

**Assessment of Contemporary American Concept of Patriotism**

**Introduction**

The poll was conducted July 23<sup>rd</sup> to August 2<sup>nd</sup> using the Knowledge Networks web-enabled panel, which provides a representative sample of U.S. households. Of the 1,687 adults invited to participate in the survey, 1,231 (72.9%) completed the survey in time for inclusion in the analysis. The sampling margin of error for the total sample of 1,231 adults is +/- 2.8 percentage points.

The survey results were weighted to U.S. Census population benchmarks for adults residing in the United States in terms of age, race/ethnicity, education attainment, and urban/rural.

**Survey Results**

**Distributions in the first three tables below are weighted.**

**All respondents (N=1,231)**

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**Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law?**

|   | <b><u>Freq</u></b> | <b><u>%</u></b> |
|---|--------------------|-----------------|
| Yes, it is patriotic                                | 913                | 75.3            |
| No, it is not patriotic                             | 287                | 23.7            |
| Sometimes it is patriotic,<br>other times it is not | 13                 | 1.1             |
| Total   | 1213               | 100.0           |

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**Survey Results (Continued)**

**Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before?**

|                         | <b><u>Freq</u></b> | <b><u>%</u></b> |
|-------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Yes, it is patriotic    | 503                | 42.2            |
| No, it is not patriotic | 688                | 57.8            |
| Total                   | 1191               | 100.0           |

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**Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil?**

|                         | <b><u>Freq</u></b> | <b><u>%</u></b> |
|-------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Yes, it is patriotic    | 967                | 80.7            |
| No, it is not patriotic | 231                | 19.3            |
| Total                   | 1198               | 100.0           |

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## Additional Information

### Weighted Frequency Tables

**DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A)**

|         |   | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
|---------|---|-----------|---------|---------------|--------------------|
| Valid   | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 913       | 74.2    | 75.3          | 75.3               |
|         | 2 No, it is not patriotic   | 287       | 23.3    | 23.7          | 98.9               |
|         | 3 Sometimes it is patriotic,<br>other times it is not (R refused) | 13        | 1.0     | 1.1           | 100.0              |
|         | Total   | 1213      | 98.6    | 100.0         |                    |
| Missing | System  | 18        | 1.4     |               |                    |
| Total   |   | 1231      | 100.0   |               |                    |

**PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before?**

|         |                           | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
|---------|---------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|--------------------|
| Valid   | 1 Yes, it is patriotic    | 503       | 40.9    | 42.2          | 42.2               |
|         | 2 No, it is not patriotic | 688       | 55.9    | 57.8          | 100.0              |
|         | Total                     | 1191      | 96.7    | 100.0         |                    |
| Missing | -1 REFUSED                | 40        | 3.3     |               |                    |
| Total   |                           | 1231      | 100.0   |               |                    |

**PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil?**

|         |                           | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
|---------|---------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|--------------------|
| Valid   | 1 Yes, it is patriotic    | 967       | 78.5    | 80.7          | 80.7               |
|         | 2 No, it is not patriotic | 231       | 18.8    | 19.3          | 100.0              |
|         | Total                     | 1198      | 97.3    | 100.0         |                    |
| Missing | -1 REFUSED                | 33        | 2.7     |               |                    |
| Total   |                           | 1231      | 100.0   |               |                    |

## Weighted Crosstabs

**Q1: Are you currently registered to vote? \* DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) Crosstabulation**

% within Q1: Are you currently registered to vote?

|   |   | DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) |                           |  |        |
|---|---|---|---------------------------|--|--------|
|   |   | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | 3 Sometimes it is patriotic, other times it is not (R refused) | Total  |
| Q1: Are you currently registered to vote? | 1 Yes, I am registered to vote at my present address  | 77.5%   | 21.8%                     | .7%  | 100.0% |
|   | 2 Yes, I am registered to vote at a different address | 65.6%   | 34.4%                     |  | 100.0% |
|   | 3 No, I am not registered to vote                     | 66.9%   | 27.7%                     | 5.4%   | 100.0% |
|   | 4 Not sure  | 68.2%   | 31.8%                     |  | 100.0% |
| Total                                     |   | 74.8%   | 23.7%                     | 1.5%   | 100.0% |

