

Percentage Distribution of the Questionnaire for the Snap Survey on "Public Views on cross-Strait Issues" *

Survey Date: May 15 to 17, 2017

Number of Effective Samples: 1,071

Sampling Error: Approximately 2.99% with a 95% confidence level

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Survey Unit: Taiwan Real Survey Co., Ltd.

1. Since May 20 last year, the government has been committed to a policy of maintaining the status quo of peaceful and stable cross-Strait relations. Do you support or not support this position?

Strongly support	Support	Not support	Strongly not support	Don't know / no opinion
16.1%	52.5%	8.8%	5.1%	17.5%
68.6%		13.9%		17.5%

2. Some people say that, "maintaining benign cross-Strait interaction is a mutual responsibility of the two sides. Neither side should resort to non-peaceful or intimidating remarks or actions." Do you approve or not approve this statement?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / no opinion
32.2%	51.7%	5.3%	3.4%	7.3%
83.9%		8.7%		7.3%

* Percentage calculations are rounded to the last decimal place. The sum of the individual percentages may therefore not equal 100%.

3. President Tsai asserts that the cross-Strait relationship is an interactive process that cannot be unilaterally dominated by any one side. The two sides should mutually build goodwill and advance cross-Strait relations. Do you approve or disapprove this assertion?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / no opinion
24.7%	53.2%	6.9%	4.5%	10.8%
77.9%		11.4%		10.8%

4. President Tsai has emphasized that, in the face of the changing situation, mainland China should break away from its current mindset so that the two sides can explore possibilities for future cooperation. Do you support or not support such an approach?

Strongly support	Support	Not support	Strongly not support	Don't know / no opinion
21.0%	50.8%	10.9%	5.4%	11.9%
71.8%		16.3%		11.9%

5. Over the past year, the government has actively maintained existing cross-Strait communication and liaison mechanisms and repeatedly called on the other side to start interaction and dialogue as soon as possible to resolve differences between the two sides. Do you support or not support such an approach?

Strongly support	Support	Not support	Strongly not support	Don't know / no opinion
21.7%	53.8%	9.0%	4.1%	11.4%
75.5%		13.1%		11.4%

6. Some people say that, "Officials on the two sides should negotiate and implement agreements to safeguard the rights and interests of the people." Do you agree or disagree with this statement?

Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / no opinion
23.4%	60.4%	5.6%	2.8%	7.8%
83.8%		8.4%		7.8%

7. Do you think that the government's strengthening of safety management for contact between the people of the two sides is conducive or not conducive to maintaining the order of cross-Strait exchanges?

Very conducive	Conducive	Unconducive	Entirely unconducive	Don't know / no opinion
15.7%	49.8%	16.3%	5.5%	12.8%
65.5%		21.8%		12.8%

8. This year, mainland China blocked Taiwan's participation in the World Health Assembly (WHA) based on political factors. The government expressed dissatisfaction and strongly protested this. Do you support or not support such an approach?

Strongly support	Support	Not support	Strongly not support	Don't know / no opinion
31.2%	39.5%	10.1%	6.4%	12.8%
70.7%		16.5%		12.8%

9. Do you think that obstruction by mainland China is conducive or unconducive to cross-Strait relations?

Very conducive	Conducive	Unconducive	Entirely unconducive	Don't know / no opinion
1.7%	6.3%	41.3%	40.4%	10.3%
8.0%		81.7%		10.3%

10. Taiwan's participation in international organizations and activities concerns the rights and safety of the people of Taiwan. The government's position in the face of pressure from mainland China is to continue seeking support in the international community for Taiwan's participation. Do you approve or disapprove this position?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / no opinion
35.5%	46.7%	3.8%	3.6%	10.4%
82.2%		7.4%		10.4%

11. The government will insist on handling the future development of cross-Strait relations according to Taiwan's democratic institutions and public opinion. Do you support or not support such an approach?

Strongly support	Support	Not support	Strongly not support	Don't know / no opinion
28.6%	46.9%	8.1%	5.0%	11.5%
75.5%		13.1%		11.5%

12. Some people think that facing the new cross-Strait situation, mainland China should adopt new thinking, show goodwill and flexibility, and cooperate with Taiwan to jointly safeguard the peaceful and stable status quo of cross-Strait relations. Do you approve or not approve this statement?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / no opinion
28.6%	54.4%	6.7%	3.7%	6.7%
83.0%		10.4%		6.7%