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These results do not include a regional breakdown because the number of respondents in each region is relatively small and in some cases answers could be misleading. They indicate some general trends, but not detailed results.

Q1. *Generally speaking, do you think things in Afghanistan today are going in the right direction, or do you think they are going in the wrong direction?*

	2007	2006	2005	2004
	%	%	%	%
Right direction	54	55	77	64
Wrong direction	24	22	6	11
Mixed	15	17	11	8
No opinion	7	5	6	16

Q2. (IF RIGHT DIRECTION) *Why do you say that? (Up to two answers accepted.)*

RIGHT DIRECTION	2007	2006	2005	2004
	%	%	%	%
Good security	34	23	34	20
Peace/end of war	25	25	31	53
Disarmament	22	28	27	35
Freedom/free speech	18	23	17	11
Reconstruction/rebuilding	20	19	15	18
Girls schools/women can work/women's freedom	19	22	12	13
Refugees return	10	12	12	9
Democracy/elections	12	12	15	9
Travel possible/free movement	5	8	10	7
Good government	10	10	9	6
Economic revival	12	10	8	5
International assistance	8	10	6	1
Other	2	-	1	-
No opinion	2	-	1	-

(IF WRONG DIRECTION) *Why do you say that? (Up to two answers accepted.)*

WRONG DIRECTION	2007	2006	2005	2004
	%	%	%	%
Economy bad	52	40	41	30
Taliban return/no peace/violence	32	36	34	-
Western influence too great/dangers to Islam	16	17	27	8
Bad government	20	26	20	40
No reconstruction/no progress	24	21	19	35
Neighbouring countries cause problems	13	14	12	28

Education bad	12	8	12	14
Too many foreigners/foreigner aid causes problems	8	13	10	6
Lack of aid/no development assistance	10	19	7	13
Other	3	3	3	1
No opinion	8	2	7	1

Q3. *In your view, what is the biggest problem facing Afghanistan as a whole? And after that, what is the next biggest problem?*

Biggest Problem	2007	2006
	%	%
Security/warlords/attacks/violence	30	33
Taliban	26	24
Economy/poverty/jobs	16	17
Reconstruction/rebuilding	3	2
Education/schools/literacy	4	4
Government/weak government/central authority	3	5
Electricity	3	4
Roads	2	2
Health care/clinics/hospitals	1	-
Water	-	-
Corruption	8	5
High prices/joblessness	-	2
Foreign interference and suicide attacks	1	1
No opinion	1	-

Next Biggest Problem	2007	2006
	%	%
Security/warlords/attacks/violence	8	8
Taliban	11	9
Economy/poverty/jobs	17	21
Reconstruction/rebuilding	5	5
Education/schools/literacy	6	7
Government/weak government/central authority	5	9
Electricity	9	5
Roads	7	6
Health care/clinics/hospitals	4	4
Water	2	2
Corruption	17	17
High prices/joblessness	-	2
Foreign interference and suicide attacks	-	1
No opinion	4	2

Q4. *I would like to ask you about today's conditions in the village/neighbourhood where you live. How would you rate the following using very good, somewhat good, somewhat bad or very bad?*

Your living conditions overall

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very good	11	11	15
Somewhat good	59	65	68
Somewhat bad	23	21	13
Very bad	5	3	3
No opinion	1	-	1

Security from crime and violence

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very good	16	20	28
Somewhat good	50	49	45
Somewhat bad	24	25	19
Very bad	8	6	5
No opinion	1	0	3

Availability of jobs/economic opportunities

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very good	3	5	5
Somewhat good	23	28	30
Somewhat bad	45	49	41
Very bad	28	17	19
No opinion	1	0	6

Roads, bridges and other infrastructure

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very good	4	6	2
Somewhat good	27	24	21
Somewhat bad	36	39	39
Very bad	33	30	37
No opinion	1	0	1

Availability of clean water

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very good	17	14	18
Somewhat good	37	40	40
Somewhat bad	28	31	31
Very bad	18	15	10
No opinion	1	0	0

Supply of electricity

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very good	4	4	4
Somewhat good	10	17	14
Somewhat bad	23	28	29
Very bad	61	50	52
No opinion	2	0	1