**Q1: Are you currently registered to vote? \* PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? Crosstabulation**

% within Q1: Are you currently registered to vote?

|   |   | PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? |                           |        |
|---|---|---|---------------------------|--------|
|   |   | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Q1: Are you currently registered to vote? | 1 Yes, I am registered to vote at my present address  | 40.9%   | 59.1%                     | 100.0% |
|   | 2 Yes, I am registered to vote at a different address | 58.6%   | 41.4%                     | 100.0% |
|   | 3 No, I am not registered to vote                     | 45.8%   | 54.2%                     | 100.0% |
|   | 4 Not sure  | 42.9%   | 57.1%                     | 100.0% |
| Total                                     |   | 42.5%   | 57.5%                     | 100.0% |

## **Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)**

**Q1: Are you currently registered to vote? \* PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? Crosstabulation**

% within Q1: Are you currently registered to vote?

|   |   | PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? |                           |        |
|---|---|--|---------------------------|--------|
|   |   | 1 Yes, it is patriotic   | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Q1: Are you currently registered to vote? | 1 Yes, I am registered to vote at my present address  | 82.4%  | 17.6%                     | 100.0% |
|   | 2 Yes, I am registered to vote at a different address | 93.8%  | 6.3%                      | 100.0% |
|   | 3 No, I am not registered to vote                     | 80.0%  | 20.0%                     | 100.0% |
|   | 4 Not sure  | 66.7%  | 33.3%                     | 100.0% |
| Total                                     |   | 82.0%  | 18.0%                     | 100.0% |

**DERIVED: Political party affiliation (3 categories) \* DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) Crosstabulation**

% within DERIVED: Political party affiliation (3 categories)

|   |              | DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) |                           |  | Total  |
|---|--------------|---|---------------------------|--|--------|
|   |              | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | 3 Sometimes it is patriotic, other times it is not (R refused) | Total  |
| DERIVED: Political party affiliation (3 categories) | 1 Republican | 72.8%   | 26.9%                     | .2%  | 100.0% |
|   | 2 Other      | 74.0%   | 24.3%                     | 1.7%   | 100.0% |
|   | 3 Democrat   | 78.0%   | 20.6%                     | 1.4%   | 100.0% |
| Total   |              | 75.3%   | 23.6%                     | 1.1%   | 100.0% |

## **Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)**

**DERIVED: Political party affiliation (3 categories) \* PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? Crosstabulation**

% within DERIVED: Political party affiliation (3 categories)

|   |              | PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? |                           |        |
|---|--------------|---|---------------------------|--------|
|   |              | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| DERIVED: Political party affiliation (3 categories) | 1 Republican | 58.6%   | 41.4%                     | 100.0% |
|   | 2 Other      | 46.6%   | 53.4%                     | 100.0% |
|   | 3 Democrat   | 26.4%   | 73.6%                     | 100.0% |
| Total   |              | 42.2%   | 57.8%                     | 100.0% |

**DERIVED: Political party affiliation (3 categories) \* PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? Crosstabulation**

% within DERIVED: Political party affiliation (3 categories)

|   |              | PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? |                           |        |
|---|--------------|--|---------------------------|--------|
|   |              | 1 Yes, it is patriotic   | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| DERIVED: Political party affiliation (3 categories) | 1 Republican | 88.7%  | 11.3%                     | 100.0% |
|   | 2 Other      | 74.7%  | 25.3%                     | 100.0% |
|   | 3 Democrat   | 77.5%  | 22.5%                     | 100.0% |
| Total   |              | 80.7%  | 19.3%                     | 100.0% |

## Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)

**Q9: In general, do you think of yourself as... \* DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) Crosstabulation**

% within Q9: In general, do you think of yourself as...

