIUM AND ENRICH URANIUM.
23%	IN THE WAKE OF THE COLLAPSE OF THE SOVIET UNION, RUSSIA DOES NOT KNOW HOW MANY OF ITS NUCLEAR WEAPONS ARE MISSING.
17%	IRAN HAS, AS ITS STATED MISSION THE ACQUISITION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS.
10%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

30. And finally, which of the following facts concerns you the most?

TOTAL	
34%	ALTHOUGH PORTS OF MAJOR U.S. CITIES REPRESENT ONE OF THE MOST LIKELY ENTRY POINTS FOR SMALL NUCLEAR DEVICES, FEWER THAN <i>ONE</i> IN <i>TWENTY</i> CARGO CONTAINERS ARE INSPECTED ON ARRIVAL.
20%	AL QAEDA HAS A STATED MISSION TO KILL 4 MILLION AMERICANS.
17%	BECAUSE THEY ARE EASIER FOR TERRORISTS TO ACQUIRE OR MAKE, IMPROVISED NUCLEAR DEVICES ARE A FAR GREATER THREAT TO AMERICA THAN NUCLEAR MISSILES. YET MISSILE DEFENSE IS THE GOVERNMENT'S TOP DEFENSE EXPENDITURE.
17%	OVER 100 NUCLEAR REACTORS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD CREATE THE POTENTIAL RAW MATERIAL FOR A NUCLEAR WEAPON, YET SOME ARE PROTECTED BY NOTHING MORE THAN A SINGLE GUARD AND A CHAIN-LINK FENCE.
12%	DON'T KNOW/ REFUSE

THE LANGUAGE OF NUCLEAR AWARENESS AND NON-PROLIFERATION

31. When you think about the prevention of nuclear terrorism, which of the following words best describes what you want for you and your family?

TOTAL	
27%	PEACE OF MIND
22%	SAFETY
22%	SECURITY
15%	PROTECTION
10%	STABILITY
4%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

32. Which of the following do you believe is MOST needed when it comes to raising awareness of the threat posed by a nuclear attack? Is it a ...

TOTAL	
22%	INITIATIVE
21%	CAMPAIGN
17%	MOVEMENT
16%	MISSION
10%	CRUSADE
15%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

33. Which of the following best describes what you are looking for from U.S. leaders when it comes to protecting you and your family from the threat of a nuclear attack?

TOTAL	
57%	COMMITMENT
25%	GUARANTEE
7%	PLEDGE
4%	PROMISE
7%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

34. Which of the following best describes the likely consequences of a nuclear attack on American soil?

TOTAL	
32%	CATASTROPHIC
24%	DEVASTATING
17%	TRAGIC
13%	DISASTROUS
10%	HOLOCAUST
4%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED



35. And, in your opinion, which of the following descriptions of a small nuclear device being detonated in a major U.S. city is most FRIGHTENING?

TOTAL	
55%	THE EXPLOSION WOULD BE EQUIVALENT TO THAT OF HIROSHIMA.
24%	THE FORCE OF THE EXPLOSION WOULD BE OVER 6,000 TIMES GREATER THAN THE BOMBING OF OKLAHOMA CITY
9%	THE EXPLOSION WOULD EQUAL 13,000 TONS OF DYNAMITE.
13%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

36. Which would scare you more, a country that...

TOTAL	
34%	PROVIDES NUCLEAR WEAPON TECHNOLOGY AND RESOURCES
24%	SPREADS NUCLEAR WEAPONS
18%	MULTIPLIES THE AVAILABILITY OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS
15%	PROLIFERATES NUCLEAR WEAPONS
8%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

37. Of the following, which would concern you the MOST ... a nuclear bomb in the hands of ...

TOTAL	
17%	A TERRORIST
17%	A TERRORIST NATION
17%	A RADICAL JIHADIST
12%	OSAMA BIN-LADEN
10%	AN AL-QAEDA LEADER
10%	A ROGUE LEADER
7%	A DICTATOR
10%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

38. What would be your second choice?

TOTAL	
16%	A TERRORIST
19%	A TERRORIST NATION
12%	A RADICAL JIHADIST
11%	OSAMA BIN-LADEN
16%	AN AL-QAEDA LEADER
12%	A ROGUE LEADER
11%	A DICTATOR
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

37/38. **(COMBINED ANSWERS)** Of the following, which would concern you the MOST ... a nuclear bomb in the hands of ... And what would be your second choice?

