

Iranian Attitudes on Nuclear Negotiations

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Questionnaire

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1- In your opinion, how good or bad is our country's general economic situation? Is it:

Very good.....	8%
Somewhat good.....	45
Somewhat bad.....	24
Very bad.....	20
DK/NA.....	2

[This question was an open-ended question and was only from those who think the country's general economic situation is 'bad' in Q1]

1.1- What do you most blame for the bad economic situation of our country?¹

Economic corruption.....	2%
Weakness in economic policies and pertinent laws.....	3
Lack of appropriate exploitation of internal economic opportunities and capacities.....	8
Incompetence of public officials.....	3
Economic mismanagement.....	5
Not effectively dealing with the problem of inflation and the rise in costs.....	6
Instability and the lack of rule of law.....	2
Inequality, discrimination, and widening of the class gap.....	1
Weakness in society's economic culture.....	2
Foreign pressure and economic sanctions against our country.....	4
Other.....	1
DK/NA.....	8
Country's general economic situation is 'good' (Q1).....	53
DK/NA if Country's general economic situation (Q1).....	2

2- In your opinion, has the economic situation of our country become better, worse, or remained unchanged since last year?

Has become better.....	26%
Has become worse.....	38
Has remained unchanged.....	35
DK/NA.....	1

¹ As percent of total

3- In your opinion, to what degree has Rouhani's Administration been successful or unsuccessful in improving the economic situation of our country? Has he been:

Very successful	20%
Somewhat successful	48
Somewhat unsuccessful	19
Very unsuccessful	9
DK/NA	4

4- Now assume that our country could only adopt one of these policies. In your opinion is it better for Iran to:

Strive to achieve economic self-sufficiency	53%
Strive to increase mutual economic trade with other countries	43
DK/NA	4

5- Now in regards to the economic situation of your own family, how good or bad is your family's general economic situation? Is it:

Very good.....	7%
Somewhat good.....	50
Somewhat bad.....	30
Very bad.....	13
DK/NA	1

6- Has the economic situation of your family become better, worse, or remained unchanged since last year?

Has become better.....	18%
Has become worse	26
Has remained unchanged	56
DK/NA	0

7- How often do you watch local television channels to become informed about the news?

Everyday	73%
At least once a week	19
Less than once a week.....	5
Never.....	3
DK/NA	0

8- How often do you watch satellite television channels to become informed about the news?

Everyday	13%
At least once a week	11
Less than once a week.....	7
Never.....	69
DK/NA	0

9- How often do you use the internet to become informed about the news?

Everyday	14%
At least once a week	14
Less than once a week.....	8

Never.....	63
DK/NA.....	0

10- I will now read you the names of some prominent political figures in Iran. Please indicate to what degree you have a favorable or an unfavorable view of each?

10.1- Mohammad Bagher Ghalibaf

Very favorable	21%
Somewhat favorable.....	43
Somewhat unfavorable.....	12
Very unfavorable	11
Don't know the person.....	8
DK/NA.....	5

10.2- Mohsen Rezayi

Very favorable	11%
Somewhat favorable.....	33
Somewhat unfavorable.....	13
Very unfavorable	20
Don't know the person.....	19
DK/NA.....	4

10.3- Ali Akbar Velayati

Very favorable	14%
Somewhat favorable.....	38
Somewhat unfavorable.....	16
Very unfavorable	11
Don't know the person.....	16
DK/NA.....	4

10.4- Mahmoud Ahmadinejad

Very favorable	34%
Somewhat favorable.....	33
Somewhat unfavorable.....	14
Very unfavorable	16
Don't know the person.....	1
DK/NA.....	3

10.5- Saeed Jalili

Very favorable	16%
Somewhat favorable.....	28
Somewhat unfavorable.....	17
Very unfavorable	12

Don't know the person.....	23
DK/NA.....	5

10.6- Mohammad Javad Zarif

Very favorable	40%
Somewhat favorable.....	30
Somewhat unfavorable.....	8
Very unfavorable	8
Don't know the person.....	11
DK/NA.....	3

10.7- Hassan Rouhani

Very favorable	51%
Somewhat favorable.....	34
Somewhat unfavorable.....	7
Very unfavorable	6
Don't know the person.....	0
DK/NA.....	2

11- In your opinion, how successful or unsuccessful will Rouhani, the President of our country, be in doing each of the items that I will be reading to you?

