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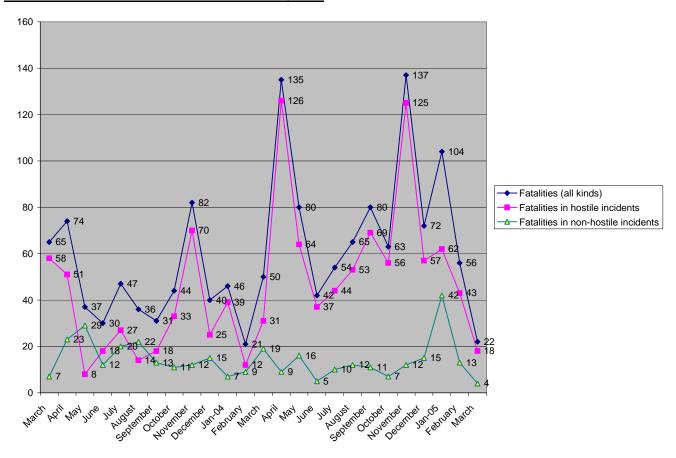
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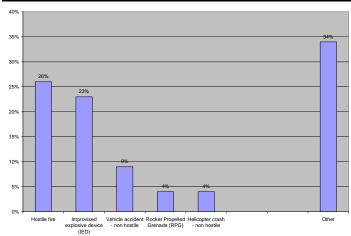
U.S. TROOPS FATALITIES SINCE MARCH 19, 20031



Total from March 19, 2003 through March 17, 2005:

Fatalities (all kinds): 1,513
Fatalities in hostile incidents: 1,158
Fatalities in non-hostile incidents: 355

MOST FREQUENT CAUSES OF U.S. MILITARY FATALITIES IN IRAQ SINCE MAY 1, 2003²

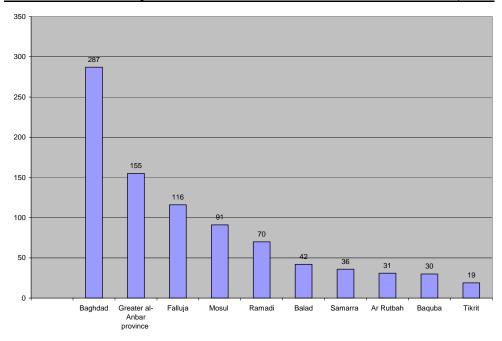


Through March 1, 2005

NOTE ON U.S. TROOP FATALITIES SINCE MARCH 19, 2003 TABLE:

As of February 1,2005 the fatality numbers for previous months have changed slightly due to more detailed information becoming available from the Defense Department. The daily Department of Defense casualty reports that we use for our monthly estimates on U.S troops killed doesn't make entirely clear when in a 24 hour period casualties were incurred. Since the reports are published 10AM daily, there is the possibility that our numbers for January 2005 and onwards are slightly off due to uncertainties about when casualties occurred on the first and last of each month. We have chosen to interpret the numbers in the casualty report as representing fatalities that occurred throughout the previous day. Total fatalities include four civilians working for the Department of Defense.

LOCATIONS OF FREQUENT U.S. MILITARY FATALITIES SINCE MAY 1, 2003³

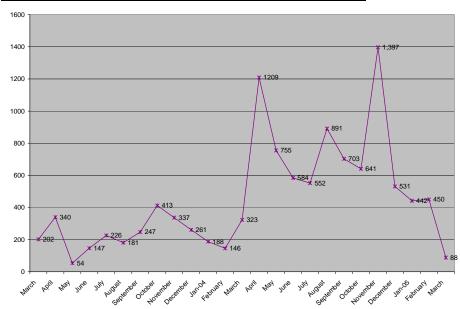


Through March 1, 2005: 896

U.S. MILITARY DEATHS BY CATEGORY MAY 1, 2003 – FEBRUARY 26, 2005⁴

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Gender	Officers/Enlisted	Age	Component	Race/Ethnicity
Male: 98%	Officer: 10%	<22: 25%	Active: 79%	American Indian or Alaska Native: 1%
Female: 2%	E5-E9: 31%	22-24: 26%	Reserve: 8%	Asian: 2%
	E1-E4: 59%	25-30: 26%	National Guard: 13%	Black or African American: 11%
		31-35: 10%		Hispanic or Latino: 10%
		>35: 12%		Multiple races, pending or unknown: 1%
		N/A=1%		Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander: 1%
				White: 74%

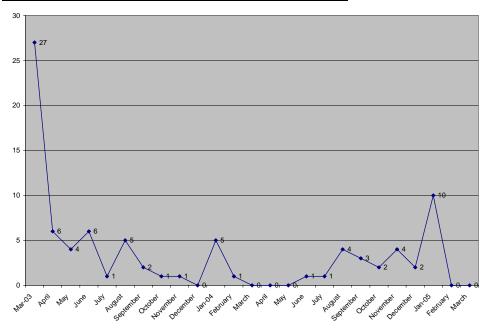
U.S. TROOPS WOUNDED IN ACTION SINCE MARCH 2003⁵



Total from March 19, 2003 through March 17, 2005: 11,308

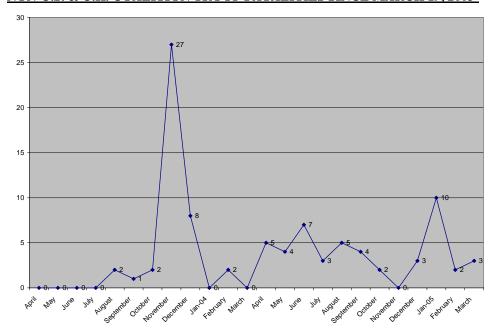
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BRITISH TROOP FATALITIES SINCE MARCH 19, 2003⁶



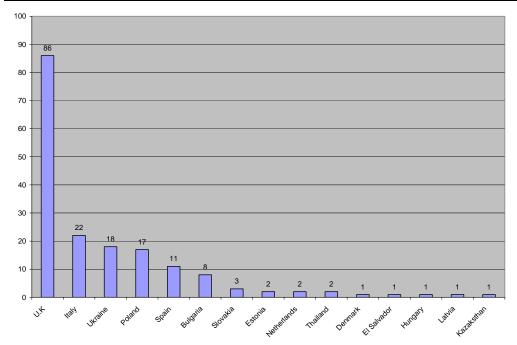
Total through March 17, 2005: 86

NON-U.S. & U.K. COALITION TROOP FATALITIES SINCE MARCH 19, 2003⁷



Total through March 17, 2005: 90

NON-U.S. COALITION TROOP FATALITIES BY COUNTRY SINCE MARCH 19, 20038



Total through March 15, 2005: 176

IRAQI POLICE KILLED

Estimated number of Iraqi police killed
April, 2003 December, 2004

IRAQI SOLDIERS & POLICE KILLED

Estimated number of Iraqi soldiers and police killed since June 2004-February 3, 2005 1,342¹⁰

IRAQI SECURITY FORCES RECRUITS KILLED

Estimated number of Iraqi security force	es recruits killed
May 1, 2003 -September 23, 2004	721 ¹¹

IRAQI SOLDIERS, POLICE & IRAQI SECURITY FORCES RECRUITS KILLED

Estimated number of Iraqi soldiers, police, and Iraqi security forces recruits killed
February 1-February 9, 2005

106¹²

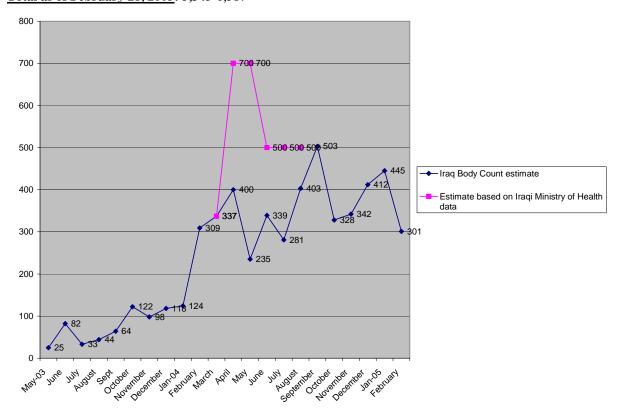
IRAQI INTERPRETERS WORKING FOR COALITION FORCES KILLED

Total number of Iraqi interpreters killed January, 2004 -September 18, 2004 52¹³

ESTIMATES OF IRAOI CIVILIANS KILLED SINCE THE START OF THE WAR

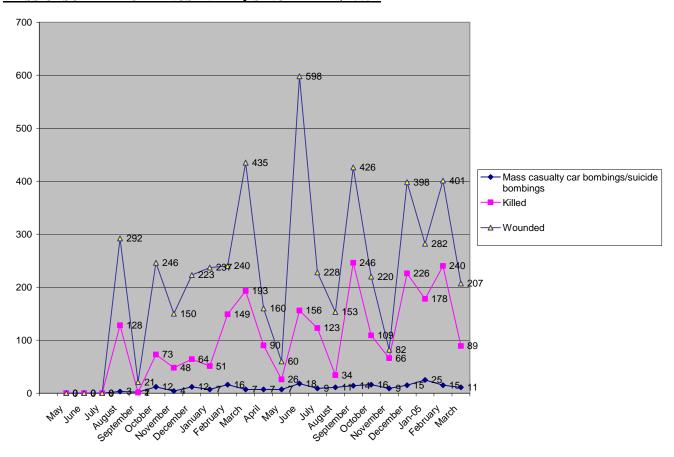
Source	Estimate
Iraq Body Count	16,100 – 18,400 as of February 28, 2005 ¹⁴
Statement by British Foreign Secretary Jack Straw	>10,000 as of February, 2004 ¹⁵
Shaik Omar Clinic, Baghdad	10,363 as of September 8, 2004 ¹⁶
	(in Baghdad and surrounding towns alone)
Amnesty International (London)	>10,000 as of September 8, 2004 ¹⁷
The Human Rights Organization, Iraq	>30,000 as of September 8. 2004 ¹⁸
Iraq Index	Not including deaths from crime as of February 28, 2005:
(assume 7,350 Iraqi civilians killed from start of the war	12,700-13,900
until May 1, 2003 as reported by	Including deaths from crime as of February 28, 2005:
Iraq Body Count)	27,500-46,700

IRAQI CIVILIANS KILLED AS A RESULT OF ACTS OF WAR SINCE MAY 1, 2003¹⁹ Total as of February 28, 2005: 5,345-6,587



NOTE ON IRAQI CIVILIANS KILLED AS A RESULT OF ACTS OF WAR TABLE: This is our best estimate of a monthly breakdown of how many Iraqi civilians have been killed as a result of acts of war, both by insurgents and U.S. military. We have relied on information in Iraq Body Count up until March 2004, but have created a lower and upper bound starting in April. The upper bound is the amount of Iraqi civilians killed as a result of mass casualty bombings and by fighting between insurgents and coalition forces as reported by the Iraqi Ministry of Health. The lower bound is estimates as reported by Iraq Body count, and include civilians and police killed by fighting between insurgents and coalition forces, and as a result of mass casualty bombings. Because reports of Iraqi civilian fatalities are not necessarily reported in the order they occur, the estimated number of civilians killed up until a certain date may change as more cases are reported. We recognize that it is very possible that both these estimates are most probably lower than the actual number as a result of the fact that many separate incidents go unreported or unnoticed. We are doing our utmost not to include suspected Iraqi insurgents killed deliberately by U.S. forces or as a result of crime. There may be some double counting of the people that are reported as dead by the Iraqi morgue due to crime, although measures to minimize any such double counting have been taken by focusing on reports of separate incidents only. The Associated Press reported that there had been 5,558 violent deaths in Iraq since May 1, 2003 and up until April 30. The article points out that "there is no precise count for Iraq as a whole on how many people have been killed, nor is there a breakdown of deaths caused by the different sorts of attacks. The U.S. military, the occupation authority and Iraqi government agencies say that they don't have the ability to track civilian deaths." The Associated Press estimate that 3,240 Iraqi civilians died between March 20 to April 20, 2003, but

MASS CASUALTY BOMBINGS IN IRAQ SINCE MAY 1, 2003²⁰



Total as of March 17, 2005:

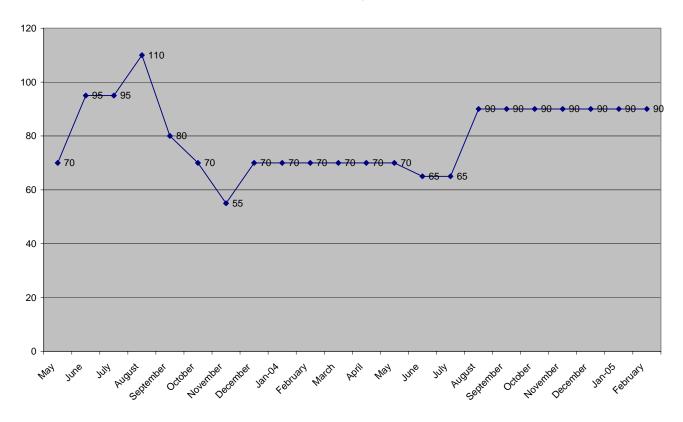
Mass casualty bombings: 220

Killed: 2,290 Wounded: 5,059

NOTE: At least 136 of the 219 mass casualty bombings reported so far were suicide bombings. The casualties listed above do not include the suicide bombers. The tallies for the number of killed and wounded are approximate. Attacks that kill or injure more than 2 people are considered mass-casualty bombings. Roadside bombs are not included in the tally of mass casualty bombing. 59 car bombs exploded in September, 2004, according to Steve Fainaru, "U.S. Frees Fallujah Negotiator," *Washington Post*, October 19, 2004. This higher number includes all car bombs, both those that killed more than 2 people, and those that did not. The Iraqi interior minister gave an estimate that includes both lethal and non-lethal bombs. According to these numbers 18 car bombs killed 126 people in June, 2004, 34 car bombs in August, 2004, killed 245 people, 20 car bombs killed 28 in August, 2004 and 20 car bombs killed 168 people in September, 2004. "Iraqi Official Car Bombings killed 569 over 4 Months," *USA Today*, October 27, 2004.

CRIME-RELATED DEATHS IN BAGDHAD SINCE MAY, 2003²¹

Estimated annualized murder rate per 100,000 citizens (For comparison Washington DC rate: 43])



TOTAL IRAQI CIVILIANS KILLED AS A RESULT OF VIOLENCE FROM WAR AND VIOLENCE FROM CRIME SINCE MAY, 2003²²

Estimated number of Iraqi civilians killed as a result of	
violence from war and violence from crime between	20,100-39,300
May, 2003 and February 28, 2005	

NOTE ON CRIME RELATED DEATHS IN BAGHDAD: Estimates for each month are typically based on the number of bodies brought to the Baghdad morgue with mortal gunshot wounds. We recognize that our estimates could be too high as a result of the possibility that some of the gunshot victims could be insurgents killed intentionally by U.S. military, but also that they could be too low since many murder victims are never taken to the morgue, but buried quickly and privately and therefore never recorded in official tallies. The homicide rate is calculated based on an estimated population of 5.6 million people in Baghdad.

