

Genocide Intervention Network Frequency Questionnaire

December 14-17, 2006
1,018 adults
 715 voters

Q.2 As you know, there was an election for Congress and other offices this November. Many people weren't able to vote. How about you? Were you able to vote or for some reason were you unable to vote?

	Total	Voters
Voted	70	100
Did not vote	29	-
(Can't remember/Don't know/Refused).....	1	-
(ref:VOTE02)		

Q.3 Although all of the following are important priorities, which ONE do you think should be the top foreign policy priority for President Bush and his administration?

	Total	Voters
Stabilizing Iraq	30	33
Fighting the war on terrorism	23	23
Negotiating peace between Israel and its neighbors	8	7
Dealing with North Korea's weapons program	6	5
Dealing with Iran's nuclear energy program	6	7
Dealing with the genocide in the Darfur region of the Sudan	5	5
Dealing with China as a growing superpower.....	4	4
(All)	6	6
(None).....	7	7
(Not sure).....	2	2
(Refused).....	2	2
(ref:FPOLLIST)		

Q.4 Thinking about the United States' foreign policy priorities, such as Iraq, the war on terrorism, North Korea, and Iran, how high of a priority do you think it should be for America to do something about a humanitarian crisis like genocide?

	Total	Voters
An absolute top priority	19	19
A high but not top priority	43	45
A medium priority	20	19
A lower priority	7	7
Not a priority at all.....	7	6
(Don't know/Refused)	5	4
Total Top/high	62	64
Total Lower/not	14	13
Top/high - Lower/not	49	51
(ref:PRIORTY1)		

Q.5 How much have you heard about the situation in the Darfur region of the Sudan? Would you say you've heard a lot, some, a little, or nothing at all?

	Total	Voters
A lot	26	29
Some	33	35
A little	24	23
Nothing at all.....	16	12
(Don't know/refused).....	1	1
A lot/some	59	65
Little/not	40	35
Lot/some-little/not.....	18	30
(ref:KNOW)		

Q.6 In 2003, fighting broke out in Africa between the government of the Sudan and rebels in the western region of Sudan, an area called Darfur. While putting down this rebellion, the Sudanese government has attacked not only these rebels but also ethnic groups in an effort to kill them or drive them out of the region. To date, two to four hundred thousand have been killed and over two and a half million have been driven from their homes. President Bush and the Congress have called the situation genocide, but the violence continues today.

Now thinking once again about the United States' foreign policy priorities, such as Iraq, the war on terrorism, North Korea, and Iran, how high of a priority do you think it should be for America to do something about the genocide happening in the Darfur region of the Sudan?

	Total	Voters
An absolute top priority	17	16
A high but not top priority.....	40	40
A medium priority.....	24	25
A lower priority	9	10
Not a priority at all.....	6	5
(Don't know/Refused)	4	4
Total Top/High.....	57	56
Total Lower/Not.....	15	15
Top/High – Lower/Not.....	43	41
(ref:PRIORTY)		

Q.7 There has been some discussion about what the U.S. could do to stop genocide in the Darfur region of the Sudan. As I mention some possible steps, please tell me whether you would favor or oppose each.

	Strng Fav	Smwt Fav	Smwt Opp	Strng Opp	Dk/ Ref	Total Fav	Total Opp	Fav - Opp
7 Freezing assets of Sudanese leaders, even if they occasionally provide information to the U.S. on al Qaeda activity	27	35	17	10	11	63	27	36
Voters	29	35	17	9	11	63	26	37
8 Launching cruise missiles to destroy the Sudanese air force, which is often used to attack civilians in villages	12	20	23	37	8	32	59	-27
Voters	10	21	24	38	8	31	62	-31
9 Preventing tankers that carry Sudanese oil from docking at U.S. ports	19	35	22	14	10	54	36	18
Voters	20	32	23	13	11	53	36	16
10 Putting U.S. troops on the ground in Darfur, as a small part of an international peacekeeping force	17	33	21	24	6	50	44	6
Voters	16	32	23	24	5	48	46	2

(ref:STEPS)

Q.11 Suppose the only way to end the violence in Darfur involved sending roughly ten thousand U.S. troops to the Darfur region of the Sudan on an aggressive peace keeping mission that may cost more than one hundred U.S. lives. Would you strongly favor, somewhat favor, somewhat oppose or strongly oppose sending troops, in order to end the genocide in Darfur?

