

The Rise of China
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Questionnaire

Q1. Do you think that it is more likely that someday China's economy will grow to be as large as the US economy or that the US economy will always stay larger than China's?

	China's economy will grow as large as the US economy (%)	The US economy will always stay larger than China's (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	60	35	4
Argentina	61	15	24
Armenia	47	30	23
China	50	38	12
France	69	26	5
India	22	36	42
Iran	64	21	16
Israel	75	14	11
Peru	76	17	7
Philippines	38	42	19
Poland	43	26	31
Russia	62	20	17
South Korea	61	37	2
Thailand	39	16	45
Ukraine	43	20	36

Q2. If China's economy were to grow to be as large as the US economy, do you think that would be mostly positive, mostly negative, or equally positive and negative?

	Mostly positive (%)	Mostly negative (%)	Equally positive and negative (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	9	33	54	4
Argentina	34	14	29	23
Armenia	31	12	37	20
France	20	29	46	5
India	28	31	20	21

Iran	60	12	15	13
Israel	27	17	41	16
Mexico	38	33	16	13
Philippines	26	17	42	15
Poland	22	21	34	24
Russia	22	24	34	20
Thailand	34	10	25	31
Ukraine	30	12	27	31

Q3. How much do you trust the following countries to act responsibly in the world?

a. US

	Not at all (%)	Not very much (%)	Somewhat (%)	A great deal (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
Argentina	69	15	9	2	5
Armenia	27	31	25	14	3
Australia	19	21	41	18	1
China	20	39	30	5	7
France	30	42	25	3	1
India	27	25	22	17	9
Indonesia	16	48	26	6	4
Israel	9	7	25	56	3
Peru	23	57	7	10	3
Philippines	4	9	37	48	1
Poland	10	22	44	7	17
Russia	31	42	17	3	7
South Korea	11	42	37	9	0
Thailand	32	24	9	11	25
Ukraine	13	24	31	18	14

b. China

	Not at all (%)	Not very much (%)	Somewhat (%)	A great deal (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	22	36	33	4	5
Argentina	38	27	20	2	14
Armenia	16	30	38	8	8
Australia	11	28	52	7	2

France	33	43	21	1	2
India	19	30	30	12	9
Indonesia	4	33	53	6	4
Israel	19	28	31	11	11
Peru	18	52	14	9	7
Philippines	14	27	47	10	1
Poland	16	31	26	2	25
Russia	14	42	31	4	10
South Korea	6	55	37	1	0
Thailand	28	31	11	6	25
Ukraine	6	23	38	8	24

c. Japan

	Not at all (%)	Not very much (%)	Somewhat (%)	A great deal (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	7	17	47	24	5
Argentina	30	22	23	7	18
Armenia	17	24	33	14	11
Australia	8	19	54	18	1
China	40	39	12	2	8
France	15	25	51	8	1
India	19	22	30	16	13
Indonesia	3	17	58	18	5
Israel	15	17	32	22	14
Peru	15	45	21	13	6
Philippines	11	20	47	20	1
Poland	9	21	34	7	30
Russia	16	35	31	6	12
South Korea	30	51	17	2	0
Thailand	30	30	9	6	25
Ukraine	3	15	42	15	25

Q4. Please indicate how much influence you think each of the following countries has in Asia. Please answer on a 0 to 10 scale, with 0 meaning they are not at all influential and 10 meaning they are extremely influential.

a. US

	Mean	Median	0 (%)	1 (%)	2 (%)	3 (%)	4 (%)	5 (%)	6 (%)	7 (%)	8 (%)	9 (%)	10 (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
Australia	6.6	7	2	0	2	3	6	16	13	19	19	8	9	3
China	8	8	0	0	1	1	2	5	9	11	22	25	21	3
India	7.1	8	2	9	5	2	3	4	4	9	12	13	31	7
Indonesia	7.5	8	1	1	1	2	3	7	11	23	24	12	16	-

b. Japan

	Mean	Median	0 (%)	1 (%)	2 (%)	3 (%)	4 (%)	5 (%)	6 (%)	7 (%)	8 (%)	9 (%)	10 (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
Australia	6.6	7	1	0	2	2	4	17	15	22	22	7	5	4
China	6.8	7	1	1	2	2	4	10	16	22	23	10	6	4
India	6.0	6	5	2	4	10	6	10	13	13	13	7	10	7
Indonesia	7.3	7	0	0	1	1	3	9	14	24	22	13	11	-

c. China

	Mean	Median	0 (%)	1 (%)	2 (%)	3 (%)	4 (%)	5 (%)	6 (%)	7 (%)	8 (%)	9 (%)	10 (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
Australia	7.5	6	0	0	1	1	2	10	9	17	28	15	14	3
China	8	8	0	0	0	1	1	5	9	15	25	20	20	3
India	5.9	6	3	3	5	5	12	13	12	12	13	7	9	6
Indonesia	7	7	0	0	1	1	4	12	18	25	21	9	8	-

Q5. I would like to know how much influence you think each of the following countries has in the world. Please answer on a 0 to 10 scale; with 0 meaning they are not at all influential and 10 meaning they are extremely influential.