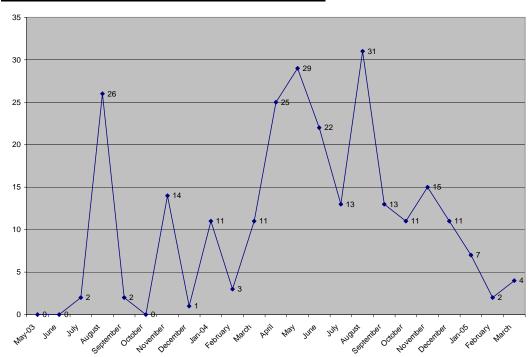
NOTE ON CRIME RELATED DEATHS IN BAGHDAD: Interpol lists the following nationwide numbers per 100,000 citizens for countries in the region: Libya 2.08, Jordan 6.33, Lebanon 3.38, Saudi Arabia, 0.71. However, Interpol notes that these [nationwide] statistics cannot be used as a basis for comparison between different countries. This is partly because "police statistics reflect reported crimes, but this only represents a fraction of the real level. The volume of crimes not reported to the police may depend on the actions, policies and perceptions of the police. These can vary with time, as well as from country to country." Because of the inherent difficulty in interpreting and comparing international murder rates, all such statistics - including those stated in the table above - should be interpreted guardedly.

NOTE ON TOTAL IRAQI CIVILIANS CASUALTIES AS A RESULT OF VIOLENCE FROM WAR AND VIOLENCE FROM CRIME: Recognizing that the statistics for civilian casualties are not good, and that it is very hard to differentiate whether Iraqi civilian fatalities are due to violence from war or violence from crime, we have estimated how many people have died of both causes since May, 2003 and up until September 30, 2004. The total represented by this table is a rough but we believe reasonable range of how many Iraqi civilian have been killed during this period.

AMERICAN CONTRACTORS KILLED IN IRAQ

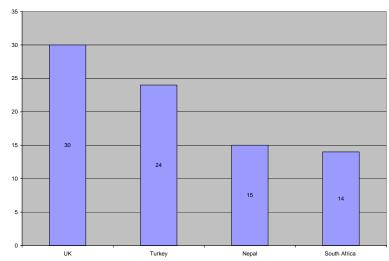
American civilian security and reconstruction contractors killed in Iraq as of December 31, 2004²³
232

NON-IRAQI CIVILIANS KILLED SINCE MAY, 2003²⁴



Total through March 13, 2005: 253

<u>COUNTRIES WITH MORE THAN 10 CIVILIANS KILLED</u> <u>IN IRAQ SINCE MAY 1, 2003 (EXCLUDING IRAQ AND THE UNITED STATES)²⁵</u>



Through March 3, 2005

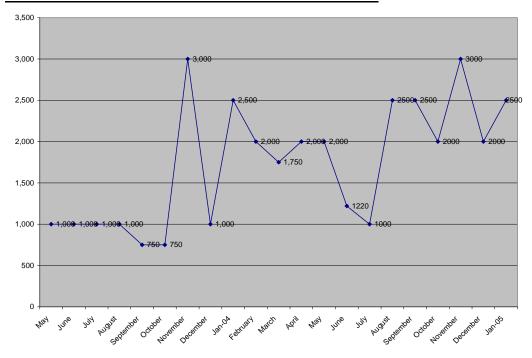
NOTE ON AMERICAN CONTRACTORS KILLED IN IRAQ_TABLE: The majority of these deaths are not included in the non-Iraqi civilian casualties table, since we have no information which month the deaths occurred.

NOTE ON NON-IRAQI CIVILIAN CASUALTIES TABLE: Approximately 60,000 American civilians were working with U.S. troops in Iraq as of November, 2004. Tony Capaccio, "Pentagon's Reliance on Civilians Surges, Death Claims Show," *Bloomberg.com*, November 19, 2004.

FOREIGN NATIONALS KIDNAPPED IN IRAQ SINCE MAY 2003

Month	Number of foreigners	Status
	kidnapped	
Date of capture unknown	$14^{\overline{26}}$	11 unknown, 3 killed
May 2003 - October 2003	0	
November	1 ²⁷	1 released
December 2003 -March 2004	0	
April	43 ²⁸	3 killed, 30 released, 2 still held, 1 escaped, 7 status
		unknown
May	2^{29}	1 killed, 1 still held
June	3^{30}	2 killed, 1 escaped
July	26^{31}	3 killed, 13 released, 6 still held, 1 rescued, 1 escaped,
		2 unknown
August	30^{32}	15 killed, 15 released
September	31 ³³	4 killed, 4 released, 22 still held, 1 rescued
October	8 ³⁴	3 killed, 2 released, 1 still held
November	5 ³⁵	1 killed, 4 still held
December	2^{36}	2 still held
January 2005	13^{37}	8 released, 5 still held
February	10^{38}	3 still held, 7 released
March	1 ³⁹	1 still held
Total		33 killed, 84 released, 47 still held, 3 escaped, 2
through March 15, 2005	189	rescued, 20 status unknown

TOTAL NUMBER OF INSURGENTS DETAINED OR KILLED⁴⁰



NOTE ON TOTAL NUMBER OF INSURGENTS DETAINED OR KILLED TABLE: General George W. Casey estimate that 15,000 militants have been killed or captured between January 2004 and January 2005. Cameron W. Barr and Karl Vick, :30 Marines, Sailor Die in Copter Crash in Iraq," Washington Post, January 27, 2005.

NOTE ON TOTAL NUMBER OF INSURGENTS DETAINED OR KILLED TABLE: The estimate of suspected insurgents killed or detained since May is a very rough one. The substantial increase in number of people detained or killed in November and onwards may not imply a huge increase in people detained or killed but rather that the data improved starting that month. The numbers for suspected insurgents killed or detained from November, 2003 to March, 2004 is not a monthly total, but the projected total given the daily pace of *detained* anti-coalition suspects only, since we have no data on how many insurgents were killed during those months.

IRAQI PRISON POPULATION 41

Peak prison population in 2003	10,000
Prison population in July, 2004	$5,700^{42}$
	(of which 90 are foreign nationals)
Prison population as of September 7, 2004	5,500 ⁴³
	(whereof 2 are women, 65-70 are juveniles
	and 130-140 are foreign nationals)
Prison population as of early October 2004	4,300 ⁴⁴
Prison population as of November 29, 2004	$8,300^{45}$
Prison population as of January 20, 2005	$7,900^{46}$

ESTIMATED STRENGTH OF INSURGENCY NATIONWIDE

Month	Estimated strength of insurgency		
	nationwide		
November	5,000 ⁴⁷		
December	5,000 ⁴⁸		
January 2004	3, 000-5,000 ⁴⁹		
February	N/A		
March	N/A		
April	5,000 ⁵⁰		
May	N/A		
June	N/A		
July	$20,000^{51}$		
August	20,000		
September	20,000 ⁵²		
October	20,000		
November	20,000 ⁵³		
December	"more than 20,000",54		
January	18,000 ⁵⁵		
February	$18,000^{56}$		

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF FOREIGN FIGHTERS IN THE INSURGENCY

January 2004	300-500 ⁵⁷
July 2004	"Low hundreds",58
September 2004	"Less than 1000",59
November 2004	$3,000^{60}$
January 2005	"Fewer than 1,000",61
February 2005	"Fewer than 1,000",62

NOTE ON IRAQI PRISON POPULATION TABLE:

The detainee prison population as of January 21, 2005 only includes 224 foreign fighters. The January, 2005 entry does not include 1,200 suspected insurgents being detained at smaller facilities at military brigade and division level. About 75% of those individuals are freed after a few days.

NOTE ON IRAQI PRISON POPULATION TABLE: Military official claim that the duration of processing those arresting and releasing those who are innocent have been decreased to an average of 60 days from having been between 120 – 140 days. Only 25 individuals of those released have been recaptured for being suspected of conducting attacks against American forces. Dexter Filkins, "General Says Less Coercion of Captives Yields Better Data," *New York Times*, September 7, 2004.

NOTE ON ESTIMATED STRENGTH OF IRAQI INSURGENCY NATIONWIDE TABLE:

Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, General Richard Myers, said on December 16, 2004 that Saddam loyalist, and not foreign fighters remain the main threat in Iraq. "Baathists Main Threat," *Bahrain Times*, December 16, 2004.

NOTE ON ESTIMATED STRENGTH OF IRAQI INSURGENCY NATIONWIDE TABLE: The Deputy Commander of Coalition forces in Iraq, British Major General Andrew Graham, estimates that there are 40,000 to 50,000 active insurgent fighters" in Iraq. Johanna McGeary, "Mission Still Not Accomplished," *Time Magazine*, September 2, 2004.

COALITION TROOP STRENGTH IN IRAQ SINCE MAY

Month		U.S. troops in Iraq		Other coalition troops in Iraq	Total international troop
1/101111	Active	Reserve	Total	(excluding U.S. & Iraqi forces)	strength in Iraq
		(includes			
	1.12.00063	National Guard)	1 = 0 0 0 0 65	22.00066	172.000
May	~142,000 ⁶³	~8,000 ⁶⁴	150,000 ⁶⁵	23,000 ⁶⁶	173,000
June	~126,000 ⁶⁷	~24,000 ⁶⁸	150,000 ⁶⁹	21,000 ⁷⁰	171,000
July	~124,000 ⁷¹	~25,000 ⁷²	149,000 ⁷³	21,000 ⁷⁴	170,000
August	~114,000 ⁷⁵	~25,000 ⁷⁶	139,000 ⁷⁷	22,000 ⁷⁸	161,000
September	~103,000 ⁷⁹	~29,00080	132,00081	24,00082	156,000
October	~102,000 ⁸³	~29,000 ⁸⁴	131,000 ⁸⁵	25,00086	156,000
November	N/A	N/A	123,00087	23,90088	146,900
December	~85,400 ⁸⁹	~36,600 ⁹⁰	122,00091	24,500 ⁹²	146,500
January	N/A	N/A	122,000 ⁹³	25,600 ⁹⁴	147,600
February	N/A	N/A	115,000 ⁹⁵	24,00096	139,000
March	N/A	N/A	130,00097	24,00098	154,000
April	N/A	N/A	137, 000 ⁹⁹	25,000 ¹⁰⁰	162,000
May	N/A	N/A	138,000 ¹⁰¹	24,000102	162,000
June	89,700	48,300 ¹⁰³	138,000 ¹⁰⁴	23,000 ¹⁰⁵	161,000
July	N/A	N/A	140,000 ¹⁰⁶	22,000 ¹⁰⁷	162,000
August	84,000	56,000 ¹⁰⁸	140,000 ¹⁰⁹	23,700110	163,700
September	82,800	55,2001111	138,000 ¹¹²	24,600 ¹¹³	162,600
October	82,800	55,200 ¹¹⁴	138,000 ¹¹⁵	24,000116	162,000
November	82,800	55,200	138,000 ¹¹⁷	24,000118	162,000
December	82,800 ¹¹⁹	55,200 ¹²⁰	148,000 ¹²¹	25,000 ¹²²	173,000
January	90,000 ¹²³	60,000	150,000124	25,300 ¹²⁵	175,300
February	N/A	N/A	155,000 ¹²⁶	25,000127	180,000
March	N/A	N/A	150,000 ¹²⁸	25,000 ¹²⁹	175,000

N/A= Not available

NOTE ON COALITION TROOP STRENGTH IN IRAQ SINCE MAY TABLE: In late 2003 the Department of Defense announced that it planned to draw down the number of American troops in Iraq to 105,000 by May 2004. "GAO-04-902R Rebuilding Iraq," June 2004, General Accounting Office. NOTE ON COALITION TROOP STRENGTH IN IRAQ SINCE MAY TABLE: All numbers are end of month estimates or latest data available for the current month.

TOP TEN NON-U.S. COALITION CONTRIBUTORS OF MILITARY PERSONNEL IN IRAQ¹³⁰

Coalition country	Military personnel in Iraq
United Kingdom	8,000
South Korea	3,600
Italy	3,000
Poland	1,700
Ukraine	1,500
Georgia	800
Romania	800
Japan	550
Denmark	530
Bulgaria	460
Remaining 17 coalition countries	4,060 ¹³¹

As of March 16, 2005.

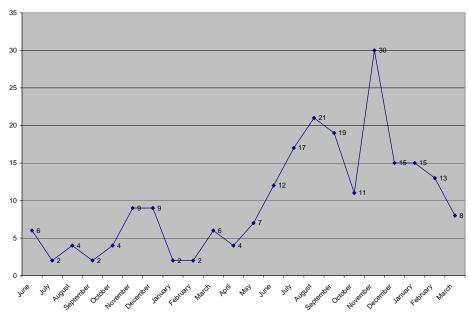
"HIGH-VALUE" INTELLIGENCE REPORTS¹³²

ĕ	September 2004 compared to January 2004
intelligence reports drawn from interrogations	50%

INSURGENT ATTACKS WITH REMOTELY DETONATED BOMBS¹³³

Time	Average number of bomb attacks	Bomb attacks injuring or killing U.S. troops		
April 2004	25/day	90%		
End of February 2005	30/day	25%		

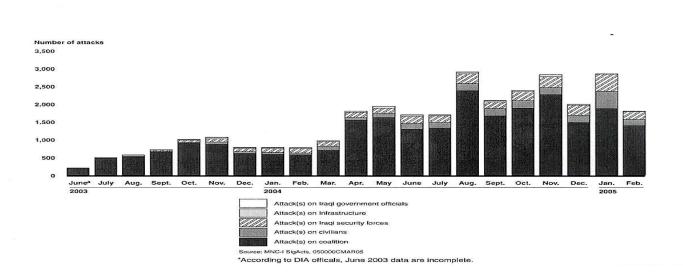
ATTACKS ON IRAQI OIL AND GAS PIPELINES, INSTALLATIONS & PERSONNEL134



Total through March 15, 2005: 218

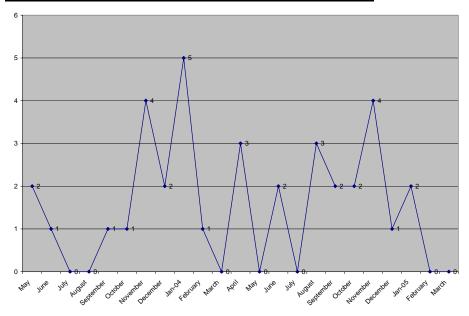
NOTE ON TOP TEN NON-U.S. COALITION CONTRIBUTORS OF MILITARY PERSONNEL IN IRAQ TABLE: In addition to the United States, 27 countries have troops in Iraq as of February 3, 2005: Albania, Armenia, Australia, Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Georgia, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, South Korea, Latvia, Lithuania, Macedonia, Moldova, Mongolia, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Ukraine, and the United Kingdom. "Iraq Weekly Status Report," Department of States, February 9, 2005.

<u>VIOLENT INCIDENTS AGAINST THE COALITION AND ITS PARTNERS</u>¹³⁵



NOTE: Exact numbers for each month are not available.