	Total	Voters
Strongly favor	12	11
Somewhat favor.....	25	24
Somewhat oppose.....	21	22
Strongly oppose.....	37	38
(Don't know/refused).....	5	5
Total favor	37	35
Total oppose	58	60
Favor - Oppose	-21	-26

(ref:TENK)

Q.12 Now, the International Criminal Court is an independent, permanent court in Europe. It puts people accused of genocide, crimes against humanity and war crimes on trial. The International Criminal Court is supported by many countries, but not the United States government.

Some people believe that the United States should help the International Criminal Court by sharing intelligence about the genocide that would build its case against the government of Sudan's leaders, who are accused of planning and implementing the genocide.

Others believe that the United States should not help the International Criminal Court because there is some chance that, in the future, its prosecutors might try to prosecute U.S. military personnel for their actions in Iraq or in other military missions around the world.

[PROMPT:] Which comes closer to your view?

	Total	Voters
US should help the International Criminal Court.....	53	52
US should not help International Criminal Court.....	38	38
(Both).....	0	0
(Neither).....	1	1
(Don't know/Refused)	8	8
(ref:ICC)		

Q.13 In some states, public schools are required to teach about the Holocaust, the genocide committed by Germany against Jews during World War Two. Some believe that genocide should be a required topic in public school social sciences or history classes. Given the many other topics that might also be taught in our schools, do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose mandatory genocide education in public schools?

	Total	Voters
Strongly support	48	48
Somewhat support.....	31	32
Somewhat oppose	8	9
Strongly oppose.....	8	7
(Don't know/refused).....	5	4
Total support.....	80	80
Total oppose	16	16
Support - Oppose	64	64
(ref:GENEDUC)		

Q.14 How likely is it that you, yourself, would volunteer time or give money as part of an effort to stop genocide? Would you say very likely, somewhat likely, not too likely, not at all likely?

	Total	Voters
Very likely	17	19
Somewhat likely.....	39	40
Not too likely	20	19
Not at all likely	21	20
(Don't know/Refused)	3	3
(ref:ACTIV)		

Q.15 I would like to ask where you, personally, USE the Internet. If YOU don't USE the Internet at all, please tell me.

	Total	Voters
Home	60	65
Work	36	40
School.....	13	13
Some other location.....	16	15
Do not use the internet	30	27
(Don't know/refused).....	0	0
(ref:INTERNET)		

Q.16 Does your household currently subscribe to cable television or use a satellite dish or have both cable television and a satellite dish?

	Total	Voters
Cable television	48	49
Satellite dish	24	25
Both cable television and satellite dish.....	2	2
Neither	24	22
(Don't know/Refused)	1	1
(ref:CABLE)		

Q.17 Are you the (male/female) head of this household?

	Total	Voters
Yes	89	91
No	10	8
(Don't know/Refused)	1	1
(ref:HEADHH)		

Q.18 Are you currently . . . ?

	Total	Voters
Employed full time	47	49
Employed part time.....	11	9
Retired	25	29
Not employed	16	11
(Don't know/Refused)	1	1
(ref:EMPLOY)		

[591 Respondents]

Q.19 What is your occupation?

	Total	Voters
White collar -- professional, managerial, owner.....	52	56
White collar -- sales, clerical	18	17
Blue collar -- craftsmen/foremen.....	11	9
Blue collar -- semiskilled, unskilled	10	8
Service worker	8	7
Other.....	-	-
(Don't know/Refused)	2	2
(ref:OCCUP)		

Q.20 What is your current marital status?

	Total	Voters
Married	53	58
Living as married	2	1
Single and never been married.....	19	17
Divorced	11	10
Separated	2	1
Widowed.....	8	7
(Don't know/Refused)	5	5
(ref:MARITAL)		

[556 Respondents]

Q.21 Are you a dual-income household, where BOTH the male and female heads of the household work and contribute to total household income?

	Total	Voters
Yes	67	68
No	33	32
(Don't know/Refused)	1	1
(ref:DUALINCM)		

Q.22 Do you own or rent the dwelling in which you live?

	Total	Voters
Own	68	77
Rent.....	25	17
(Don't know/Refused)	7	7
(ref:OWNRENT)		

Q.23 Altogether, including you and any others, how many people regularly live in this household?

