



FOX News/Opinion Dynamics Poll

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Polling was conducted by telephone September 25-26, 2007, in the evenings. The total sample is 900 registered voters nationwide with a margin of error of ± 3 percentage points. Results are of registered voters, unless otherwise noted. LV = likely voters

Democrats n=352, ± 5 percentage points; Republicans n=305, ± 6 percentage points

Questions 1 - 33 released separately

34. Do you think Al Qaeda or Iran poses the greatest threat to the safety of the United States today? (ROTATE)

	Al Qaeda	Iran	(Both equally)	(Neither)	(Don't know)
25-26 Sep 07	37%	18	28	8	9
Democrats	43%	17	23	8	10
Republicans	32%	25	30	5	8
Independents	39%	11	33	8	9

35. Do you believe Iran's nuclear program is for peaceful purposes or military purposes?

	Peaceful purposes	Military purposes	(Don't know)
25-26 Sep 07	6%	80	14
Democrats	8%	75	16
Republicans	4%	89	7
Independents	5%	79	16

For reference: Iran says it wants to use uranium enrichment for peaceful purposes, such as nuclear power generation, but some believe Iran wants to use the uranium for military purposes, such as to build a nuclear weapons program. Which do you believe is more likely -- Iran wants uranium for peaceful purposes or military purposes? (ROTATE)

	Peaceful purposes	Military purposes	(Don't know)
24-25 Jan 06	8%	82	11
1-2 Mar 05	8%	75	17

36. Do you believe the United States should take a softer line with Iran, including more diplomacy, or take a tougher line, including military action if necessary?

	Softer line	Tougher line	(Keep the same as now)	(Don't know)
25-26 Sep 07	31%	50	8	11
Democrats	44%	38	7	12
Republicans	18%	69	6	8
Independents	29%	46	15	11

For reference: In dealing with Iran, do you think the United States should only use diplomacy to try to stop them from developing nuclear weapons, or should the United States try to stop Iran at any cost from developing nuclear weapons?

	Only use diplomacy	Stop them at any cost	(Don't know)
27-28 Feb 07	50%	37	13

37. If diplomacy fails to convince Iran to end its nuclear program before President Bush leaves office, which of the following actions would you prefer? Do you think President Bush should:

1. Take military action to destroy Iran's nuclear facilities before his term ends, OR
2. Let the next president, whoever that may be, deal with Iran.
3. (Don't know)

	Military action	Let next president deal	(DK)
25-26 Sep 07	29%	54	16
Democrats	21%	64	15
Republicans	39%	43	19
Independents	31%	57	12

For reference: If there is any chance of Iran getting nuclear weapons before President Bush leaves office, do you support him taking U.S. military action against Iran, or not? SCALE: 1. Yes, support military action 2. No, do not support military action

	Yes	No	(Don't know)
2-3 May 06	48%	44	8

38. Last week the president of Iran, Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, said he wanted to visit ground zero in New York City -- the World Trade Center site destroyed on 9/11. Do you think the president of Iran wanted to go to ground zero to honor the innocent victims who died there or to honor the terrorists who killed them? (ROTATE)

SCALE: 1. To honor the innocent victims who died there 2. To honor the terrorists who killed them 3. (Don't know)

	Honor victims	Honor terrorists	(Don't know)
25-26 Sep 07	17%	54	29
Democrats	21%	47	32
Republicans	12%	65	23
Independents	23%	51	27

39. The president of Iran was denied his request to visit the ground zero site, although he did speak at Columbia University in New York City. Do you approve or disapprove of Columbia University's decision to invite Ahmadinejad to speak?

	Approve	Disapprove	(Don't know)
25-26 Sep 07	41%	51	8
Democrats	48%	43	9
Republicans	29%	65	6
Independents	49%	44	7

POLITICAL IDENTIFICATION: When you think about politics, do you think of yourself as a Democrat or a Republican?

	Democrat	Republican	(Independent)	(Other)	(Refused/Don't know)
25-26 Sep 07	39%	34	20	3	3
11-12 Sep 07	44%	33	19	1	2
21-22 Aug 07	37%	35	20	3	5
17-18 Jul 07	40%	33	21	3	4
26-27 Jun 07	44%	35	16	2	4
5-6 Jun 07	38%	36	20	3	4
15-16 May 07	38%	32	24	3	3
17-18 Apr 07	40%	34	19	3	3
27-28 Mar 07	43%	35	16	3	3