AMERICAN MILITARY HELICOPTERS DOWNED IN IRAQ 136



Total through March 17, 2005: 36

COALITION FORCES ABILITY TO FIND AND DISARM IMPROVISED EXPLOSIVE DEVICES (IEDs)

Time	Percentage of IEDs found and disarmed 137			
December 2003	37%			
December 2004	50%			

PERCENTAGE OF THE 3RD INFANTRY DIVISION (3RD ID) ON THEIR SECOND TOUR IN IRAQ SINCE MARCH, 2003

Percentage of the 3rd ID on their second tour in Iraq since March 2003 ¹³⁸
50%
as of February 26, 2005

NOTE ON AMERICAN MILITARY HELICOPTERS DOWNED IN IRAQ TABLE: Of the 36 helicopters downed in Iraq since May 2003, at least 20 were downed by enemy fire.

NOTE ON PERCENTAGE OF THE 3RD ID ON THEIR SECOND TOUR IN IRAQ SINCE MARCH, 2003: 10,000 of the roughly 20,000 soldiers in the 3rd ID took part in the invasion of Iraq in March 2003 and the immediate occupation thereafter. Rowan Scarborough, "Army's 3rd Division Returns to Iraq, Washington Times, February 26, 2005.

BAATHIST & OTHER RESISTANCE LEADERS STILL AT LARGE

Month	Iraqi 55 most wanted plus an additional
	25 ex- Baath party leaders still at large 139
April	65
May	53
June	48
July	43
August	41
September	40
October	40
November	40
December	38 ¹⁴⁰
January 2004	37 ¹⁴¹
February	35142
March	34 ¹⁴³
April	34
May	34
June	34
July	34
August	34
September	34
October	34
November	34
December	34
January 2005	32144
February	31 ¹⁴⁵
March	31

NOTE: This table has been revised to include 25 former Baath Party Leaders believed to be financing and directing attacks against American troops and their allies.

SIZE OF IRAOI SECURITY FORCES ON DUTY

Month		Iraqi security forces										
	General police capabilities	National Guard	Iraqi armed Forces	Border patrol	Total Iraqi security forces with combat capability	Facilities protection services						
May	7,000-9,000 ¹⁴⁶	N/A	0	N/A	7,000-9,000	N/A						
June	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A						
July	30,000147	N/A	0	N/A	30,000	11,000148						
August	34,000 ¹⁴⁹	670 ¹⁵⁰	0	2,500 ^I	37,170	N/A						
September	37,000 ¹⁵¹	2,500152	0	4,700 ^I	44,200	>12,000 ¹⁵³						
October	55,000 ¹⁵⁴	4,700155	700156	6,400 ^I	66,800	18,700 ¹⁵⁷						
November	68,800158	12,700159	900 ¹⁶⁰	12,400 ¹	94,800	52,700 ¹⁶¹						
December	71,600 ¹⁶²	15,200 ¹⁶³	400 ¹⁶⁴	12,900 ^I	99,600	65,200 ¹⁶⁵						
January	66,900 ¹⁶⁶	19,800 ¹⁶⁷	1,100 ¹⁶⁸	21,000 ^I	108,800	97,800169						
February	77,100 ¹⁷⁰	27,900 ¹⁷¹	2,000 ¹⁷²	18,000 ^I	125,000	73,900 ¹⁷³						
	77,100 75,000 ¹⁷⁴	33,560 ¹⁷⁵	3,005 ¹⁷⁶	23.426 ^I	134.991	73,992 ¹⁷⁷						
March	22% partially or fully trained	100% partially or fully trained	100% partially or fully trained	39% partially or fully trained	65% partially or fully trained	100% partially of fully traine						
April	80,016 ¹⁷⁸ 22% partially or fully trained	23,123 ¹⁷⁹ partially or fully trained	2,367 ¹⁸⁰ partially or fully trained	18,747 ^I 49% partially or fully trained	124,253 68% partially or fully trained	73,992 ¹⁸¹ partially of fully traine						
May	90,803 ¹⁸² 28% partially or fully trained	24,873 ¹⁸³ partially or fully trained	3,939 ¹⁸⁴ partially or fully trained	16,097 ^I 57% partially or fully trained	135,712 71% partially or fully trained	73,992 ¹⁸⁵ partially of fully traine						
June	83,789 ¹⁸⁶ 32% partially or fully trained	36,229 ¹⁸⁷ partially or fully trained	7,116 ¹⁸⁸ partially or fully trained	18,183 ^I partially or fully trained	145,317 83% partially or fully trained	73,992 ¹⁸⁹ partially of						
July	31,300 ¹⁹⁰ partially or fully trained	36,229 ¹⁹¹ partially or fully trained	7,700 ¹⁹² partially or fully trained	19,859 ^I partially or fully trained	95,088 partially or fully trained	73,992 ¹⁹³ partially of						
August	32,942 ¹⁹⁴ partially or fully trained	37,925 ¹⁹⁵ partially or fully trained	6,288 ¹⁹⁶ partially or fully trained	14,313 ¹⁹⁷ partially or fully trained	91,468 partially or fully trained	73,992						
September	40,152 ¹⁹⁸ partially or fully trained	36,496 ¹⁹⁹ partially or fully trained	7,747 ²⁰⁰ partially or fully trained	14,313 ²⁰¹ partially or fully trained	98,708 partially or fully trained	74,000 ²⁰²						
October	44,728 ²⁰³ partially or fully trained	41,261 ²⁰⁴ partially or fully trained	6,861 ²⁰⁵ partially or fully trained	18,148 ²⁰⁶ partially or fully trained	110,998 partially or fully trained	N/A						
November	49,455 ²⁰⁷ partially or fully trained	43,445 ²⁰⁸ partially or fully trained	6,013 ²⁰⁹ partially or fully trained	14,593 ²¹⁰ partially or fully trained	113,506 ²¹¹ partially or fully trained	N/A						
December	53,571 ²¹² partially or fully trained	40,115 ²¹³ partially or fully trained	14,500 ²¹⁴ partially or fully trained	14,267 ²¹⁵ partially or fully trained	118,009 ²¹⁶ partially or fully trained	N/A						
January 2005	58,964 ²¹⁷ partially or fully trained	36,827 ²¹⁸ partially or fully trained	14,796 ²¹⁹ partially or fully trained	14,786 ²²⁰ partially or fully trained	125,373 ²²¹ partially or fully trained	N/A						
February	82,072 ²²² "trained & equipped"	59,689 ² "operatio		N/A	141,761 ²²⁴ "trained & equipped"	N/A						
	Unauthorized absences personnel are included in these numbers	Unauthorized absences included in thes	_		General Myers: 40,000 ²²⁵ Senator Biden: 4,000 -18,000 ²²⁶							
March	82,984 ²²⁷ "trained & equipped" Unauthorized absences	62,289 ² "operation	nal"	N/A	145,273 ²²⁹	N/A						
	personnel are included in these numbers	Unauthorized absences included in thes			Lt. Gen Petraeus: 50,000 ²³⁰ "off-the-cuff"							
Stated goal	142, 190 ²³¹ (revised up from 89,369 in June 2004) ²³²	61,904 ²³³ (Revised up from 41,088 ²³⁴ in June 2004)	36,635 ²³⁵ (Revised up from 35,000 ²³⁶ in June 2004)	29,360 ²³⁷	272,566 ²³⁸ (145,000 by January 2005 ²³⁹)	73,992 ²⁴⁰						

N/A= Not available

IRREGULAR IRAQI SECURITY FORCES

February 16, 2005	"As many as 15,000 soldiers ²⁴¹ ",
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IRAQI POLICE EQUIPMENT²⁴²

	Status of equipment available as of September 13, 2004									
Iraqi police component	Weapons		Vehicles		Communications		Body armor			
oomponon.	On hand	Required	On hand	Required	On hand	Required	On hand	Required		
Iraqi police service	93,093	213,185	5,923	22,395	13,245	67,565	42,941	135,000		
Civil Intervention Force	0	11,490	0	1,002	0	10,240	0	4,800		
Emergency Response Unit	500	1,020	0	58	300	352	270	270		
Total as percentage of requirement	41%		25%		17%		31%			

BORDER PATROL EQUIPMENT²⁴³

	Status of equipment available as of September 13, 2004								
Department of Border	Weapons		Vehicles		Communications		Body armor		
Enforcement	On hand	Required	On hand	Required	On hand	Required	On hand	Required	
	16,442	42,601	1,798	8,271	1,627	8,271	4,000	28,626	
Total as percentage of requirement	39	0%	22	2%	20	0%	14	9/0	

NOTE: The discrepancy between equipment needed and equipment on hand might not be as severe as these numbers suggest, considering that equipment requirements are based on numbers of security personnel needed, and not the number of security personnel currently serving.

ECONOMIC & QUALITY OF LIFE INDICATORS

FUEL

FUEL	Fuel supplies available							
	Millions of ba	arrels/day		Millions of lite	ers/day	Tons/day	Overall fuel	
Time	Crude oil	Crude	Diesel	Kerosene	Gasoline/Benzene	Liquid	supplies as	
	production	export	(Prod. &	(Prod. &	(Prod. & Imp)	Petroleum Gas	percentage of goal	
	244	245	Imp.)	Imp.)		(Prod. & Imp.)	(the goals have	
Estimated	2.8-3.0 ²⁴⁴	1.7-2.5 ²⁴⁵	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	sometimes	
pre-war							shifted)	
level	~ ~246							
May 2003	0.3^{246}	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	10 %	
June	0.675^{247}	0.2^{248}	N/A	N/A	N/A -253	N/A	23%	
July	0.925^{249}	0.322 ²⁵⁰	6.5 ²⁵¹	4.75 ²⁵²	13.5 ²⁵³	1,880 ²⁵⁴	44%	
August	1.445 ²⁵⁵	0.646^{256}	10.25 ²⁵⁷	6.2 ²⁵⁸	14.0^{259}	2,530 ²⁶⁰	57%	
September	1.7225^{261}	0.983 ²⁶²	14.25^{263}	6.9 ²⁶⁴	17.3 ²⁶⁵	3,030 ²⁶⁶	70%	
October	2.055^{267}	1.149 ²⁶⁸	14.75^{269}	9.6^{270}	16.35 ²⁷¹	$3,700^{272}$	78%	
November	2.1^{273}	1.524 ²⁷⁴	13.14 ²⁷⁵	13.3 ²⁷⁶	11.792277	3,610 ²⁷⁸	76%	
December	2.30^{279}	1.541 ²⁸⁰	12.29 ²⁸¹	9.4 ²⁸²	12.9^{283}	3,460 ²⁸⁴	72%	
January 2004	2.440^{285}	1.537 ²⁸⁶	13.91 ²⁸⁷	11.3 ²⁸⁸	13.32 ²⁸⁹	3,445 ²⁹⁰	78%	
February	2.276^{291}	1.382 ²⁹²	15.21 ²⁹³	13.05 ²⁹⁴	16.65 ²⁹⁵	4,670 ²⁹⁶	88%	
March	2.435 ²⁹⁷	1.825 ²⁹⁸	15.03 ²⁹⁹	17.28 ³⁰⁰	17.19 ³⁰¹	5,010 ³⁰²	92%	
April	2.384 ³⁰³	1.804 ³⁰⁴	22.75 ³⁰⁵	4.46 ³⁰⁶	19.3 ³⁰⁷	3,607 ³⁰⁸	79%	
May	1.887 ³⁰⁹	1.380 ³¹⁰	22.92 ³¹¹	4.005 ³¹²	18.07 ³¹³	3,264 ³¹⁴	73%	
June	2.295 ³¹⁵	1.148 ³¹⁶	16.47 ³¹⁷	4.9318	22319	3,086 ³²⁰	75%	
July	2.2^{321}	1.406 ³²²	17.95 ³²³	5.75 ³²⁴	22.3^{325}	3,820 ³²⁶	80%	
August	2.112^{327}	1.114 ³²⁸	16 ³²⁹	4.2 ³³⁰	15.1 ³³¹	3,417 ³³²	84%	
September	2.514 ³³³	1.703 ³³⁴	16.35 ³³⁵	6.35 ³³⁶	14.6 ³³⁷	2,707 ³³⁸	72%	
October	2.46 ³³⁹	1.542340	16.15 ³⁴¹	7.95 ³⁴²	18.6 ³⁴³	3,044 ³⁴⁴	80%	
November	1.95 ³⁴⁵	1.320346	16.5 ³⁴⁷	7.7 ³⁴⁸	17.9 ³⁴⁹	3,324 ³⁵⁰	77%	
December	2.16 ³⁵¹	1.520352	18.3 ³⁵³	10.5354	17.6 ³⁵⁵	4,222356	88%	
January 2005	2.10 ³⁵⁷	1.367 ³⁵⁸	12.7^{359}	6.7 ³⁶⁰	20.65^{361}	5,017 ³⁶²	75%	
February	2.10 ³⁶³	1.431 ³⁶⁴	15.9365	8.55 ³⁶⁶	21.2 ³⁶⁷	5,003 ³⁶⁸	84%	
March	2.09 ³⁶⁹	1.432 ³⁷⁰	17.9371	7.6 ³⁷²	21.1 ³⁷³	5,274 ³⁷⁴	88%	
Stated	2.5 ³⁷⁵	N/A	17.5 ³⁷⁶	19.5 ³⁷⁷	18	4,300	We assume that the	
Goal:	revised	1,112	revised	revised up in	20	1,000	maximum supplies	
	down in		down in	January from	revised down from	revised up from	as percentage of	
	February		January	18	19.1 in September	4,000 in	goal for each	
	2005 from		2005 from		2004	September	category can only	
	2.8-3.0		18				reach 100%	

 $N/A\!=\!Not$ available NOTE: Kerosene imports began 5 October, 2003. All previous months cover only production NOTE: LPG= Liquified Petroleum Gas

OIL REVENUE³⁷⁸

Time	Oil revenue (billions)
June 2003	\$0.2
July	\$0.36
August	\$0.44
September	\$0.73
October	\$0.89
November	\$1.21
December	\$1.26
January 2004	\$1.26
February	\$1.10
March	\$1.61
April	\$1.50
May	\$1.36
June	\$1.28
July	\$1.40
August	\$1.24
September	\$1.75
October	\$1.99
November	\$1.25
December	\$1.44
January 2005	\$1.49 ³⁷⁹
February	\$1.34 ³⁸⁰
March	\$0.26 ³⁸¹
Total as of	\$25.18
March 9, 2005	

