

National Tracking Poll

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N Size: 2076 Registered Voters

Margin of Error: $\pm 2\%$

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Topline Report

Question	Response	Frequency	Percentage
AFRI1	<i>China has made rapid advancements in AI, bringing its latest models on par with those developed in the U.S. Which of the following statements best represents your view on this development?</i>		
	China's rapid advancements in AI threaten to undermine U.S. national security and make us less safe.	976	47%
	With its rapid advancements in AI, China could overtake the U.S. economy, hurting U.S. businesses and eliminating American jobs.	628	30%
	I am not concerned about Chinese advancements in AI.	472	23%
AFRI2	<i>Foreign adversaries could use artificial intelligence to harm the U.S. via cyberattacks, attacks on critical infrastructure, espionage, and surveillance. Based on what you know, how likely do you believe it is that foreign actors will use AI to harm the United States?</i>		
	Very likely	898	43%
	Somewhat likely	695	33%
	Somewhat unlikely	169	8%
	Very unlikely	68	3%
	Don't know / No opinion	246	12%
AFRI3	<i>How concerned are you that China's rapid advancements in AI technology could pose a national security threat to the U.S.?</i>		
	Very concerned	962	46%
	Somewhat concerned	584	28%
	Slightly concerned	241	12%
	Not at all concerned	136	7%
	Don't know / No opinion	153	7%
AFRI4	<i>How important do you think AI will be to the future of the national security of the United States?</i>		
	Very important	895	43%
	Somewhat important	731	35%
	Not important	95	5%
	Not at all important	67	3%
	Don't know / No opinion	288	14%

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AFRI5	<i>Given that China relies on high-end microchips designed in the U.S. to build next-generation AI models, do you think the U.S. should restrict chip sales to China to prevent them from developing advanced AI?</i>		
	Strongly agree	822	40%
	Somewhat agree	678	33%
	Somewhat disagree	156	8%
	Strongly disagree	49	2%
	Don't know / No opinion	370	18%
AFRI6	<i>How do you feel about the U.S.'s ability to compete globally in technology?</i>		
	I feel optimistic about the U.S.'s ability to compete globally in technology	981	47%
	I feel concerned about the U.S.'s ability to compete globally in technology	701	34%
	I feel neither optimistic nor concerned about the U.S.'s ability to compete globally in technology.	394	19%
AFRI7	<i>Do you think President Biden took sufficient action to address China's theft of and access to advanced U.S. technology?</i>		
	Strongly agree	256	12%
	Somewhat agree	375	18%
	Somewhat disagree	318	15%
	Strongly disagree	694	33%
	Don't know / No opinion	433	21%
AFRI8_1NET	<i>Which of the following issues would you like to see the Trump Administration address regarding AI? Please select all that apply. — AI's impact on our national security</i>		
	Selected	1311	63%
	Not Selected	765	37%
AFRI8_2NET	<i>Which of the following issues would you like to see the Trump Administration address regarding AI? Please select all that apply. — AI's impact on job loss</i>		
	Selected	964	46%
	Not Selected	1112	54%
AFRI8_3NET	<i>Which of the following issues would you like to see the Trump Administration address regarding AI? Please select all that apply. — AI's impact on misinformation</i>		
	Selected	1179	57%
	Not Selected	897	43%

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AFRI8_4NET	<i>Which of the following issues would you like to see the Trump Administration address regarding AI? Please select all that apply. — AI’s impact on discrimination</i>		
	Selected	624	30%
	Not Selected	1452	70%
AFRI8_5NET	<i>Which of the following issues would you like to see the Trump Administration address regarding AI? Please select all that apply. — AI’s use to create deep fakes</i>		
	Selected	1030	50%
	Not Selected	1046	50%
AFRI8_6NET	<i>Which of the following issues would you like to see the Trump Administration address regarding AI? Please select all that apply. — AI’s infringement on copyrights and other creative work</i>		
	Selected	842	41%
	Not Selected	1234	59%
AFRI8_7NET	<i>Which of the following issues would you like to see the Trump Administration address regarding AI? Please select all that apply. — AI’s impact on education and student work</i>		
	Selected	830	40%
	Not Selected	1246	60%
AFRI8_8NET	<i>Which of the following issues would you like to see the Trump Administration address regarding AI? Please select all that apply. — Other, please specify:</i>		
	Selected	51	2%
	Not Selected	2025	98%
AFRI8_9NET	<i>Which of the following issues would you like to see the Trump Administration address regarding AI? Please select all that apply. — None of the above</i>		
	Selected	197	10%
	Not Selected	1879	90%
AFRI9	<i>To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? — Elon Musk should help President Trump crack down on China’s use of U.S. tech to build more advanced AI.</i>		
	Strongly agree	620	30%
	Somewhat agree	493	24%
	Somewhat disagree	193	9%
	Strongly disagree	487	23%
	Don’t know / No opinion	283	14%

Note: Group proportions may total to larger than one-hundred percent due to rounding. All statistics are calculated for respondents with demographic post-stratification weights applied.

Respondent Demographics Summary

Summary Statistics of Survey Respondent Demographics

Demographic	Group	Frequency	Percentage
xdemAll	Registered Voters	2076	100%
AFRIxdem1	Aware of ChatGPT/DeepSeek	1710	82%
AFRIxdem2	Familiar with ChatGPT/DeepSeek	1025	49%
xdemGender	Gender: Male	978	47%
	Gender: Female	1095	53%
	N	2074	
demAgeGeneration	GenZers: 1997-2012	234	11%
	Millennials: 1981-1996	619	30%
	GenXers: 1965-1980	544	26%
	Baby Boomers: 1946-1964	632	30%
	N	2030	
xreg4	4-Region: Northeast	367	18%
	4-Region: Midwest	462	22%
	4-Region: South	775	37%
	4-Region: West	473	23%
	N	2076	
xpid3	PID: Dem (no lean)	743	36%
	PID: Ind (no lean)	539	26%
	PID: Rep (no lean)	794	38%
	N	2076	
xeduc3	Educ: < College	1253	60%
	Educ: Bachelors degree	521	25%
	Educ: Post-grad	302	15%
	N	2076	
xdemInc3	Income: Under 50k	863	42%
	Income: 50k-100k	745	36%
	Income: 100k+	467	23%
	N	2076	
xdemWhite	Ethnicity: White	1609	77%
xdemHispBin	Ethnicity: Hispanic	231	11%
demBlackBin	Ethnicity: Black	264	13%
demRaceOther	Ethnicity: Other	204	10%

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Demographic	Group	Frequency	Percentage
xdemUsr	Community: Urban	518	25%
	Community: Suburban	976	47%
	Community: Rural	582	28%
	N	2076	
AFRIxdem3	Aware of ChatGPT ONLY	823	40%
AFRIxdem4	Familiar with ChatGPT ONLY	392	19%
AFRIxdem5	Aware of DeepSeek ONLY	30	1%

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