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# Russia, Putin Held in Low Regard around the World

*Russia's Image Trails U.S. across All Regions*

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This report examines global public opinion of Russia and confidence in Russian President Vladimir Putin. It is based on 45,435 face-to-face and telephone interviews in 40 countries with adults 18 and older conducted from March 25 to May 27, 2015. For more details, see survey methodology and topline results.

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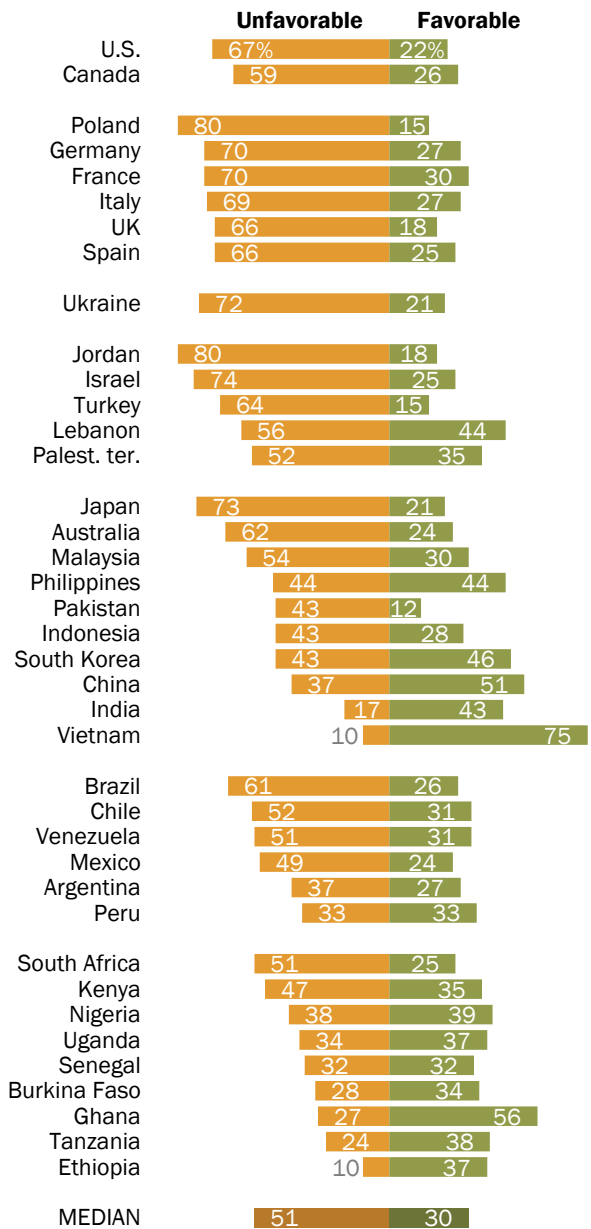
Outside its own borders, neither Russia nor its president, Vladimir Putin, receives much respect or support, according to a new Pew Research Center survey. A median of only 30% see Russia favorably in the nations outside of Russia. Its image trails that of the United States in nearly every region of the world. At the same time, a median of only 24% in the countries surveyed have confidence in Putin to do the right thing in world affairs, and there is far less faith in the Russian leader than there is in U.S. President Barack Obama.

Opinions of Russia are more unfavorable than favorable in 26 nations. The strongest negative sentiment is in Poland and Jordan (both 80%). The former is a legacy of a long history of bilateral tensions. Public opinion in Jordan may be influenced by Moscow's current support for the regime of President Bashar al-Assad in Syria, Jordan's neighbor and the source of hundreds of thousands of refugees in Jordan. Anti-Russian sentiment is also particularly strong in Israel (74%), Japan (73%), Germany (70%) and France (70%).

These are among the main findings of a Pew Research Center survey, conducted in 40 nations among 45,435 respondents from March 25 to May 27, 2015.

## Opinion of Russia Largely Unfavorable

*Views of Russia*



Note: Median for 39 countries shown, excluding Russia.

Source: Spring 2015 Global Attitudes survey. Q12d.

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Russia's greatest support is in Vietnam (75%). But in only two other nations do about half or more of the public have a positive view of Russia: Ghana (56%) and China (51%).

In a number of countries, large segments of the public express no opinion about Russia. This includes more than half of those surveyed in Ethiopia and about a third or more in Pakistan, India, Burkina Faso, Tanzania, Senegal, Argentina and Peru.

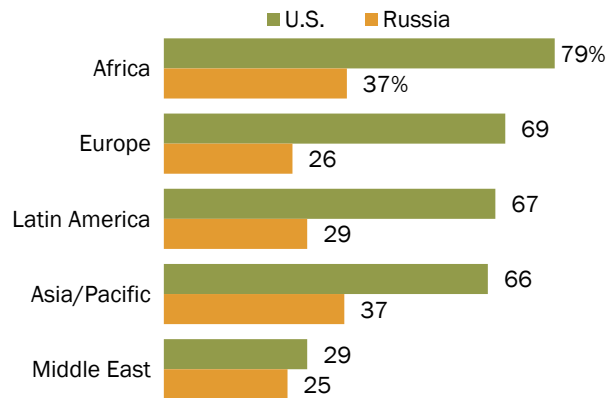
Within the context of generally anti-Russian sentiment, views of Russia can differ between generations. Americans ages 50 and older are far more critical of Moscow (78% unfavorable) than Americans ages 18 to 29 (56%). The generation gap is similar in Canada: 69% negative among older Canadians compared with only 47% unfavorable among younger ones. There are 19-percentage-point differences in unfavorable views between these age groups in Spain (72% vs. 53%) and Australia (70% vs. 51%).