11.1- Improving the economic situation of our country

Very successful	13%
Somewhat successful	51
Somewhat unsuccessful	26
Very unsuccessful	8
DK/NA.....	2

11.2- Reducing unemployment

Very successful	7%
Somewhat successful	48
Somewhat unsuccessful	26
Very unsuccessful	12
DK/NA.....	7

11.3- Reducing inflation

Very successful	8%
Somewhat successful	49
Somewhat unsuccessful	22
Very unsuccessful	18
DK/NA.....	4

11.4- Increasing civil liberties	
Very successful	14%
Somewhat successful	49
Somewhat unsuccessful	17
Very unsuccessful	11
DK/NA	9
11.5- Opening the political space in our country	
Very successful	18%
Somewhat successful	51
Somewhat unsuccessful	11
Very unsuccessful	6
DK/NA	15
11.6- Improving the security situation of our country	
Very successful	35%
Somewhat successful	38
Somewhat unsuccessful	16
Very unsuccessful	7
DK/NA	4
11.7- Reaching an agreement with P5-1 countries regarding our country's nuclear issue	
Very successful	18%
Somewhat successful	30
Somewhat unsuccessful	29
Very unsuccessful	14
DK/NA	9
11.8- Reducing sanctions	
Very successful	15%
Somewhat successful	30
Somewhat unsuccessful	28
Very unsuccessful	23
DK/NA	5
12- In your opinion, to what degree should our country's policymakers take religious teachings into account when they make decisions?	
A lot	44%
Somewhat.....	36
Not much.....	14
Not at all.....	5
DK/NA	2
13- Which position is closer to yours:	

- a) Islamic and Western religious and social traditions are incompatible with each other and conflict between the two is inevitable; or
 b) Most people in the West and the Islamic world have similar needs and wants, so it is possible to find common ground?

Conflict inevitable.....	30%
Possible to find common ground	58
DK/NA	13

14- For the countries that I am going to read to you, please indicate to what degree you have a favorable or an unfavorable view of each?

14.1- Turkey

Very favorable	13%
Somewhat favorable.....	43
Somewhat unfavorable.....	18
Very unfavorable	24
DK/NA	2

14.2- Iraq

Very favorable	30%
Somewhat favorable.....	33
Somewhat unfavorable.....	15
Very unfavorable	21
DK/NA	1

14.3- Syria

Very favorable	32%
Somewhat favorable.....	43
Somewhat unfavorable.....	12
Very unfavorable	11
DK/NA	1

14.4- China

Very favorable	13%
Somewhat favorable.....	38
Somewhat unfavorable.....	21
Very unfavorable	25
DK/NA	3

14.5- Russia

Very favorable	14%
Somewhat favorable.....	37
Somewhat unfavorable.....	21
Very unfavorable	26

DK/NA	3
14.6- Germany	
Very favorable	13%
Somewhat favorable.....	31
Somewhat unfavorable.....	25
Very unfavorable	28
DK/NA	3
14.7- France	
Very favorable	7%
Somewhat favorable.....	30
Somewhat unfavorable.....	26
Very unfavorable	33
DK/NA	4
14.8- United Kingdom	
Very favorable	6%
Somewhat favorable.....	18
Somewhat unfavorable.....	22
Very unfavorable	52
DK/NA	3
15- Now about the United States:	
15.1- What is your view of the United States?	
Very favorable	9%
Somewhat favorable.....	19
Somewhat unfavorable.....	13
Very unfavorable	58
DK/NA	2
15.2- How about the US government? Is it:	
Very favorable	4%
Somewhat favorable.....	9
Somewhat unfavorable.....	14
Very unfavorable	70
DK/NA	3
15.3- How about the American people? Is it:	
Very favorable	12%
Somewhat favorable.....	38
Somewhat unfavorable.....	16
Very unfavorable	29
DK/NA	5

[This was an open-ended question and was only asked from those who expressed to have an unfavorable view of the United States Q15.1]

16- What is the most important reason why you have an unfavorable view of the United States?²

Past and current US policies toward Iran.....	37%
US policies in the region and beyond	15
Religious and cultural differences	4
Animosity toward Islam and Muslims	3
US untrustworthiness	2
US support for Israel and Zionism.....	1
Other	2
DK/NA.....	6
Have a favorable view of the United States (Q15.1)	28
DK/NA on favorability of the United States (Q15.1).....	2

17- To what degree are you of the opinion that Iran and the United States should strive to mitigate the conflict and the differences between the two countries?

