



## North Carolina Survey Results

**Q1** Current law requires a local county permit for all handguns; do you agree or disagree with this law?

*Agree* ..... 67%  
*Disagree* ..... 20%  
*Not sure* ..... 12%

**Q2** Current law requires background checks on all guns sold by an authorized dealer; do you agree or disagree that all gun sales should require a background check?

*Agree* ..... 90%  
*Disagree* ..... 7%  
*Not sure* ..... 2%

**Q3** This is completely confidential-- Do you own a gun?

*Yes* ..... 46%  
*No* ..... 54%

**Q4** Would you describe yourself as a liberal, moderate, or conservative?

*Liberal* ..... 17%  
*Moderate* ..... 40%  
*Conservative* ..... 43%

**Q5** If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

*Woman* ..... 55%  
*Man* ..... 45%

**Q6** If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If you are an independent or identify with another party, press 3.

*Democrat* ..... 46%  
*Republican* ..... 34%  
*Independent/Other* ..... 21%

**Q7** If you are white, press 1. If African-American, press 2. If other, press 3.

*White* ..... 73%  
*African-American* ..... 23%  
*Other* ..... 4%

**Q8** If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1. If 30 to 45, press 2. If 46 to 65, press 3. If you are older than 65, press 4.

*18 to 29* ..... 12%  
*30 to 45* ..... 30%  
*46 to 65* ..... 38%  
*Older than 65* ..... 20%

**Q9**

*252* ..... 9%  
*336* ..... 22%  
*704* ..... 17%  
*828* ..... 16%  
*910* ..... 15%  
*919* ..... 21%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Own a Gun?	
		Yes	No
<b>County Permit for Guns Support</b>			
<b>Agree</b>	67%	57%	76%
<b>Disagree</b>	21%	33%	10%
<b>Not sure</b>	12%	10%	14%

	Base	Own a Gun?	
		Yes	No
<b>Background Check for Guns Support</b>			
<b>Agree</b>	90%	87%	93%
<b>Disagree</b>	7%	10%	5%
<b>Not sure</b>	2%	3%	2%

	Base	Own a Gun?	
		Yes	No
<b>Own a Gun?</b>			
<b>Yes</b>	46%	100%	-
<b>No</b>	54%	-	100%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>County Permit for Guns Support</b>				
<b>Agree</b>	67%	79%	72%	59%
<b>Disagree</b>	20%	8%	16%	29%
<b>Not sure</b>	12%	13%	12%	12%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Background Check for Guns Support</b>				
<b>Agree</b>	90%	98%	90%	87%
<b>Disagree</b>	7%	1%	7%	11%
<b>Not sure</b>	2%	1%	3%	2%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Own a Gun?</b>				
<b>Yes</b>	46%	27%	48%	51%
<b>No</b>	54%	73%	52%	49%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>County Permit for Guns Support</b>			
<b>Agree</b>	67%	74%	59%
<b>Disagree</b>	20%	12%	31%
<b>Not sure</b>	12%	14%	10%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Background Check for Guns Support</b>			
<b>Agree</b>	90%	91%	89%
<b>Disagree</b>	7%	5%	10%
<b>Not sure</b>	2%	3%	1%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Own a Gun?</b>			
<b>Yes</b>	46%	32%	63%
<b>No</b>	54%	68%	37%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>County Permit for Guns Support</b>				
<b>Agree</b>	67%	71%	62%	67%
<b>Disagree</b>	20%	16%	27%	21%
<b>Not sure</b>	12%	13%	11%	12%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Background Check for Guns Support</b>				
<b>Agree</b>	90%	92%	86%	93%
<b>Disagree</b>	7%	7%	9%	6%
<b>Not sure</b>	2%	1%	4%	1%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Own a Gun?</b>				
<b>Yes</b>	46%	37%	57%	46%
<b>No</b>	54%	63%	43%	54%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Race		
		White	African-American	Other
<b>County Permit for Guns Support</b>				
<b>Agree</b>	<b>67%</b>	66%	69%	80%
<b>Disagree</b>	<b>20%</b>	24%	12%	5%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>12%</b>	10%	19%	15%

	Base	Race		
		White	African-American	Other
<b>Background Check for Guns Support</b>				
<b>Agree</b>	<b>90%</b>	91%	89%	92%
<b>Disagree</b>	<b>7%</b>	7%	9%	8%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>2%</b>	2%	2%	-

	Base	Race		
		White	African-American	Other
<b>Own a Gun?</b>				
<b>Yes</b>	<b>46%</b>	52%	28%	39%
<b>No</b>	<b>54%</b>	48%	72%	61%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>County Permit for Guns Support</b>					
<b>Agree</b>	<b>67%</b>	62%	77%	67%	59%
<b>Disagree</b>	<b>20%</b>	10%	16%	24%	26%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>12%</b>	29%	7%	9%	15%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Background Check for Guns Support</b>					
<b>Agree</b>	90%	90%	89%	92%	89%
<b>Disagree</b>	7%	5%	10%	7%	7%
<b>Not sure</b>	2%	5%	1%	1%	5%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Own a Gun?</b>					
<b>Yes</b>	46%	29%	45%	49%	50%
<b>No</b>	54%	71%	55%	51%	50%

	Base	Area Code					
		252	336	704	828	910	919
<b>County Permit for Guns Support</b>							
<b>Agree</b>	67%	68%	68%	68%	61%	69%	69%
<b>Disagree</b>	20%	24%	18%	20%	30%	22%	14%
<b>Not sure</b>	12%	8%	14%	12%	8%	9%	17%

	Base	Area Code					
		252	336	704	828	910	919
<b>Background Check for Guns Support</b>							
<b>Agree</b>	90%	85%	87%	90%	92%	94%	92%
<b>Disagree</b>	7%	12%	12%	6%	8%	4%	4%
<b>Not sure</b>	2%	2%	1%	4%	-	2%	4%



**Crosstabs**

	Base	Area Code					
		252	336	704	828	910	919
<b>Own a Gun?</b>							
<b>Yes</b>	<b>46%</b>	60%	46%	46%	57%	55%	24%
<b>No</b>	<b>54%</b>	40%	54%	54%	43%	45%	76%