# Percentage Distribution of the Questionnaire for the Survey on "Public Views on Current Cross-Strait Issues\*

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1. In regards to a recent statement by the US president that the US would defend Taiwan, the government of the Republic of China (Taiwan) emphasized that it will continue to show determination on self-defense and work with the US and other likeminded countries to jointly defend democracy and freedom and maintain regional peace and stability. Do you support the government's position?

Strongly support	Support	Not support	Do not support at all	Don't know / No opinion
25.7%	44.8%	9.2%	4.7%	15.6%
70.	5%	13.	9%	15.6%

2. In response to the continued emphasis by the US that it will abide by its commitments to Taiwan and defend Taiwan, the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) criticized Taiwan for colluding with foreign powers, seeking independence to spark provocation, and creating tensions in the Taiwan Strait. Do you approve of the CCP's

statement?
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Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / No opinion
3.9%	9.2%	36.2%	41.9%	8.8%
13.1%		78.1%		8.8%

 $<sup>^\</sup>ast$  Percentage calculations are rounded to the last decimal place. The sum of the individual percentages may therefore not equal 100%

3. President Tsai recently stated that Taiwan is also faced with changes in the international political and economic situation and increased external threats; as long as Taiwan is united, it will be able to overcome any challenge, no matter how difficult. Do you support this position?

Strongly support	Support	Not support	Do not support at all	Don't know / No opinion
32.4%	37.4%	15.3%	7.4%	7.5%
69.8%		22.7%		7.5%

4. The CCP emphasizes its so-called "one China" principle and its stance that Taiwan is an inalienable part of China's territory in the international community. Do you approve of the CCP's position?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / No opinion
2.2%	7.2%	30.5%	53.1%	7.0%
9.4	4%	83.	6%	7.0%

5. This year the CCP obstructed Taiwan's participation in the World Health Assembly (WHA) once again. It emphasized that, under the precondition of the "one China" principle, it has made proper arrangements for Taiwan's participation in global health affairs and has been caring for the health and well-being of Taiwanese people. Do you approve of the CCP's statement?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / No opinion
1.5%	4.6%	34.7%	51.6%	7.5%
6.4	1%	86.	3%	7.5%

6. The CCP alleges that Taiwan is unable to participate in the WHA because its denial of the "1992 Consensus" under the "one China" principle undermines the political basis for cross-Strait negotiations. Do you approve of the CCP's statement?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / No opinion
3.6%	8.1%	34.0%	46.3%	7.9%
11.	7%	80.	3%	7.9%

7. Taiwan will actively seek to join the "Indo-Pacific Economic Framework." The CCP has expressed opposition to Taiwan's participation in any official economic and trade arrangement. Do you approve of the CCP's approach?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / No opinion
0.6%	2.4%	34.2%	55.1%	7.7%
3.0	)%	89.	3%	7.7%

8. The CCP has long exerted diplomatic pressure against Taiwan and obstructed Taiwan's participation in international organizations and holding of international activities. Do you approve of the CCP's approach?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / No opinion
1.3%	2.7%	30.4%	59.2%	6.4%
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9. The CCP will not renounce the use of force against Taiwan. Recently, CCP's military aircraft and warships have remained active around Taiwan. The CCP also conducts military exercises aimed at Taiwan to intimidate Taiwan. Do you approve of the CCP's approach?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / No opinion
0.4%	3.2%	26.7%	63.9%	5.8%
3.6%		90.6%		5.8%

10. The CCP has long used misinformation and disinformation campaign to divide Taiwan internally and disrupt Taiwanese society. Do you approve of the CCP's approach?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / No opinion
0.6%	2.1%	30.9%	56.1%	10.3%
2.7	7%	87.	0%	10.3%

11. Do you approve of the progressive resumption of exchanges by mainland Chinese people visiting Taiwan after the situation of the COVID-19 pandemic eases on both sides of the Taiwan Strait?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / No opinion
21.5%	50.1%	12.3%	9.7%	6.4%
71.	6%	22.	0%	6.4%

12. The government is strengthening security management for mainland Chinese coming to Taiwan in conjunction with adjustments to border controls to maintain the order of cross-Strait exchanges. Do you support this approach?

Strongly support	Support	Not support	Do not support at all	Don't know / No opinion
38.4%	38.3%	10.5% 3.1%		9.6%
76.	7%	13.	6%	9.6%

13. The government firmly refuses the CCP's "one country, two systems" and safeguards national sovereignty and Taiwan's democracy. Do you support this approach?

Strongly support	Support	Not support	Do not support at all	Don't know / No opinion
44.4%	31.4%	8.9% 5.0%		10.3%
75.	8%	13.	9%	10.3%

14. The government stated that the objective reality and current status quo across the Taiwan Strait is that "the Republic of China (Taiwan) and People's Republic of China (PRC) are not subordinate to each other." Do you approve of this position?

Strongly approve	Approve	Disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know / No opinion
43.0%	39.2%	7.2%	4.0%	6.7%
82.	2%	11.	2%	6.7%

#### **Basic Information**

#### 15. Age

20 to 29 years old	30 to 39 years old	40 to 49 years old	50 to 59 years old	60+ years old	No response
14.9%	16.6%	19.3%	18.2%	29.3%	1.7%

#### 16. Education

Illiterate, uneducated		Middle school and junior high school	High school and vocational high school	Junior College	University	Graduate Institute and above	No response
2.2%	9.3%	11.6%	27.2%	11.7%	29.5%	8.0%	0.5%

17. There are several major political parties in Taiwan, including the Democratic Progressive Party (DPP), Chinese Nationalist Party (KMT), People First Party (PFP), New Party (NP), Taiwan Solidarity Union (TSU), New Power Party (NPP),

and Taiwan People's F	Party (TPP). Which polit	ical party do you us	ually lean towards?

КМТ	DPP	NP	TSU	NPP	TPP	Green Party	Taiwan Statebuil- ding Party	No party leaning /No preference for any party	Don't know / No opinion
8.9%	28.9%	0.1%	0.2%	1.3%	5.9%	0.2%	0.9%	51.4%	2.2%

## 18. Geographic Area

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Taipei City	10.6%
New Taipei City	17.1%
Taichung City	11.7%
Tainan City	8.0%
Kaohsiung City	11.8%
Keelung City	1.6%
Hsinchu City	1.8%
Chiayi City	1.1%
Yilan County	1.9%
Taoyuan City	9.4%
Hsinchu County	2.3%
Miaoli County	2.3%
Changhua County	5.3%
Nantou County	2.1%
Yunlin County	2.9%
Chiayi County	2.2%
Pingtung County	3.5%
Taitung County	0.9%
Hualien County	1.4%
Penghu County	0.5%
No response	1.7%

### 19. Gender

Male	Female
49.1%	50.9%