

GALLUP NEWS SERVICE

TRUMP EXECUTIVE ORDERS AND MEDIA COVERAGE

Results are based on telephone interviews with a random sample of – 1,018 -- national adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, conducted Jan. 30-31, 2017.

For results based on the total sample of national adults, the margin of error is ± 4 percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

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 70% cell phone respondents and 30% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by time zone within region. Landline and cell phone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Gallup obtained this sample from Survey Sampling International. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member has the next 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, cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2016 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the January-June 2016 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. For questions about how this survey was conducted, please contact galluphelp@gallup.com.

1. Do you think Donald Trump is – [ROTATED: moving too fast, doing about right, or not moving fast enough] — in addressing the major problems facing the country today?

	<u>Too fast</u>	<u>About right</u>	<u>Not fast enough</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 30-31	47	35	10	7

For comparison (*Barack Obama*): Do you think Barack Obama is – [ROTATED: moving too fast, doing about right, or not moving fast enough] — in addressing the major problems facing the country today?

	<u>Too fast</u>	<u>About right</u>	<u>Not fast enough</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2009 Jan 30-Feb 1	22	63	10	5

2. Thinking now about some of the specific actions Donald Trump has taken since he has been in office, would you say you approve or disapprove of each of the following. How about –[RANDOM ORDER]?

2017 Jan 30-Jan 31
(sorted by “approve”)

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Dis-approve</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Ordering a temporary ban on entry into the U.S. for most people from seven predominantly Muslim countries	42	55	3
Ordering the construction of a wall along the southern border with Mexico	38	60	2
Indefinitely suspending the United States’ Syrian refugee program	36	58	6

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2009 Jan 30-Feb 1
(sorted by “approve”)

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Dis-approve</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
Naming special U.S. envoys to deal with the situations in Afghanistan and Pakistan and the Middle East	76	15	9
Restricting former lobbyists from working in the Obama administration, and restricting administration officials from working as lobbyists after leaving the government	76	17	6
Requiring that all interrogations of military prisoners be conducted according to the Army Field Manual	74	19	7
Ordering the Environmental Protection Agency to institute higher fuel efficiency standards	74	22	3
Signing a bill that makes it easier for workers to sue companies for pay discrimination	66	29	5
Ordering the Guantanamo Bay prison for terrorist suspects be closed within a year	44	50	5
Allowing U.S. funding for overseas family planning organizations that provide abortions	35	58	7