



2. Do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. military action that killed Osama bin Laden?

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2011 May 2	93	5	3

3. How important do you think it is to the U.S. that Osama bin Laden was killed – extremely important, very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important?

	<u>Extremely</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>Some- what</u>	<u>Not too</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2011 May 2	45	34	15	4	1	1

**For comparison:** *How important do you think it is to the U.S. that Osama bin Laden be captured or killed – extremely important, very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important?*

	<u>Extremely</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>Some- what</u>	<u>Not too</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2006 Jun 9-11	36	28	22	8	5	1
2005 Aug 5-7	37	26	24	7	5	1
2004 Sep 3-5 ^	37	31	22	6	3	1

^ Asked of a half sample.

4. Do you think it would have been better for the U.S. to [capture Osama bin Laden alive, (or to) kill Osama bin Laden]?

	<u>Capture</u>	<u>Kill</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2011 May 2	33	60	7

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9. How much credit do you give each of the following for the actions that led to the U.S. finding and killing Osama bin Laden a great deal, a moderate amount, not much, or none at all? How about [RANDOM ORDER]?

<i>2011 May 2</i>	Great deal	Moderate amount	Great deal/ Moderate amount	Not much/ None at all
The U.S. military	89	9	98	2
The CIA	62	26	88	6
Barack Obama	35	36	71	28
George W. Bush	22	30	52	47

**FULL RESULTS:**

**A. Barack Obama**

<u>Great deal</u>	<u>Moderate amount</u>	<u>Not much</u>	<u>None at all</u>	No
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