

# GALLUP NEWS SERVICE

## JUNE WAVE 2

-- FINAL TOPLINE --

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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted June 20-24, 2013 with a random sample of –2,048—adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. For results based on these samples of national adults, one can say with 95% confidence that the margin of error is  $\pm 3$  percentage points.

For results based on the samples of –1,039—national adults in Form A and –1,009—national adults in Form B, the margin of sampling error is  $\pm 4$  percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –234—adults who do not have health insurance, the margin of sampling error is  $\pm 8$  percentage points.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones and cellular phones, with interviews conducted in Spanish for respondents who are primarily Spanish-speaking. Each sample of national adults includes a minimum quota of 50% cell phone respondents and 50% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by region. Landline and cell phone telephone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member had the most recent birthday.

Samples are weighted to correct for unequal selection probability, non-response, and double coverage of landline and cell users in the two sampling frames. They are also weighted to match the national demographics of gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, population density, and phone status (cell phone-only/landline only/both and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2012 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the July-December 2011 National Health Interview Survey. Population density targets are based on the 2010 census. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting.

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.

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7. *(Asked of a half sample)* Next, we are going to name some major areas the federal government handles. For each one, please say whether you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the work the government is doing. How about -- [ITEMS A-O READ IN RANDOM ORDER, THEN P-S READ IN RANDOM ORDER]?

**BASED ON –1,009—NATIONAL ADULTS IN FORM B**

<i>2013 Jun 20-24 (sorted by “satisfied”)</i>	Satisfied	Dissatisfied
Responding to natural disasters	75	23
National Parks and open space	68	26
Homeland security	57	41
Transportation	57	38
The nation's military and national defense	56	42
Agriculture and farming	49	43
Environmental issues	42	56
Criminal justice	42	55
Public housing and urban development	42	52
Energy policy	40	57
Foreign affairs	39	58
Veterans' issues	38	58
Education	33	65
Health care	29	70
Job creation and economic growth	27	71
Immigration policy	26	72
Labor and employment issues	26	72
Poverty	19	80
The nation's finances	14	85

**FULL TRENDS: SATISFACTION WITH AREAS THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HANDLES**

**A. Agriculture and farming**

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	49	43	7
2005 Sep 12-15	56	38	6
2001 Sep 7-10	49	43	8

## Q.7 (SATISFACTION WITH GOVERNMENT HANDLING) CONTINUED

### B. Criminal justice

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	42	55	2
2005 Sep 12-15	47	52	1
2001 Sep 7-10	40	57	3

### C. Education

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	33	65	1
2005 Sep 12-15	41	59	*
2001 Sep 7-10	38	60	2

### D. Energy policy

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	40	57	4
2005 Sep 12-15	27	71	2
2001 Sep 7-10	38	57	5

### E. Environmental issues

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	42	56	2
2005 Sep 12-15	48	51	1
2001 Sep 7-10	46	50	4

### F. The nation's finances

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	14	85	1
2005 Sep 12-15	23	76	1
2001 Sep 7-10	34	62	4

### G. Foreign affairs

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	39	58	3
2005 Sep 12-15	41	58	1
2001 Sep 7-10	57	38	5

## Q.7 (SATISFACTION WITH GOVERNMENT HANDLING) CONTINUED

### H. Health care

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	29	70	1
2005 Sep 12-15	24	75	1
2001 Sep 7-10	27	71	2

### I. Public housing and urban development

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	42	52	6
2005 Sep 12-15	47	49	4
2001 Sep 7-10	49	43	8

### J. Job creation and economic growth

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	27	71	1
2005 Sep 12-15	39	60	1
2001 Sep 7-10	39	58	3

### K. Labor and employment issues

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	26	72	2
2005 Sep 12-15	44	54	2
2001 Sep 7-10	42	54	4

### L. The nation's military and national defense

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	56	42	2
2005 Sep 12-15	59	40	1
2001 Sep 7-10	65	31	4

### M. National Parks and open space

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	68	26	5
2005 Sep 12-15	71	27	2
2001 Sep 7-10	64	31	5

**Q.7 (SATISFACTION WITH GOVERNMENT HANDLING) CONTINUED****N. Poverty**

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	19	80	1
2005 Sep 12-15	24	75	1
2001 Sep 7-10	26	71	3

**O. Transportation**

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	57	38	5
2005 Sep 12-15	56	42	2
2001 Sep 7-10	65	29	6

**P. Homeland security**

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	57	41	2
2005 Sep 12-15	50	49	1

**Q. Responding to natural disasters**

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	75	23	2
2005 Sep 12-15	33	66	1

**R. Immigration policy**

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	26	72	2

**S. Veterans' issues**

	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2013 Jun 20-24	38	58	5