



CRITICAL ISSUES POLL

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Russia-Ukraine War

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Survey Methodology

This round of the University of Maryland Critical Issues Poll was conducted by SSRS via their probability-based opinion panel among U.S. adults aged 18 and older. Data collection was conducted from July 26 to August 1, 2024, among a sample of 1,912 respondents. Among these, n=1,510 were from the General Population, n=202 were from an oversample of Black adults, and n=200 were from an oversample of Hispanic adults. The survey was conducted via web in English and data were weighted to represent the target population of U.S. adults ages 18 or older. For this study, there were four weights provided: three weights were computed by race (Black, Hispanic, and White/Other) and there was one overall, final weight computed.

Q35. What is your impression of the performance of the following parties in the war in Ukraine?

Russia

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
Succeeding	17%	9%	17%	15%
Failing	26	37	29	30
Neither succeeding nor failing	35	32	28	32
I don't know	22	22	25	24

Ukraine

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
Succeeding	17%	29%	19%	21%
Failing	24	14	23	20
Neither succeeding nor failing	37	35	35	35
I don't know	22	22	24	24

Q36. How long should the U.S. stay the course in supporting Ukraine?

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
1-2 years	53%	24%	40%	39%
2-5 years	8	11	12	11
5-10 years	2	2	2	2
As long as it takes	37	63	46	48

Q37. How do you feel about the current level of U.S. military expenditure in support of Ukraine?

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
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It's too much	52%	16%	36%	35%
It's too little	11	19	16	15
It's about the right level	15	39	25	24
I don't know	23	27	24	26

Q38. In the Russia-Ukraine war, how would you describe your sympathies?

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
More with Russia	4%	1%	2%	2%
More with Ukraine	58	76	57	62
With both sides equally	5	5	8	6
With neither side	20	7	18	15
I don't know	13	11	17	15

Q39. How much would you support or oppose the U.S. urging Ukraine to engage in diplomatic negotiations with Russia and the U.S. as soon as possible to end the war in Ukraine?

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
Strongly support	53%	33%	35%	40%
Somewhat support	31	41	39	37
Somewhat oppose	10	16	12	14
Strongly oppose	6	10	13	10