



Interviews with 1,014 adult Americans, including 928 registered voters, conducted by telephone by Opinion Research Corporation on November 13-15, 2009. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points and for registered voters is plus or minus 3 percentage points.

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(QUESTIONS 27 AND 28 ROTATED)

27. Do you consider China to be a military threat to the United States, or not? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 501 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION A. SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

	Nov. 13-15 <u>2009</u>	July 27-29 <u>2008</u>
Yes, is	51%	51%
No, is not	47%	49%
No opinion	2%	*

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	<u>Yes, a threat</u>	<u>No, not a threat</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2005 Dec 9-11	50	48	2

28. Do you consider China to be an economic threat to the United States, or not? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 501 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION A. SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

	Nov. 13-15 <u>2009</u>	July 27-29 <u>2008</u>
Yes, is	71%	70%
No, is not	28%	30%
No opinion	2%	*

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	<u>Yes, a threat</u>	<u>No, not a threat</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2005 Dec 9-11	64	33	3

29. Which of the following come closer to your view about what China represents to the U.S. – a large potential market for U.S. firms, or a source of unfair competition for U.S. companies here at home? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 513 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION B. SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

Nov. 13-15
2009

Potential market	27%
Unfair competition	67%
Other (vol.)	2%
No opinion	3%

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	<u>Potential market</u>	<u>Unfair competition</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2003 Sept 19-21	37	57	4	1

30. How would you rate the job the government of China does in respecting the human rights of its citizens -- very good, mostly good, mostly bad or very bad? (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE. RESULTS BASED ON 513 INTERVIEWS IN VERSION B. SAMPLING ERROR: +/- 4.5 PERCENTAGE POINTS.)

Nov. 13-15 Apr. 28-30
2009 2008

Very good	2%	4%
Mostly good	22%	18%
Mostly bad	36%	36%
Very bad	32%	37%
No opinion	8%	6%

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	<u>Very good</u>	<u>Mostly good</u>	<u>Mostly bad</u>	<u>Very bad</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2000 May 23-24	2	16	31	36	15
1999 May 21-23	3	18	35	34	10
1997 May 30-June 1	3	17	35	34	11