

# Percentage Distribution of the Questionnaire for the Survey on “Public’s View on Current Cross-Strait Relations” \*

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Sample Size: 1,071

Sampling Error Rate:  $\pm 2.99\%$

Survey Commissioned by: Mainland Affairs Council

Survey Conducted by: Election Study Center at National Chengchi University

1. Do you perceive the mainland Chinese government’s attitude towards our government to be friendly or unfriendly?

Very friendly	Friendly	Unfriendly	Very unfriendly	Don’t know / No opinion
1.5%	11.0%	35.1%	38.1%	14.3%
12.5%		73.2%		14.3%

2. Do you perceive the mainland Chinese government’s attitude towards the Taiwanese people to be friendly or unfriendly?

Very friendly	Friendly	Unfriendly	Very unfriendly	Don’t know / No opinion
3.9%	28.1	33.8%	21.8%	12.5%
32.0%		55.6%		12.5%

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\*Percentage calculations are rounded up to the first decimal point. Therefore, the sum of the individual percentages may not add up to 100%.

3. Do you perceive the current pace of cross-Strait exchanges to be too fast, too slow, or just right?

Too fast	Too slow	Just right	Don't know / No opinion
7.3%	36.4%	38.9%	17.4%

4. Regarding relations between Taiwan and mainland China, there are the following different views, namely (1) Declaring unification as soon as possible, (2) Declaring independence as soon as possible, (3) Maintaining the status quo and moving towards unification later, (4) Maintaining the status quo and moving towards independence later, (5) Maintaining the status quo and deciding on independence or unification later, and (6) Maintaining the status quo indefinitely. Which of these positions do you lean towards?

Declaring unification as soon as possible	Maintaining the status quo and moving towards unification later	Maintaining the status quo and deciding on independence or unification later	Maintaining the status quo indefinitely	Maintaining the status quo and moving towards independence later	Declaring independence as soon as possible	Don't know / No opinion
1.8%	4.3%	26.2%	36.9%	21.5%	4.8%	4.5%
1.8%	88.9%				4.8%	4.5%

5. The Chinese Communist Party (CCP) proposed the “one country, two systems,” which views Taiwan as a local government and special administrative region under its rule, and leaves no room for the existence of the Republic of China. Do you agree with this proposition?

Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / No opinion
0.6%	3.9%	30.3%	56.4%	8.7%
4.5%		86.7%		8.7%

6. The government stresses that Taiwan's future and development of cross-Strait relations must be decided by its 23 million people. Do you agree with this position?

Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / No opinion
45.5%	41.2%	4.2%	3.0%	6.2%
86.7%		7.2%		6.2%

7. The CCP insists that cross-Strait communication and negotiations can only be resumed under the “1992 Consensus” based on the “one China principle.” Do you agree with this position?

Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / No opinion
3.3%	12.4%	32.3%	38.8%	13.3%
15.7%		71.1%		13.3%

8. In the international arena, senior CCP officials insist that the Taiwan issue is mainland China’s internal affair and demand that other countries adhere to the “one China principle.” Do you agree with these actions?

Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don’t know / No opinion
2.3%	4.9%	30.6%	54.3%	7.8%
7.2%		84.9%		7.8%

9. The CCP has long engaged in military threats, economic coercion, and diplomatic suppression against Taiwan. Do you agree with these actions?

Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don’t know / No opinion
1.0%	2.1%	25.6%	63.9%	7.4%
3.1%		89.5%		7.4%

10.Regarding cross-Strait exchanges, some people believe that economic benefits are more important, while others believe that national sovereignty is more important. Which do you believe is more important?

Economic benefits	National sovereignty	Both	Don’t know / No opinion
41.2%	48.4%	3.3%	7.1%

11.In order to avoid issues of dual allegiance, our current laws explicitly prohibit individuals with dual nationality from holding public offices. Do

you think mainland Chinese spouses should be required to renounce their PRC citizenships in order to serve as legislators or hold other public offices in Taiwan?

Should be required	Should not be required	Don't know / No opinion
74.0%	17.0%	9.0%

12. Compared to the past, do you think current cross-Strait relations are more relaxed, more tense, or unchanged?

More relaxed	As relaxed as before	Unchanged	As tense as before	More tense	Don't know / No opinion
6.5%	5.7%	15.8%	11.2%	55.4%	5.4%
12.2%		15.8%	66.6%		5.4%

13. Do you agree with the statement that “the Republic of China and the People’s Republic of China are not subordinate to each other”?

Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / No opinion
45.2%	28.9%	10.6%	5.2%	10.1%
74.1%		15.8%		10.1%

14. Do you agree with the government’s position of upholding the Republic of China’s constitutional system and maintaining the status quo across the

### Taiwan Strait?

Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / No opinion
42.1%	41.7%	4.2%	2.3%	9.7%
83.8%		6.5%		9.7%

## Respondents' Basic Information

1. What is your most frequently used source of information?

Social media	Digital newspapers and magazines	Newspapers and magazines	Television or radio broadcast	Neighbors and friends	Don't know / No opinion
39.4%	11.2%	2.7%	41.8%	0.2%	4.7%

2. What social media platform do you use most frequently?

Instagram	Facebook	X (Twitter)	LINE	TikTok	RED	YouTube	Don't know / No opinion	Other	Skipped
5.9%	15.8%	0.5%	4.0%	0.3%	0.1%	8.4%	2.8%	1.6%	60.6%

3. How many days a week do you spend on social media platforms?

1 day	2 days	3 days	4 days	5 days	6 days	7 days	No response	Skipped
0.0%	0.3%	1.2%	0.6%	1.6%	0.6%	35.1%	0.1%	60.6%

4. Party affiliation

Chinese Nationalist Party (KMT)	Democratic Progressive Party (DPP)	New Party (NP)	People First Party (PFP)	Taiwan Solidarity Union (TSU)	New Power Party (NPP)	Taiwan People's Party (TPP)	Neutral / Depends on situation	No response / Other party
21.1%	31.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%	7.3%	35.3%	4.8%

### 5. Party support

Strongly support the KMT	Support the KMT	Lean toward the KMT	Strongly support the DPP	Support the DPP	Lean toward the DPP	Strongly support the NP	Support the NP	Lean toward the NP	Strongly support the PFP	Support the PFP	Lean toward the PFP
7.1%	12.0%	2.0%	14.0%	14.0%	3.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

Strongly support the TSU	Support the TSU	Lean toward the TSU	Strongly support the NPP	Support the NPP	Lean toward the NPP	Strongly support the TPP	Support the TPP	Lean toward the TPP	Neutral / No response / Other
0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.2%	0.0%	1.9%	4.0%	1.4%	40.1%

### 6. Age

20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60 and above	No response
14.3%	16.3%	19.6%	17.9%	30.7%	1.2%

### 7. What is your highest level of education?

Elementary school or below	Middle school	High school or vocational school	College	University or above	No response
10.3%	11.2%	27.2%	11.3%	39.5%	0.5%

8. Is your father Hakka Taiwanese, Hoklo Taiwanese, from a province or city in mainland China, or indigenous Taiwanese?

Hakka Taiwanese	Hoklo Taiwanese	From a province or city in mainland China	Indigenous Taiwanese	Foreign national	No response
14.0%	71.4%	8.3%	0.7%	0.3%	5.3%

9. Five occupational categories

Senior or mid-level white-collar	Junior or low-level white-collar	Agriculture, forestry, fishery, or animal husbandry	Blue collar	No response / Other
41.2%	23.9%	5.0%	26.9%	3.1%

10. Eight occupational categories

Military, public service, or education	Private sector management or professional personnel	Private sector staff	Private sector laborer	Agriculture, forestry, fishery, or animal husbandry	Student	Home-maker	No response / Other
10.7%	27.5%	18.9%	24.5%	4.2%	3.0%	10.0%	1.2%

11. Where do you reside?

Greater Taipei Metropolitan Area	New Taipei City or Keelung	Taoyuan, Hsinchu, or Miaoli	Taichung, Changhua, or Nantou	Yunlin, Chiayi, or Tainan	Kaohsiung, Pingtung, or Penghu	Yilan, Hualien, or Taitung	No response
20.5%	9.1%	16.1%	19.2%	14.1%	15.7%	4.2%	1.2%

12. Gender

Male	Female
48.8%	51.2%

13. Over the past five years, have you or your family visited mainland China for any purpose, including visiting relatives, studying, investing, working, or for other activities?

Yes	No	No response
25.8%	73.5%	0.7%

14. In the next three years, do you or your family have plans to visit mainland China for purposes including visiting relatives, studying, investing, working or other activities?

Yes	Possibly	No	No response
14.7%	6.8%	72.5%	6.0%