a. US

	Mean	Median	0 (%)	1 (%)	2 (%)	3 (%)	4 (%)	5 (%)	6 (%)	7 (%)	8 (%)	9 (%)	10 (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	8.5	9	1	0	0	0	1	6	3	7	17	21	35	9
Armenia	9.4	10	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	2	8	8	75	1
Australia	6.1	6	6	2	3	5	6	21	8	13	17	9	10	1
China	8.6	9	0	0	0	1	1	3	4	7	19	29	31	4
India	7.3	8	2	6	4	2	2	5	5	7	13	15	31	7
Indonesia	6.4	7	2	3	4	5	8	15	13	15	15	10	10	-
Russia	8.5	9	0	1	1	1	1	5	3	7	16	19	42	4
South Korea	8.5	9	0	1	1	1	1	2	4	10	22	30	29	-
Thailand	8.3	10	5	1	1	0	1	7	1	3	10	10	55	5
Ukraine	9	10	0	0	0	1	1	4	2	5	13	18	55	0

b. Japan

	Mean	Median	0 (%)	1 (%)	2 (%)	3 (%)	4 (%)	5 (%)	6 (%)	7 (%)	8 (%)	9 (%)	10 (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	6.4	7	3	1	2	2	5	18	12	16	15	9	7	10
Armenia	5.8	6	9	1	4	7	6	16	8	11	16	7	12	3
Australia	5.7	5	2	0	3	6	7	31	14	15	12	3	4	0
China	6.7	7	1	1	1	3	5	11	15	23	22	9	4	4
India	6.2	7	3	2	4	8	5	11	11	15	16	8	10	6
Indonesia	6.9	7	1	0	2	2	5	12	16	23	21	10	8	-
Russia	6.4	7	1	0	2	6	6	13	15	16	14	9	6	11
South Korea	6.5	7	0	1	1	3	5	14	19	30	19	5	2	-
Thailand	6.9	8	6	1	2	3	3	13	7	11	18	10	22	6
Ukraine	6.5	7	2	2	2	4	7	16	12	15	16	12	10	2

c. China

	Mean	Median	0 (%)	1 (%)	2 (%)	3 (%)	4 (%)	5 (%)	6 (%)	7 (%)	8 (%)	9 (%)	10 (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	6.4	7	3	1	2	3	5	18	11	15	16	9	7	10
Armenia	5.6	6	10	2	3	9	7	15	11	11	13	7	11	2
Australia	5.5	5	3	1	3	6	10	21	14	13	9	3	5	1
China	7.8	8	0	0	0	1	3	6	9	16	24	21	16	3
India	6.0	6	4	4	6	5	6	13	11	16	12	8	10	7
Indonesia	6.3	6	1	1	2	5	6	18	19	24	12	5	7	-
Russia	6.2	6	1	1	3	5	8	15	16	19	13	6	5	8
South Korea	6.7	7	-	0	1	2	4	17	19	24	21	10	3	-
Thailand	6.9	8	6	1	1	3	3	15	6	9	16	11	22	6
Ukraine	5.9	6	3	3	4	6	9	19	14	14	14	10	5	1

Q6. Do you think [survey country] should have a free trade agreement that would lower barriers such as tariffs with each of the following countries?

a. Free trade agreement with US

	Yes (%)	No (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
China	66	19	15
India	55	26	19
South Korea	54	42	4
Thailand	60	16	24

b. Free trade agreement with Japan

	Yes (%)	No (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	47	43	10
China	53	31	16
India	48	26	26
South Korea	50	46	4
Thailand	63	13	23

c. Free trade agreement with China

	Yes (%)	No (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	34	56	10

India	44	25	31
South Korea	66	31	4
Thailand	61	14	25

Q7. In your opinion, are relations of [survey country] with the following countries improving, or staying about the same.

a. US

	Improving (%)	Worsening (%)	Staying about the same (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
Armenia	48	8	40	4
Australia	50	8	41	1
China	53	15	27	5
India	58	18	17	8
Indonesia	46	23	27	4
Israel	32	12	52	5
Poland	25	8	60	7
Russia	28	20	45	8
South Korea	10	34	56	0
Thailand	37	28	10	25
Ukraine	29	9	52	10

b. China

	Improving (%)	Worsening (%)	Staying about the same (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	30	17	47	6
Armenia	34	6	49	12
Australia	59	7	31	3
India	50	23	18	9
Indonesia	49	6	40	5
Israel	40	8	26	26
Poland	9	5	52	34
Russia	44	7	39	10
South Korea	38	15	47	1
Thailand	48	24	3	24
Ukraine	14	3	58	25

c. Japan

	Improving (%)	Worsening (%)	Staying about the same (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	30	9	55	6
Armenia	22	2	54	22
Australia	29	12	56	3
China	25	49	21	5
India	47	18	23	12
Indonesia	39	4	54	4
Israel	27	7	33	33
Poland	15	3	49	34
Russia	26	17	40	16
South Korea	6	61	32	0
Thailand	47	24	3	26
Ukraine	9	3	62	26

Q8. How much do you think the following countries take the interest of [survey country] into account when making foreign policy decisions?

a. US

	Not at all (%)	Not very much (%)	Somewhat (%)	A great deal (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
China	23	35	30	6	6
India	23	23	24	20	9
Israel	7	7	25	57	4
Poland	19	57	9	2	13
Russia	33	33	22	4	8
Thailand	19	30	15	8	28
Ukraine	38	25	22	4	10

b. China

	Not at all (%)	Not very much (%)	Somewhat (%)	A great deal (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	26	34	28	6	6
India	18	28	29	14	11
Israel	36	25	19	6	14
Poland	41	28	3	0	28
Russia	16	31	34	8	10

Thailand	16	37	12	5	29
Ukraine	36	26	17	2	18

c. Japan

	Not at all (%)	Not very much (%)	Somewhat (%)	A great deal (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
US	11	24	45	13	6
China	33	34	19	7	7
India	18	22	32	14	14
Israel	32	23	24	5	16
Poland	36	30	4	1	30
Russia	22	29	30	6	13
Thailand	16	35	12	6	30
Ukraine	39	25	15	2	19