

| A good government should make laws according to the people's wishes (%) | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Year of the Surveys | | Sunni | Shi'i | Kurd | Muslim | Total |
| 2004 December | Very important | 60 | 53 | 62 | 49 | 56 |
| | Important | 14 | 18 | 22 | 23 | 18 |
| | Somewhat important | 9 | 11 | 5 | 11 | 10 |
| | Least important | 7 | 7 | 3 | 6 | 6 |
| | Not important | 4 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| | DK | 5 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 4 |
| | NA | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| | Total | | 505 | 1274 | 378 | 128 |
| 2006 April | Very important | 68 | 55 | 55 | 71 | 59 |
| | Important | 16 | 21 | 21 | 12 | 19 |
| | Somewhat important | 5 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 5 |
| | Least important | 3 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| | Not important | 3 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| | DK | 4 | 7 | 14 | 3 | 7 |
| | NA | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | Total | | 511 | 1403 | 357 | 353 |
| 2006 October | Very important | 57 | 45 | 56 | 57 | 50 |
| | Important | 21 | 17 | 32 | 21 | 21 |
| | Somewhat important | 7 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 9 |
| | Least important | 3 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 5 |
| | Not important | 3 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 3 |
| | DK | 9 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 11 |
| | NA | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | Total | | 1860 | 3951 | 1284 | 282 |
| 2007 March | Very important | 53 | 38 | 54 | 47 | 45 |
| | Important | 19 | 27 | 19 | 40 | 24 |
| | Somewhat important | 9 | 12 | 9 | 7 | 11 |
| | Least important | 4 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| | Not important | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| | DK | 10 | 13 | 12 | 6 | 12 |
| | NA | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| | Total | | 2030 | 4044 | 1194 | 143 |
| 2007 July | Very important | 54 | 34 | 65 | 47 | 45 |
| | Important | 24 | 29 | 21 | 27 | 26 |
| | Somewhat important | 8 | 15 | 3 | 6 | 11 |
| | Least important | 3 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| | Not important | 3 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| | DK | 7 | 12 | 8 | 17 | 10 |
| | NA | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| | Total | | 2012 | 4132 | 1199 | 389 |

| A good government should implement only the laws of the shari'a (%) | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Year of the Surveys | | Sunni | Shi'i | Kurd | Muslim | Total |
| 2004 December | Very important | 30 | 30 | 39 | 26 | 31 |
| | Important | 17 | 17 | 27 | 10 | 18 |
| | Somewhat important | 19 | 20 | 16 | 20 | 19 |
| | Least important | 15 | 17 | 5 | 16 | 14 |
| | Not important | 7 | 7 | 4 | 12 | 7 |
| | DK | 8 | 7 | 4 | 9 | 7 |
| | NA | 4 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 4 |
| | Total | | 505 | 1274 | 378 | 128 |
| 2006 April | Very important | 13 | 34 | 13 | 20 | 25 |
| | Important | 17 | 19 | 13 | 14 | 17 |
| | Somewhat important | 29 | 11 | 16 | 18 | 16 |
| | Least important | 19 | 16 | 29 | 18 | 19 |
| | Not important | 10 | 8 | 11 | 18 | 10 |
| | DK | 6 | 9 | 16 | 10 | 10 |
| | NA | 5 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 3 |
| | Total | | 511 | 1403 | 357 | 353 |
| 2006 October | Very important | 9 | 27 | 5 | 15 | 18 |
| | Important | 14 | 16 | 16 | 27 | 16 |
| | Somewhat important | 23 | 17 | 19 | 28 | 19 |
| | Least important | 26 | 14 | 14 | 9 | 17 |
| | Not important | 16 | 6 | 39 | 9 | 14 |
| | DK | 12 | 17 | 6 | 12 | 14 |
| | NA | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| | Total | | 1860 | 3951 | 1284 | 282 |
| 2007 March | Very important | 17 | 28 | 9 | 34 | 22 |
| | Important | 20 | 28 | 17 | 38 | 24 |
| | Somewhat important | 19 | 15 | 21 | 17 | 17 |
| | Least important | 21 | 8 | 14 | 4 | 13 |
| | Not important | 10 | 5 | 18 | 0 | 8 |
| | DK | 13 | 14 | 16 | 6 | 14 |
| | NA | 1 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 2 |
| | Total | | 2030 | 4044 | 1194 | 143 |
| 200y July | Very important | 14 | 27 | 18 | 16 | 22 |
| | Important | 28 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 |
| | Somewhat important | 17 | 16 | 21 | 15 | 17 |
| | Least important | 20 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 12 |
| | Not important | 11 | 5 | 13 | 6 | 8 |
| | DK | 10 | 13 | 9 | 22 | 12 |
| | NA | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| | Total | | 2012 | 4132 | 1199 | 389 |