There is a notable partisan difference in views of Russia in France: While both major parties there have a negative view, more Socialists (78%) than supporters of the right-of-center Union for a Popular Movement (UMP) (67%) see Russia unfavorably.

Favorable opinion of Russia trails that of the U.S. by a significant margin in most regions of the world. The image gap is 43 points in Europe (U.S. 69%, Russia 26%); it is 42 points in Africa (U.S. 79%, Russia 37%). Only in the Middle East are opinions of Russia and the U.S. comparable, both notably poor: just 29% favorable for the U.S. and 25% favorable for Russia.

## Russia Viewed Less Favorably than the U.S. in All Parts of the World

Favorable view of ...



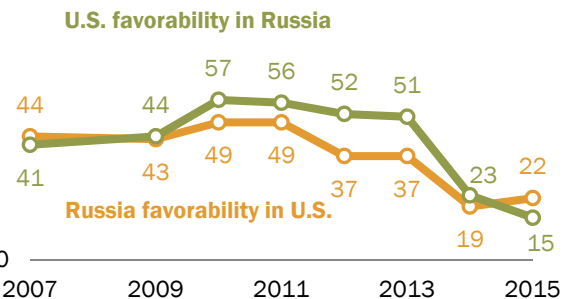
Note: Medians based on regions. Russia and Ukraine not included in Europe median.

Source: Spring 2015 Global Attitudes survey. Q12a, d.

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## Russian and American Opinions of Each Other Have Worsened

100%



Source: Spring 2015 Global Attitudes survey. Q12a, d.

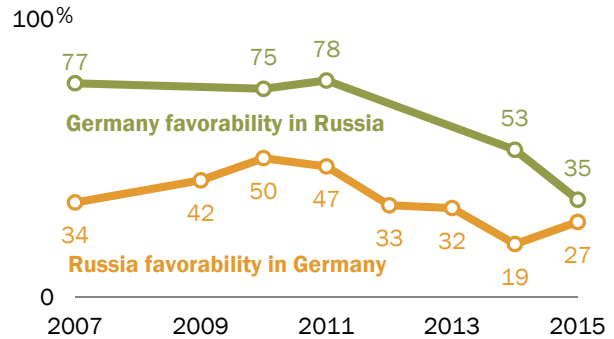
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In recent years, Americans' views of Russia have deteriorated. As recently as 2011, about half of Americans (49%) voiced a favorable opinion of Russia, but in 2015, just 22% express such sentiments. Russian views of the U.S. have fallen off even faster and further. In 2013, 51% of Russians had a positive assessment of the U.S.; in 2015, only 15% do.

There has been a similar decline in Germans' views of Russia, beginning before the 2014 fighting in eastern Ukraine. In 2010, half of Germans saw Russia favorably. By 2015, only 27% hold such views, although that figure is up from 19% in 2014, despite continuing tensions over Ukraine. Russians' opinion of Germany has deteriorated even more. In 2011, 78% of Russians saw Germany in a positive light. In 2015, less than half that proportion (35%) voiced such sentiment.

Chinese views of Russia have also dipped in the past year. About half of Chinese (51%) have a favorable opinion of Russia, down from nearly two-thirds in 2014. But the Chinese public's views of Russia have merely returned to their long-term norm after a one-year spike. Meanwhile, Russian views of China have improved markedly, rising from 64% in 2014 – roughly the level they had been at since 2007 – to 79%.

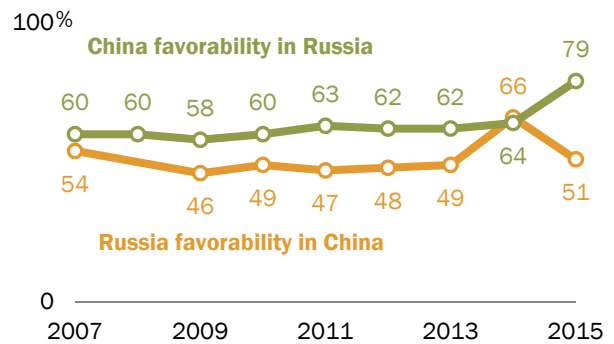
### German, Russian Views of Each Other Soured Even Before Ukraine Fighting



Source: Spring 2015 Global Attitudes survey. Q12d, o.

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### Chinese and Russian Views of Each Other Diverge



Source: Spring 2015 Global Attitudes survey. Q12b, d.

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## Putin's Image Even Worse than That of Russia

In only two nations – Vietnam (70%) and China (54%) – do more than half the public have confidence in Russian President Vladimir Putin to do the right thing in world affairs. Among the 39 nations surveyed outside of Russia, a median of just 24% see him in a positive light.