Availability of food

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very good	11	17	22
Somewhat good	54	64	56
Somewhat bad	27	14	17
Very bad	6	4	3
No opinion	1	0	2

Availability of medical care

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very good	6	9	12
Somewhat good	40	40	33
Somewhat bad	35	39	44
Very bad	18	12	11
No opinion	1	0	1

Local schools

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very good	21	18	25
Somewhat good	49	55	55

Somewhat bad	15	23	13
Very bad	14	4	6
No opinion	1	0	0

Rights of women

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very good	17	21
Somewhat good	44	50
Somewhat bad	22	22
Very bad	14	6
No opinion	3	0

Your freedom of movement – the ability to go where you wish safely

	2007
	%
Very good	27
Somewhat good	44
Somewhat bad	18
Very bad	10
No opinion	2

Iraq poll 2007	%
Very good	8
Quite good	17
Quite bad	32
Very bad	42
No opinion	-

Q5. *What is your expectation for things overall in your life a year from now? Will they be much better, somewhat better, about the same, somewhat worse, or much worse?*

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Much Better	14	11	23
Somewhat Better	36	43	44
About the Same	26	23	13
Somewhat Worse	7	7	0
Much Worse	2	2	1
No opinion	15	14	19

Q6. *Do you think your children will have a better life than you, worse, or about the same?*

	2007
	%
Better	51
Worse	11
About the Same	21
No opinion	17

Iraq Poll 2007	%
Better	33
Worse	42
About the Same	25
No opinion	-

Q7a. *Which one of the following in your opinion should be the single most important priority for our country?*

	2007	2006
	%	%
Security from crime and violence	28	27
Creating jobs and economic opportunities	27	28
Improving roads, water and electricity supply	17	18
Ending corruption among gov't or police officials	13	13
Getting U.S. troops out of Afghanistan	3	3
Establishing a stable national government	8	8
Reducing the cultivation of opium poppies	3	3
No opinion	1	0

Q7b *And which is second-most important?*

	2007	2006
	%	%
Security from crime and violence	6	6
Creating jobs and economic opportunities	18	14
Improving roads, water and electricity supply	19	20
Ending corruption among gov't or police officials	21	21
Getting U.S. troops out of Afghanistan	7	8
Establishing a stable national government	17	21
Reducing the cultivation of opium poppies	9	8
No opinion	3	1

Q8. *How would you rate the work of:*

Present government

	2007	<i>2006</i>	<i>2005</i>
	%	%	%
Excellent	15	15	27
Good	44	48	53
Fair	29	27	14
Poor	11	9	5
No opinion	1	0	1

Hamid Karzai as President of Afghanistan

	2007	<i>2006</i>	<i>2005</i>
	%	%	%
Excellent	26	21	45
Good	37	46	38
Fair	28	25	14
Poor	8	7	2
No opinion	1	0	1

Provincial government here

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Excellent	10	10
Good	41	42
Fair	32	36
Poor	13	11
No opinion	3	1

U.S. in Afghanistan

	2007	<i>2006</i>	<i>2005</i>
	%	%	%
Excellent	8	12	20
Good	35	45	48
Fair	32	27	22
Poor	21	15	8
No opinion	5	1	3

Q9. *How confident are you that the parliament in Kabul is working well for the benefit of the Afghan people?*

	2007	<i>2006</i>	<i>2005</i>
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	%	%	%
Very confident	14	16	34
Fairly confident	37	42	43
Not very confident	23	21	9
Not at all confident	22	18	8
No opinion	4	2	7

Q10. *Who would you rather have ruling Afghanistan today?*

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Current government	84	88	91
Taliban	4	3	1
Other	6	4	2
No opinion	6	5	6

Q11. *Which of the following do you think poses the biggest danger in our country?*

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Taliban	52	57	41
Drug traffickers	23	20	28
Local commanders	9	9	22
United States	10	8	4
Current Afghan government	1	3	2
Something else	2	0	2
No opinion	2	0	2

Q12. *How effective or ineffective have the reconstruction efforts been in the area where you live since the war of winter 2002?*

	2007
	%
Very Effective	15
Somewhat Effective	48
Somewhat Ineffective	13
Very Ineffective	9
No efforts	13
No opinion	2

Iraq polls *How effective or ineffective have the reconstruction efforts been in the area where you live since the war of spring 2003?*