A lot	38%
Somewhat.....	31
Not much.....	15
Not at all.....	14
DK/NA	2

[This was an open-ended question]

18- In your opinion, what is the most important factor that has brought about the conflict and the differences between Iran and the United States?

US Bullying and seeking to dominate Iran	11%
US Animosity toward Iran	11
Bad policies of the US and its officials toward Iran	10
US lack of respect for Iran's rights and interests	6
The conflict over Iran's nuclear program	6
US Confrontation with Islam and Muslims	5
The political differences of the two countries.....	4
Bad US policies toward Iran in the past.....	3
Intervention in Iran's internal affairs.....	3
The religious and cultural differences between Iran and the US	3

² As percent of total.

Bad policies of two countries toward each other	2
US pressure and sanctions against Iran.....	2
US opposition to Iran becoming more advanced and powerful.....	2
Israel and Zionists instigating conflict between Iran and the US	2
US opposition to Iran's Islamic Revolution and its ideals	1
Mutual distrust between the two countries	1
Other	3
DK/NA.....	22

19- As you may know, our country has many problems and differences with the United States, including with respect to the nuclear issue. In your opinion, if Iran were to provide concessions on the nuclear issue in return for the reduction and the lifting of the sanctions, is that more likely to make the United States more accommodating in other areas of contention, more likely to make the United States rely on pressures and sanctions to extract concessions from Iran in other areas as well, or is it your opinion that Iran's concession on the nuclear issue would not have much of an effect on other issues between the two countries?

If Iran were to provide concessions on the nuclear issue, it would make United States more accommodating in other areas of contention.....	20%
If Iran were to provide concessions on the nuclear issue, it would make United States rely on pressures and sanctions to extract concessions from Iran in other areas as well	58
Iran's concessions on the nuclear issue would not have much of an effect on other issues between the two countries	13
DK/NA.....	10

20- As you may know, ISIS has brought under its control large sections of Iraq's territory. Iran and the United States have both declared that they will support the legitimate government of Iraq in order to preserve Iraq's territorial integrity and counter ISIS. To what degree would you approve or disapprove Iran and the United States collaborating with one another to help the legitimate government of Iraq and counter ISIS?

Strongly approve.....	20%
Somewhat approve.....	28
Somewhat disapprove	19
Strongly disapprove	27
DK/NA.....	6

21- To what degree would you support or oppose Iran and the United States cooperating in each of the fields that I am going to be reading to you?

21.1- To have greater cultural, education, and sporting exchanges	
Fully support	32%
Somewhat support.....	43
Somewhat oppose	9
Fully oppose.....	14
DK/NA.....	2

21.2- To provide more access for each other's journalists	
Fully support	34%
Somewhat support.....	47
Somewhat oppose	7
Fully oppose.....	8
DK/NA	4

21.3- To have greater trade	
Fully support	32%
Somewhat support.....	37
Somewhat oppose	12
Fully oppose.....	16
DK/NA	3

21.4- For the governments to have direct talks on issues of mutual concern	
Fully support	34%
Somewhat support.....	32
Somewhat oppose	12
Fully oppose.....	16
DK/NA	5

21.5- To have more Americans and Iranians visit each other's countries as tourists	
Fully support	46%
Somewhat support.....	34
Somewhat oppose	7
Fully oppose.....	11
DK/NA	2

22- As you may know, on July 3, 1988, an Iranian passenger airliner was attacked over the Persian Gulf by an American warship and all those aboard were killed. After the incident, United States declared that it had attacked the airplane by accident, thinking that it was a military aircraft. Is it your impression that America attacked the airplane on purpose knowing that it was a passenger airplane or did America attacked the airplane by accident thinking that it was a military aircraft? Is it your impression that:

America definitely downed the airliner knowingly and intentionally	60%
America probably downed the airliner knowingly and intentionally	16
America probably downed the airliner by accident	11
America definitely downed the airliner by accident	3
I don't know anything about this	7
DK/NA	3

23- As far as you know, during the Iran-Iraq war, did the US:	
Provide support to Iraq.....	82%
Provide support to Iran.....	1
Provide support to neither	7

I don't know anything about this	10
DK/NA.....	1

24- How much have you heard about the unrest in Syria?