Nevertheless, Putin remains popular at home, with an 88% positive rating.

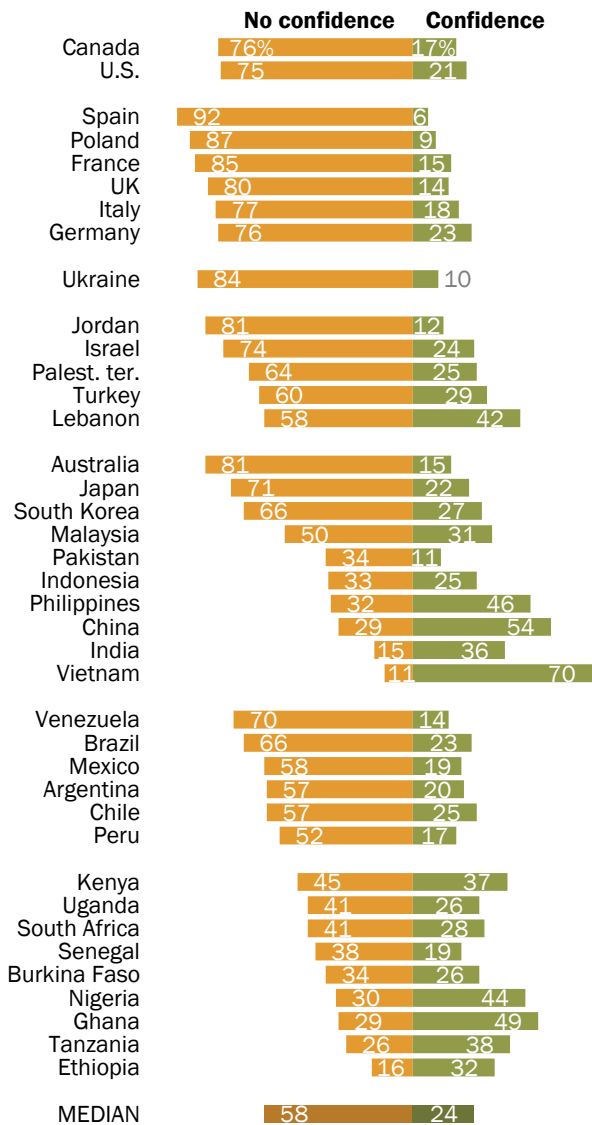
A median of 58% around the world hold a negative opinion about Putin. His strongest critics are in Spain (92% no confidence), Poland (87%), France (85%) and Ukraine (84%). Three-quarters or more in Western Europe and North America are also critical of Putin, as are majorities in the Middle East.

Opinions are more varied in Asia, Africa and Latin America, however. In the Asia-Pacific region, about eight-in-ten Australians (81%) hold a negative view of Putin, while seven-in-ten Vietnamese have a positive opinion. Seven-in-ten Venezuelans, but only about half of Peruvians (52%), voice a lack of confidence in Putin. And 45% of Kenyans have negative sentiments about the Russian leader, compared with only 16% of Ethiopians.

But views in Asia and Africa are in part a product of the fact that many people in those regions have no opinion of Putin: 56% in Pakistan, 52% in Ethiopia, 49% in India, 43% in Senegal and 42% in Indonesia say they don't know how they feel about him.

### Little Confidence in Putin

*How much confidence do you have in Russian President Putin to do the right thing regarding world affairs?*



Note: Median for 39 countries shown, excluding Russia.

Source: Spring 2015 Global Attitudes survey. Q25d.

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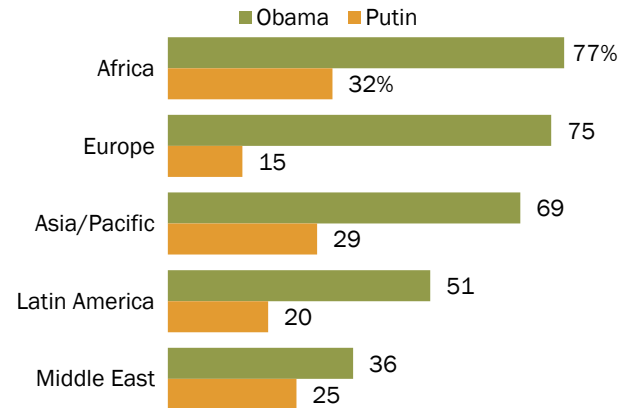
In most parts of the world, views of Putin and views of Russia track closely. This is especially true in Africa, Asia and most of Latin America. There are, however, notable exceptions where Russian favorability exceeds confidence in Putin. In Spain, 25% have a favorable view of Russia while only 6% have a positive opinion about Putin. Similarly, in France, Venezuela, Peru and Ukraine, roughly twice as many see Russia in a positive light as have confidence in Putin.

In all regions of the world, Putin's image fares quite poorly compared with public perception of U.S. President Barack Obama. Three-quarters of Europeans have confidence in Obama to do the right thing in world affairs. Only 15% have such faith in Putin. By more than two-to-one, publics in Africa, Asia and Latin America trust Obama more than Putin. Only in the Middle East is confidence in Putin even close to confidence in Obama. And that is not because support for Putin is very high (25%), but rather because support for Obama is also quite low (36%).

