

Foreign Policy in a Diverse Society

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WAVE 3 (NOVEMBER 2023) TOPLINE REPORT: Restrictions on inward foreign direct investment

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Methodology: This analysis is based on data from the Foreign Policy in a Diverse Society Wave 3 (November 2023) Survey. Wave 3 was conducted November 02-06 by the National Opinion Research Center's (NORC) as part of its bi-monthly AmeriSpeaks Omnibus. AmeriSpeak Omnibus uses a nationally representative sample of 1026 adult Americans age 18+, drawn from the AmeriSpeak Panel. AmeriSpeak households are selected randomly from NORC's National Sample Frame. The National Frame is representative of over 97 percent of U.S. households and includes additional coverage of hard-to-survey population segments, such as rural and low-income households, that are underrepresented in other sample frames. Respondents may participate in English or Spanish and over the internet or by telephone, depending on respondent preference. The overall margin of sampling error is **+/-4.07** percentage points at the 95 percent confidence level. The margin of sampling error may be higher for subgroups.

Partisan identification is based on how respondents answered a standard partisan self-identification question: "Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, an independent or none of these?". Participants could select on a 5-point scale: Strong Democrat; Lean Democrat; Don't Lean/independent/None; Lean Republican; Strong Republican. Age-group is based on how respondents answered to "**What is your age?**"

The Foreign Policy in a Diverse Society project (DOI 10.17605/OSF.IO/QJR49) seeks to better understand the breadth of American public opinion on foreign policy. Directed by Nyron Crawford (Temple University), Alexandra Guisinger (Temple University), and Katja Kleinberg (Binghamton University, SUNY), FPDS will field a series of public opinion surveys and survey experiments targeting underrepresented populations as well as a representative cross-section of the U.S. population. Support for this project was provided in part by a grant from Carnegie Corporation of New York.

TEMP9.

How much do you [RND_03=0: agree or disagree] [RND_03=1: disagree or agree] with the following statements?

GRID ITEMS, RANDOMIZED:

- A. The operations of foreign companies in the U.S. should be tightly controlled by the U.S. government.
- B. Foreign investment in the U.S. is a threat to U.S. national security.
- C. The transfer of U.S. technology to foreign firms should be tightly controlled.
- D. Foreign investment in the U.S. should be restricted.

IF RND_03=0 SHOW 1-2-3-4-5

IF RND_03=1 SHOW 5-4-3-2-1

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 01 Strongly agree
- 02 Agree
- 03 Neither agree nor disagree
- 04 Disagree
- 05 Strongly disagree

TEMP9A: How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements - The operations of foreign companies in the U.S. should be tightly controlled by the U.S. government?

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree or disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know	Skipped on Web	Refused
Age - 4 Categories								
18-29	8.87	31.45	38.71	13.71	5.65	0	1.61	0
30-44	15.92	31.14	40.83	8.65	2.77	0	0.69	0
45-59	23.04	40.69	26.96	6.86	2.45	0	0	0
60+	37.41	38.14	16.38	3.91	1.71	1.47	0.73	0.24
Total	25.05	35.87	28.07	7.02	2.63	0.58	0.68	0.1
5-level Party ID								
Unknown	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Democrat	17.63	37.99	32.22	9.12	2.43	0.3	0.3	0
Lean Democrat	16.8	37.6	32	10.4	2.4	0.8	0	0
Don't Lean/Independent/None	19.46	22.7	44.86	4.86	4.32	1.08	2.7	0
Lean Republican	27.34	42.19	19.53	6.25	2.34	0.78	0.78	0.78
Republican	41.09	38.76	13.18	4.65	1.94	0.39	0	0
Total	25.05	35.87	28.07	7.02	2.63	0.58	0.68	0.1