A lot	34%
Somewhat.....	50
Not much.....	7
Not at all.....	8
DK/NA.....	0

[This was an open-ended question and was only asked from those who selected response options 1-3 in Q24]

25- Who or what do you think is most to blame for the unrest in Syria?³

US	32
Israel and the Zionists	10
Bashar Assad /Syrian government and officials	8
US and Israel equally	6
ISIS / Terrorists / Terrorist groups/ Extremist groups	5
Foreign intervention in Syria	4
Intervention of Arab countries in Syria	4
Internal conflicts in Syria.....	3
Intervention of Western countries in Syria	2
US intervention in Syria.....	2
Religious conflicts in Syria.....	1
DK/NA.....	15
Have not heard at all about the unrest in Syria (Q24).....	8

[This question was only asked from those who selected response options 1-3 in Q24]

26- In your opinion, should Iran support the Syrian government, groups that oppose the Syrian government, or stay completely neutral?⁴

Support the Syrian government	57%
Support groups that oppose the Syrian government	2
Stay completely neutral.....	27
DK/NA.....	5
Have not heard at all about the unrest in Syria (Q24).....	8

27- Now about Iraq, how much have heard about the unrest in Iraq?

A lot	32%
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³ As percent of total.

⁴ As percent of total.

Somewhat.....	51
Not much.....	9
Not at all.....	8
DK/NA.....	0

[This was an open-ended question and was only asked from those who selected response options 1-3 in Q27]

28- Who or what do you think is most to blame for the unrests in Iraq?⁵

US	29%
ISIS/ Terrorists / Terrorist groups / Extremist groups	12
Bad policies of the Iraqi government.....	8
Israel and the Zionists	5
US and Israel equally	4
Ethnic and Religious conflict in Iraq	4
Intervention of Arab countries in Iraq	3
Foreign intervention in Iraq	2
Lack of unity and cohesion inside Iraq.....	2
Internal conflicts in Iraq.....	2
Baathists and Saddam supporters.....	2
Intervention of Western countries in Iraq	2
US intervention in Iraq.....	1
Other	1
DK/NA.....	15
Have not heard at all about the unrest in Iraq (Q24).....	8

[This question was only asked from those who selected response options 1-3 in Q27]

29- In your opinion, should Iran support the Iraqi government, groups that oppose the Iraqi government, or stay completely neutral?⁶

Support the Iraqi government	64%
Support groups that oppose the Iraqi government	1
Stay completely neutral.....	23
DK/NA.....	4
Have not heard at all about the unrest in Iraq (Q24).....	8

30- How much have you heard about the Non-Proliferation Treaty or NPT?

A lot	18%
Some	44
Not much.....	18
Not at all.....	20
DK/NA.....	1

⁵ As percent of total.

⁶ As percent of total.

31- As you may know, Ayatollah Khamenei the Leader of the Revolution, has issued a Fatwa in regards to nuclear weapons. As far as you know, according to his religious opinion does Iran have the right to have a nuclear weapon if it chooses to have one or is he of the opinion that having nuclear weapons are contrary to Islamic principles?

His religious opinion is that Iran has the right to have a nuclear weapon if it so chooses13%
 He regards having nuclear weapons to be contrary to Islamic principles.....71
 I don't know anything about this14
 DK/NA2

32- As you may know, Iran is a party to the Non-Proliferation Treaty or NPT and has accordingly agreed not to develop nuclear weapons and to only make use of nuclear technology for peaceful purposes. Where you aware that Iran is a member of this treaty or not?

Yes, I was aware57%
 No, I was not aware42
 DK/NA1

33- In your opinion, how necessary is it for Iran to make use of peaceful nuclear energy? Is it:

Very necessary79%
 Somewhat necessary15
 Not much necessary2
 Not necessary at all1
 DK/NA2

34- In your opinion, is Iran's main objective for expanding its nuclear capabilities purely for peaceful purposes, or only to attain the needed capabilities to be able to develop nuclear weapons, or is Iran pursuing both objectives simultaneously?

Iran's objective is only to make use of peaceful nuclear energy69%
 Iran's objective is only to attain the needed capabilities to be able to develop nuclear weapons4
 Iran is pursuing both objectives simultaneously18
 DK/NA9

35- As you may know, the U.S. intelligence establishment has officially reported its conclusions regarding Iran's nuclear program on multiple occasions. As far as you know, according to U.S. intelligence reports since December 2007, does U.S. intelligence think that Iran has decided to develop nuclear weapons, or does it think Iran has not yet made such a decision?

According to these reports Iran has decided to make nuclear weapons32%

According to these reports Iran has not yet made such a decision	53
DK/NA	15

36- As you may know, Iran is currently under sanctions for activities relating to nuclear enrichment. In your opinion, to what degree have these sanctions had a negative impact on our country's economy?