TOTAL	
35%	A TERRORIST NATION
31%	A TERRORIST
28%	A RADICAL JIHADIST
25%	AN AL-QAEDA LEADER
22%	OSAMA BIN-LADEN
20%	A ROGUE LEADER
17%	A DICTATOR
13%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

AGREE/DISAGREE

I am now going to read you a series of statements. After each, please tell me whether you ...

(SPLIT SAMPLE)

39. "The threat of nuclear devices is a **NATIONAL PROBLEM THAT REQUIRES A NATIONAL SOLUTION.**"

TOTAL	
89%	AGREE
62%	STRONGLY AGREE
28%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
10%	DISAGREE
6%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
4%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
1%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

40. “The threat of nuclear devices is a **INTERNATIONAL PROBLEM THAT REQUIRES AN INTERNATIONAL SOLUTION.**”

TOTAL	
90%	AGREE
70%	STRONGLY AGREE
21%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
8%	DISAGREE
5%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
3%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
1%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

41. “A comprehensive plan to raise our awareness of the terror threat of nuclear weapons and a commitment to reducing that threat will make America safer tomorrow than it is today.”

TOTAL	
82%	AGREE
50%	STRONGLY AGREE
32%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
15%	DISAGREE
9%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
7%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

(SPLIT SAMPLE)

42. “As a matter of principle, swift action must be taken to **DISARM** nuclear regimes that support terror in the world.”

TOTAL	
78%	AGREE
52%	STRONGLY AGREE
26%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
18%	DISAGREE
10%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
8%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
4%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

43. “As a matter of principle, swift action must be taken to **DETER** nuclear regimes that support terror in the world.”

TOTAL	
82%	AGREE
54%	STRONGLY AGREE
27%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
13%	DISAGREE
8%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
5%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
6%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

(SPLIT SAMPLE)

44. “Addressing nuclear **PREVENTION** must be a top priority of American leaders.”

TOTAL	
87%	AGREE
58%	STRONGLY AGREE
29%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
11%	DISAGREE
6%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
5%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

45. “Addressing nuclear **NON-PROLIFERATION** must be a top priority of American leaders.”

TOTAL	
89%	AGREE
60%	STRONGLY AGREE
29%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
9%	DISAGREE
6%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
3%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

(SPLIT SAMPLE)

46. “The **UNITED NATIONS** should take the lead in raising awareness and eliminating the threat posed by nuclear weapons in the hands of terrorists.”

TOTAL	
80%	AGREE
59%	STRONGLY AGREE
22%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
17%	DISAGREE
7%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
10%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

47. “The **UNITED STATES** should take the lead in raising awareness and eliminating the threat posed by nuclear weapons in the hands of terrorists.”

TOTAL	
85%	AGREE
58%	STRONGLY AGREE
27%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
12%	DISAGREE
8%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
4%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

48. “Our leaders should not focus on how to manage or recover from a nuclear attack. They should focus on how to **PREVENT** a nuclear attack.”

TOTAL	
82%	AGREE
61%	STRONGLY AGREE
22%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
15%	DISAGREE
11%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
4%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

49. Preventing a nuclear terrorist attack is not a Republican or a Democrat issue. It is an American issue – and it must be an American priority.

TOTAL	
93%	AGREE
82%	STRONGLY AGREE
11%	SOMEWHAT AGREE
6%	DISAGREE
3%	SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
3%	STRONGLY DISAGREE
2%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

DEFINING THE TERMS/LANGUAGE (II)

50. Which of the following scares you more?

TOTAL	
25%	A PORTABLE NUCLEAR DEVICE
22%	A DIRTY BOMB
21%	A CONCEALED NUCLEAR WEAPON
8%	A HOMEGROWN BOMB
8%	A BACKPACK BOMB
6%	A SOPHISTICATED BOMB
11%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

51. And what would be your second choice?

TOTAL	
23%	A PORTABLE NUCLEAR DEVICE
21%	A DIRTY BOMB
19%	A CONCEALED NUCLEAR WEAPON
11%	A HOMEGROWN BOMB
14%	A BACKPACK BOMB
11%	A SOPHISTICATED BOMB
1%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

50/51. **(COMBINED ANSWERS)** Which of the following scares you more? And what would be your second choice?