Iraq poll 2003	2003
	%
Very Effective	4
Quite Effective	19
Quite Ineffective	34
Very Ineffective	38
No efforts	4

No opinion	1
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Q13. *How much of a problem is the issue of corruption among government officials or the police in this area?*

	2007	2006
	%	%
Big problem	45	55
Moderate problem	27	23
Small problem	10	11
Not a problem	11	9
No opinion	6	2

Q14. *Within the past year has a member of each of these organizations ever demanded a bribe from you or someone you know in exchange for protection or services?*

2007	Yes	No	No opinion
	%	%	%
Afghan National Police	27	69	4
Afghan National Army	4	92	4
The provincial government	25	69	5
Local commanders	18	73	9
The Taliban	5	82	9

Q15. *From today's perspective, do you think it was very good, mostly good, mostly bad or very bad that U.S. military forces came into our country to bring down the Taliban government in 2001?*

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very good	35	45	48
Mostly good	40	43	39
Mostly bad	10	7	6
Very bad	10	4	3
No opinion	4	1	4

Q16. *Do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose or strongly oppose the presence of the following groups in Afghanistan today?*

U.S. military forces

	2007	2006
	%	%
Strongly support	20	30
Somewhat support	51	48
Somewhat oppose	15	15
Strongly oppose	12	6
No opinion	2	1

NATO/ISAF military forces

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Strongly support	25	30
Somewhat support	42	48
Somewhat oppose	17	15
Strongly oppose	13	6
No opinion	2	1

Jihadi fighters from other countries

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Strongly support	1	1
Somewhat support	13	10
Somewhat oppose	27	27
Strongly oppose	56	61
No opinion	3	1

Fighters from the Taliban

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Strongly support	1	1
Somewhat support	4	3
Somewhat oppose	19	14
Strongly oppose	73	81
No opinion	3	1

Q17. *Who do you blame the most for the violence that is occurring in the country?*

	2007
	%
Taliban	36
Al Qaeda/foreign jihadis	22
U.S./American forces	9
Bush/U.S. government/America	7
Local commanders/warlords	6
Drug traffickers	6
Afghan government/Karzai	5
Afghan forces	2
NATO/ISAF forces	3
Neighbouring countries	2

Other	-
No opinion	2

Iraq poll 2007 *Who do you blame the most for the violence that is occurring in the country?*

Iraq poll 2007	%
The United States/coalition forces	19
President Bush	8
The Iraqi government	9
The Iraqi army	2
Iraqi police	2
Sunni militias/leaders	6
Shiite militias/leaders	7
Sectarian disputes	5
Al Qaeda/foreign jihads	21
Common criminals	4
Iran	11
Other	5
Refused/don't know	-

Q18. *In the past year, would you say the Taliban in Afghanistan have grown stronger, grown weaker, or remained about the same?*

	2007
	%
Grown stronger	42
Grown weaker	24
Remained about same	26
No opinion	8

Q19. *Do you think the government in Kabul should negotiate a settlement with Afghan Taliban in which they are allowed to hold political offices if they agree to stop fighting, or do you think the government in Kabul should continue to fight the Taliban and not enter into these negotiations?*

	2007
	%
Negotiate a settlement	60
Continue to fight Taliban	32
No opinion	8

Q20a. *Are you aware of any foreign military forces in this area who are fighting on the side of the Afghan government?*

	2007
	%
Yes	49
No	34
No opinion	17

[IF ANSWER YES at Q 20a: Do you happen to know if they are mainly American, British, Canadian, German, Dutch, some other nationality?]

	2007
	%
Mainly American	31
Mainly British	6
Mainly Canadian	3
Mainly German	5
Mainly Dutch	1
Other nationality	3

Q20b. [IF ANSWER YES at 20a: What is your feeling about how these forces in this area have gone about their duties – have they done a very good job, somewhat good, somewhat bad or very bad?]

	2007
	%
Very good job	19
Somewhat good job	48
Somewhat bad job	17
Very bad job	12
No opinion	4

Q20c. [IF ANSWER GOOD or BAD at 20b: Why do you say that – what's the main reason?]