ELECTRICITY

		unt of electricity (Megawatts)	Average hours of electricity/day	Average of daily mega watt hours ³⁸³		
Time	Nation-wide Baghdad		nationwide ³⁸²	(MWH)		
Estimated pre-war level	4,400 ³⁸⁴	2,500 ³⁸⁵	N/A	95,000 ³⁸⁶		
May	N/A	300 ³⁸⁷	N/A	N/A		
June	3,193 ³⁸⁸	707 389	N/A	N/A		
July	3,236 ³⁹⁰	1,082 391	N/A	N/A		
Aug.	3,263 ³⁹²	1,283 393	N/A	72,435		
Sept.	3,543 ³⁹⁴	1,229 395	N/A	75,000		
Oct.	3,948 ³⁹⁶	N/A	N/A	79,000		
November	3,582 ³⁹⁷	N/A	N/A	70,000		
December	3,427 ³⁹⁸	N/A	N/A	72,000		
January 2004	3,758 ³⁹⁹	N/A	N/A	79,000		
February	4,125 ⁴⁰⁰	1,307 ⁴⁰¹	13	90,000		
March	4,040 ⁴⁰²	$1,192^{403}$	16	86,000		
April	3,823 ⁴⁰⁴	1,021 ⁴⁰⁵	15	78,000		
May	3,902 ⁴⁰⁶	$1,053^{407}$	11	80,000		
June	4,293 ⁴⁰⁸	1,198	10	93,500		
July	4,584 ⁴⁰⁹	N/A	10	100,300		
August	4,707 ⁴¹⁰	1,440	13	109,900411		
September	4,467 ⁴¹²	1,485	13	107,200 ⁴¹³		
October	4,074 ⁴¹⁴	1,280	13	99,306 ⁴¹⁵		
November	3,199416	845 ⁴¹⁷	13 ⁴¹⁸	76,550 ⁴¹⁹		
December	3,380 ⁴²⁰	N/A	N/A	81,114 ⁴²¹		
January 2005	3,289422	985 ⁴²³	9 ⁴²⁴	78,925 ⁴²⁵		
February	3,611 ⁴²⁶	1,180 ⁴²⁷	8.5 ⁴²⁸	86,675 ⁴²⁹		
March	3,608 ⁴³⁰	994 ⁴³¹	8 ⁴³²	86,600 ⁴³³		
Stated Goal:	6,000 to have been reached by July 1, 2004 ⁴³⁴	2,500 to have been reached by October 2003 ⁴³⁵	N/A	120,000 ⁴³⁶		

N/A = Not available

NATIONWIDE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE SINCE MAY, 2003

Month	Unemployment rate
	nationwide
May	N/A
June	50 - 60% ⁴³⁷
July	N/A
August	50-60% ⁴³⁸
September	N/A
October	40 - 50% 439
November	N/A
December	45-55% ⁴⁴⁰
January	30 - 45% 441
February	30 - 45% 442
March	30- 45% ⁴⁴³
April	30 - 45% ⁴⁴⁴
May	30-45% ⁴⁴⁵
June	30-40% 446
July	30-40% ⁴⁴⁷
August	30-40% ⁴⁴⁸
September	30-40% 449
October	30-40% 450
November	30-40% ⁴⁵¹
December	28-40% ⁴⁵²
January	28-40%
February	28-40%

N/A= Not available

INFLATION⁴⁵³

Time	Inflation
July 2004	0.6%
August	3.6%
September	5.4%
October	8.5%
November	5.4%
December	3.3%
January 2005	13.9%
February	11.4%

NOTE ON NATIONWIDE UNEMPLOYMENT TABLE: Estimates of Iraq's unemployment rate varies, but we estimate it to be between 28-40%. The CPA has referred to a 25% unemployment rate, the Iraqi Ministry of Planning mentioned a 30% unemployment rate, whereas the Iraqi Ministry of Social Affairs claims it to be 48%. "Reconstructing Iraq," International Crisis Group, Report, September 2, 2004, p. 16, footnote 157.

NOTE ON NATIONWIDE UNEMPLOYMENT TABLE: The numbers referred to in the table is a very rough approximation of the employment

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TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS

Time	Telephone subscribers
Estimated pre-war level	833,000 ⁴⁷¹
September	850,000 ⁴⁷²
December	600,000 ⁴⁷³
January 2004	600,000 ⁴⁷⁴
February	900,000 ⁴⁷⁵
March	984,225 ⁴⁷⁶
April	1,095,000 ⁴⁷⁷
May	1,220,000 ⁴⁷⁸
June	1,200,000 ⁴⁷⁹
July	N/A
August	1,463,148 ⁴⁸⁰
September	1,579,457 ⁴⁸¹
October	1,753,000
November	2,135,000 ⁴⁸²
December	2,152,000 ⁴⁸³
January 2005	2,449,139 ⁴⁸⁴
February	2,569,110 ⁴⁸⁵
March	$2,779,721^{486}$
Previous goal (Jan. 2004)	1,100,000 ⁴⁸⁷

INTERNET SUBSCRIBERS

Time	Internet subscribers ⁴⁸⁸
Estimated pre-war level	11,000
2003	15,000
January-April 2004	N/A
May	54,000
June	59,000
July	73,000
August	87,000
September	95,000
October	102,978
November	$110,000^{489}$
March 2005	140,293 ⁴⁹⁰

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IRAQI NATIONAL DEBT: CREDITORS AS OF NOVEMBER 2003

Creditor country/	Outstanding amounts due by Iraq	
creditor by country of	(millions of dollars)	
origin		
and interest		
Australia	499.3 ⁴⁹¹	
Austria	813.1 ⁴⁹²	
Belgium	184.5 ⁴⁹³	
Brazil	192.9 ⁴⁹⁴	
Canada	564.2 ⁴⁹⁵	
Denmark	30.8^{496}	
Finland	152.2 ⁴⁹⁷	
France	2,993.7 ⁴⁹⁸	
Germany	2,403.9 ⁴⁹⁹	
Italy	$1,726^{500}$	
Japan	4,108.6 ⁵⁰¹	
Netherlands	96.7 ⁵⁰²	
Republic of Korea	54.7 ⁵⁰³	
Russian Federation	$3,450^{504}$	
Spain	321.2 ⁵⁰⁵	
Sweden	185.8^{506}	
Switzerland	117.5 ⁵⁰⁷	
United Kingdom	930.8^{508}	
United States	$2{,}192^{509}$	
Egypt and others	N/A	
Poland	500 ⁵¹⁰	
Kuwait	$17,000^{511}$	
Bulgaria	1.000^{512}	
Hungary	16.5 ⁵¹³	
Gulf States	30.000^{514}	
Morocco	31.8 ⁵¹⁵	
Jordan	295 ⁵¹⁶	
Turkey	800 ⁵¹⁷	
Interest (as of 2002)	$47,\!000^{518}$	
Total	~117,660	

N/A= Not available.

NOTE: Paris Club members (marked as cursive in the table) reached an agreement on November 21, 2004 to forgive 80% of Iraq's debt. 30% of the debt will be written off immediately, followed by another 30% when the International Monetary Fund approves an economic reform program for Iraq in 2005. A final 20% will be written off in 2008 pending Iraqi compliance with the IMF program. The remaining debt will be repaid to Paris Club members over a 23 year period. Craig S Smith, "Major Creditors in Accord to Waive 80% of Iraq Debt," New York Times, November 22, 2004.

NOTE: Debt towards Paris Club countries (cursive), Russia and the Republic of Korea excludes interest rates and is defined as; "from the debtor side, the amounts due by the public sector. From the creditors' point of view, the figures include credits and loans granted, or guaranteed by, the Governments or their appropriate institutions. Basically, private claims (debt owed to private creditors) as well as private debt (owed by private Iraqi Institutions without public guarantee) is excluded from this recollection....Russian claims: this figure represents the amounts due to Russia <u>after</u> a simulation of the adjustment on Soviet era claims consistent with Paris Club methodology." News: Iraq," *Club de Paris/Paris Club*, July 10, 2003

NOTE: "Estimates of Iraq's foreign debt vary widely, from \$62-130 billion. The disparities in estimates are due in part to a disagreement between Iraq and its neighboring states over the nature of approximately \$30 billion in assistance given to Iraq by several Gulf States during the Iran-Iraq War. Iraq considers these payments to have been grants; the creditor states consider them to have been loans. Figures also vary depending on whether they include interests which some estimates put at \$47 billion and rising. The World Bank/Bank for International Settlements' 2001 estimate for Iraqi debt totaled \$127.7 billion, including \$47 billion in accrued interest. The U.S Department of Energy's 2001 estimate was 62.2 billion." "News: Iraq," *Club de Paris/Paris Club*, July 10, 2003.

NOTE: "There are known to be creditors in Egypt, although the exact amount of this debt is not known. There are also assumed to be other unknown or undisclosed creditors in these and other countries. "News: Iraq," *Club de Paris/Paris Club*, July 10, 2003.

PLEDGES MADE AT THE INTERNATIONAL DONOR'S CONFERENCE FOR IRAQ IN MADRID, OCTOBER 23-24, 2003⁵¹⁹.

Donor	2004 (millions)	2005-2007 (millions)	Unspecified by year (millions)	Total (millions)	Form of pledge ⁵²⁰
Australia	\$45.59	\$0	\$0	\$45.59	Grant
Austria	\$1.94	\$3.53	\$0	\$5.48	Grant
Belgium	\$5.89	\$0	\$0	\$5.89	Grant
Bulgaria	\$0.64	\$0	\$0	\$0.64	Grant
Canada	\$0	\$0	\$187.47	\$187.47	Grant
China	\$0	\$0	\$25	\$25	Grant
Cyprus	\$0	\$0	\$0.12	\$0.12	Grant
Czech Republic	\$7.33	\$7.33	\$0.00	\$14.66	Grant
Denmark	\$26.95	\$0	\$0	\$26.95	Grant
Estonia	\$0.08	\$0	\$0	\$0.08	Grant
Finland	\$5.89	\$0	\$0	\$5.89	Grant
Greece	\$0	\$0	\$3.53	\$3.53	Grant
Hungary	\$1.24	\$0	\$0	\$1.24	Grant
India	\$10	\$0	\$0	\$10	Grant
Iran	\$5	\$0	\$0	\$5	Grant
Ireland	\$3.53	\$0	\$0	\$3.53	Grant
Iceland	\$1.50	\$1	\$0	\$2.50	Grant
Italy	\$0	\$0	\$235.62	\$235.62	Grant
Japan	\$0	\$0	\$4,914.00	\$4,914	1,500 in grants 3,400 in loans ⁵²¹
Korea	\$0	\$0	\$200	\$200	Grant
Kuwait	\$0	\$0	\$500	\$500	Grant
Luxembourg	\$1.18	\$1.18	\$0	\$2.36	Grant
Malta	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.27	\$0.27	Grant
Netherlands	\$9.42	\$0	\$0	\$9.42	Grant
New Zealand	\$3.35	\$0	\$0	\$3.35	Grant
Norway	\$4.29	\$8.58	\$0	\$12.87	Grant
Oman	\$0	\$0	\$3	\$3	Grant
Pakistan	\$0	\$0	\$2.50	\$2.50	Grant
Qatar	\$0	\$0	\$100	\$100	Grant
Saudi Arabia	\$120	\$380	\$0	\$500	Loan
Slovenia	\$0.27	\$0.15	\$0	\$0.42	Grant
Spain	\$80	\$140	\$0	\$220	Grant
Sweden	\$0	\$0	\$33	\$33	Grant
Turkey	\$0	\$0	\$50	\$50	Grant
United Arab Emirates	\$0	\$0	\$215	\$215	Grant
United Kingdom	\$235.48	\$216.85	\$0	\$452.33	Grant
United States	\$0	\$0	\$18,649	\$18,649	Grant
International Monetary Fund	\$850	\$1,700-3,400	\$0	\$2,550-4,250	Loan
World Bank	\$500	\$2,500-4,500	\$0	\$3,000-5,000	Loan
European Commission , European Union member states and acceding countries	\$614.83	\$394.04	\$272.54	\$1,256.41	Grant
European Community	\$235.62	\$0	\$0	\$235.62	Grant
Total	\$2,155.21	\$4,958.62 - 8,658.62	\$25,118.50	\$32,232.33 - 35,932.33 \$22,782- 23,232 in grants &	Not applicable
				\$9,450-12,700 in loans	

NOTE: The World Bank defines a pledge as "an indication of intent to mobilize funds for which an approximate sum of contribution is specified." The amounts in this table excludes identified humanitarian assistance (\$115.17 million) and export credits and guarantees. Most donors were not able to specify the type of grant assistance at the time of the conference.

NOTE: It has been estimated that close to 25% of the \$18.billion of U.S. aid to Iraq will be needed to cover security costs. David Barstow et. al. "Security Companies: Shadow Soldiers in Iraq," New York Times, April 19, 2004.

WORLD BANK ESTIMATE OF IRAQ RECONSTRUCTION NEEDS⁵²²

Category	Millions of dollars		ırs
	2004	2005-2007	Total
Government Institutions, Civil Society, Rule of Law & Media	99	288	387
Health, Education, Employment Creation	1,880	5,310	7,190
Infrastructure	5,836	18,368	24,204
Agriculture and Water Resources	1,230	1,797	3,027
Private Sector Development	176	601	777
Mine Action	80	154	234
Total	9,301	26,518	35,819

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Category	Millions of dollars			
	2004	2005-2007	Total	
Security and Police	5,000	-	5,000	
Oil	2,000	6,000	8,000	
Culture	140	800	940	
Environment	500	3,000	3,500	
Human rights	200	600	800	
Foreign Affairs	100	100	200	
Religious Affairs	100	200	300	
Science and Technology	100	300	400	
Youth and Sport	100	200	300	
Total of CPA estimates	8,240	11,200	19,440	

TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE, OBLIGATED, AND DISBURSED FOR IRAQ RECONSTRUCTION524

	U.S. appropriations in 2003 and 2004 (billions)	Development fund for Iraq (billions) as of April 2004	Vested and seized assets (billions) as of April 2004	International (non-U.S.) pledges (billions)
Total Funding	\$24 as of April 2004	\$18	\$2.65	\$13.6 as of April 2004
Obligations	\$13.4 as of	\$13	\$2.5	\$2.7 as of
	November 1, 2004 ⁵²⁵			November 1, 2004 ⁵²⁶
Disbursement	\$5.2	\$8.3	\$2.4	\$1.2
	as of November 1, 2004 ⁵²⁷			as of September 2004 ⁵²⁸

N/A: Not available

NOTE ON TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE, OBLIGATED, AND DISBURSED FOR IRAQ RECONSTRUCTION, AS OF APRIL 2004 TABLE

NOTE ON An apportion is defined as a plan, approved by the Office of Management and Budget, to spend resources provided by law. *Quarterly Update to Congress:* 2207 Report, October 2004.

NOTE ON TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE, OBLIGATED, AND DISBURSED FOR IRAQ RECONSTRUCTION, AS OF APRIL 2004 TABLE: U.S. appropriations include appropriations granted in both 2003 and 2004. In 2003, \$4.5 billion dollars was appropriated towards Iraqi reconstruction, and in 2004 \$18.4 billion was appropriated towards Iraqi reconstruction. An additional amount of roughly \$1 billion was appropriated towards CPA operating costs. \$3 billion of that total sum, \$24 billion, had been spent as of April 2004, most from 2003 funds. A disbursement is defined as an actual payment (check goes out the door) for goods /services received." *GAO-04-902 R: Rebuilding Iraq*, General Accounting Office, June 2004.