In the U.S., roughly one-in-five Americans (21%) have confidence in Putin's handling of world affairs. This is about half the proportion who trusted him in 2003 (41%). Older Americans are particularly distrustful of Putin.

## Publics in All Regions Have More Confidence in Obama than in Putin

Confidence in \_\_\_ to do the right thing regarding world affairs

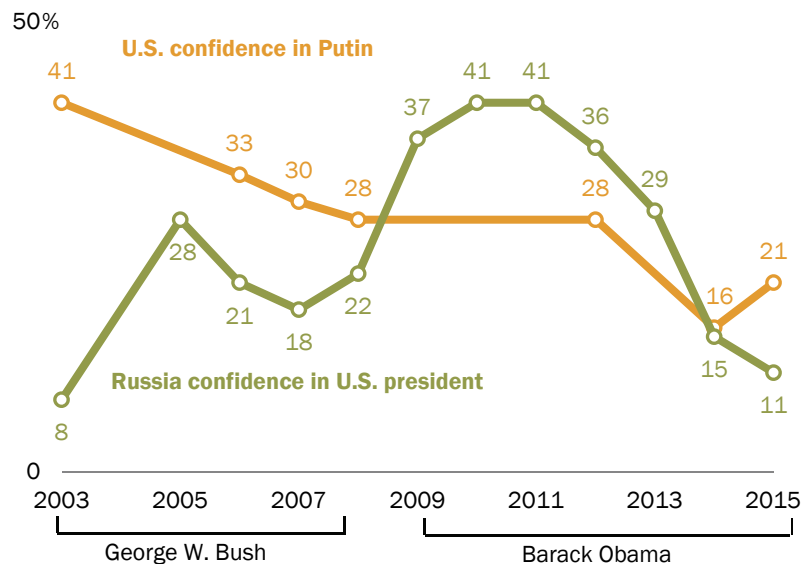


Note: Russia and Ukraine not included in Europe median.

Source: Spring 2015 Global Attitudes survey. Q25a, d.

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## American Confidence in Putin Quite Low



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Meanwhile, Russian confidence in Obama is now at Bush-era lows. As recently as 2011, 41% of Russians had faith in Obama. In 2015, just 11% of Russians trust his handling of world affairs, comparable to their 8% confidence in U.S. President George W. Bush in 2003.



## Methodology

### About the Pew Research Center's Spring 2015 Global Attitudes Survey

Results for the survey are based on telephone and face-to-face interviews conducted under the direction of Princeton Survey Research Associates International. The results are based on national samples, unless otherwise noted. More details about our international survey methodology and country-specific sample designs are available on our [website](#).

For more detailed information on survey methods for this report, see here:

[http://www.pewglobal.org/international-survey-methodology/?year\\_select=2015](http://www.pewglobal.org/international-survey-methodology/?year_select=2015)

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## Topline Results

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- Survey results are based on national samples. For further details on sample designs, see Methodology section and our [international survey methods database](#).
- Due to rounding, percentages may not total 100%. The topline “total” columns show 100%, because they are based on unrounded numbers.
- Since 2007, the Pew Research Center has used an automated process to generate topline results for its Global Attitudes surveys. As a result, numbers may differ slightly from those published prior to 2007.
- Throughout this report, trends from India in 2013 refer to a survey conducted between December 7, 2013, and January 12, 2014 (Winter 2013-2014).
- Spring, 2011 survey in Pakistan was fielded before the death of Osama bin Laden (April 10 – April 26), while the Late Spring, 2011 survey was conducted afterwards (May 8 – May 15).
- Results for Ukraine in 2014 may differ from previously published figures. To make the 2014 sample comparable to 2015, Luhans’k, Donets’k and Crimea were excluded from the 2014 sample. These areas were not surveyed in 2015 due to security concerns. Throughout the topline results, 2014 Ukraine figures are noted with an asterisk.
- For some countries, trends for certain years are omitted due to differences in sample design or population coverage. Omitted trends often reflect less representative samples than more recent surveys in the same countries. Trends that are omitted include:
  - Ethiopia prior to 2015
  - Ukraine prior to 2014
  - India prior to Winter 2013-2014
  - Senegal prior to 2013

- Venezuela prior to 2013
  - Brazil prior to 2010
  - Nigeria prior to 2010
  - South Africa in 2007
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- Not all questions included in the Spring 2015 survey are presented in this topline. Omitted questions have either been previously released or will be released in future reports.