GOOD	2007
	%
Security	36
Fighting Taliban	28
Humanitarian assistance	14
Economic development	10
Well behaved/well disciplined	7
Communicate well	1
Other	1
No opinion	3

BAD	2007
	%
Civilian casualties	39
Intrusive searches	15
Poorly behaved/poorly disciplined	11
Too weak to help	7
Don't communicate	4
Fighting Taliban	3
Poorly organised	6

Gains lost when leave/respondent caught in the middle	3
Other	2
No opinion	8

Q21a. *At present there are attacks against U.S. military forces in some parts of Afghanistan. Under current circumstances, do you think attacks against U.S. military forces in Afghanistan can be justified or cannot be justified?*

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Justified	17	13	30
Not justified	74	78	60
No opinion	8	9	10

Q21b. *[IF ANSWER JUSTIFIED at Q21a: Why do you say so – what's the main reason attacks can be justified?]*

	2007	2006
	%	%
Because they are infidels/foreigners	38	41
Oppose presence of US forces	22	15
Attacks on US military help protect Islam	16	16
Retaliation for abuses	11	8
Attacks on US military help protect Afghan independence	9	10
Other	3	5
No opinion	2	4

Q22. *Do you think each of the following can be justified or cannot be justified?*

Attacks on British, German, and other NATO or ISAF forces, apart from the Americans

	2007
	%
Justified	17
Not justified	77
No opinion	7

Attacks on Afghan police or military forces

	2007
	%
Justified	6
Not justified	91
No opinion	3

Attacks on Afghan government officials

	2007
	%

Justified	2
Not justified	94
No opinion	4

Q23. *When do you think U.S. military forces should withdraw from Afghanistan? Should they leave now, leave within six to 12 months, leave within one to two years, leave only after security is restored, or remain permanently?*

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Leave now	14	13	8
within 6-12 months	13	10	6
Within 1-2 years	18	13	12
Only after security restored	42	55	65
Remain permanently	7	5	4
No opinion	6	3	5

Q24. *Apart from the Americans, when do you think British, German, and other NATO or ISAF forces should withdraw from Afghanistan? Should they leave now, leave within six to 12 months, leave within one to two years, leave only after security is restored, or remain permanently?*

	2007
	%
Leave now	16
within 6-12 months	11
Within 1-2 years	18
Only after security restored	43
Remain permanently	6
No opinion	7

Q25. *I'm going to mention some groups. For each, please say how much of a presence it has in this area: A very strong presence, a fairly strong presence, a fairly weak presence or no significant presence at all?*

Central government led by Hamid Karzai

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong presence	31	23
Fairly strong presence	43	47
Fairly weak presence	18	25
No significant presence at all	6	4
No opinion	1	0

Provincial government

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong presence	26	21

Fairly strong presence	43	51
Fairly weak presence	24	27
No significant presence at all	5	1
No opinion	1	0

Local police

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong presence	28	30
Fairly strong presence	39	48
Fairly weak presence	26	20
No significant presence at all	6	2
No opinion	1	0

Local commanders and their militias

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong presence	5	4
Fairly strong presence	22	24
Fairly weak presence	40	41
No significant presence at all	31	30
No opinion	2	2

The Taliban

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong presence	3	2
Fairly strong presence	7	6
Fairly weak presence	15	17
No significant presence at all	71	74
No opinion	4	2

Drug traffickers

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong presence	2	3
Fairly strong presence	9	9
Fairly weak presence	21	29
No significant presence at all	62	55
No opinion	6	5

United States or NATO or ISAF forces

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong presence	11	14
Fairly strong presence	39	44
Fairly weak presence	26	22
No significant presence at all	21	17

No opinion	3	3
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Foreign jihadis

	2007
	%
Very strong presence	3
Fairly strong presence	11
Fairly weak presence	22
No significant presence at all	56
No opinion	8

Q26. Now, for each group I mention, please tell me how confident are you in its ability to provide security and stability in your area – very confident, somewhat confident, not so confident or not confident at all?