PROJECT ALLOCATIONS AND DISBURSEMENT BY CATEGORY AS OF MAY, 2004⁵²⁹

Purpose	Allocations (millions)	Spending (millions)
Ministry operations and expenses	\$7,541	\$6,106
Program Review Board relief and reconstruction project	ts:	
Humanitarian and human services	\$2,202	\$1,292
Essential services	\$1,439	\$316
Security	\$895	\$21
Economic reconstruction	\$224	\$182
Governance	\$34	\$21
Public buildings and other reconstruction	\$27	\$8
Regional programs	\$618	\$333
Total	\$12,980	\$8,279

PROJECT ALLOCATIONS AND DISBURSEMENT BY CATEGORY, AS OF MAY 2004 TABLE:

In addition to U.S. appropriations, the amount dispersed includes funds from the Development Fund for Iraq and for vested and seized assets.

USAID CONTRACTS AS OF JANUARY 2004⁵³⁰

Date	Contract	Awardee	Funding disbursed as of January 2004
1/6/2004	Iraq infrastructure reconstruction -phase 11	Bechtel	\$1.8 billion (awarded contract)
10/21/2003	Agriculture reconstruction and Development for Iraq	Development Alternatives, Inc.	\$9 million
7/25/2003	Economic recovery, Reform, and Sustained growth	BearingPoint, Inc.	\$39 million
6/25/2003	Monitoring and Evaluation	Management System International	\$5.5 million
5/5/2003	Airport Administration	SkyLink Air and Logistics Support, Inc.	17.5million
4/30/2003	Public Health	Abt Associates, Inc.	\$21 million
4/17/2003	Capital Construction	Bechtel	\$1 billion
4/11/2003	Primary and Secondary education	Creative Associates International, Inc.	\$37.9 million
4/11/2003	Local Government	Research Triangle Institute	\$104.6 million
3/24/2003	Seaport Administration	Stevedoring Services of America	\$41.3million
2/17/2003	Theater Logistical Support	Air Force Contract Augmentation Program	\$91.5 million
2/7/2003	Personnel Support	International Resources Group	\$18.3 million
	Tota	al	\$1.387 billion
			disbursed
			\$1.8 billion pending

PRIMARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT⁵³¹

Year	Children enrolled in primary school
2000	3.6 million
2003/2004	4.3 million

COMMERCIAL AIRPORT DEPARTURES NATIONWIDE

Time	Commercial aircraft departures nationwide (per day) ⁵³²
Pre-war	2-3
January 2004	40
April	20
May	20 ⁵³³
June	45 ⁵³⁴
July	45 ⁵³⁵
August	45 ⁵³⁶
September	45 ⁵³⁷
October 2004	45 ⁵³⁸
Stated goal for July 2004	200-300

N/A= Not available

IRRIGATION

Month	Irrigation canals in need of clearing (km)
May 2003	20,000 ⁵³⁹
September 2003	5,000 ⁵⁴⁰
October 2003	3,500 ⁵⁴¹

HOSPITALS RESTORED TO PRE-WAR LEVEL OF OPERATIONS

Month	Hospitals restored to pre-war level of operations
March 2004	90% ⁵⁴²

HEPATITIS OUTBREAKS⁵⁴³

Rate of incidents	
(all types of hepatitis)	
2002=100	
2003=170	
2004=200	

RELATIVE AMOUNT OF CAR TRAFFIC⁵⁴⁴

Relative amount of car traffic		
(Prewar level 1.0)		
July 2003	1.0	
January 2004	2.0	
July 2004	3.0	
January 2005	5.0	

TYPICAL LENGTH OF GASOLINE LINES⁵⁴⁵

Typical Length of Gasoline Line		
(miles)		
July 2003	0.1	
January 2004	0.5	
July 2004	1.0	
January 2005	1.0	

NOTE ON HEPATITIS OUTBREAK TABLE: The hepatitis level in 2002 is defined as 100.

POLLING/POLITICS

IRAQI JANUARY 2005 VOTER TURNOUT & ELECTION RESULTS⁵⁴⁶

Voter turnout	Election results
8.46 million	United Iraqi Alliance (Shiite): 48%
(58% of the eligible	Kurdish Alliance: 26%
population)	Allawi's Iraqi List: 14%

JANUARY 19 – JANUARY 23, 2005: ABU DHABI TV/ZOGBY INTERNATIONAL POLL⁵⁴⁷

Do you favor U.S. forces withdrawing either immediately	Sunni Arabs: 82%
or after an elected government is in place?	Shiite Arabs: 69%
Do you believe that the U.S. will "hurt" Iraq over the	Sunni Arabs: 64%
next five years?	Shiite Arabs: 49%
Do you believe that the ongoing insurgent attacks are a	Sunni Arab: 53%
legitimate form of resistance?	
Do you prefer an Islamic government or a political	Own religion: 59%
system where citizens are allowed to practice their own	Islamic government: 34%
religion?	_

DECEMBER 26- JANUARY 7, 2005: INTERNATIONAL REPUBLICAN INSTITUTE⁵⁴⁸

JANUARY 30 ELECTION: DECEMBER 26- JANUARY 7, 2005

JANUARY 30 ELECTION: DECEMBER 20	U- UILITURIKI /, 4003	\$71913 <4.50/	
	Very likely: 64.5%		
	Somewhat likely: 17.2%		
How likely is it that you will vote in the	Somewhat unlikely: 5.5%		
election?	Very unlikely 7.4%		
		Don't know: 4.5%	
How likely is it that you will vote in the election?	Shiite-Arab	Sunni-Arab	Kurdish
(breakdown by ethno-religious group)	Very likely: 77.3%	Very likely: 19.9%	Very likely: 70.9%
	Somewhat likely: 14.10%	Somewhat likely: 28.8%	Somewhat likely: 19.10%
		Somewhat unlikely: 17.8%	
		Very unlikely: 28.8%	
How likely is it that you will vote in the election?	Baghdad	Kirkuk	Sunni areas
(breakdown by region)	Very likely: 58.1%	Very likely: 46%	Very likely: 21.1%
, ,	Somewhat likely: 16.5%	Somewhat likely: 14%	Somewhat likely: 32.4%
	Very unlikely: 10.4%	Somewhat unlikely: 9%	Somewhat unlikely:
		Very unlikely: 27%	18.5%
			Very unlikely: 19.9%
Is there a political party or figure that you	Yes: 43.7%		
currently support or feel shares your own	No : 45.9%		
values or ideas?	Don't know: 6.7%		
	No answer: 3.6%		
Is there a political party or figure that you	Shiite-Arab	Sunni-Arab	Kurdish
currently support or feel shares your own			
values or ideas?	44.8%	15.4%	71.7%
("yes" by ethno-religious group)			
Is there a political party or figure that you	Baghdad	Kirkuk	Sunni areas
currently support or feel shares your own	_		
values or ideas?	35.9%	29%	18.8%
g("yes" by region)			
If you intend not to vote, which of the following	Security situation is too dangerous: 33.4%		
best describes why?	Don't know about parties or candidates: 7%		
-	Person or group I respect has called for a boycott: 12.3%		
	Don't trust the electoral process: 3.3%		
	Iraq isn't ready for elections: 2.3%		
How much have you seen, read or heard about			
the election in the media>	Some: 26.8%		
	Very little: 23.1%		
	Nothing at all: 10.5%		

IRAOI VIEWS ON SITUATION IN IRAO: DECEMBER 26- JANUARY 7, 2005

Question	December 26-January 7, 2005		
		Right direction: 48.6%	0
Do you think that Iraq today is generally heading in the right or	7	Vrong direction: 39.29	/ o
wrong direction?		Don't know: 10.2%	
Ü		No answer: 2%	
	E	merging democracy: 23.6	5%
	Gettin	g rid of the past regime:	20.1%
Why do you think Iraq is heading in the right direction?	Formatio	on of Iraqi-led governme	nt: 16.1%
viny do you think if aq is neading in the right direction.	Ove	rall increase in freedom:	13%
	Impre	oving economic situation:	: 7.8%
	General improvement of conditions: 6.6%		
	Impr	oving security situation:	2.9%
	Poor security situation: 56.7%		
	Presence of occupation forces: 15.5%		
Why do you think Iraq is heading in the wrong direction?	Unstable situation: 12.2%		
	Infrastructure issues: 2.9%		
	Unemployment: 2.8%		
		d economic situation: 1.9	
		vision of Iraqi people: 1.5	
Thinking about the future, do you feel that things will be better,	six months?	one year?	five years?
the same or worse in			
	Better: 52.3 %	Better: 59.1 %	Better: 64.9 %
	Same: 23.8 %	Same: 16.2 %	Same: 4.5 %
	Worse: 14.1 %	Worse: 9.2 %	Worse: 5.5 %
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IRAQ HEADING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION: REGIONAL VIEW: DECEMBER 26- JANUARY 7, 2005

Region	Do you think Iraq is heading in the <i>right</i> direction?
Baghdad	36.6%
Kurdish areas:	69.5%
Mosul & Kirkuk	19%
Sunni areas:	14.7%
Mid-Euphrates:	64.9%
South:	58.3%

NOVEMBER 24 – DECEMBER 5, 2004: INTERNATIONAL REPUBLICAN INSTITUTE⁵⁴⁹

IRAQI VIEWS ON SITUATION IN IRAQ: NOVEMBER 24 –DECEMBER 5, 2004

Question	November 24-Dece	mber 5, 2004	
	Right direction: 53.8%		
Do you think that Iraq today is generally	Wrong direction: 32%		
heading in the right or wrong direction?	Don't know:	11.7%	
	No answer:	1.8%	
	Getting rid of the past	regime: 21.1%	
	Coming elections: 16.3%		
Why do you think Iraq is heading in the	Formation of Iraqi-led government: 11.4%		
right direction?	Overall increase in freedom: 10.4%		
	Improving economic		
	General improvement of		
	Improving security s Poor security situa		
	Presence of occupation		
Wiles de ser di la la Tara da la calla da	Deterioration of overall		
Why do you think Iraq is heading in the	Unelected govern		
wrong direction?	Lack of cooperation between gov		
	Destroyed infrastructure: 1.7%		
	Bad economic situation: 1.1%		
Thinking about the future, do you believe	Better: 6		
your life one year from today will be	Worse: 13.7%		
better, worse, or the same?	Same: 11.2%		
	Late November		
To what degree do you feel that the	Very effective	• 22 9%	
Interim Government of Iraq has been	Somewhat effecti		
effective or ineffective to date?	Somewhat ineffe		
chective of inchective to date.	Very ineffective: 15.8%		
	Most effective	Least effective	
	Wost effective	Least effective	
	Security situation: 20.2%	Security situation: 35%	
On what issue do you feel that the Iraqi	Economic situation: 20.1%	Infrastructure redevelopment: 12.7%	
government has been most and least	None: 14.8%	Unemployment: 5.5%	
effective?	Relations with other countries: 3%	Economic situation: 4.9%	
	Rising salaries: 2.9%	None: 4.6%	
	Elections: 2.8%	Overall situation in Iraq: 4.0%	
	Improving public services: 2.1%	Fallujah and Najaf: 2.6%	
To what degree do you think Prime	Very effective: 28.9%		
Minister Allawi has been effective since	Somewhat effective: 31.6%		
taking office? Somewhat ineffective			
	Very ineffective: 15.3%		

IRAQI VIEWS ON UPCOMING ELECTION: NOVEMBER 24 –DECEMBER 5, 2004

Do you believe that Iraq will be ready to hold national	Yes: 67.4%
elections by January 31, 2005?	No: 24.5%
	Don't know: 6.4%
If no, why?	Poor security situation: 56.3%
	Iraq is still under occupation: 30%
	Lack of democratic values: 4.9%
	Other: 3.9%
	No reliable census:1.1%
Do you intend to vote in the coming elections?	Strongly intend: 71.4%
	Somewhat intend:12.6%
	Somewhat not intend: 4.7%
	Not intend at all: 8.4%
	Don't know: 2.5%
If you are not going to vote, which of the following best	No answer: 74.2%
describes your decision for boycotting elections?	Security situation: 11.9%
	Don't trust elections process: 6.3%
	Don't know about parties or candidates: 3.2%
	Person/Group I respect calling for boycott: 2%
	Iraq not ready for election: 1.2%
If you intend to vote, how confident are you that you	Very confident: 55.1%
will be able to cast your vote in secret?	Somewhat confident: 30.8%
	Somewhat lack confidence: 5.7%
	Not confident at all: 2.8%
	Don't know: 5.5%
If a group or organization you respect call for a	No: 50.4%
boycott of the election, would you participate I such a	Yes: 40.4%
boycott?	Don't know: 5.7%
	No answer: 3.5%
Do you think the new administration will represent	Yes: 60.5%
you and the people of your community?	No: 11.6%
	Don't know: 15.7%

IRAQ HEADING IN RIGHT OR WRONG DIRECTION: REGIONAL TRENDS:

Region	Do you think Iraq is heading in the <i>right</i> direction?		Do you think Iraq is heading in the wrong direction?	
	December 26-January 7, 2005	November 24- December 5, 2004	December 26-January 7, 2005	November 24- December 5, 2004
Baghdad	36.6%	42.6%	N/A	43.6%
Kurdish areas:	69.5%	71.6%	N/A	8.3%
Mosul & Kirkuk	19%	21.1%	N/A	66.3%
Sunni areas:	14.7%	18.9%	N/A	61.8%
Mid-Euphrates:	64.9%	71.3%	N/A	23.6%
South:	58.3%	61.7%	N/A	23.1%

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IRAQI PERCEPTION OF OVERALL SITUATION IN THE COUNTRY: SEPTEMBER 24-OCTOBER 4, 2004

Ouestion	Findings		
<u> </u>	Findings		
Do you think that Iraq today is generally	Sept. 24- Oct. 4, 2004:	July 24- August 2, 2004:	May 27-June 11, 2004:
heading in the right or wrong direction?	Right Direction: 41.9%	Right Direction: 51.32%	Right Direction: 50.73%
	Wrong direction: 45.3%	Wrong direction: 31.4%	Wrong direction: 39.32%
	Don't Know: 11.2%	Don't Know:16.05%	Don't Know:9.22%
	Getting rid of past regime: 24.8%		
	Formation of Iraqi-led government: 13.2%		
Why do you think Iraq is heading in the <i>right</i>		Establishing democracy:12.3%	
direction?	General in	iprovement in overall conditi	ons: 12.2%
		Increased freedoms: 9.4%	
	Im	proving security situation: 8.	6%
		General optimism: 4.2%	
		Poor security situation: 62.6%	(0
	Pres	sence of occupation forces: 16	5.7%
Why do you think Iraq is heading in the	General deterioration of overall conditions: 6.7%		
wrong direction?	Unelected government: 4.6%		
	Poor economic situation: 3.5%		
	Other: 2%		
	Lack of cooperation between government and people: 1.8%		
In the past year and a half, has your	Yes: 22%		
household been directly affected by violence	No: 77.5%		
in terms of death, handicap, or significant			
monetary loss?			
Thinking about the difficult situation in Iraq	Multinational forces: 33.4%		
currently, whether in terms of security, the	Foreign terrorists: 32.1%		
economy or living conditions, who – in your	Armed supporters of the former regime: 8.1%		
view – is most to blame?	Ourselves: 5.3%		
	United States: 1.5%		
	Combinations of all listed factors: 12.2%		
Thinking about the future, do you believe	Sept. 24- Oct. 4, 2004:	July 24- August 2, 2004:	May 27-June 11, 2004:
your life one year from today will be better,	Better: 64.6%	Better: 66.5%	Better: 64.84%
worse, or the same?	Worse: 15.7%	Worse: 13.3%	Worse: 14.79%
	Same: 11.6%	Same:12.3%	Same: 12.03%