		Q12d. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of _____? d. Russia					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2015	3	19	40	27	12	100
	Spring, 2014	3	16	34	38	9	100
	Spring, 2013	4	33	29	14	20	100
	Spring, 2012	5	32	27	13	24	100
	Spring, 2011	8	41	22	10	19	100
	Spring, 2010	7	42	24	8	19	100
	Spring, 2009	7	36	27	12	18	100
	Spring, 2007	4	40	24	11	21	100
Canada	Spring, 2015	3	23	36	23	14	100
	Spring, 2013	3	39	31	8	19	100
	Spring, 2009	5	46	22	8	19	100
	Spring, 2007	7	45	23	7	18	100
France	Spring, 2015	4	26	40	30	0	100
	Spring, 2014	4	22	34	39	1	100
	Spring, 2013	3	33	41	23	0	100
	Spring, 2012	3	33	41	23	0	100
	Spring, 2011	4	49	37	11	0	100
	Spring, 2010	3	48	37	12	0	100
	Spring, 2009	2	41	42	14	1	100
	Spring, 2007	2	33	48	17	0	100
Germany	Spring, 2015	3	24	47	23	3	100
	Spring, 2014	1	18	59	20	2	100
	Spring, 2013	1	31	49	11	7	100
	Spring, 2012	3	30	55	9	3	100
	Spring, 2011	2	45	42	7	5	100
	Spring, 2010	3	47	38	7	5	100
	Spring, 2009	2	40	41	10	7	100
	Spring, 2007	2	32	52	10	4	100
Italy	Spring, 2015	4	23	46	23	5	100
	Spring, 2014	2	18	42	32	5	100
	Spring, 2013	4	27	35	21	13	100
	Spring, 2012	2	21	37	30	10	100
	Spring, 2007	2	35	41	8	14	100
Poland	Spring, 2015	2	13	40	40	5	100
	Spring, 2014	2	10	37	44	7	100
	Spring, 2013	3	33	42	12	9	100
	Spring, 2012	3	31	40	20	7	100
	Spring, 2011	3	32	41	12	11	100
	Spring, 2010	6	39	35	11	7	100
	Spring, 2009	2	31	40	16	10	100
	Spring, 2007	4	30	39	19	8	100
Spain	Spring, 2015	6	19	41	25	9	100
	Spring, 2014	3	15	48	26	7	100
	Spring, 2013	10	28	34	17	12	100
	Spring, 2012	9	27	34	20	11	100
	Spring, 2011	10	36	31	14	10	100
	Spring, 2010	4	36	35	9	16	100
	Spring, 2009	3	33	35	9	20	100
	Spring, 2007	3	32	37	12	17	100
United Kingdom	Spring, 2015	3	15	38	28	16	100
	Spring, 2014	4	21	38	25	12	100
	Spring, 2013	4	34	30	9	23	100
	Spring, 2012	3	35	32	11	19	100
	Spring, 2011	7	43	24	7	19	100
	Spring, 2010	6	40	26	6	22	100
	Spring, 2009	5	40	26	7	21	100
	Spring, 2007	4	43	26	5	23	100

		Q12d. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of _____? d. Russia					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Russia	Spring, 2015	63	30	4	1	2	100
	Spring, 2014	51	41	5	1	2	100
	Spring, 2013	29	54	11	3	3	100
	Spring, 2012	42	43	9	2	4	100
	Spring, 2011	41	43	9	2	5	100
	Spring, 2010	43	44	7	2	4	100
	Spring, 2009	40	47	8	2	3	100
	Spring, 2007	47	42	7	1	4	100
Ukraine	Spring, 2015	5	16	27	45	7	100
	Spring, 2014*	5	17	29	43	6	100
Turkey	Spring, 2015	2	13	28	36	20	100
	Spring, 2014	3	13	16	57	11	100
	Spring, 2013	1	18	23	43	15	100
	Spring, 2012	3	13	15	48	20	100
	Spring, 2011	3	15	23	44	16	100
	Spring, 2010	1	15	17	48	18	100
	Spring, 2009	2	11	14	49	24	100
	Spring, 2007	1	16	16	48	18	100
Jordan	Spring, 2015	3	15	37	43	2	100
	Spring, 2014	3	19	36	39	3	100
	Spring, 2013	4	21	38	32	5	100
	Spring, 2012	4	22	43	27	5	100
	Spring, 2011	5	26	39	24	7	100
	Spring, 2010	6	31	38	20	5	100
	Spring, 2009	8	34	36	22	1	100
	Spring, 2007	10	38	31	18	3	100
Lebanon	Spring, 2015	23	21	27	29	0	100
	Spring, 2014	23	22	27	27	1	100
	Spring, 2013	18	28	28	25	1	100
	Spring, 2012	16	32	28	20	3	100
	Spring, 2011	14	39	25	18	5	100
	Spring, 2010	12	43	25	15	4	100
	Spring, 2009	13	44	27	11	6	100
	Spring, 2007	13	35	22	25	5	100
Palest. ter.	Spring, 2015	9	26	28	24	13	100
	Spring, 2014	9	32	26	20	14	100
	Spring, 2013	3	26	30	27	14	100
	Spring, 2011	3	31	42	20	4	100
	Spring, 2009	3	30	27	31	9	100
	Spring, 2007	4	26	32	27	11	100
Israel	Spring, 2015	4	21	51	23	1	100
	Spring, 2014	5	25	46	22	3	100
	Spring, 2013	3	18	47	30	1	100
	Spring, 2011	3	26	38	31	2	100
	Spring, 2009	6	25	38	27	4	100
	Spring, 2007	5	24	41	25	5	100
Australia	Spring, 2015	2	22	40	22	13	100
	Spring, 2013	1	41	30	9	19	100
China	Spring, 2015	9	42	26	11	11	100
	Spring, 2014	13	53	17	6	11	100
	Spring, 2013	7	42	28	11	12	100
	Spring, 2012	7	41	28	10	14	100
	Spring, 2011	5	42	26	11	16	100
	Spring, 2010	5	44	32	8	11	100
	Spring, 2009	5	41	35	8	12	100
	Spring, 2007	5	49	27	5	14	100
India	Spring, 2015	18	25	12	5	41	100
	Spring, 2014	17	22	10	6	45	100
	Winter, 2013-2014	18	27	13	10	32	100

