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-- FINAL TOPLINE --

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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted October 7-10, 2010 with a random sample of -1,025—adults, aged 18+, living in the continental U.S., selected using random-digit dial sampling.

For results based on the total sample of national adults, one can say with 95% confidence that the margin of error is ±4 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of -511—national adults in Form A and -514—national adults in Form B, the maximum margins of sampling error are ±5 percentage points.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones (for respondents with a landline telephone) and cellular phones (for respondents who are cell phone only). Each sample includes a minimum quota of 150 cell phone only respondents and 850 landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas among landline respondents for gender within region. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member had the most recent birthday.

Samples are weighted on the basis of gender, age, race, education, region and phone lines. Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2009 Current Population Survey figures for the age 18+ non-institutionalized population living in continental U.S. telephone households. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting and sample design.

In addition to sampling error, question wording and practical difficulties in conducting surveys can introduce error or bias into the findings of public opinion polls.

19. Do you think the use of marijuana should be made legal, or not?

BASED ON -511—NATIONAL ADULTS IN FORM A

	<u>Yes, legal</u>	<u>No, illegal</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2010 Oct 7-10 ^	46	50	4
2009 Oct 1-4 ^	44	54	2
2005 Oct 13-16 ^	36	60	4
2003 Nov 10-12 ^	34	64	2
2001 Aug 3-5	34	62	4
2000 Aug 29-Sep 5 ^	31	64	5
1995 Aug 28-30	25	73	2
1985 May 17-20	23	73	4
1980 Jun 27-30	25	70	5
1979 May 18-21	25	70	5
1977 Apr 1-4	28	66	6
1973 Jan 26-29	16	78	6
1972 Mar 3-5	15	81	4
1969 Oct 2-7	12	84	4

^ Asked of a half sample.

20. Would you favor or oppose making marijuana legally available for doctors to prescribe in order to reduce pain and suffering?

BASED ON -514—NATIONAL ADULTS IN FORM B

	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2010 Oct 7-10 ^	70	27	3
2005 Oct 13-16	78	22	*
2003 Nov 10-12	75	22	3

^ Asked of a half sample.

TREND FOR COMPARISON:

Suppose that on election day this year you could vote on key issues as well as candidates. Please tell me whether you would vote for or against each one of the following propositions. Would you vote for or against making marijuana legally available for doctors to prescribe in order to reduce pain and suffering?(SOURCE: Gallup Poll)

	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
1999 Mar 19-21	73	25	2