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1. Birthers | Obama Birthplace (Combined)

Do you think Barack Obama was born in the United States, or not?
Half of respondents were informed that Donald Trump had said 'President Obama was born in the United States, period.

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age (4 category) |  |  |  | Race (4 category) |  |  |  |
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|  |  | Male | Female | Under 30 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | White | Black | Hispanic | Other |
| Yes | 61\% | 62\% | 60\% | 67\% | 68\% | 56\% | 55\% | 57\% | 73\% | 66\% | 61\% |
| No | 22\% | 22\% | 22\% | 16\% | 17\% | 27\% | 25\% | 26\% | 12\% | 13\% | 20\% |
| Don't know | 17\% | 16\% | 18\% | 17\% | 15\% | 17\% | 20\% | 17\% | 15\% | 21\% | 19\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (999) | (487) | (512) | (176) | (261) | (383) | (179) | (698) | (127) | (114) | (60) |


|  | Total | Party ID (3 category) |  |  | Family Income (3 category) |  |  |  | Census Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Independent | Republican | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Yes | 61\% | 83\% | 59\% | 33\% | 62\% | 56\% | 66\% | 62\% | 62\% | 62\% | 57\% | 65\% |
| No | 22\% | 10\% | 21\% | 39\% | 23\% | 19\% | 27\% | 19\% | 16\% | 27\% | 21\% | 23\% |
| Don't know | 17\% | 6\% | 19\% | 28\% | 15\% | 25\% | 7\% | 19\% | 22\% | 11\% | 22\% | 11\% |
| Totals | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (999) | (364) | (379) | (256) | (482) | (258) | (116) | (143) | (192) | (225) | (352) | (230) |

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## 2. Birthers | Obama Birthplace (Trump Quote)

Donald Trump recently said that he believes "President Obama was born in the United States, period." Do you think Barack Obama was born in the United States
or not?
Asked of half of respondents

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age (4 category) |  |  |  | Race (4 category) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | Under 30 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | White | Black | Hispanic | Other |
| Yes | 63\% | 68\% | 58\% | 68\% | 68\% | 59\% | 57\% | 59\% | 70\% | 69\% | 69\% |
| No | 20\% | 15\% | 24\% | 12\% | 16\% | 24\% | 25\% | 23\% | 13\% | 14\% | 9\% |
| Don't know | 18\% | 17\% | 19\% | 20\% | 16\% | 17\% | 18\% | 18\% | 17\% | 17\% | 22\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (498) | (237) | (261) | (97) | (122) | (191) | (88) | (342) | (66) | (60) | (30) |


|  | Total | Party ID (3 category) |  |  | Family Income (3 category) |  |  |  | Census Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Independent | Republican | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Yes | 63\% | 87\% | 62\% | 34\% | 64\% | 51\% | 79\% | 66\% | 62\% | 65\% | 59\% | 67\% |
| No | 20\% | 8\% | 20\% | 33\% | 23\% | 20\% | 17\% | 13\% | 9\% | 23\% | 20\% | 24\% |
| Don't know | 18\% | 5\% | 19\% | 33\% | 13\% | 29\% | 5\% | 21\% | 29\% | 12\% | 22\% | 9\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (498) | (186) | (186) | (126) | (238) | (123) | (61) | (76) | (88) | (118) | (172) | (120) |

## 3. Birthers | Obama Birthplace (No Quote)

Do you think Barack Obama was born in the United States, or not?
Asked of half of respondents