Central government led by Hamid Karzai

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Very confident	35	32
Fairly confident	47	47
Not very confident	12	16
Not at all confident	5	4
No opinion	1	0

Provincial government

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Very confident	28	24
Fairly confident	46	52
Not very confident	18	21
Not at all confident	7	3
No opinion	1	0

Local police

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Very confident	25	29
Fairly confident	42	50
Not very confident	24	17
Not at all confident	9	4
No opinion	1	0

Local commanders and their militias

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Very confident	5	3

Fairly confident	21	17
Not very confident	31	32
Not at all confident	41	47
No opinion	2	1

The Taliban

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very confident	1	2
Fairly confident	7	4
Not very confident	12	9
Not at all confident	77	84
No opinion	3	2

United States or NATO or ISAF forces

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very confident	12	18
Fairly confident	40	49
Not very confident	23	17
Not at all confident	22	14
No opinion	3	3

Foreign jihadis

	2007
	%
Very confident	2
Fairly confident	10
Not very confident	21
Not at all confident	63
No opinion	4

Q27. For each of these same groups, what would you say is its level of support among the people in this area – very strong support, fairly strong support, fairly weak support or no significant support at all?

Central government led by Hamid Karzai

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong support	35	28
Fairly strong support	46	50
Fairly weak support	14	19
No significant support at all	5	2
No opinion	1	1

Provincial government

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong support	27	22

Fairly strong support	45	51
Fairly weak support	20	22
No significant support at all	6	3
No opinion	1	1

Local police

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong support	24	26
Fairly strong support	40	49
Fairly weak support	25	21
No significant support at all	10	3
No opinion	1	1

Local commanders and their militias

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong support	4	4
Fairly strong support	20	16
Fairly weak support	34	36
No significant support at all	39	43
No opinion	3	1

Taliban

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong support	2	2
Fairly strong support	5	4
Fairly weak support	13	13
No significant support at all	75	79
No opinion	4	2

Drug traffickers

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong support	2	1
Fairly strong support	6	6
Fairly weak support	15	19
No significant support at all	71	70
No opinion	6	3

United States or NATO or ISAF forces

	2007	2006
	%	%
Very strong support	11	18
Fairly strong support	42	49
Fairly weak support	22	18

No significant support at all	22	13
No opinion	3	1

Foreign jihadis

	2007
	%
Very strong support	3
Fairly strong support	12
Fairly weak support	20
No significant support at all	58
No opinion	7

Q28. [IF ANY LOCAL SUPPORT FOR TALIBAN in Q27: Which of these do you think is the main reason people in your area help or support the Taliban? Is it mainly:]

	2007	2006
	%	%
As a religious duty	25	23
Because they think it can improve security	14	30
Because they agree with its goals	8	14
Because they are threatened or forced	6	12
Because it's better than any of the others	5	6
Because of local clan and tribal conflicts	2	4
To protect the opium trade	1	5
No opinion	40	6

Q29. Are you aware of any of the following activities by the Taliban in this area?

Delivery of night letters

	2007	2006
	%	%
Yes	26	24
No	71	74
No opinion	3	2

Bombings

	2007	2006
	%	%
Yes	33	43
No	65	55
No opinion	2	2

Killing individuals

	2007	2006
	%	%
Yes	34	42
No	63	56
No opinion	2	2

Burning schools/government buildings

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Yes	34	45
No	64	53
No opinion	2	2

Fighting government or foreign troops

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Yes	42	45
No	54	53
No opinion	3	2

People giving food/money to Taliban

	2007	<i>2006</i>
	%	%
Yes	14	17
No	80	80
No opinion	6	3

Q30. For each item I read, please tell me if it has or has not occurred in this area?

	Have occurred nearby here	Have <u>not</u> occurred nearby here	Refuse/ don't know
	%	%	%
Car bombs, suicide attacks	36	61	3
Snipers, crossfire	33	64	3
Kidnappings for ransom	36	60	3
Bombing or shelling by U.S., NATO or ISAF forces	29	67	4
Civilians killed or seriously hurt by U.S., NATO or ISAF forces	34	63	4
Civilians killed or seriously hurt by the Afghan army or police	23	73	4
Civilians killed or seriously hurt by the Taliban, Al Qaeda or foreign jihadis	40	54	6

[IF ANSWER HAS OCCURRED ask: Has it happened in the past year, or longer ago than that?]