		Q12d. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of _____? d. Russia					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Indonesia	Spring, 2015	6	22	29	14	29	100
	Spring, 2014	4	34	36	7	19	100
	Spring, 2013	9	34	25	8	24	100
	Spring, 2011	4	31	31	13	21	100
	Spring, 2010	2	36	35	9	19	100
	Spring, 2009	3	29	33	8	28	100
	Spring, 2007	3	33	36	5	23	100
Japan	Spring, 2015	1	20	49	24	7	100
	Spring, 2014	1	22	50	19	7	100
	Spring, 2013	1	26	53	11	10	100
	Spring, 2012	2	20	53	19	6	100
	Spring, 2011	1	27	48	14	10	100
	Spring, 2010	1	29	48	12	10	100
	Spring, 2009	1	22	50	18	9	100
Spring, 2007	2	20	50	17	11	100	
Malaysia	Spring, 2015	4	26	38	16	15	100
	Spring, 2014	2	32	30	8	28	100
	Spring, 2013	5	42	16	6	31	100
	Spring, 2007	3	43	22	7	25	100
Pakistan	Spring, 2015	2	10	17	26	46	100
	Spring, 2014	1	10	11	18	61	100
	Spring, 2013	6	13	11	21	49	100
	Spring, 2012	4	16	14	31	35	100
	Late Spring, 2011	1	14	12	30	42	100
	Spring, 2011	2	9	15	31	43	100
	Spring, 2010	2	9	16	35	40	100
	Spring, 2009	1	9	17	37	36	100
Spring, 2007	4	14	18	24	40	100	
Philippines	Spring, 2015	9	35	29	15	13	100
	Spring, 2014	7	39	29	14	11	100
	Spring, 2013	2	33	36	16	12	100
South Korea	Spring, 2015	1	45	39	4	11	100
	Spring, 2014	1	42	43	5	8	100
	Spring, 2013	3	50	31	2	14	100
	Spring, 2010	1	39	35	10	15	100
	Spring, 2009	1	49	32	3	15	100
	Spring, 2007	2	52	26	4	17	100
Vietnam	Spring, 2015	36	39	8	2	15	100
	Spring, 2014	38	37	11	3	11	100
Argentina	Spring, 2015	4	23	24	13	36	100
	Spring, 2014	3	16	23	14	45	100
	Spring, 2013	3	23	20	9	45	100
	Spring, 2010	2	22	20	14	41	100
	Spring, 2009	3	20	19	9	48	100
	Spring, 2007	1	18	19	15	47	100
Brazil	Spring, 2015	3	23	37	24	14	100
	Spring, 2014	1	23	48	11	17	100
	Spring, 2013	2	32	41	11	14	100
	Spring, 2012	2	25	34	22	16	100
	Spring, 2011	2	31	33	14	21	100
	Spring, 2010	1	37	34	9	19	100
Chile	Spring, 2015	5	26	36	16	17	100
	Spring, 2014	4	30	32	13	21	100
	Spring, 2013	5	34	29	9	23	100
	Spring, 2007	8	39	25	4	24	100
Mexico	Spring, 2015	2	22	27	22	27	100
	Spring, 2014	4	17	22	22	36	100
	Spring, 2013	4	24	25	13	35	100
	Spring, 2012	5	20	17	20	37	100
	Spring, 2011	1	22	32	16	29	100
	Spring, 2010	4	21	18	13	45	100
	Spring, 2009	6	23	22	14	36	100
Spring, 2007	5	33	25	11	26	100	

		Q12d. Please tell me if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable or very unfavorable opinion of _____? d. Russia					
		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	DK/Refused	Total
Peru	Spring, 2015	6	27	24	9	34	100
	Spring, 2014	5	29	26	9	30	100
	Spring, 2007	5	32	19	9	35	100
Venezuela	Spring, 2015	8	23	21	30	18	100
	Spring, 2014	11	25	20	31	13	100
	Spring, 2013	14	26	19	22	20	100
Burkina Faso	Spring, 2015	11	23	14	14	39	100
Ethiopia	Spring, 2015	11	26	5	5	53	100
Ghana	Spring, 2015	24	32	17	10	17	100
	Spring, 2014	13	29	17	14	27	100
	Spring, 2013	15	34	19	7	26	100
	Spring, 2007	16	39	19	8	18	100
Kenya	Spring, 2015	10	25	26	21	19	100
	Spring, 2014	16	33	24	8	19	100
	Spring, 2013	17	30	20	7	26	100
	Spring, 2011	8	26	26	19	20	100
	Spring, 2010	16	31	31	11	11	100
	Spring, 2009	10	25	21	18	25	100
	Spring, 2007	17	40	26	9	8	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2015	15	24	21	17	24	100
	Spring, 2014	15	26	12	15	32	100
	Spring, 2013	7	31	15	15	32	100
	Spring, 2010	18	35	19	12	16	100
Senegal	Spring, 2015	11	21	17	15	36	100
	Spring, 2014	14	25	18	12	31	100
	Spring, 2013	17	25	14	7	37	100
South Africa	Spring, 2015	8	17	18	33	24	100
	Spring, 2014	5	20	26	25	24	100
	Spring, 2013	6	20	25	28	20	100
Tanzania	Spring, 2015	16	22	13	11	39	100
	Spring, 2014	16	33	15	10	26	100
	Spring, 2007	20	30	11	9	30	100
Uganda	Spring, 2015	14	23	17	17	29	100
	Spring, 2014	12	22	16	15	35	100
	Spring, 2013	10	18	12	10	50	100
	Spring, 2007	10	22	14	12	42	100

