

# YouGov / Amnesty Survey Results

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<b>Weighted Sample</b>	1029	1006	1552	1000	1017	2034	1006	1008	1000	1005	1009	1531
<b>Unweighted Sample</b>	1000	1006	1552	1000	1017	1847	1006	1008	1000	1005	1009	1518
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Do you think the [your country] Government should or should not intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile phone communications of ...

**all [your country] citizens living in the [your country]**

Should intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	30	25	36	23	33	20	21	22	43	32	18	18
Should not intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	55	65	44	61	44	69	58	63	52	61	67	63
Don't know	15	10	20	16	24	11	20	15	5	7	15	20

**all foreign nationals in the [your country]**

Should intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	48	41	55	48	54	39	36	43	56	51	34	29
Should not intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	38	47	26	35	27	49	44	40	39	39	50	51
Don't know	13	12	18	17	20	12	20	17	5	10	16	21

**people living in other countries**

Should intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	25	24	34	31	46	27	25	22	38	29	20	17
Should not intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	53	56	38	46	31	55	48	53	53	54	59	57
Don't know	22	20	29	23	24	18	27	25	10	18	21	26

Thinking about the United States government, do you think the US government should or should not intercept, store and analyse internet use in [your country]?

Should intercept, store and analyse internet use in [your country]	16	14	21	17	22	12	12	13	24	25	13	11
Should not intercept, store and analyse internet use in [your country]	72	80	63	68	56	81	73	75	74	66	75	75
Don't know	12	6	17	15	22	8	15	12	3	9	11	15

Technology companies are able to secure internet communications to prevent the content of users' data (e.g. emails, messages, or social media activity) being accessed without the user's permission. In some countries, governments want companies to give them a way of accessing this data.

Which of the following comes closest to your view?

Technology companies should provide the government access to this data	31	17	40	28	38	22	24	23	27	24	21	20
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Unweighted Sample	1000	1000	
	%	%	

## Do you think the [your country] Government should or should not intercept, stc

all [your country] citizens living in the [your country]			
Should intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	30	20	<b>26</b>
Should not intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	55	63	<b>59</b>
Don't know	15	18	<b>15</b>
all foreign nationals in the [your country]			
Should intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	48	50	<b>45</b>
Should not intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	38	30	<b>40</b>
Don't know	13	20	<b>15</b>
people living in other countries			
Should intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	25	36	<b>29</b>
Should not intercept, store and analyse internet use and mobile communications	53	35	<b>49</b>
Don't know	22	30	<b>23</b>

Thinking about the United States government, do you think the US government			
Should intercept, store and analyse internet use in [your country]	16	N/A	<b>17</b>
Should not intercept, store and analyse internet use in [your country]	72	N/A	<b>71</b>
Don't know	12	N/A	<b>12</b>

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Which of the following comes closest to your view?			
Technology companies should provide the government access to this data	31	20	<b>26</b>

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<b>Weighted Sample</b>	<b>1029</b>	<b>1006</b>	<b>1552</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>1017</b>	<b>2034</b>	<b>1006</b>	<b>1008</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>1005</b>	<b>1009</b>	<b>1531</b>
Unweighted Sample	1000	1006	1552	1000	1017	1847	1006	1008	1000	1005	1009	1518
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Technology companies should secure communications in a way that prevents governments from accessing users' data	56	78	39	55	40	66	56	61	70	71	67	55
Don't know	13	6	21	17	22	12	20	17	3	6	12	24

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<b>Weighted Sample</b>	<b>1029</b>	<b>1000</b>	
Unweighted Sample	1000	1000	
	%	%	
Technology companies should secure communications in a way that prevents governments from accessing users' data	56	63	<b>60</b>
Don't know	13	17	<b>15</b>

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Some people think that any surveillance of internet use should have to be subjected to transparent and independent judicial and parliamentary oversight, whereas others say some surveillance such as that conducted by government intelligence agencies is too sensitive for such oversight.

Which of the following comes closest to your view?

Any surveillance of internet use should have to be subject to transparent and independent oversight	53	55	47	49	55	61	42	49	57	44	62	30
In some cases, it is acceptable for internet surveillance to take place without oversight	39	39	37	39	30	30	40	40	41	49	30	45
Don't know	9	7	16	13	15	9	18	11	3	7	7	25

Please now assume that [your country]'s intelligence and security agencies are intercepting and storing the data collected from the use of your internet and mobile phone. Please say whether you would be more likely or less likely to do each of the following, or would it make no difference?

Criticise the government on social media, email or private messaging applications

More likely	13	29	9	13	9	15	12	15	31	24	20	7
Less likely	10	15	7	11	11	16	9	7	29	18	12	12
Make no difference – I would do this anyway	39	27	44	34	35	28	28	34	18	28	40	30
Make no difference – I wouldn't do this anyway	31	21	31	33	28	26	36	34	19	24	18	33
Don't know	7	7	9	9	18	15	16	10	2	5	11	18

Search online for personally sensitive or confidential information such as a medical condition, sexual and reproductive health, relationship advice, etc.?

More likely	5	21	3	8	10	10	9	6	28	15	10	4
Less likely	17	22	13	19	14	22	12	17	29	25	18	15
Make no difference – I would do this anyway	43	28	49	39	33	23	33	36	22	33	43	28
Make no difference – I wouldn't do this anyway	27	19	22	24	26	28	29	30	18	21	17	31
Don't know	9	10	11	10	18	16	17	12	3	6	12	22

\*note: adding averages may result in figures higher than 100% due to rounding. For exact figures, format the numbers to :

	Australia	United States	Average
Weighted Sample	1029	1000	
Unweighted Sample	1000	1000	
	%	%	

Some people think that any surveillance of internet use should have to be subject to transparent and independent oversight. Some people think that any surveillance such as that conducted by government intelligence agencies is too much. Which of the following comes closest to your view?			
Any surveillance of internet use should have to be subject to transparent and independent oversight	53	47	50
In some cases, it is acceptable for internet surveillance to take place without oversight	39	39	38
Don't know	9	14	12

Please now assume that [your country]'s intelligence and security agencies are subject to transparent and independent oversight. Please say whether you would be more likely or less likely to do each of the following.			
<b>Criticise the government on social media, email or private messaging applications</b>			
More likely	13	15	16
Less likely	10	15	13
Make no difference – I would do this anyway	39	36	32
Make no difference – I wouldn't do this anyway	31	23	27
Don't know	7	11	11
<b>Search online for personally sensitive or confidential information such as a medical condition, sexual and reproductive health, relationship advice, etc.?</b>			
More likely	5	8	11
Less likely	17	21	19
Make no difference – I would do this anyway	43	35	34
Make no difference – I wouldn't do this anyway	27	22	24
Don't know	9	14	12

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