|  |                                | DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) |                           |  |        |
|--|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------|--|--------|
|  |                                | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | 3 Sometimes it is patriotic, other times it is not (R refused) | Total  |
| Q9: In general, do you think of yourself as... | 1 Extremely liberal            | 58.3%   | 27.8%                     | 13.9%  | 100.0% |
|  | 2 Liberal                      | 80.9%   | 19.1%                     |  | 100.0% |
|  | 3 Slightly liberal             | 82.9%   | 14.7%                     | 2.3%   | 100.0% |
|  | 4 Moderate, middle of the road | 78.7%   | 20.3%                     | 1.0%   | 100.0% |
|  | 5 Slightly conservative        | 77.1%   | 22.3%                     | .6%  | 100.0% |
|  | 6 Conservative                 | 62.6%   | 37.4%                     |  | 100.0% |
|  | 7 Extremely conservative       | 51.4%   | 48.6%                     |  | 100.0% |
| Total  |                                | 75.2%   | 23.7%                     | 1.2%   | 100.0% |

**Q9: In general, do you think of yourself as... \* PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? Crosstabulation**

% within Q9: In general, do you think of yourself as...

|  |                                | PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? |                           |        |
|--|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------|--------|
|  |                                | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Q9: In general, do you think of yourself as... | 1 Extremely liberal            | 37.5%   | 62.5%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 2 Liberal                      | 31.2%   | 68.8%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 3 Slightly liberal             | 20.0%   | 80.0%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 4 Moderate, middle of the road | 38.7%   | 61.3%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 5 Slightly conservative        | 48.4%   | 51.6%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 6 Conservative                 | 64.1%   | 35.9%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 7 Extremely conservative       | 71.4%   | 28.6%                     | 100.0% |
| Total  |                                | 42.2%   | 57.8%                     | 100.0% |

## Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)

**Q9: In general, do you think of yourself as... \* PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? Crosstabulation**

% within Q9: In general, do you think of yourself as...

|  |                                | PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? |                           |        |
|--|--------------------------------|--|---------------------------|--------|
|  |                                | 1 Yes, it is patriotic   | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Q9: In general, do you think of yourself as... | 1 Extremely liberal            | 90.0%  | 10.0%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 2 Liberal                      | 81.2%  | 18.8%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 3 Slightly liberal             | 73.8%  | 26.2%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 4 Moderate, middle of the road | 79.3%  | 20.7%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 5 Slightly conservative        | 80.4%  | 19.6%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 6 Conservative                 | 86.8%  | 13.2%                     | 100.0% |
|  | 7 Extremely conservative       | 85.7%  | 14.3%                     | 100.0% |
| Total  |                                | 80.8%  | 19.2%                     | 100.0% |

**Q35: What is your religion? \* DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) Crosstabulation**

% within Q35: What is your religion?

|                             |   | DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) |                           |  |        |
|-----------------------------|---|---|---------------------------|--|--------|
|                             |   | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | 3 Sometimes it is patriotic, other times it is not (R refused) | Total  |
| Q35: What is your religion? | 1 Baptist-any denomination                                      | 71.2%   | 28.0%                     | .8%  | 100.0% |
|                             | 2 Protestant (e.g., Methodist, Lutheran, Presbyterian, Episcop) | 80.2%   | 18.5%                     | 1.2%   | 100.0% |
|                             | 3 Catholic  | 76.7%   | 21.9%                     | 1.4%   | 100.0% |
|                             | 4 Mormon  | 93.8%   | 6.3%                      |  | 100.0% |
|                             | 5 Jewish  | 90.9%   | 9.1%                      |  | 100.0% |
|                             | 6 Muslim  | 100.0%  |                           |  | 100.0% |
|                             | 7 Hindu   | 75.0%   | 25.0%                     |  | 100.0% |
|                             | 8 Buddhist  | 100.0%  |                           |  | 100.0% |
|                             | 9 Pentecostal   | 66.0%   | 34.0%                     |  | 100.0% |
|                             | 10 Eastern Orthodox   | 75.0%   | 25.0%                     |  | 100.0% |
|                             | 11 Other Christian  | 71.9%   | 28.1%                     |  | 100.0% |
|                             | 12 Other non-Christian, please specify:                         | 65.9%   | 22.7%                     | 11.4%  | 100.0% |
|                             | 13 None   | 74.7%   | 25.3%                     |  | 100.0% |
| Total                       |   | 75.3%   | 23.5%                     | 1.2%   | 100.0% |



## Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)

**Q35: What is your religion? \* PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before?**  
**Crosstabulation**

% within Q35: What is your religion?

|                        |  | PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? |                           |        |
|------------------------|--|---|---------------------------|--------|
|                        |  | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Q35:                   | 1 Baptist-any denomination                                     | 45.9%   | 54.1%                     | 100.0% |
| What is your religion? | 2 Protestant (e.g., Methodist, Lutheran, Presbyterian, Episcop | 38.8%   | 61.3%                     | 100.0% |
|                        | 3 Catholic   | 43.6%   | 56.4%                     | 100.0% |
|                        | 4 Mormon   | 46.7%   | 53.3%                     | 100.0% |
|                        | 5 Jewish   | 28.6%   | 71.4%                     | 100.0% |
|                        | 6 Muslim   |   | 100.0%                    | 100.0% |
|                        | 7 Hindu  |   | 100.0%                    | 100.0% |
|                        | 8 Buddhist   |   | 100.0%                    | 100.0% |
|                        | 9 Pentecostal  | 52.0%   | 48.0%                     | 100.0% |
|                        | 10 Eastern Orthodox  | 25.0%   | 75.0%                     | 100.0% |
|                        | 11 Other Christian   | 52.6%   | 47.4%                     | 100.0% |
|                        | 12 Other non-Christian, please specify:                        | 30.2%   | 69.8%                     | 100.0% |
|                        | 13 None  | 35.1%   | 64.9%                     | 100.0% |
| Total                  |  | 42.2%   | 57.8%                     | 100.0% |

## Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)

### Q35: What is your religion? \* PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? Crosstabulation

% within Q35: What is your religion?

|                                |  | PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? |                           |        |
|--------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------|--------|
|                                |  | 1 Yes, it is patriotic   | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Q35:<br>What is your religion? | 1 Baptist-any denomination                                     | 75.7%  | 24.3%                     | 100.0% |
|                                | 2 Protestant (e.g., Methodist, Lutheran, Presbyterian, Episcop | 86.9%  | 13.1%                     | 100.0% |
|                                | 3 Catholic   | 84.5%  | 15.5%                     | 100.0% |
|                                | 4 Mormon   | 68.8%  | 31.3%                     | 100.0% |
|                                | 5 Jewish   | 76.2%  | 23.8%                     | 100.0% |
|                                | 6 Muslim   |  | 100.0%                    | 100.0% |
|                                | 7 Hindu  | 50.0%  | 50.0%                     | 100.0% |
|                                | 8 Buddhist   | 100.0%   |                           | 100.0% |
|                                | 9 Pentecostal  | 76.0%  | 24.0%                     | 100.0% |
|                                | 10 Eastern Orthodox  | 100.0%   |                           | 100.0% |
|                                | 11 Other Christian   | 75.7%  | 24.3%                     | 100.0% |
|                                | 12 Other non-Christian, please specify:                        | 81.4%  | 18.6%                     | 100.0% |
|                                | 13 None  | 78.8%  | 21.2%                     | 100.0% |
| Total                          |  | 80.7%  | 19.3%                     | 100.0% |

### Age - 4 categories \* DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) Crosstabulation

% within Age - 4 categories

|                    |         | DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) |                           |  |        |
|--------------------|---------|---|---------------------------|--|--------|
|                    |         | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | 3 Sometimes it is patriotic, other times it is not (R refused) | Total  |
| Age - 4 categories | 1 18-29 | 78.2%   | 21.4%                     | .4%  | 100.0% |
|                    | 2 30-44 | 72.9%   | 25.3%                     | 1.9%   | 100.0% |
|                    | 3 45-59 | 75.3%   | 24.7%                     |  | 100.0% |
|                    | 4 60+   | 76.3%   | 21.8%                     | 1.9%   | 100.0% |
| Total              |         | 75.4%   | 23.6%                     | 1.1%   | 100.0% |