		Q25d. 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. d. Russian President Vladimir Putin					
		A lot of confidence	Some confidence	Not too much confidence	No confidence at all	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2015	2	19	26	49	5	100
	Spring, 2014	3	13	27	53	5	100
	Spring, 2012	4	24	29	25	18	100
	Spring, 2008	2	26	22	26	25	100
	Spring, 2007	2	28	25	25	21	100
	Spring, 2006	3	30	26	19	22	100
	May, 2003	2	39	28	19	13	100
Canada	Spring, 2015	2	15	31	45	6	100
	Spring, 2007	4	32	26	22	17	100
	May, 2003	6	48	21	13	13	100
France	Spring, 2015	3	12	29	56	0	100
	Spring, 2014	4	12	26	59	0	100
	Spring, 2012	2	10	31	57	0	100
	Spring, 2008	1	16	30	52	1	100
	Spring, 2007	2	17	36	45	0	100
	Spring, 2006	2	22	33	43	1	100
	May, 2003	5	43	27	25	1	100
	August, 2001	2	12	39	38	9	100
Germany	Spring, 2015	5	18	36	40	2	100
	Spring, 2014	3	19	33	44	1	100
	Spring, 2012	4	18	39	38	2	100
	Spring, 2008	7	31	31	29	2	100
	Spring, 2007	5	27	37	29	2	100
	Spring, 2006	5	45	29	17	4	100
	May, 2003	24	51	18	6	1	100
	August, 2001	4	37	31	24	4	100
Italy	Spring, 2015	2	16	43	34	5	100
	Spring, 2014	2	16	40	38	4	100
	Spring, 2012	2	15	38	35	10	100
	Spring, 2007	2	24	36	24	14	100
	May, 2003	5	39	35	12	8	100
	August, 2001	3	21	36	13	28	100
Poland	Spring, 2015	1	8	26	61	3	100
	Spring, 2014	1	7	29	57	4	100
	Spring, 2012	3	16	37	37	8	100
	Spring, 2008	1	13	38	40	7	100
	Spring, 2007	0	7	37	44	12	100
Spain	Spring, 2015	1	5	44	48	3	100
	Spring, 2014	1	6	29	58	5	100
	Spring, 2012	2	8	42	45	4	100
	Spring, 2008	1	9	32	48	11	100
	Spring, 2007	2	5	33	43	17	100
	Spring, 2006	1	9	31	46	13	100
	May, 2003	5	26	24	33	13	100
United Kingdom	Spring, 2015	2	12	27	53	6	100
	Spring, 2014	5	15	32	40	7	100
	Spring, 2012	3	18	34	36	9	100
	Spring, 2008	3	25	24	32	16	100
	Spring, 2007	3	34	26	21	16	100
	Spring, 2006	3	30	27	24	16	100
	May, 2003	10	43	23	13	10	100
	August, 2001	1	25	35	22	17	100