Have had great negative impact	51%
Have had some negative impact	34
Have had little negative impact	7
Have had no negative impact	4
DK/NA	4

37- How about on the lives of ordinary people of our country? In your opinion, to what degree have these sanctions had a negative impact on the lives of ordinary people of our country?

Have had great negative impact	61%
Have had some negative impact	30
Have had little negative impact	5
Have had no negative impact	2
DK/NA	2

38- In your opinion, has placing pressure on the lives of ordinary Iranians been or not been an objective of these sanctions? Certainly or probably?

Has certainly been one of its objectives	71%
Has probably been one of its objectives	17
Has probably not been one of its objectives	5
Has certainly not been one of its objectives	4
DK/NA	3

39- In your opinion, how likely is it that the sanctions against our country would be increased if Iran continuous to enrich uranium? Is it:

Very likely	38%
Somewhat likely	47
Somewhat unlikely	6
Very unlikely	4
DK/NA	6

40- In your opinion, is it better for our country to continue its nuclear enrichment within the frameworks of the NPT and without any particular limitations even if it would lead to greater pressures being applied against our country or do you think that it would be better for our country to accept the limitations proposed by the P5+1 countries in order to bring about a reduction in foreign sanctions and pressures against our country?

It is better for our country to continue its nuclear enrichment without any particular limitations beyond the NPT	45%
It is better for our country to accept the limitations proposed by the	

P5+1 countries in order to bring about a reduction in foreign sanctions and pressures against our country	35
DK/NA	19

41- Some believe that the main reason behind US sanctions and pressures against our country is US concerns about Iran attaining nuclear weapons. Others, however, believe that our country's nuclear program is only an excuse and that the United States is after achieving some other goals. Which of these views is closer to your view:

The main reason behind US sanctions and pressures against our country is US concerns about Iran attaining nuclear weapons	17%
Our country's nuclear program is only an excuse and United States is after achieving some other goals.....	75
DK/NA	8

[This was an open-ended question and was only asked from those who selected response option 2 in Q41]

42- You have indicated that "our country's nuclear program is only an excuse and United States is after achieving some other goals." In your belief, what is the main goal that the United States is pursuing?⁷

Dominating Iran	22%
Confronting Iran's advancements and power	16
Changing Iran's political order.....	8
Reassert its hegemony.....	4
Dominating Iran's natural resources	4
Confronting Iran's independence	3
Confronting Islam and Muslims	3
Creating public dissatisfaction and unrest in Iran.....	3
Forcing Iran to comply with its policies	2
Dominating the world	1
Weakening Iran as prelude to military attack	1
Dominating the Middle East	1
Other	2
DK/NA	5
US is concerned about Iran attaining nuclear weapons (Q41).....	17
DK/NA what US is pursuing (Q41).....	8

43- Do you favor or oppose the goal of eventually eliminating all nuclear weapons, which is stated in the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty or NPT?

Favor	74%
Oppose	21
DK/NA	5

⁷ As percent of total.

44- As you may know, most experts believe that Israel has nuclear weapons. Which of the following is closer to your opinion:

The United States provided Israel with nuclear weapons.....	40%
The United States provided Israel with the required know-how and capabilities to develop nuclear weapon, but did not actually provide Israel with nuclear weapons.....	33
The United States only provided Israel with the needed political support for it to acquire nuclear weapons.....	14
The United States did not play much of a role in Israel becoming armed with nuclear weapons.....	4
DK/NA.....	9

45- To what degree do you favor or oppose the idea of having a nuclear weapons free zone in the Middle East that would include both Islamic countries and Israel, requiring countries not to have nuclear weapons?

Favor very much.....	65%
Somewhat favor.....	20
Somewhat oppose.....	5
Oppose very much.....	6
DK/NA.....	4

46- As you may know, our country's officials are currently negotiating with P5+1 countries about our country's nuclear program. To what degree would you favor or oppose a deal according to which for a period of 10 years Iran would reduce its enrichment activities in certain ways and would agree to extensive inspections in return for a gradual lifting of nuclear-related sanctions against our country? Would you:

Strongly favor such a deal.....	15%
Somewhat favor such a deal.....	34
Somewhat oppose such a deal.....	11
Strongly oppose such a deal.....	24
DK/NA.....	17

47- During the negotiations, P5+1 countries have declared that if Iran would implement their demands for an agreed upon period of time, they will in return promise to gradually lift the existing sanctions against our country and improve their relations with Iran. Now I am going to read to you some of their possible demands. For each, please indicate whether you think the demand is acceptable, the demand is unacceptable, or that the demand could be acceptable depending on other conditions of the agreement.

