



# CRITICAL ISSUES POLL

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## **American Public Attitudes on the Ukraine War: Round 4**

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### **Survey Methodology**

This University of Maryland Critical Issues Poll was fielded by SSRS on its Opinion Panel Omnibus platform. Data collection was conducted October 7-10, 2022 among a sample of 1,029 respondents aged 18 or older living in the United States from the SSRS probability-based panel. The survey was conducted online (n=999) and via telephone (n=30, for non-Internet and Internet-reluctant respondents) and administered in English. The margin of error for total respondents is +/-3.4 percentage points at the 95% confidence level. Members of the delivered nationally representative sample are recruited randomly based on nationally representative Address Based Sample (ABS) design (including Hawaii and Alaska). ABS sample is drawn from the Delivery Sequence File (DSF) maintained by the U.S. Postal Service. Population coverage of the DSF is in the 98%-99% range. SSRS Opinion Panel data is weighted to be representative of the entire residential adult population in the United States. The first step in the weighting process is the application of a base weight that accounts for the ABS sample design and the within-household sampling of one adult. Data were weighted to distributions of: sex by age, sex by education, age by education, race/ethnicity, census region, civic engagement, population density, frequency of internet use, voter status, religious affiliation, and party ID. Benchmark distributions are obtained from the most recently available data from sources such as the Current Population Survey (CPS), the American Community Survey (ACS), the Pew Research Center's National Public Opinion Reference Survey (NPORS), and the Aristotle Registered Voter Database. The design effect is 1.23.

Note: These questions were fielded as part of a larger poll on foreign and domestic issues.

Percentages may not always add to one hundred due to rounding.

Q1. How much of a cost are you prepared to see the U.S. pay in helping Ukraine?

Q1A. Higher energy prices

	<b>Rep</b>	<b>Ind</b>	<b>Dem</b>	<b>Total</b>
1. A lot	25%	26%	28%	26%
2. Somewhat	24	31	52	34
3. Not much	21	22	11	17
4. Not at all	31	21	9	22

Q1B. Increased inflation

	<b>Rep</b>	<b>Ind</b>	<b>Dem</b>	<b>Total</b>
1. A lot	27%	25%	27%	26%
2. Somewhat	17	32	47	31
3. Not much	23	20	16	18
4. Not at all	33	22	10	24

Q1C. Loss of lives of U.S. troops

	<b>Rep</b>	<b>Ind</b>	<b>Dem</b>	<b>Total</b>
1. A lot	15%	15%	15%	15%
2. Somewhat	20	27	25	23
3. Not much	24	22	28	24
4. Not at all	41	36	32	37

Q2. What is your impression of the performance of following parties in the war in Ukraine?

Q2A. Russia

	<b>Rep</b>	<b>Ind</b>	<b>Dem</b>	<b>Total</b>
1. Succeeding	12%	7%	6%	9%
2. Failing	42	51	57	48
3. Neither succeeding nor failing	27	21	24	24
4. I don't know	19	21	13	20

Q2B. Ukraine

	<b>Rep</b>	<b>Ind</b>	<b>Dem</b>	<b>Total</b>
1. Succeeding	40%	39%	58%	43%
2. Failing	17	11	8	12
3. Neither succeeding nor failing	23	31	22	26
4. I don't know	20	18	13	20