## **Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)**

### **Age - 4 categories \* PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? Crosstabulation**

% within Age - 4 categories

|                    |         | PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? |                           |        |
|--------------------|---------|---|---------------------------|--------|
|                    |         | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Age - 4 categories | 1 18-29 | 46.6%   | 53.4%                     | 100.0% |
|                    | 2 30-44 | 42.9%   | 57.1%                     | 100.0% |
|                    | 3 45-59 | 45.4%   | 54.6%                     | 100.0% |
|                    | 4 60+   | 33.2%   | 66.8%                     | 100.0% |
| Total              |         | 42.2%   | 57.8%                     | 100.0% |

### **Age - 4 categories \* PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? Crosstabulation**

% within Age - 4 categories

|                    |         | PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? |                           |        |
|--------------------|---------|--|---------------------------|--------|
|                    |         | 1 Yes, it is patriotic   | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Age - 4 categories | 1 18-29 | 72.7%  | 27.3%                     | 100.0% |
|                    | 2 30-44 | 81.4%  | 18.6%                     | 100.0% |
|                    | 3 45-59 | 82.9%  | 17.1%                     | 100.0% |
|                    | 4 60+   | 84.8%  | 15.2%                     | 100.0% |
| Total              |         | 80.7%  | 19.3%                     | 100.0% |

## **Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)**

**Gender \* DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A)  
Crosstabulation**

% within Gender

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DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A)

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|        |          | 1 Yes, it is patriotic | 2 No, it is not patriotic | 3 Sometimes it is patriotic, other times it is not (R refused) | Total  |
|--------|----------|------------------------|---------------------------|--|--------|
| Gender | 1 Male   | 73.9%                  | 24.9%                     | 1.2%   | 100.0% |
|        | 2 Female | 76.5%                  | 22.5%                     | .9%  | 100.0% |
| Total  |          | 75.3%                  | 23.7%                     | 1.1%   | 100.0% |

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**Gender \* PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? Crosstabulation**

% within Gender

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PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before?

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|        |          | 1 Yes, it is patriotic | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
|--------|----------|------------------------|---------------------------|--------|
| Gender | 1 Male   | 43.2%                  | 56.8%                     | 100.0% |
|        | 2 Female | 41.4%                  | 58.6%                     | 100.0% |
| Total  |          | 42.2%                  | 57.8%                     | 100.0% |

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**Gender \* PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? Crosstabulation**

% within Gender

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PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil?

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|        |          | 1 Yes, it is patriotic | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
|--------|----------|------------------------|---------------------------|--------|
| Gender | 1 Male   | 80.7%                  | 19.3%                     | 100.0% |
|        | 2 Female | 80.7%                  | 19.3%                     | 100.0% |
| Total  |          | 80.7%                  | 19.3%                     | 100.0% |

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## **Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)**

**Race / Ethnicity \* DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A)**

### **Crosstabulation**

% within Race / Ethnicity

|                  |                       | DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) |                           |  |        |
|------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------------------|--|--------|
|                  |                       | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | 3 Sometimes it is patriotic, other times it is not (R refused) | Total  |
| Race / Ethnicity | 1 White, Non-Hispanic | 77.3%   | 21.8%                     | .9%  | 100.0% |
|                  | 2 Black, Non-Hispanic | 64.8%   | 35.2%                     |  | 100.0% |
|                  | 3 Other, Non-Hispanic | 75.0%   | 25.0%                     |  | 100.0% |
|                  | 4 Hispanic            | 73.6%   | 22.4%                     | 4.0%   | 100.0% |
| Total            |                       | 75.3%   | 23.6%                     | 1.1%   | 100.0% |

