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Cuba Study

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1a. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Cuban President Fidel Castro, or haven't you heard enough yet about Fidel Castro to have an opinion of him?

1b. (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Is that very (favorable/unfavorable) or somewhat (favorable/unfavorable)?

Very favorable	2%
Somewhat favorable	4%
Somewhat unfavorable	22%
Very unfavorable	42%
Haven't heard enough	27%
yet about Fidel Castro	
(DK/NS)	3%
Summary	
Favorable	6%
Unfavorable	64%

2. Do you think the United States should or should not establish diplomatic relations with Cuba?

Should	62%
Should not	30%
(DK/NS)	8%

3a. Do you think the United States should continue the trade embargo with Cuba or should the United States end the trade embargo and permit normal trade with Cuba?*

3b. Do you think the United States should end the trade embargo and permit normal trade with Cuba or should the United States continue the trade embargo with Cuba?*

Continue the trade	48%
embargo	
End the trade embargo	40%
(DK/NS)	12%

^{*}Respondents were asked either Q3a or Q3b.

4. When Fidel Castro dies or permanently steps down as president of Cuba, how likely is it that his regime will be replaced with a democracy?

Very likely	10%
Somewhat likely	30%
Not too likely	31%
Not at all likely	23%
(DK/NS)	6%
Summary	
Likely	40%
Not likely	54%

5. After Fidel Castro dies or permanently steps down as president of Cuba, do you think the Cuban people will be better off, worse off, or about as well off as they were under Fidel Castro's regime?

Better off	51%
Worse off	4%
About as well off as	38%
under Castro	
(DK/NS)	7%

6. If U.S. citizens were allowed to travel to Cuba, how interested would you be in going there on vacation?

Very interested	18%	
Somewhat interested	22%	
Not too interested	13%	
Not at all interested	46%	
(DK/NS)	1%	
Summary		
Interested	40%	
Not interested	59%	

Registered Voter/Party Affiliation Study

1. Are you currently registered to vote at this address, or not?

	ALL
Yes	83%
No	16%
(DK/NS)	1%

2a. Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent or none of these?

REGISTERED VOTERS
26%
33%
29%
11%
1%

(IF "DEMOCRAT" TO Q.2a, Q.2b ASKED. IF "REPUBLICAN" TO Q.2a, Q.2c ASKED. IF "INDEPENDENT" or "NONE OF THESE" TO Q.2a, Q.2d ASKED. RESULTS SHOWN IN SUMMARY BELOW.)

- 2b. Do you lean strongly or only moderately toward the Democratic Party?
- 2c. Do you lean strongly or only moderately toward the Republican Party?
- 2d. Do your beliefs tend to lean more toward the Democrats or the Republicans?

	REGISTERED VOTERS
Strongly Democrat	23%
Moderately Democrat	10%
Lean Democrat	17%
Strongly Republican	17%
Moderately Republican	9%
Lean Republican	13%
Independent	10%
(DK/REF)	1%
Summary	
Total Republicans	40%
Total Democrats	50%

3. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself a...

	ALL
Liberal (Net)	25%
Strongly Liberal	9%
Somewhat Liberal	16%
Moderate	35%
Conservative (Net)	36%
Strongly Conservative	14%
Somewhat	22%
Conservative	
(DK/NS)	4%

Demographics

NOTE: Results for demographic questions represent all adults unless otherwise indicated.

D1a. In what year were you born?

D1b. Have you already had a birthday this year?

(IF RESPONDENT REFUSES Q.D1a OR Q.D1b, Q.D1c ASKED. RESULTS SHOWN IN SUMMARY BELOW.)

D1c. Are you:

18-34	31%
35-49	26%
50-64	25%
65+	16%
(DK/NS)	2%

D2. Are you employed:

TOTAL EMPLOYED	65%
- Full time	54%
- Part time	11%
Not employed	12%
Retired	22%
(DK/NS)	1%

D3. What is the last year of school you completed?

Grade school or some	6%
high school	
Completed high school	21%
Some community	23%
college or university, did	
not finish	
Completed technical	11%
school or a community	
college	
Completed a university	21%
or Bachelor's degree	
Completed a post-	17%
graduate degree such	
as a Master's or Ph.D.	
(DK/NS)	1%

D4. Are you currently married or not?

Yes	57%
No	42%
(DK/NS)	1%

D5. Including yourself and any children, how many people are currently living in your household?

1	20%
2	31%
3	19%
4	18%
5	7%
6+	4%
(DK/NS)	1%

(Q.D6a-c ASKED ONLY OF THOSE WHO SAY MORE THAN ONE PERSON IN HOUSEHOLD IN Q.D5.)

D6a. How many children under 6 years are currently living in your household?

D6b. How many children ages 6 to 12 are currently living in your household?

D6c. How many children ages 13 to 17 are currently living in your household?

ANY CHILDREN (NET) Under 6 6-12 13-17 NO CHILDREN (DK/NS)	37% 23% 18% 12% 62% 2%	
Summary Any children 12 or younger Any children 6 to 17	31% 24%	

Evangelical/born-again

Yes	37%
No	60%
(DK/NS)	3%

Religion

Protestant	45%
Catholic	23%
Mormon	2%
Jewish	2%
Muslim	1%
Some other religion	5%
None	18%
(DK/NS)	4%

D9. Are you of Hispanic ethnicity?

(Q.D10 ASKED ONLY OF THOSE WHO DO NOT SAY THEY ARE HISPANIC IN Q.D9) D10. Are you white, black, Asian, or some other race?

(RESULTS SHOWN IN SUMMARY BELOW.)

69%
11%
13%
3%
1%
1%
2%

D11. Could you please tell me your household income from all sources in 2005?

Under \$15,000 \$15,000 to less than	12% 6%
\$20,000 \$20,000 to less than	6%
\$25,000 to less than \$25,000	0 /6
\$25,000 to less than	4%
\$30,000 \$30,000 to less than	9%
\$40,000	3 70
\$40,000 to less than	9%
\$50,000	100/
\$50,000 to less than \$75,000	16%
\$75,000 to less than	9%
\$100,000	
\$100,000 or more	14%
(DK/NS)	15%

REGION

Northeast	19%
Midwest	23%
South	36%
West	22%

METROPOLITAN STATUS

Urban	31%
Suburban	48%
Rural	21%

GENDER

Male	48%
Female	52%

zz5b. How often do you attend religious services?

35%
13%
22%
42%
17%
26%
20%
2%