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age (4 category) |  |  |  | Race (4 category) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | Under 30 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | White | Black | Hispanic | Other |
| Yes | 59\% | 56\% | 63\% | 67\% | 68\% | 52\% | 53\% | 56\% | 78\% | 63\% | 53\% |
| No | 25\% | 29\% | 20\% | 22\% | 18\% | 31\% | 25\% | 29\% | 11\% | 12\% | 30\% |
| Don't know | 16\% | 16\% | 17\% | 12\% | 14\% | 17\% | 22\% | 16\% | 12\% | 25\% | 17\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (501) | (250) | (251) | (79) | (139) | (192) | (91) | (356) | (61) | (54) | (30) |


|  | Total | Party ID (3 category) |  |  | Family Income (3 category) |  |  |  | Census Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Independent | Republican | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Yes | 59\% | 80\% | 57\% | 32\% | 60\% | 61\% | 53\% | 56\% | 62\% | 59\% | 55\% | 64\% |
| No | 25\% | 12\% | 23\% | 46\% | 24\% | 18\% | 38\% | 29\% | 24\% | 31\% | 22\% | 23\% |
| Don't know | 16\% | 8\% | 20\% | 23\% | 16\% | 21\% | 9\% | 15\% | 15\% | 10\% | 22\% | 14\% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (501) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (178) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (193) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (130) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (244) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (135) \end{aligned}$ | $100 \%$ (55) | 100\% <br> (67) | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (104) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (107) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (180) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (110) \end{aligned}$ |

## 4. Birthers | Any Doubt

Which best describes your opinion?

|  |  |  |  |  | Age | ory) |  |  | Race | egory) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | Male | Female | Under 30 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | White | Black | Hispanic | Other |
| There was never any reason to doubt that |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Barack Obama was born in the United |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| States | 49\% | 46\% | 51\% | 49\% | 56\% | 45\% | 47\% | 43\% | 76\% | 52\% | 48\% |
| There were reasons to doubt that Barack |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Obama was born in the |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| United States, but those questions have now been settled | 13\% | 15\% | 10\% | 14\% | 15\% | 14\% | 7\% | 14\% | 8\% | 13\% | 11\% |
| There are still reasons to doubt that Barack |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Obama was born in the |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| United States | 27\% | 25\% | 29\% | 18\% | 14\% | 36\% | 33\% | 33\% | 5\% | 14\% | 26\% |
| Not sure | 12\% | 13\% | 10\% | 19\% | 15\% | 5\% | 13\% | 10\% | 11\% | 21\% | 15\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (994) | (484) | (510) | (174) | (260) | (382) | (178) | (695) | (125) | (114) | (60) |


|  | Total | Party ID (3 category) |  |  | Family Income (3 category) |  |  |  | Census Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Independent | Republican | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| There was never any reason to doubt that |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Barack Obama was born in the United States | 49\% | 81\% | 40\% | 21\% | 51\% | 46\% | 43\% | 50\% | 51\% | 52\% | 44\% | 53\% |
| There were reasons to doubt that Barack |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Obama was born in the United States, but those questions have |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| now been settled | 13\% | 4\% | 16\% | 18\% | 12\% | 13\% | 14\% | 12\% | 13\% | 16\% | 12\% | 10\% |
| continued on the next page ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


|  | Total | Party ID (3 category) |  |  | continued from previous page Family Income (3 category) |  |  |  | Census Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Independent | Republican | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| There are still reasons to doubt that Barack |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Obama was born in the |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| United States | 27\% | 9\% | 29\% | 47\% | 25\% | 29\% | 29\% | 26\% | 24\% | 28\% | 30\% | 23\% |
| Not sure | 12\% | 6\% | 15\% | 14\% | 11\% | 12\% | 13\% | 12\% | 12\% | 4\% | 15\% | 14\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (994) | (361) | (377) | (256) | (480) | (255) | (116) | (143) | (190) | (223) | (351) | (230) |

5. Birthers | Trump's Beliefs

After years of questioning where President Obama was born, Donald Trump recently said that he believes President Obama was born in the U.S. Do you think:

