



Interviews with 1,038 adult Americans, conducted by telephone by Opinion Research Corporation on October 16-18, 2009. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points.

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33. Based on what you have heard or read, do you think that the government of Iran is or is not attempting to develop its own nuclear weapons? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 540 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION A. SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

	Oct. 16-18 <u>2009</u>	Dec. 6-9 <u>2007</u>	Oct. 12-14 <u>2007</u>	Jan. 20-22 <u>2007</u>
Is	88%	61%	77%	80%
Is not	11%	33%	18%	12%
No opinion	2%	7%	5%	8%

34. Would you favor or oppose direct diplomatic negotiations between the U.S. and Iran in an attempt to prevent Iran from developing nuclear weapons? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 498 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION B. SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

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Favor	78%
Oppose	22%
No opinion	1%

35. Would you favor or oppose imposing economic sanctions on Iran in an attempt to prevent Iran from developing nuclear weapons? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 498 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION B. SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

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Favor	77%
Oppose	21%
No opinion	1%

36. Would you favor or oppose U.S. military action against Iran in an attempt to prevent Iran from developing nuclear weapons? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 498 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION B. SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

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Favor	54%
Oppose	45%
No opinion	1%