

Topline questionnaire

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Methodological notes:

- Survey results are based on national samples. For further details on sample designs, refer to the Methodology section.
- Due to rounding, percentages may not total 100%. The topline “total” columns show 100% because they are based on unrounded numbers.
- Combined totals are based on unrounded topline figures. Prior to 2024, combined totals were based on rounded topline figures, so they may differ from previous years.
- Not all questions included in the Spring 2026 Global Attitudes Survey are presented in this topline. Omitted questions have either been previously released or will be released in future reports.

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		ASK IF FORM 1: SATISFIED_DEMOCRACY. How satisfied are you with the way democracy is working in the U.S.?								Total	N=
		TOTAL Satisfied	TOTAL Not satisfied	Very satisfied	Somewhat satisfied	Not too satisfied	Not at all satisfied	DK/Refused			
U.S.	Spring, 2026	30	69	5	25	41	28	2	100	1765	
	Spring, 2025	37	62	7	30	36	26	1	100	3605	
	Spring, 2024	31	68	4	27	44	25	1	100	3600	
	Spring, 2023	33	65	3	30	45	21	2	100	3576	
	Spring, 2022	37	62	4	34	43	19	1	100	3581	
	Spring, 2021	41	58	5	36	39	19	1	100	2596	
	March, 2020	46	53	8	38	38	15	1	100	8914	

U.S. PHONE TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

		SATISFIED_DEMOCRACY. How satisfied are you with the way democracy is working in the U.S.?							
		TOTAL Satisfied	TOTAL Not satisfied	Very satisfied	Somewhat satisfied	Not too satisfied	Not at all satisfied	DK/Refused	Total
U.S.	Fall, 2020	45	53	9	36	29	24	2	100
	Spring, 2020	44	54	14	29	28	27	2	100
	Spring, 2019	38	59	9	30	32	27	2	100
	Spring, 2018	41	57	11	29	31	27	2	100
	Spring, 2017	47	51	11	35	28	23	3	100

		USDEMOCRACY_EXAMPLE. Which statement comes closest to your own view, even if none are exactly right? Democracy in the U.S. ...				
		Is a good example for other countries to follow	Used to be a good example, but has not been in recent years	Has never been a good example for other countries to follow	DK/Refused	Total
U.S.	Spring, 2026	24	68	7	1	100
	Spring, 2024	19	72	8	1	100
	Spring, 2021	19	72	8	1	100

		U.S. Party ID with Leaners			
		Reps and Rep Leaners	Dems and Dem Leaners	DK/Refused/No lean	Total
U.S.	Spring, 2026	46	48	6	100