| Iraq would be a better place if religion and politics are separated (%) | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| Year of the Surveys | | Sunni | Shi'i | Kurd | Muslim | Total |
| 2004 December | Agree strongly | 22 | 22 | 33 | 34 | 24 |
| | Agree | 30 | 19 | 25 | 25 | 23 |
| | Disagree | 26 | 31 | 13 | 24 | 27 |
| | Disagree strongly | 8 | 20 | 13 | 8 | 16 |
| | DK | 13 | 8 | 14 | 8 | 10 |
| | NA | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | Total | | 505 | 1274 | 378 | 128 |
| 2006 April | Agree strongly | 55 | 19 | 54 | 47 | 35 |
| | Agree | 22 | 16 | 19 | 22 | 18 |
| | Disagree | 9 | 25 | 5 | 9 | 17 |
| | Disagree strongly | 5 | 23 | 6 | 8 | 15 |
| | DK | 6 | 14 | 13 | 10 | 12 |
| | NA | 3 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| | Total | | 511 | 1403 | 357 | 353 |
| 2006 October | Agree strongly | 56 | 33 | 48 | 64 | 43 |
| | Agree | 15 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 14 |
| | Disagree | 9 | 15 | 26 | 6 | 15 |
| | Disagree strongly | 10 | 15 | 2 | 5 | 11 |
| | DK | 9 | 20 | 8 | 10 | 15 |
| | NA | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| | Total | | 1860 | 3951 | 1284 | 282 |
| 2007 March | Agree strongly | 48 | 19 | 54 | 64 | 33 |
| | Agree | 16 | 17 | 21 | 17 | 18 |
| | Disagree | 11 | 18 | 6 | 8 | 14 |
| | Disagree strongly | 11 | 24 | 3 | 1 | 17 |
| | DK | 14 | 18 | 14 | 9 | 16 |
| | NA | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| | Total | | 2030 | 4044 | 1194 | 143 |
| 2007 July | Agree strongly | 53 | 22 | 68 | 40 | 38 |
| | Agree | 20 | 17 | 17 | 19 | 18 |
| | Disagree | 7 | 20 | 3 | 6 | 13 |
| | Disagree strongly | 11 | 22 | 2 | 10 | 16 |
| | DK | 9 | 16 | 10 | 21 | 14 |
| | NA | 1 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| | Total | | 2012 | 4132 | 1199 | 389 |

| National Pride: How proud are you to be an Iraqi? (%) | | | | | | |
|--|------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Year of the Surveys | | Sunni | Shi'i | Kurd | Muslim | Total |
| 2004 December | Very proud | 80 | 88 | 35 | 90 | 78 |
| | Quite proud | 18 | 12 | 38 | 8 | 17 |
| | Not very proud | 1 | 1 | 19 | 2 | 4 |
| | Not at all proud | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 1 |
| | Total | 499 | 1266 | 368 | 126 | 2259 |
| 2006 April | Very proud | 82 | 90 | 52 | 88 | 83 |
| | Quite proud | 17 | 10 | 31 | 12 | 14 |
| | Not very proud | 0 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 2 |
| | Not at all proud | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 |
| | Total | 511 | 1386 | 337 | 352 | 2586 |
| 2006 October | Very proud | 80 | 85 | 77 | 83 | 82 |
| | Quite proud | 18 | 13 | 17 | 15 | 15 |
| | Not very proud | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| | Not at all proud | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| | Total | 1829 | 3910 | 1252 | 279 | 7270 |
| 2007 March | Very proud | 84 | 88 | 61 | 76 | 82 |
| | Quite proud | 14 | 11 | 30 | 20 | 15 |
| | Not very proud | 1 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 1 |
| | Not at all proud | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| | DK | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| | NA | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| | Total | 2030 | 4044 | 1194 | 143 | 7411 |
| 2007 July | Very proud | 84 | 86 | 62 | 72 | 81 |
| | Quite proud | 14 | 13 | 33 | 25 | 17 |
| | Not very proud | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| | Not at all proud | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| | DK | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| | NA | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| | Total | 2012 | 4132 | 1199 | 389 | 7732 |

| National Identity: Which of the following best describes you? (%) | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Year of the Surveys | | Sunni | Shi'i | Kurd | Muslim | Total |
| 2004 December | Above all, I am an Iraqi | 21 | 28 | 9 | 27 | 23 |
| | Above all, I am a Muslim | 76 | 70 | 26 | 66 | 64 |
| | Above all, I am an Arab | 2 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 2 |
| | Above all, I am a Kurd | 1 | 0 | 65 | 1 | 11 |
| | Other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| | Total | 502 | 1264 | 375 | 128 | 2269 |
| 2006 April | Above all, I am an Iraqi | 24 | 32 | 5 | 44 | 28 |
| | Above all, I am a Muslim | 76 | 67 | 48 | 54 | 65 |
| | Above all, I am an Arab | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | Above all, I am a Kurd | 0 | 0 | 47 | 0 | 6 |
| | Other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Total | 510 | 1376 | 345 | 347 | 2578 |
| 2007 March | Above all, I am an Iraqi | 53 | 61 | 20 | 83 | 53 |
| | Above all, I am a Muslim | 46 | 37 | 22 | 17 | 36 |
| | Above all, I am an Arab | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Above all, I am a Kurd | 0 | 0 | 56 | 0 | 9 |
| | DK | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| | NA | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| | Total | 2030 | 4044 | 1194 | 143 | 7411 |
| 2007 July | Above all, I am an Iraqi | 57 | 71 | 17 | 64 | 59 |
| | Above all, I am a Muslim | 40 | 27 | 31 | 32 | 31 |
| | Above all, I am an Arab | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | Above all, I am a Kurd | 0 | 0 | 49 | 1 | 8 |
| | Other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | DK | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| | NA | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | Total | 2012 | 4132 | 1199 | 389 | 7732 |