47.1- Iran giving assurances never to produce nuclear weapons	
Is acceptable.....	53%

Could be acceptable depending on the circumstances	26
Is unacceptable.....	18
DK/NA.....	4
47.2- Not enriching uranium above current levels, which is currently 5%	
Is acceptable.....	19%
Could be acceptable depending on the circumstances	38
Is unacceptable.....	34
DK/NA.....	9
47.3- Not improving the quality of enrichment machinery, aka centrifuges	
Is acceptable.....	16%
Could be acceptable depending on the circumstances	26
Is unacceptable.....	47
DK/NA.....	11
47.4- Not increasing the number of enrichment machinery, aka centrifuges	
Is acceptable.....	19%
Could be acceptable depending on the circumstances	27
Is unacceptable.....	45
DK/NA.....	9
47.5- Dismantling about half of the machinery and centrifuges that are currently being used for enrichment	
Is acceptable.....	9%
Could be acceptable depending on the circumstances	15
Is unacceptable.....	71
DK/NA.....	6
47.6- Accepting limits on our country's nuclear research activities	
Is acceptable.....	8%
Could be acceptable depending on the circumstances	13
Is unacceptable.....	75
DK/NA.....	5
47.7- Accepting limits on the stockpile of our country's enriched uranium	
Is acceptable.....	15%
Could be acceptable depending on the circumstances	34
Is unacceptable.....	44
DK/NA.....	7
47.8- Continuation of oversight and inspections to the degree that is currently being undertaken by international inspectors	
Is acceptable.....	46%
Could be acceptable depending on the circumstances	30

Is unacceptable.....	18
DK/NA.....	6

47.9- Accepting oversight and inspections to go beyond what is currently being undertaken by international inspectors

Is acceptable.....	27%
Could be acceptable depending on the circumstances.....	35
Is unacceptable.....	31
DK/NA.....	7

48- In general, to what degree do you trust or distrust the P5+1 countries? Do you:

Trust them very much.....	6%
Trust them somewhat.....	28
Distrust them somewhat.....	32
Distrust them very much.....	30
DK/NA.....	4

[This was an open-ended question]

49- Who would you most blame if the current negotiations between Iran and the P5+1 countries over Iran's nuclear program were to fail to produce a final agreement?

US.....	40
P5+1 countries.....	20
Iran/Iranian officials/Iranian government.....	9
Both sides.....	4
Israel.....	4
Western Countries.....	3
No one.....	1
Other.....	1
DK/NA.....	18

50- To what degree would you blame our country's officials if these negotiations were to fail to produce a final agreement?

A lot.....	5%
Somewhat.....	23
Not much.....	18
Not at all.....	42
DK/NA.....	12

51- Assume that Iran would fully accept and implement US demands in regards to its nuclear program. In your opinion, under these circumstances, would the United States gradually lift most nuclear related sanctions against our country or would it continue the sanctions and the pressures against our country for some other reasons and excuses?

United States would gradually lift most nuclear related sanctions against our country.....	19%
United States would continue with the pressures and sanctions	

against our country.....	74
DK/NA.....	7
D1- Sex:	
Male	48%
Female.....	52
D2- In what year were you born?	
Under 25.....	22%
25-34	27
35-44	23
45-54	15
55 and over.....	13
D3- What is your level of education?	
Illiterate	4%
Up to the end of Elementary School.....	16
Up to the end of Middle School.....	11
Up to High School Diploma	5
High School Diploma	29
AA Degree / Undergraduate Student	15
Undergraduate Degree	12
Over Undergraduate Degree	7
D4- What is your ethnicity?	
Fars.....	49
Turk/Azeri.....	21
Lur.....	9
Kurd	8
Arab.....	1
Baluch	1
Gilak.....	4
Mazandarani.....	4
Other	2
DK/NA	1
D5- What is your employment situation?	
Employed in the public sector.....	8
Employed in the private sector	24
Student	13
Retired.....	7
Homemaker.....	35
Unemployed.....	12
DK/NA	1

D6- How would you evaluate your family's economic situation as compared to others living in your city / village?

It is much better than others.....	1
It is better than others.....	18
It is almost the same as others.....	63
It is worse than others	14
It is much worse than others	4

D7- On average, how often do you use the internet?

Everyday	22
At least once a week	20
Less than once a week.....	10
Never.....	48