	In past year	Longer ago
	%	%
Car bombs, suicide attacks	27	10
Snipers, crossfire	20	13
Kidnappings for ransom	25	12
Bombing or shelling by U.S., NATO or ISAF forces	17	12
Civilians killed or seriously hurt by U.S., NATO or ISAF forces	24	10
Civilians killed or seriously hurt by the Afghan army or police	16	7
Civilians killed or seriously hurt by the Taliban, Al Qaeda or foreign jihadis	27	13

Iraq poll 2007 For each item I read, please tell me if it has or has not occurred nearby here?

Iraq poll 2007	Have occurred nearby here	Have <u>not</u> occurred nearby here	Refuse/don't know
	%	%	%
Car bombs, suicide attacks	42	58	-
Snipers, crossfire	30	70	-
Kidnappings for ransom	40	59	1

Q31. Do you think the Pakistan government is allowing the Taliban to operate within its borders, or trying to stop the Taliban from operating there?

	2007
	%
Is allowing	69
Trying to stop	19
No opinion	11

Q32. What is your opinion of the cultivation of poppies for opium? Do you see this as:

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Acceptable in all cases	8	5	5
Only acceptable if no other way to earn a living	28	35	21
Unacceptable in all cases	62	58	73

No opinion	3	2	1
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Q33. Do you think the government should allow opium poppies to be grown, or take measures to kill off opium poppy fields?

	2007
	%
Allow to be grown	11
Kill off	84
No opinion	5

Q33a. (IF ANSWER KILL OFF at Q33 ask: Do you support or oppose doing this by spraying plant-killing chemicals from airplanes?)

	2007
	%
Allow poppies to be grown	11
Kill off poppies and support spraying chemicals from airplanes	13
Kill off poppies but oppose spraying chemicals from airplanes	45
Kill off poppies but unsure about spraying chemicals from airplanes	26
No opinion	5

Q34. Now I'm going to ask what you think about some people and groups. Is your opinion of very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable?

The Taliban

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very favourable	3	2	3
Somewhat favourable	10	8	6
Somewhat unfavourable	15	13	15
Very unfavourable	69	76	74
No opinion	4	1	2

Osama Bin Laden:

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very favourable	2	2	2
Somewhat favourable	7	4	3
Somewhat unfavourable	11	7	6
Very unfavourable	76	84	85
No opinion	4	4	5

The United States

	2007	2006	2005
	%	%	%
Very favourable	17	23	24
Somewhat favourable	48	51	59

Somewhat unfavourable	11	11	8
Very unfavourable	21	14	6
No opinion	3	1	3

Great Britain

	2007
	%
Very favourable	11
Somewhat favourable	38
Somewhat unfavourable	17
Very unfavourable	28
No opinion	6

Germany

	2007
	%
Very favourable	22
Somewhat favourable	49
Somewhat unfavourable	11
Very unfavourable	12
No opinion	6

Pakistan

	2007
	%
Very favourable	2
Somewhat favourable	17
Somewhat unfavourable	16
Very unfavourable	63
No opinion	1

Iran

	2007
	%
Very favourable	14
Somewhat favourable	38
Somewhat unfavourable	20
Very unfavourable	25
No opinion	3

Q35. Now I'd like to ask you some questions about women in Afghanistan. Please tell me if each of the following is something you support strongly, support somewhat, oppose somewhat or oppose strongly?

Women voting

	2007	Men	Women
	%	%	%
Support strongly	59	51	67
Support somewhat	27	30	24
Oppose somewhat	8	11	6

Oppose strongly	5	8	2
No opinion	1	1	1

Women holding jobs outside the home

	2007	Men	Women
	%	%	%
Support strongly	38	23	54
Support somewhat	29	32	27
Oppose somewhat	20	25	15
Oppose strongly	11	19	4
No opinion	1	1	1

Women holding government office

	2007	Men	Women
	%	%	%
Support strongly	31	19	42
Support somewhat	29	27	31
Oppose somewhat	26	32	19
Oppose strongly	14	21	6
No opinion	1	1	1

Girls education

	2007	Men	Women
	%	%	%
Support strongly	60	52	68
Support somewhat	29	33	24
Oppose somewhat	7	8	6
Oppose strongly	4	6	1
No opinion	1	1	0

Women wearing the burka

	2007	Men	Women
	%	%	%
Support strongly	49	56	42
Support somewhat	28	29	27
Oppose somewhat	14	10	19
Oppose strongly	7	4	11
No opinion	1	1	1