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age (4 category) |  |  |  | Race (4 category) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | Under 30 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | White | Black | Hispanic | Other |
| Donald Trump never really believed that |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Barack Obama wasn't born in the U.S. | 29\% | 27\% | 31\% | 27\% | 28\% | 28\% | 33\% | 27\% | 43\% | 27\% | 25\% |
| Donald Trump used to believe Barack Obama wasn't born in the U.S., but he's changed his mind | 19\% | 22\% | 17\% | 16\% | 21\% | 25\% | 11\% | 20\% | 8\% | 27\% | 21\% |
| Donald Trump still really believes that |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Barack Obama wasn't born in the U.S. | 27\% | 25\% | 28\% | 30\% | 25\% | 23\% | 30\% | 28\% | 28\% | 15\% | 26\% |
| Not sure | 25\% | 27\% | 24\% | 26\% | 26\% | 24\% | 25\% | 25\% | 21\% | 31\% | 28\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (997) | (485) | (512) | (176) | (260) | (382) | (179) | (695) | (128) | (114) | (60) |


|  | Total | Party ID (3 category) |  |  | Family Income (3 category) |  |  |  | Census Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Independent | Republican | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Donald Trump never really believed that |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Barack Obama wasn't born in the U.S. | 29\% | 37\% | 30\% | 16\% | 21\% | 37\% | 42\% | 30\% | 23\% | 24\% | 29\% | 37\% |
| Donald Trump used to believe Barack Obama wasn't born in the U.S., but he's changed his mind | 19\% | 15\% | 17\% | 30\% | 22\% | 20\% | 12\% | 17\% | 27\% | 22\% | 15\% | 18\% |
| Donald Trump still really believes that Barack Obama wasn't born in the U.S. | 27\% | 31\% | 22\% | 28\% | 32\% | 19\% | 19\% | 26\% | 24\% | 31\% | 32\% | 14\% |


|  | Total | Party ID (3 category) |  |  | continued from previous page Family Income (3 category) |  |  |  | Census Region |  |  |  |
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|  |  | Democrat | Independent | Republican | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Not sure | 25\% | 17\% | 32\% | 26\% | 25\% | 25\% | 27\% | 27\% | 27\% | 23\% | 23\% | 30\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (997) | (363) | (379) | (255) | (481) | (256) | (116) | (144) | (192) | (223) | (352) | (230) |

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6. Birthers | Apology

Do you think Donald Trump should apologize to President Obama for having questioned whether he was born in the U.S.?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age (4 category) |  |  |  | Race (4 category) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | Under 30 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | White | Black | Hispanic | Other |
| He should apologize | 51\% | 55\% | 47\% | 60\% | 56\% | 46\% | 44\% | 45\% | 72\% | 52\% | 66\% |
| He should not apologize | 38\% | 36\% | 40\% | 29\% | 24\% | 45\% | 52\% | 46\% | 9\% | 26\% | 31\% |
| Not sure | 11\% | 10\% | 12\% | 11\% | 21\% | 9\% | 4\% | 8\% | 19\% | 22\% | 3\% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | $\begin{gathered} \hline 100 \% \\ (1,000) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (488) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (512) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (177) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (261) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (383) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (179) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (698) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (128) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (114) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 100 \% \\ (60) \end{gathered}$ |


|  | Total | Party ID (3 category) |  |  | Family Income (3 category) |  |  |  | Census Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Independent | Republican | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| He should apologize | 51\% | 80\% | 47\% | 18\% | 54\% | 44\% | 51\% | 53\% | 62\% | 47\% | 48\% | 50\% |
| He should not apologize | 38\% | 10\% | 41\% | 71\% | 32\% | 49\% | 35\% | 40\% | 32\% | 39\% | 40\% | 39\% |
| Not sure | 11\% | 10\% | 12\% | 11\% | 14\% | 7\% | 14\% | 8\% | 6\% | 13\% | 12\% | 12\% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | $\begin{gathered} \hline 100 \% \\ (1,000) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (364) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (380) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (256) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (482) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (258) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (116) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (144) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (192) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (225) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (353) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (230) \end{aligned}$ |

## Interviewing Dates

Target population

## Sampling method

Weighting

Number of respondents
Margin of error
Survey mode
Questions not reported

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U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.

Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, voter registration, political ideology, party identification, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2014 American Community Study Voter registration and party identification were imputed from the November 2014 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.

The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on gender, age race, education, political ideology, geographic region and voter registration The weights range from 0.108 to 6.473 , with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 1.123

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$\pm 4.7 \%$ (adjusted for weighting)
Web-based interviews
20 questions not reported.