	Total	Voters
One	19	17
Two	33	37
Three	17	16
Four	14	14
Five	9	7
Six	3	2
Seven	1	1
Eight	0	0
Nine	0	-
Ten or more	0	1
(Don't know/Refused)	5	5
(ref:HOUSIZE)		

[971 Respondents]

Q.24 Are there any children living in your household under 6 years of age?

	Total	Voters
Yes	18	16
No	82	84
(Don't know/Refused)	0	-
(ref:KID0TO6)		

[971 Respondents]

Q.25 Are there any children living in your household aged 6 through 11?

	Total	Voters
Yes	16	17
No	84	83
(Don't know/Refused)	0	-
(ref:KID6TO11)		

[971 Respondents]

Q.26 Are there any children living in your household aged 12 through 17?

	Total	Voters
Yes	18	16
No	82	84
(Don't know/Refused)	0	0
(ref:KID12T17)		

[971 Respondents]

Q.24-26 combined

	Total	Voters
Yes	37	33
No	63	67

Q.27 What was the last grade in school you completed?

	Total	Voters
8th grade or less	3	2
High school incomplete (grades 9, 10, 11)	5	2
High school complete (grade 12).....	30	25
Some college, but no degree.....	18	20
Associates degree	6	6
College graduate/bachelors degree.....	22	25
Postgraduate degree, such as master's, PhD,.....	12	16
MD, JD.....	-	-
(Don't know/Refused)	4	4
(ref:EDUC)		

Q.28 What is your age?

	Total	Voters
18-20	5	2
21-24	5	3
25-29	6	5
30-34	6	6
35-39	9	8
40-44	9	9
45-49	11	12
50-54	10	10
55-59	9	10
60-64	7	9
65-69	8	8
70-74	5	6
75 or older	6	6
(Don't know/Refused)	4	5
18-29	16	10
30-39	15	15
40-49	20	21
50-64	26	28
65 plus	19	21
18-49	51	46
50 plus	45	49
(ref:AGERANGE)		

Q.29 Which of the following describe your race?

	Total	Voters
White/Caucasian	70	73
Black/African-American	11	12
Asian/Asian-American, or	2	2
Some other race	5	5
Hispanic.....	13	9
(Don't know/Refused)	2	2
(ref:RACE)		

Q.30 Was your TOTAL household income BEFORE taxes for 2005 less than \$40,000 or \$40,000 or more?

	Total	Voters
Less than \$40,000	36	30
\$40,000 or more	50	56
(Don't know/Refused)	14	14
(ref:INCOME)		

[367 Respondents]

Q.31 Was that . . . ?

	Total	Voters
Under \$15,000	22	20
\$15,000 but less than \$25,000	31	28
\$25,000 but less than \$30,000	18	19
\$30,000 but less than \$35,000	9	11
\$35,000 but less than \$40,000	14	19
Refused	5	4
(ref:INCOME2)		

[513 Respondents]

Q.32 Was that . . . ?

	Total	Voters
\$40,000 but less than \$50,000	20	17
\$50,000 but less than \$60,000	14	17
\$60,000 but less than \$75,000	15	15
\$75,000 but less than \$100,000	16	16
\$100,000 or more	28	28
Refused	7	7
(ref:INCOME3)		

Q.31-32 combined

	Total	Voters
Under \$15,000	8	6
\$15,000 but less than \$25,000	11	8
\$25,000 but less than \$30,000	7	6
\$30,000 but less than \$35,000	3	3
\$35,000 but less than \$40,000	5	6
\$40,000 but less than \$50,000	10	9
\$50,000 but less than \$60,000	7	9
\$60,000 but less than \$75,000	8	9
\$75,000 but less than \$100,000	8	9
\$100,000 or more	14	16
(Don't know/Refused)	19	19

Q.33 How many total telephone numbers does your household have? Please do not include extension phones, just different telephone numbers.

	Total	Voters
1.....	80	79
2.....	12	14
3.....	4	4
4.....	1	2
5 or more	1	1
(Don't know/Refused)	2	1
(ref:PHONES)		

Q.1 Record respondent's gender

	Total	Voters
Male.....	48	48
Female.....	52	52
(ref:GENDER)		