IRAQ HEADING IN RIGHT OR WRONG DIRECTION: REGIONAL TRENDS

Region	Do you think Iraq is heading in the <i>right</i> direction?	Do you think Iraq is heading in the wrong direction
Baghdad	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004: 32.6%	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004: 51.1%
	July 24- August 2, 2004: 46.5%	July 24- August 2, 2004: 27.9%
	May 27-June 11, 2004: 36%	May 27-June 11, 2004: 49.2%
Kurdish areas:	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004: 72.2%	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004: 11.4%
	July 24- August 2, 2004: 71.5%	July 24- August 2, 2004: 17.5%
	May 27-June 11, 2004: 83.8%	May 27-June 11, 2004: 8.64%
Mosul & Kirkuk	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004: 18.3%	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004:75.1%
	July 24- August 2, 2004: 27.7%	July 24- August 2, 2004: 58.7%
	May 27-June 11, 2004: 43.36%	May 27-June 11, 2004:42.47%
Sunni areas:	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004: 14.6%	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004:73.2%
	July 24- August 2, 2004: 28.9%	July 24- August 2, 2004: 53.4%
	May 27-June 11, 2004: 33.43%	May 27-June 11, 2004: 42.47%
Mid-Euphrates:	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004: 45.3%	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004: 45.1%
	July 24- August 2, 2004: 66.7%	July 24- August 2, 2004: 22.4%
	May 27-June 11, 2004: 56.37%	May 27-June 11, 2004: 39.87%
South:	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004: 51.1%	Sept.24- Oct. 4, 2004: 33.1%
	July 24- August 2, 2004: 61.4% May 27-June 11, 2004: 44.36%	July 24- August 2, 2004: 19.2% May 27-June 11, 2004: 45.2%

MOST IMPORTANT ISSUES TO IRAQIS: SEPTEMBER 24-OCTOBER 4, 2004

Five most important issues to Iraqis

Unemployment: 17.6%

Crime: 14%

Infrastructure: 9.5% National security: 9% Multinational forces: 6.8%

Other: 56.9%

IRAOI OPINION ABOUT THE INTERIM GOVERNMENT: SEPTEMBER 24-OCTOBER 4, 2004

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Do you believe that the Interim	Yes, very much: 8.8%	
Government of Iraq represents	Yes, somewhat: 28.10%	
the interests of people like you?	No, not very much: 19.5%	
	No, not at all: 35.7%	
To what degree do you feel that	September:	July:
the Interim Government of Iraq	_	_
has been effective or ineffective	Very effective: 8.2%	Very effective: 19.82%
to date?	Somewhat effective: 35%	Somewhat effective: 43.2%
	Somewhat ineffective: 19.4%	Somewhat ineffective: 14.3%
	Very ineffective: 30.30%	Very ineffective: 12.31%
To what degree do you think Prime Minister Allawi has been	September:	July:
effective since taking office?	Very effective: 13.6%	Very effective: 30.61%
	Somewhat effective: 32%	Somewhat effective: 35.61%
	Somewhat ineffective: 14.9%	Somewhat ineffective: 9.41%
	Very ineffective: 28.3%	Very ineffective: 8.94%

INTERIM GOVERNMENT'S REGIONAL HANDLING OF SECURITY: SEPTEMBER 24-OCTOBER 4, 2004

low much do you agree or disagree with	the government's handling in security, specifically in each of the following regions?	
	Strongly disagree: 44.9%	
Baghdad	Somewhat disagree:14.3%	
(Sadr City)	Somewhat agree:13.2%	
	Strongly agree:14.7%	
	Strongly disagree: 43.5%	
Baghdad	Somewhat disagree:14%	
(Haifa St./Downtown)	Somewhat agree:13.5%	
	Strongly agree:13.6%	
	Strongly disagree: 45.5%	
al-Anbar	Somewhat disagree:14.9%	
	Somewhat agree:12.2%	
	Strongly agree:15.8%	
	Strongly disagree: 46%	
Mosul/Tal Afar	Somewhat disagree:15.2%	
	Somewhat agree:11.8%	
	Strongly agree:12.2%	
	Strongly disagree: 48.4%	
Najaf/Kufa	Somewhat disagree:14.6%	
	Somewhat agree:12.2%	
	Strongly agree:13.60%	
	Strongly disagree: 46.8%	
Basra	Somewhat disagree:14.20%	
	Somewhat agree:12.10%	
	Strongly agree: 12.10%	

IRAQI VIEW OF UPCOMING ELECTION: SEPTEMBER 24-OCTOBER 4, 2004

Do you believe Iraq will be ready	Yes: 58.7%				
to hold national elections by	No: 35.40%				
January 31, 2005?	Don't know: 5.6%				
• '	P	Poor security situation: 59.4%	⁄o		
If not, why?		is still under occupation: 31			
, ·		ack of democratic values: 5.1			
	Abse	ence of an adequate census: 1	.8%		
	September	August:	July:		
Do you intend to vote in the	Yes: 85.5%	Yes: 87%	Yes:88.4%		
coming election?	No:11.8%	No:7%	No:9.53%		
G	Don't know: 2.3%	Don't know:6%	Don't know:1.67%		
		Security situation:46.8%			
	Don't	t trust the electoral process:2	0.3%		
If not why? Lack information about candidates:17.3%			:17.3%		
	Health prevents me:4.2% Do not trust candidates:1.3%				
		Mid-Euphrates: 93.9%			
		Kurdish areas: 88.6%			
Intention to vote by region	South: 87.3%				
		Baghdad: 83.3%			
		Mosul & Kirkuk: 77.3%			
	Sunni areas: 72.8%				
Intention to vote by Muslim sect		Shia muslim: 89.2%			
		Sunni muslim: 81.2%			
1		Only muslim:76.90%			

IMPORTANCE OF RELIGION IN POLITICS: SEPTEMBER 24-OCTOBER 4, 2004

IMPORTANCE OF RELIGION IN POLITICS: SEPTEMBER 24-OCTOBER 4, 2004						
Please indicate how each	of the	Cleric or religiou	ıs	Tribal leader	Government	Political party
following authorities' or		organization				
figures' endorsement o						
candidate or list of candid	dates	More inclined: 40.1%		More inclined: 14.9%	More inclined: 17.5%	More inclined: 11.9%
would make you more or	· less	Less inclined: 7.5	%	Less inclined: 26.5%	Less inclined: 25.1%	Less inclined: 22.9%
inclined to support that						
Do you believe that relig	gion	Religion and gov	vernn	nent should respect on	e another by not impeding	on the rights, roles, and
has a special role in th	ie			responsibilities	of the other: 52.30%	
government today or tl	nat			-		
religion and the governm	nent		Relig	gion has a special role	to play in the government:	37.9%
should respect one anothe			Ì			
remain separate?				Don't	know: 8.9%	
		Shia:		Only muslim:	Sunni:	Other:
				-		
		Special role for religion: 44.3%		Special role for	Special role for	Special role for
				religion: 37.1%	religion: 44.3%	religion: 5.3%
Role of religion: Breakdown by sect				o o		5
		Respect and non-		Respect and non-	Respect and non-	Respect and non-
		interference: 46°	%	interference: 58.5%	interference: 46%	interference: 78.9%
		Don't know: 8.9%		Don't know: 2.6%	Don't know: 8.9%	Don't know: 15.8%
If you believe t	hat rel	igion has a special ro	le to	play in the governmen	t, how would you define th	at special role?
Public leaders publicly		he state actively		lajor religions and	The teachings of the	Government officials
and regularly seek		tects all religions		ts are represented in	faiths embraced by	should publicly
guidance from religious	guidance from religious without favoritism:		the government by		most Iraqis should be	embrace and employ
leaders:			р	rominent religious	protected by law and	religion in carrying out
				figures:	the constitution:	their duties:
Strongly disagree: 3.8%		ngly disagree: 6.3%	Strongly disagree: 4.1%		Strongly disagree: 1.7%	Strongly disagree: 2.9%
Somewhat disagree: 5.3%		what disagree: 8.6%	Somewhat disagree: 9.3%		Somewhat disagree: 1.8%	Somewhat disagree: 4.6%
Somewhat agree: 17.5% Somewhat agree: 14.6%		Somewhat agree: 21.4%		Somewhat agree: 17.4%	Somewhat agree: 18.6%	
Strongly agree: 65.5%	Str	ongly agree: 64.1%	Strongly agree: 57.4%		Strongly agree: 72.9% Strongly agree: 68	

PROSPECT OF CIVIL WAR: SEPTEMBER 24-OCTOBER 4, 2004

Question	Findings
Do you believe that the prospect of civil war,	Unlikely to happen in Iraq: 68.8%
widespread ethnic, sectarian or other armed	Always possible, but unlikely: 14.8%
struggle - is now:	Likely to occur in the near-term: 7.8%
	Don't know: 8.3%
	Interference by neighboring states: 34%
If you believe there is some possibility of civil war	Unfair parliamentary elections: 19.2%
in the near future, which of the following factors	Interference by non-neighboring states: 17.3%
do you believe would be most responsible for	Irreconcilable demands made by one ethnic or sectarian group: 14.7%
instigating it?	Corruption in the government: 8.3%
	Sudden withdrawal of Multinational Forces: 4.5%
	Iran: 50.9%
If you said a neighboring state would be most	Syria: 17%
likely to instigate a civil war, which one?	Turkey: 13.2%
	Kuwait: 11.3%
	Saudi Arabia: 3.8%
	Jordan: 0.0%
If you said a non-neighboring state would be	United States: 66.7%
responsible for instigating a civil war, which	Israel: 22.2%
state?	No anwer:7.4%
	al-Qaeda: 3.7%

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	Better: 46.5%
Since the Fall of the Baath regime in April 2003, do you feel that	Worse: 31.3%
your life has gotten better, worse or stayed the same?	Same: 20.8%
	Don't know: 1.1%
Do you feel that there are enough opportunities for you or people	Yes: 40%
like you to play a role in improving the quality of life in your	No: 42%
community?	Don't know/No answer: 10%
	Very likely: 20.2%
To what degree do you feel that democracy in Iraq is likely or	Somewhat likely: 37.8%
unlikely to succeed?	Somewhat unlikely: 13.9%
	Very unlikely: 18.3%
	Don't know: 9.3%
Do you plan to vote in the upcoming election?	Yes: 88%
	No: 8%
	Don't know/No answer: 5%
How confident are you that when you cast your ballot, that your vote	Very confident: 29%
will be secret?	Somewhat confident: 33.2%
	Not very confident: 11.5%
	Not confident at all: 10.5%
To what extent do you feel that elections will reflect the will of the	Very likely: 38.3%
Iraqi people?	Somewhat likely: 37.3%
	Somewhat unlikely: 7.6%
	Very unlikely: 5.3%
To what extent do you feel that violence is likely leading up to, or	Very likely: 39%
during Iraq's elections scheduled to take place in January?	Somewhat likely: 37%
	Somewhat unlikely: 8%
	Very unlikely: 4%

REGIONAL VIEW OF QUALITY OF LIFE: AUGUST 10-20, 2004:

	Kurdish areas	South	Mid-Euphrates	Baghdad	Mosul &	Sunni areas
Since the Fall of the Baath					Kirkuk	
regime in April 2003, do you feel that your life has gotten	Better: 85.6%	Better: 52.8%	Better: 52.7%	Better: 36.4%	Better: 26.5%	Better: 11.9%
better, worse or staved the	Worse: 3.5%	Worse: 29.8%	Worse: 25.8%	Worse: 34.6%	Worse: 29.1%	Worse: 68.9%
same?						
Thinking about the future,	Better: 88.8%	Better: 66.4%	Better: 77%	Better: 62.1%	Better: 50%	Better: 42.5%
do you think your life will	Worse: 1.6%	Worse: 14%	Worse: 11.7%	Worse: 9.3%	Worse: 14.3%	Worse: 29.2%
be better, worse, or stay the						
same one year from now?						

JULY 24 - AUGUST 2, 2004:

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IRAQI PERCEPTION OF THE INTERIM GOVERNMENT AND PRIME MINISTER ALLAWI

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To what degree do you feel that the Interim	Very effective: 19.8%	
Government has been effective since the handover of	Somewhat effective:42.3%	
authority on June 28?	Somewhat in	neffective: 14.3%
	Very inef	fective: 12.3%
	Don't k	know: 10.4%
To what degree do you feel that Prime Minister Ayed	Very eff	ective: 30.6%
Allawi has been effective since the handover of	Somewhat	effective: 35.6%
authority on June 28?	Somewhat i	neffective: 9.4%
	Very ineffective: 8.9%	
	Don't k	know: 13.8%
On what issues do you feel that Prime Minister	most effective?least effective?	
Allawi has been		
	Improving security: 45.2%	Don't know: 26.2%
	Don't know:16.4%	Rebuilding infrastructure: 15.5%
	Improving outside relationships: 13.3% Improving security: 9	
	Improving economy: 2.8% Improving economy: 7.5	
	Solving unemployment: 1.1%	Solving unemployment; 6.73%
	Solving housing crisis: 0.9%	Removal of coalition forces from Iraq: 2.5%

IRAOI PERCEPTION OF CURRENT SITUATION: JULY 24 - AUGUST 2, 2004:

INACTI ENCET TION OF CONNENT SITUATION: JULY 24 - AUG	<u> </u>	
	June	July
Do you feel that Iraq is generally heading in the right or the wrong direction?	Right direction: 50.7% Wrong direction: 39.3% Don't know: 9.2%	Right direction: 51.3% Wrong direction: 31.4% Don't know: 16.05%
	Security situa	tion: 62.45%
If you think Iraq is moving in the wrong direction, why is that?	Presence of occupat	
	Unemployn	nent: 5.1%
	Bias to certain grou	ps of Iragis: 3.66%
	Economic situ	nation; 2.87%
	Neglect of infras	tructure: 1.71%
Thinking about the last two months, do you feel that the economy and security have	Economy	Security
gotten better, worse, or stayed the same?		
	Better: 47.36%	Better: 56.77%
	Worse: 13.99%	Worse: 19.96%
	Same: 36.08%	Same:21.63%

END OF JUNE, 2004: IRAQ CENTER FOR RESEARCH AND STRATEGIC STUDIES POLL⁵⁵³

Question	Findings
Do you strongly or somewhat" oppose	Yes: 67%
the presence of coalition forces?	
Should coalition forces leave either	
immediately or directly after the	Yes: 80%
election?	
Would you feel safer, less safe, or would	More safe: 41%
it make no difference if coalition forces	Less safe: 34%
left now?	No difference: 17%
Should coalition forces stay as long as is	Stay as long as is necessary for stability: 13%
necessary for stability or leave	Leave immediately: 30%
immediately?	-
Do you feel very safe in your	End of June: 50%
neighborhood?	End of April: 25%
Have your family's economic situation	Yes: 50%
improved from before the war?	
Do you expect the economy to get better	End of June: ~60%
over the next six months?	End of April: 36%
Have conditions for creating peace	Yes: 49%
worsened over the past three months?	
Are the current difficulties a price worth	Yes: 54%
paying for toppling Saddam?	No: 37%

$\textit{9-19 JUNE, 2004: COALITION PROVISIONAL AUTHORITY (CPA)} \textit{POLL}^{554}$

CONFIDENCE IN THE NEW INTERIM GOVERNMENT: 9-19 JUNE, 2004

CONTIDENCE IN THE NEW INTERNIT GOVERNMENT: 3-13	3 C1 1L, 2004
Do you have confidence in the new leaders of the interim government?	Yes: 68%
Do you approve of Prime Minister Ayad Allawi?	Yes: 73%
Do you approve of President Ghazi Yawar?	Yes: 84%
Do you support the new Cabinet?	Yes: 67%
What effect do you believe the new government will have on the	Make things better: 80%
situation in Iraq after the handover on June 30 th ?	Things will remain the same: 10%
	Things will get worse: 7%
Have you heard or read a significant amount about the new leaders of	Yes: 70%
the interim government?	
Do you believe that the first democratic elections for a new national	Yes: 67%
assembly will be free and fair?	