TOTAL	
46%	A PORTABLE NUCLEAR DEVICE
40%	A DIRTY BOMB
38%	A CONCEALED NUCLEAR WEAPON
20%	A BACKPACK BOMB
17%	A HOMEGROWN BOMB
16%	A SOPHISTICATED BOMB
12%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

52. When it comes to addressing the threat posed by nuclear weapons, which of the following should be the top priority? I need you to choose only one.

TOTAL	
53%	PREVENTION
17%	NON-PROLIFERATION
17%	DETERRENCE
8%	AVOIDANCE
5%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

53. And if you had to choose, which of the following is the most appropriate word to describe the role our elected leaders in Washington need to play to prevent a nuclear attack on American soil?

TOTAL	
39%	A DUTY
20%	AN OBLIGATION
20%	A COMMITMENT
18%	A RESPONSIBILITY
3%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

54. And when you think about the possibility of a nuclear attack on America and efforts to prevent such an attack, do you think of it in terms of ...

TOTAL	
49%	A SERIOUS ISSUE
22%	A GENUINE ISSUE
16%	A MORAL ISSUE
10%	A SOLEMN ISSUE
4%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

55. Which would concern you more, a nuclear device that is ...

TOTAL	
35%	PORTABLE
30%	TRANSPORTABLE
12%	TRANSFERABLE
12%	IMPROVISED
11%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED



56. Some people believe the United States should launch an effort to raise awareness about the threat posed by nuclear weapons and nuclear devices. Of the following, which do you believe is the best name for such an effort?

TOTAL	
23%	THE GLOBAL NUCLEAR SECURITY INITIATIVE
21%	THE CAMPAIGN FOR A NUCLEAR SAFE WORLD
18%	THE COMMITMENT TO NUCLEAR ACCOUNTABILITY
14%	THE CONTRACT FOR A SAFER WORLD
13%	THE COALITION TO PRE-EMPT, PREVENT, AND PROSECUTE
12%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

(SPLIT SAMPLE)

57. In general, if you had to choose, which of the following is the BEST solution to reducing an imminent terrorist threat? Again, I want you to tell me the BEST solution from the following ...

TOTAL	
37%	DIPLOMACY
31%	NEGOTIATION
22%	DIALOGUE
10%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

58. In general, if you had to choose, which of the following is the WORST solution to reducing an imminent terrorist threat? Again, I want you to tell me the WORST solution from the following ...

TOTAL	
32%	NEGOTIATION
30%	DIALOGUE
28%	DIPLOMACY
10%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

59. If the United States continues to find modern and lethal Chinese-made weapons in the hands of terrorist insurgents in Iran and Afghanistan, and the Chinese refuse to do anything about it, should the United States consider boycotting the upcoming Olympic in Beijing?

TOTAL	
40%	YES, SHOULD CONSIDER BOYCOTTING
53%	NO, SHOULD NOT CONSIDER BOYCOTTING
7%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED



DEMOGRAPHICS

These last few questions are just for statistical purposes and to make sure we have a representative sample of all groups:

60. How old are you?

TOTAL	
11%	18 TO 29
13%	30 TO 39
18%	40 TO 49
12%	50 TO 54
12%	55 TO 59
7%	60 TO 64
14%	65 TO 69
2%	70 AND ABOVE

61. And what was the final level of education you completed?

TOTAL	
26%	HIGH SCHOOL OR LESS
25%	SOME COLLEGE / VOCATIONAL SCHOOL
30%	COLLEGE GRADUATE
17%	POST-GRADUATE

62. Which of the following best describes where you live?

TOTAL	
14%	LARGE CITY OR URBAN AREA
20%	SMALL CITY
23%	SUBURB NEAR A MAJOR CITY
21%	SMALL TOWN
19%	RURAL AREA

63. And honestly now, in the 2004 presidential election, did you vote for George W. Bush or John Kerry. If you didn't vote, just say so.

TOTAL	
41%	BUSH
37%	KERRY
4%	SOMEONE ELSE
10%	DIDN'T VOTE
8%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED



64. Gender

TOTAL	
47%	MALE
53%	FEMALE

65. REGION

TOTAL	
22%	NORTH EAST
23%	INDUSTRIAL MIDWEST
17%	WEST/ MIDWEST
25%	SOUTH