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Russia	Spring, 2015	66	22	7	2	2	100
	Spring, 2014	52	31	11	3	3	100
	Spring, 2012	37	32	16	8	7	100
	Spring, 2011	36	39	14	5	6	100
	Spring, 2010	45	32	12	4	7	100
	Spring, 2009	39	42	11	3	4	100
	Spring, 2008	53	30	10	3	4	100
	Spring, 2007	46	38	8	2	6	100
	Spring, 2006	27	48	13	4	8	100
	May, 2003	28	48	19	3	1	100
Ukraine	Spring, 2015	3	7	19	65	5	100
	Spring, 2014*	4	7	16	69	5	100
Turkey	Spring, 2015	6	23	33	27	12	100
	Spring, 2014	4	7	19	56	14	100
	Spring, 2012	3	11	15	55	15	100
	Spring, 2008	2	7	8	62	21	100
	Spring, 2007	1	9	11	60	20	100
	Spring, 2006	1	8	6	62	22	100
Jordan	Spring, 2015	1	11	37	44	7	100
	Spring, 2014	1	12	38	41	7	100
	Spring, 2012	2	15	37	35	12	100
	Spring, 2008	1	16	36	36	11	100
	Spring, 2007	1	19	32	32	17	100
	Spring, 2006	2	12	45	33	8	100
Lebanon	Spring, 2015	24	18	16	42	0	100
	Spring, 2014	25	17	17	39	2	100
	Spring, 2012	6	27	28	35	4	100
	Spring, 2008	7	30	27	32	4	100
	Spring, 2007	7	26	28	33	6	100
Palest. ter.	Spring, 2015	7	18	30	34	11	100
	Spring, 2014	5	16	25	34	20	100
	Spring, 2007	2	14	22	49	12	100
Israel	Spring, 2015	4	20	41	33	3	100
	Spring, 2014	7	21	37	34	1	100
	Spring, 2007	2	15	34	41	8	100
	May, 2003	10	27	27	28	8	100
Australia	Spring, 2015	2	13	33	48	4	100
	Spring, 2008	2	36	26	18	18	100
	May, 2003	5	48	25	12	11	100
China	Spring, 2015	14	40	20	9	18	100
	Spring, 2014	17	45	18	5	15	100
	Spring, 2012	13	37	20	9	21	100
	Spring, 2008	9	37	18	8	28	100
	Spring, 2007	11	47	19	4	19	100
	Spring, 2006	13	37	16	2	32	100
India	Spring, 2015	14	22	8	7	49	100
	Spring, 2014	9	15	10	6	60	100
Indonesia	Spring, 2015	3	22	22	11	42	100
	Spring, 2014	5	23	35	9	28	100
	Spring, 2008	1	17	25	12	45	100
	Spring, 2007	1	21	37	10	31	100
	Spring, 2006	2	19	29	11	38	100
Japan	Spring, 2015	1	21	47	24	7	100
	Spring, 2014	1	19	52	20	7	100
	Spring, 2012	2	25	47	21	6	100
	Spring, 2008	3	25	41	21	10	100
	Spring, 2007	1	18	46	22	14	100
	Spring, 2006	2	38	44	11	5	100
Malaysia	Spring, 2015	5	26	36	14	20	100
	Spring, 2014	7	25	25	10	33	100
	Spring, 2007	3	19	22	14	43	100

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Pakistan	Spring, 2015	2	9	14	20	56	100
	Spring, 2014	1	5	10	22	62	100
	Spring, 2012	0	3	8	27	62	100
	Spring, 2008	1	4	7	35	53	100
	Spring, 2007	1	5	12	45	38	100
	Spring, 2006	1	6	11	30	51	100
Philippines	Spring, 2015	13	33	23	9	22	100
	Spring, 2014	6	32	24	13	26	100
South Korea	Spring, 2015	2	25	47	19	6	100
	Spring, 2014	3	29	47	13	7	100
	Spring, 2008	1	26	40	6	26	100
	Spring, 2007	0	24	44	7	25	100
	May, 2003	3	34	39	8	16	100
Vietnam	Spring, 2015	33	37	9	2	19	100
	Spring, 2014	33	36	7	2	21	100
Argentina	Spring, 2015	5	15	25	32	24	100
	Spring, 2014	1	9	20	29	41	100
	Spring, 2008	1	6	13	38	43	100
	Spring, 2007	0	5	13	31	51	100
Brazil	Spring, 2015	4	19	30	36	12	100
	Spring, 2014	1	11	37	32	18	100
	Spring, 2012	2	17	28	28	25	100
Chile	Spring, 2015	3	22	30	27	18	100
	Spring, 2014	2	16	31	23	28	100
	Spring, 2007	3	17	26	21	33	100
Mexico	Spring, 2015	4	15	28	30	23	100
	Spring, 2014	2	11	19	34	34	100
	Spring, 2012	2	14	22	23	39	100
	Spring, 2008	3	7	21	31	39	100
	Spring, 2007	5	18	21	27	29	100
Peru	Spring, 2015	2	15	30	22	30	100
	Spring, 2014	2	15	22	21	39	100
	Spring, 2007	1	15	22	24	38	100
Venezuela	Spring, 2015	4	10	26	44	16	100
	Spring, 2014	4	13	27	43	13	100
Burkina Faso	Spring, 2015	9	17	19	15	41	100
Ethiopia	Spring, 2015	12	20	7	9	52	100
Ghana	Spring, 2015	21	28	18	11	22	100
	Spring, 2014	11	26	12	12	39	100
	Spring, 2007	14	37	20	7	22	100
Kenya	Spring, 2015	10	27	24	21	18	100
	Spring, 2014	21	29	17	11	22	100
	Spring, 2007	11	39	27	9	14	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2015	16	28	20	10	26	100
	Spring, 2014	8	22	14	16	40	100
Senegal	Spring, 2015	6	13	19	19	43	100
	Spring, 2014	7	16	19	17	41	100
South Africa	Spring, 2015	9	19	19	22	31	100
	Spring, 2014	6	17	19	19	38	100
	Spring, 2008	3	13	12	15	57	100
Tanzania	Spring, 2015	16	22	17	9	37	100
	Spring, 2014	16	36	21	6	21	100
	Spring, 2008	14	27	15	9	35	100
	Spring, 2007	13	29	13	13	32	100
Uganda	Spring, 2015	8	18	21	20	34	100
	Spring, 2014	9	21	12	18	40	100
	Spring, 2007	3	15	18	12	51	100