CONFIDENCE IN IRAQI SECURITY FORCES:9-19 JUNE, 2004

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Do you support the new Iraqi Army?	Yes: 70%
Do you support the new Iragi police?	Yes: 72%

14-23 MAY, 2004: COALITION PROVISIONAL AUTHORITY (CPA)POLL555

CONFIDENCE IN SELECTED INSTITUTIONS: 14-23 MAY. 2004

Month	Iraqi	Iraqi	Iraqi	Governing	CPA	Coalition
	Police	Army	ministries	Council		forces
November	84%	71%	63%	63%	47%	N/A
January	80%	63%	54%	51%	32%	28%
March	79%	61%	42%	41%	14%	13%
April	67%	62%	31%	23%	9%	7%
May	76%	62%	39%	28%	11%	10%

PERCEIVED IMPACT OF AN INTERIM GOVERNMENT: 14-23 MAY, 2004

Question	Findings
How do you think having an interim government	Better: 63%
on June 30 will make things for Iraq?	Worse: 15%
_	Same: 14%
	Don't know/No answer: 8%

HOW LONG SHOULD COALITION FORCES STAY IN IRAQ?: 14-23 MAY, 2004

Question	Findings
How long should Coalition Forces stay in Iraq?	Leave after a permanent government is elected: 45%
	Leave immediately: 41%
	As long as Coalition Forces think it is necessary for stability: 6%
	Two years: 4%
	Don't know/No answer: 4%

IMPACT OF COALITION FORCES LEAVING IMMEDIATELY: 14-23 MAY, 2004

If coalition forces left Iraq immediately would you feel more safe?
November: 11%
January: 28%
April: 55%
May: 55%

PRISONERS ABUSE AT ABU GHRAIB: 14-23 MAY, 2004

Question	Findings		
Were you surprised when you saw the abuse of	Yes: 71%		
prisoner's at Abu Ghraib?	No: 22%		
	Don't know/No answer: 7%		
Do you believe that the abuse of prisoners at	All Americans are like this: 54%		
Abu Ghraib represents fewer than 100 people	Fewer than 100 people: 38%		
or that all Americans behave this way?	Don't know/No answer: 8%		
Do you believe anyone will be punished for	No: 61%		
what happened at Abu Ghraib?	Yes: 29%		
	Don't know/No answer: 10%		

ABILITY OF IRAQI POLICE AND ARMY TO MAINTAIN SECURITY IN IRAQ: 14-23 MAY, 2004

Question	Findings	
Do you think it is likely that the Iraqi police and	Very likely: 62%	
Army will maintain security without the	Somewhat likely: 25%	
presence of Coalition Forces?	Not very likely: 6%	
	Don't know/No answer: 4%	
	Not at all likely: 3%	

MOST DANGEROUS KIND OF VIOLENCE TO IRAQ: 14-23 MAY, 2004

What kind of violence do you think is most dangerous to Iraq?		
Street crime	January: 8.9%	
	May: 8.3%	
Large vehicle bombs	January: 16.5%	
	May: 16.1%	
Armed encounters between Coalition Forces and	January: 3.3%	
others	May: 11.4%	
Violence by Militias	January: 1.8 %	
	May: 2.2 %	
Killings of Baathists	January: 0.9 %	
	May: 1.3 %	
Private Revenge Killings	January: 1.8 %	
	May: 2.9 %	
Coalition soldiers killed for revenge	January: 0.7 %	
	May: 0.5 %	
Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs) along roads	January: 10.6 %	
	May: 18.9 %	
Kidnappings	January: 2.0 %	
	May: 3.4 %	
War between sects	January: 29.2%	
	May: 15.6 %	
Ethnic war	January: 8.2 %	
	May: 9.1 %	
Military actions by Coalition Forces	January: 6.3 %	
	May: 9.1%	
Threats from outside Iraq	January: 1.8 %	
	May: 3.6 %	
Don't know/No answer	January: 2.2 %	
	May: 6.5 %	

MOST DANGEROUS KIND OF VIOLENCE TO IRAQI FAMILIES: 14-23 MAY, 2004 What kind of violence do you think is most dangerous to your family?

What kind of violence do you think is most dangerous to your family?			
Street crime	January: 45.9%		
	May: 40.4 %		
Large vehicle bombs	January: 8.4 %		
	May: 15.2 %		
Armed encounters between Coalition Forces and	January: 3.4 %		
others	May: 10.8 %		
Violence by Militias	January: 0.9 %		
	May: 1.6 %		
Killings of Baathists	January: 0.7%		
	May: 0.3 %		
Private Revenge Killings	January: 2.1%		
	May: 1.0 %		
Coalition soldiers killed for revenge	January: 0.7 %		
	May: 0.1 %		
Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs) along roads	January: 19.1 %		
	May: 16.7 %		
Kidnappings	January: 1.3 %		
	May: 1.7 %		
War between sects	January: 4.3 %		
	May: 1.6 %		
Ethnic war	January: 0.7 %		
	May: 0.3 %		
Military actions by Coalition Forces	January: 10.6 %		
	May: 8.5 %		
Threats from outside Iraq	January: 0.2 %		
	May: 0.1 %		
Don't know/No answer	January: 1.7 %		
	May: 1.1 %		

MOST URGENT ISSUES FACING IRAQ; 14-23 MAY, 2004

Issue	Baghdad	Basrah	Mosul	Hillah	Diwaniyah	Baqubah	All
Security	58%	39%	60%	84%	72%	55%	59%
Economy	16%	16%	17%	8%	15%	20%	16%
Infrastructure	13%	38%	15%	7%	6%	2%	15%
All Others	13%	7%	8%	1%	7%	23%	10%

IRAQI OPINION OF MOQTADA AL-SADR IN LATE APRIL 2004

Question	Findings	
Compared to 3 months ago my opinion of Moqtada al-	Much better: 40%	
Sadr is	Better: 41%	
	Somewhat worse: 14%	
	Much worse: 5%	

IMPACT OF EVENTS ON UNIFYING OR DIVIDING IRAQ: 14-23 MAY, 2004

Question	Findings	
Have recent events, the fighting in Falluja and the acts	More unified: 64%	
of Moqtada al-Sadr made Iraq more unified or more	More divided: 14%	
divided?	Don't know/No answer: 22%	

OPINION ON VIOLENT ATTACKS IN THE COUNTRY: 14-23 MAY, 2004

How much do you agree with each of the following statements?		
The violent attacks around the country		
are an effort of outside groups to create instability	Somewhat agree: 25%	
in our country	Totally agree: 36%	
	Somewhat disagree: 10%	
	Totally disagree: 15%	
show Iraq is not ready to live in peace with the	Somewhat agree: 20%	
world	Totally agree: 26%	
	Somewhat disagree: 8%	
	Totally disagree: 31%	
emphasize the need for the continued presence of	Somewhat agree: 20%	
coalition forces	Totally agree: 22%	
	Somewhat disagree: 11%	
	Totally disagree: 33%	
are an effort to liberate Iraq from the United States	Somewhat agree: 18%	
and Coalition Forces	Totally agree: 29%	
	Somewhat disagree: 9%	
	Totally disagree: 33%	
are an effort to reinstate the old regime	Somewhat agree: 16%	
	Totally agree: 9%	
	Somewhat disagree: 14%	
	Totally disagree: 45%	
have increased because people have lost faith in	Somewhat agree: 12%	
Coalition Forces	Totally agree: 67%	
	Somewhat disagree: 3%	
	Totally disagree: 6%	

IRAQI PERCEPTION OF INSURGENTS: 14-23 MAY, 2004

y to those who attack the Coalition Forces and those who ith them
Totally true: 66%
Partially true: 12%
Not true: 7%
Totally true: 59%
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Partially true: 15% Not true: 11%
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Totally true: 53%
Partially true: 15%
Not true: 13%
Totally true: 41%
Partially true: 22%
Not true: 15%
Totally true: 31%
Partially true:28%
Not true: 21%
Totally true: 27%
Partially true: 18%
Not true: 36%
Totally true: 23%
Partially true: 23%
Not true: 32%
Totally true: 17%
Partially true: 21%
Not true: 45%
Totally true: 15%
Partially true: 17%
Not true: 48%
Totally true: 9%
Partially true: 11%
Not true: 61%

SUPPORT OF OR OPPOSITION TO THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS IN LATE APRIL, 2004

Individual	Somewhat support	Strongly support	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose
Massoud Barzani	14%	5%	25%	49%
Ayad Allawi	18%	5%	21%	40%
Mowaffek	21%	8%	20%	41%
al-Rubaie				
Adnan Pachachi	31%	10%	30%	20%
Jalal Talabani	10%	11%	24%	50%
Abdul Karem	20%	11%	16%	29%
al-Muhamadawi				
Muhssin Abdul	33%	12%	17%	18%
Hamed				
Sayyid Muhammed	26%	18%	18%	31%
Bahr ul-Uloom				
Hare'eth	25%	20%	14%	13%
al-Dhari				
Ahamad	31%	24%	16%	13%
al-Qubaisi				
Abdul Azziz	26%	25%	16%	28%
al-Hakim				
Moqtada al-Sadr	35%	32%	19%	10%
Ibrahim Jaferi	19%	39%	12%	26%
Ali Sistani	19%	51%	14%	6%

VOTING FOR AN IRAQI PRESIDENT: 14-23 MAY, 2004

If you could vote for any living Iraqi for president, who				
would it be? Absolute number of respondents per				
candidate from 1093 respondents				
Sadoun Hammadi:2				
Mushin A. Hameed: 3				
Ahmed al-Kubaisi: 3				
Mowaffek al-Rubaie: 4				
Ghazi Ajeel: 4				
Ahmad Chalabi: 6				
Mehdi al-Hafudh: 6				
Ali Sistani: 20				
Moqtada al-Sadr: 22				
Shareef Ali: 27				
Saddam Hussein: 37				
A. Azziz al-Hakeem: 38				
Any fair and efficient person: 42				
Adnan Pachachi: 45				
Other: 57				
Ibrahim Jaafari: 184				
None: 218				
Don't know/No answer: 375				

APPROPRIATE POWER OF THE INTERIM GOVERNMENT: 14-23 MAY, 2004

What powers should the unelected, interim government have for its 7 months in office?				
Make laws or agreements that a future elected government could	May: 12%			
not change	April: 11%			
Make long-term agreements with other countries	May: 26%			
	April: 27%			
Replace current governors?	May: 61%			
	April: 62%			
Disarm and control the political party and religious militias	May: 64%			
	April: 63%			
Replace current ministries	May: 60%			
•	April: 63%			
Increase or reduce taxes	May: 47%			
	April: 68%			
Order Coalition Forces to leave Iraq	May: 70%			
	April: 77%			
Take responsibility for prisoners held by Coalition Forces	May: N/A			
	April: 83%			
Adjusting prices, such as increasing the prices of subsidized	May: 49%			
petroleum products and other commodities	April: N/A			
Make economic changes, such as giving people money in place of	May: 19%			
their food rations	April: N/A			
Make economic changes, like adjusting prices	May: N/A			
_ , , , ,	April: 84%			

IRAQIS INFORMED ABOUT U.N. RECOMMENDATIONS ON THE INTERIM GOVERNMENT

Question	Findings
How much have you heard or read about the recent	Don't know/No answer: 4%
United Nations recommendations about the June 30	A great deal: 8%
interim government?	Not very much: 16%
_	A fair amount: 20%
	Nothing: 52%
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IRAQIS INFORMED ABOUT FORMATION OF COMMISSION SUPERVISING ELECTIONS

Question	Findings
How much have you heard or read about the	A great deal: 4%
formation of an independent commission	Not much: 14%
supervising the elections to be held in January	A fair amount: 17%

2005? Nothing: 65%

WHO SHOULD HAVE A SAY IN SELECTING THE ELECTION COMMISSION?: 14-23 MAY, 2004

How much influence should the following institutions have in selecting the members of the			
independent election commission?			
	Great deal: 59%		
Religious communities	A fair amount: 20%		
	Not much: 4%		
	None: 11%		
	Great deal: 42%		
International experts	A fair amount: 23%		
	Not much: 6%		
	None:21%		
	Great deal:]38%		
Community tribal leaders	A fair amount:26%		
	Not much: 9%		
	None:19%		
	Great deal: 36%		
United Nations	A fair amount: 20%		
	Not much: 10%		
	None: 27%		
	Great deal: 31%		
Community Political Leaders	A fair amount: 23%		
·	Not much: 13%		
	None: 23%		
	Great deal: 11%		
Governing Council	A fair amount: 15%		
	Not much: 11%		
	None: 55%		
	Great deal: 8%		
Coalition Provisional Authority	A fair amount: 7%		
	Not much: 8%		
	None: 69%		

WHAT CONTRIBUTES TO YOUR SENSE OF SECURITY: 14-23 MAY, 2004

Wh	ich of the following contributes to your sense of security?
	Coalition Forces: 1%
	Joint Coalition forces and Iraqi patrols: 1%
	Mosque patrols: 2%
	None/Other/Don't know/No answer: 3%
	Local neighborhood patrols: 4%
	Local police: 18%
	Family: 26%
	Neighbors and friends: 45%

INTEREST IN JOINING THE IRAQI SECURITY FORCES: 14-23 MAY, 2004

Question	Findings
Are you and any member of your family more or less	More interested: 51%
interested in joining the Iraqi security forces than you	Less interested: 39%
were 3 months ago?	Don't know/No answer: 10%

IRAQI OPINION OF COALITION FORCES: 14-23 MAY, 2004

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Should Coalition Forces leave or stay in Iraq?				
(Results expressed as absolute numbers for each opinion for 1068 respondents)				
Leave: 866		Stay: 71		
Why should Coalition Forces leave?		Why should Coalition Forces stay?		
They are occupiers and must leave immediately	: 418	They are the only power that can effectively		
		administer Iraq: 33		
They brought only death and destruction:	142	-		
		If they leave there will be a political vacuum: 2		
Iragis can administer Irag better:	102			
		Other/Don't know/No answer: 11		
They want Iragi oil and resources:	76			
They want truck on and resources.		Their presence brings Iraq future benefit: 5		
They are facilitating Zionist domination of Iraq:	51	Then presence simgs may facult seneme.		
They are facilitating Ziomst domination of fraq.	51			
They do not respect our religions and cultures:	38			
They do not respect our rengions and cultures.	30			
They abuse Iragis:	23			
They abuse mayis.	23			
Other/Don't know/No answer:	16			
Other/Don't know/No answer:	16			

NOTE ON IRAQI OPINION OF COALITION FORCES: Although not represented by the original polling information, we assume that the 131 of the 1068 people whose opinions were not accounted for in the "leave" or "stay" categories either did not know or choose not to answer the question.