**Race / Ethnicity \* PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before?**

### **Crosstabulation**

% within Race / Ethnicity

|                  |                       | PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? |                           |        |
|------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------------------|--------|
|                  |                       | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Race / Ethnicity | 1 White, Non-Hispanic | 45.9%   | 54.1%                     | 100.0% |
|                  | 2 Black, Non-Hispanic | 34.6%   | 65.4%                     | 100.0% |
|                  | 3 Other, Non-Hispanic | 31.6%   | 68.4%                     | 100.0% |
|                  | 4 Hispanic            | 30.0%   | 70.0%                     | 100.0% |
| Total            |                       | 42.2%   | 57.8%                     | 100.0% |

## **Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)**

### **Race / Ethnicity \* PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? Crosstabulation**

% within Race / Ethnicity

|                  |                       | PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? |                           |        |
|------------------|-----------------------|--|---------------------------|--------|
|                  |                       | 1 Yes, it is patriotic   | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Race / Ethnicity | 1 White, Non-Hispanic | 84.7%  | 15.3%                     | 100.0% |
|                  | 2 Black, Non-Hispanic | 63.0%  | 37.0%                     | 100.0% |
|                  | 3 Other, Non-Hispanic | 76.3%  | 23.7%                     | 100.0% |
|                  | 4 Hispanic            | 74.6%  | 25.4%                     | 100.0% |
| Total            |                       | 80.7%  | 19.3%                     | 100.0% |

### **Education (Categorical) \* DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) Crosstabulation**

% within Education (Categorical)

|                         |                               | DERIVED: Is it patriotic for the American government to follow established principles of international law? (combines PAT1 and PAT1A) |                           |  |        |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|---|---------------------------|--|--------|
|                         |                               | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | 3 Sometimes it is patriotic, other times it is not (R refused) | Total  |
| Education (Categorical) | 1 Less than high school       | 71.1%   | 26.1%                     | 2.8%   | 100.0% |
|                         | 2 High school                 | 73.1%   | 25.3%                     | 1.5%   | 100.0% |
|                         | 3 Some college                | 74.2%   | 25.2%                     | .6%  | 100.0% |
|                         | 4 Bachelor's degree or higher | 82.1%   | 17.9%                     |  | 100.0% |
| Total                   |                               | 75.4%   | 23.6%                     | 1.1%   | 100.0% |

## **Weighted Crosstabs (Continued)**

### **Education (Categorical) \* PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? Crosstabulation**

% within Education (Categorical)

|                         |                               | PAT2: Do you think it is patriotic to cut taxes when the Federal budget deficit is higher than it has ever been before? |                           |        |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|---|---------------------------|--------|
|                         |                               | 1 Yes, it is patriotic  | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Education (Categorical) | 1 Less than high school       | 38.2%   | 61.8%                     | 100.0% |
|                         | 2 High school                 | 48.3%   | 51.7%                     | 100.0% |
|                         | 3 Some college                | 43.4%   | 56.6%                     | 100.0% |
|                         | 4 Bachelor's degree or higher | 35.4%   | 64.6%                     | 100.0% |
| Total                   |                               | 42.3%   | 57.7%                     | 100.0% |

### **Education (Categorical) \* PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? Crosstabulation**

% within Education (Categorical)

|                         |                               | PAT3: Is it patriotic and in the best interest of U.S. national security for the U.S. to seek independence from foreign oil? |                           |        |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|--|---------------------------|--------|
|                         |                               | 1 Yes, it is patriotic   | 2 No, it is not patriotic | Total  |
| Education (Categorical) | 1 Less than high school       | 71.8%  | 28.2%                     | 100.0% |
|                         | 2 High school                 | 78.8%  | 21.2%                     | 100.0% |
|                         | 3 Some college                | 83.7%  | 16.3%                     | 100.0% |
|                         | 4 Bachelor's degree or higher | 85.1%  | 14.9%                     | 100.0% |
| Total                   |                               | 80.7%  | 19.3%                     | 100.0% |