MARCH 22-APRIL 9, 2004: CNN/USA TODAY/ GALLUP POLL556

Question	Findings			
Has the coalition invasion in Iraq	More harm than good:	46%		
done more harm than good or	More good than harm:	33%		
more good than harm?	The same: 16			
	Don't know:	4%		
Is Iraq much better off,	Much better off:	11%		
somewhat better off, somewhat	Somewhat better off:	31%		
worse off, or much worse off	About the same:	17%		
than before the U.S. and British	Somewhat worse off:	24%		
invasion?	Much worse off:	15%		
	Don't know:	2%		
Are you and your family much	Much better off:	14%		
better off, somewhat better off,	Somewhat better off:	37%		
somewhat worse off, or much	About the same:	25%		
worse off than you were before	Somewhat worse off:	15%		
the U.S. and British invasion?	Much worse off:	10%		
	Don't know:	1%		
Would you prefer for the U.S.	Leave immediately (in the next			
and British forces to leave	few months): 579			
immediately (in the next few	Stay in Iraq for a longer period			
months), or do you think they	of time: 36%			
should stay in Iraq for a longer	Don't know:	7%		
period of time?				
Do you think of the Coalition	Mostly as occupiers:	71%		
forces mostly as occupiers, or	Mostly as liberators:	19%		
mostly as liberators?	Both equally:	8%		
•	Don't know:	2%		
At the time of the invasion last	Mostly as occupiers:	43%		
spring, did you think of the	Mostly as liberators:	43%		
Coalition forces mostly as	Both equally:	9%		
occupiers, or mostly as	Don't know:	4%		
liberators?				
Over the past three months, have	Improved:	25%		
conditions for creating peace and	Worsened:	54%		
stability in Iraq improved or	Staved the same:	19%		
worsened?	Don't know:	2%		
If the Coalition left Iraq today,	More safe:	28%		
would you feel more safe or less	Less safe:	53%		
safe?	No difference:	12%		
	Don't know:	8%		

IRAQI STANDARD OF LIVING: MARCH 22-APRIL 9, 2004

Since the invasion, which of the following happened to you	At all since	Within the	Before the past	Since the	Happened
personally or to members of your household?	the	past four	four weeks/since	invasion	in the year
	invasion	weeks	the invasion		before the
					invasion
Gone without electricity for long periods of time?	78%	3%	20%	44%	68%
Been without clean drinking water for long periods of time?	49%	4%	11%	28%	36%
Had to stand in line for long periods of time to buy gasoline?	74%	2%	29%	33%	7&
Been unable to obtain food because of shortages?	25%	1%	6%	14%	11%
Been afraid to go outside your home for safety reasons?	57%	2%	14%	32%	7%
Had home burglarized?	3%	N/A	1%	1%	3%
Been unable to obtain medical assistance or medicine?	25%	1%	4%	16%	15%
Had a car or property stolen?	3%	N/A	1%	1%	1%
Been physically attacked?	2%	N/A/	N/A	1%	3%
Feel freer to express any political views in public?	76%	1%	3%	60%	2%
Felt afraid of practicing religious beliefs?	8%	1%	1%	4%	54%
Been afraid to go outside your home at night for safety reasons?	74%	1%	6%	39%	10%
Lost my job?	7%	0%	N/A	5%	4%
Gone without public sewage system?	40%	N/A	1%	31%	37%

<u>PERCEPTIONS OF U.S. FORCES' EFFORTS TO IMPROVE IRAQI LIVING CONDITIONS: MARCH 22-APRIL 9, 2004</u>

How hard do you think U.S. forces are trying to accomplish each of the following	Try a lot	Try only a little	Does not try at all
- a lot, only a little, or not at all? Restoring basic services like electricity/clean drinking water	11%	41%	44%
to Iraqis? Trying to keep ordinary Iraqis from being killed/wounded during exchanges of gunfire?	11%	18%	67%
Working to repair Iraqi schools and classrooms?	17%	50%	26%
Working with local councils to try to improve neighborhood conditions/services?	7%	34%	49%
Maintaining roads and bridges?	8%	23%	60%
Improving local health centers?	13%	40%	40%

24 MARCH -2 APRIL, 2004: COALITION PROVISIONAL AUTHORITY POLL

IRAQI ATTITUDE TOWARDS INSTITUTIONS⁵⁵⁷

Do you have a positive or negative attitude towards the following	Attitude	
institutions?	Positive	Negative
Iraqi police	79%	19%
New Iraqi Army	61%	26%
Local council	45%	36%
Iraqi ministries	43%	41%
Governing council	41%	52%
Coalition Provisional Authority	14%	80%
Coalition forces	13%	83%

IMPORTANCE OF SECURITY TO RESIDENTS OF BAGHDAD⁵⁵⁸

Month	Baghdad residents naming security as the			
	most urgent issue			
January	50%			
February	60%			
March	65%			
April	70%			

9 – 28 FEBRUARY, 2004: OXFORD RESEARCH INTERNATIONAL/BBC/ABC NEWS STUDY

IRAQI PERCEPTION OF OVERALL SITUATION

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Month	How are things compared with
	a year ago? ^{\$59}
February	Better: 56.5%
-	Worse: 18.6%

GREATEST THREAT TO IRAQI CITIZEN

Type of threat	What is the greatest threat to yourself and your family? ⁵⁶¹						
	Baghdad	Basrah	Mosul	Fallujah	Samarra	Karbala	
Street crime	47%	63%	45%	42%	38%	22%	
Street bombs	26%	20%	13%	11%	11%	19%	
Large bombs such as those against Iraqi police stations and international organizations	9%	4%	6%	5%	3%	29%	
Armed encounters between Iraqis and Coalition Forces and others	7%	4%	26%	26%	38%	9%	
Armed encounters with religious or tribal militia	1%	1%			2%	2%	
Revenge killings/Baath killings	3%	4%	3%	5%	1%		
Financial extortion	1%	1%	2%	2%		4%	
Sectarian war	6%	3%	1%	7%	4%	4%	
Ethnic war	1%		1%	1%	1%		

GREATEST THREAT TO IRAQ: 31 DECEMBER - 7 JANUARY, 2004

Type of threat	What is the greatest threat to Iraq? ⁵⁶²						
	Baghdad	Basrah	Mosul	Fallujah	Samarra	Karbala	
Street crime	8 %	11%	5%	13%	6%	15%	
Street bombs	12%	16%	6%	7%	7%	10%	
Large bombs such as those against Iraqi police stations and international organizations	25%	18%	6%	9%	2%	25%	
Armed encounters between Iraqis and Coalition Forces and others	8%	9%	10%	17%	10%	15%	
Armed encounters with religious or tribal militia	2%	2%	2%		3%	2%	
Revenge killings/Baath killings	2%	3%	3%	1%	5%	1%	
Financial extortion	1%	1%	2%	2%		4%	
Sectarian war	31%	26%	36%	26%	45%	6%	
Ethnic war	6%	2%	19%	11%	12%	2%	
Outside threats	5%	13%	7%	11%	8%	6%	

<u>IRAQIS ON COALITION FORCES LEAVING: 31 DECEMBER - 7 JANUARY, 2004</u>

	If coalition forces left immediately, Iraqis would feel ⁵⁶³				
	More safe	Less safe	No difference		
Baghdad	November: 12% January: 19%	November: 71% January: 65%	November: 13% January: 15%		
Basrah	November: 6% January: 17%	November: 85% January: 67%	November: 8% January: 12%		
Mosul	January: 28%	January: 59%	January: 10%		
Fallujah	January: 56%	January: 29%	January: 12%		
Samarra	January: 54%	January: 41%	January: 2%		
Karbala	January: 24%	January: 50%	January:13%		
Kirkuk	November: 15%	November: 62%	November: 14%		
Hilla	November: 7%	November: 83%	November: 5%		
Diwaniya	November:13%	November: 83%	November: 1%		

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR PROTECTING IRAQIS: 31 DECEMBER - 7 JANUARY, 2004

	In the next six month	In the next six months, primary responsibility for protecting Iraqis from major security threats should be ⁵⁶⁴					
Iraqi Armed Forces Coalition forces Joint Iraq-Coa							
Baghdad	50%	7%	42%				
Basrah	38%	8%	51%				
Mosul	58%	12%	27%				
Fallujah	71%	4%	19%				
Samarra	64%	9%	23%				
Karbala	50%	14%	26%				

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR MAINTAINING LAW AND ORDER: 31 DECEMBER - 7 JANUARY, 2004

	In the next six months, primary responsibility for maintaining law and order on Iraqi streets should be ⁵⁶⁵					
	Iraqi Armed Forces Coalition forces Joint Iraq-Coalition efforts					
Baghdad	56%	6%	38%			
Basrah	53%	9%	35%			
Mosul	53%	10%	26%			
Fallujah	67%	4%	22%			
Samarra	71%	5%	20%			
Karbala	44%	2%	16%			

CONDITIONS FOR PEACE: 31 DECEMBER - 7 JANUARY, 2004

	Over the last three months conditions for peace have 566				
	Improved	Worsened	No difference		
Baghdad	August: 22%	August: 53%	August: 24%		
	January: 51%	January: 25%	January: 24%		
Basrah	August: 24%	August: 58%	August: 18%		
	January: 59%	January: 17%	January: 24%		
Mosul	January: 38%	January: 39%	January: 22%		
Fallujah	August: 25%	August: 63%	August: 10%		
	January: 33%	January: 44%	January: 23%		
Samarra	January: 34%	January: 43%	January: 22%		
Karbala	January: 27%	January: 61%	January: 10%		
Ramadi	August:16%	August: 66%	August: 17%		
Najaf	August: 15%	August: 71%	August: 10%		
Suleymania	August: 56%	August: 18%	August: 25%		
Erbil	August: 58%	August: 9%	August: 23%		

SAFETY IN IRAQI NEIGHBORHOODS: 31 DECEMBER – 7 JANUARY, 2004

	How safe do you feel in your neighborhood? ⁵⁶⁷				
	Very safe	Not very safe	Not safe		
Baghdad	August: 24%	August: 50%	August: 26%		
	November: 31%	November: 56%	November: 12%		
	January: 46%	January: 42%	January: 11%		
Basrah	August: 24%	August: 58%	August: 17%		
	November: 18%	November: 68%	November: 12%		
	January: 31%	January: 57%	January: 11%		
Fallujah	August: 37%	August: 57%	August: 4%		
	January: 61%	January: 27%	January:11%		
Mosul	January: 63%	January: 28%	January: 9%		
Samarra	January: 63%	January: 27%	January: 10%		
Karbala	January: 51%	January: 29%	January: 15%		
Kirkuk	November: 42%	November: 40%	November: 12%		
Hilla	November: 65%	November: 30%	November: 4%		
Diwaniya	November: 71%	November: 22%	November: 7%		
Najaf	August: 35%	August: 52%	August: 12%		
Ramadi	August: 41%	August: 44%	August: 14%		
Suleymania	August: 61%	August: 33%	August: 1%		
Erbil	August: 60%	August: 36%	August: 3%		

<u>IRAQI CONFIDENCE IN INSTITUTIONS: 31 DECEMBER - 7 JANUARY, 2004</u>

		Do you feel very or somewhat confident in the following institution? ⁵⁶⁸							
	Iraq police	New Iraqi Army	Iraqi ministries	Governing Council	CPA	Coalition Forces			
Baghdad	82%	72%	60%	62%	42%	38%			
Basrah	89%	79%	64%	67%	41%	32%			
Mosul	80%	54%	43%	33%	31%	27%			
Fallujah	74%	52%	54%	27%	10%	10%			
Samarra	72%	35%	36%	30%	14%	18%			
Karbala	71%	55%	51%	57%	27%	20%			

EFFECIENCY OF COALITION FORCES: 31 DECEMBER - 7 JANUARY, 2004

	Do y	Do you feel Coalition Forces are very effective in the following activities? ⁵⁶⁹						
	Keeping law and	Tracking down	Protecting Iraqis	Working	Protecting their			
	order in the	criminals	from major	cooperatively with	forces and			
	streets		threats	Iraqi security	compounds			
				forces				
Baghdad	21%	15%	32%	43%	63%			
Basrah	17%	11%	22%	27%	68%			
Mosul	21%	14%	33%	34%	60%			
Fallujah	5%	5%	13%	12%	31%			
Samarra	15%	12%	21%	27%	47%			
Karbala	16%	11%	18%	27%	55%			

LATER POLLING: STATE DEPARTMENT STUDY AND GALLUP POLLS

IRAQI PUBLIC OPINION NATIONWIDE AND BAGDHAD: NOVEMBER 19-28, 2003

	Nationwide	Baghdad
Do you agree that in general, the local Iraqi police force is trusted by most members of the community? ⁵⁷⁰	Agree/somewhat agree: 77%	Agree/somewhat agree: 80%
Do you feel that the attacks emphasize the need for continued presence of Coalition Forces in Iraq? ⁵⁷¹	Agree: 66%	Agree: 61%
If coalition forces left immediately, would you feel more safe, less safe, or no difference? ⁵⁷²	More safe: 11% Less safe: 71% No difference: 10%	Less safe: 75%

BAGDHAD PUBLIC OPINION: AUGUST 8 – SEPTEMBER 4, 2003

Question	Findings
Will Iraq be in a better condition	Better off: 67%
five years from now than it was	
before the U.Sled invasion? ⁵⁷³	Worse off: 8%
Is Iraq better off now than it was	Better off: 33%
before the invasion? ⁵⁷⁴	
	Worse off: 47%
Was ousting Saddam worth the	Yes: 62%
hardships endured since the	
invasion? ⁵⁷⁵	No: N/A
Would you like to see U.S. troops	Stay longer: 71%
stay longer than a few more	
months? ⁵⁷⁶	Not stay longer: 26%
Are there circumstances in	No: 64%
which attacks against U.S. troops	
can be justified? ⁵⁷⁷	Sometimes justified: 36%
Have you been afraid at times to	Yes: 86%
go outside your home during the	
day within the past four weeks?	No: N/A
Is Baghdad a more dangerous	Yes: 94%
place now than before the	
invasion? 579	No: N/A

N/A= Not available

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