

GALLUP NEWS SERVICE
2018 MIDTERM ELECTION

Results are based on telephone interviews with a random sample of – 1,511 -- national adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, conducted June 11-17, 2018.

For results based on the total sample of national adults, the margin of error is ± 3 percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

For results based on the sample of – 1,346 – registered voters, the margin of error is ± 3 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 2017 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the January-June 2017 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.

2. REGISTERED TO VOTE (NOT REPORTED)
3. We have some questions about the election for Congress, which will be held November 6th.
Do you, yourself, plan to vote in the election this November, or not?
- 3A. How certain are you that you will vote -- absolutely certain, fairly certain, or not certain?

COMBINED RESPONSES (Q.3/Q.3A)

	Absolutely <u>certain</u>	Fairly <u>certain</u>	Not <u>certain</u>	Will not <u>vote/unsure</u>
2018 Jun 11-17	56	14	1	28
<u>FINAL MID-TERM ELECTIONS</u>				
2014 Oct 29-Nov 2	58	12	2	28
2010 Oct 28-31	68	10	2	20
2006 Nov 2-5	68	12	1	18
2002 Oct 31-Nov 3	61	14	2	23
1998 Nov 2	58	11	2	29
1994 Nov 2-6	63	16	1	20
1990 Oct 25-28	--	--	--	20
1982 Oct 15-18	58	15	1	26
1978 Oct 27-30	54	15	2	29
1974 Oct 18-21	58	16	2	24
1970 Oct 22-25	59	12	5	24
1966 Oct 21-26	59	13	8	20
1962 Oct 19-24	61	15	2	22
1958 Oct 15-20	59	16	1	24
1954 Oct 15-20	61	18	3	18
1950 Oct 22-27	--	--	--	--

4. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district -- [ROTATED: the Democratic Party's candidate or the Republican Party's candidate]?
- 4A. *(Asked of those who are undecided)* As of today, do you lean more toward -- [ROTATE: the Democratic Party's candidate or the Republican Party's candidate]?

BASED ON REGISTERED VOTERS

	Democratic <u>candidate</u>	Republican <u>candidate</u>	Undecided/ <u>other</u>
2018 Jun 11-17	48	43	9

TRENDS FOR COMPARISON: *Final registered voter midterm election estimates 1950-2014*

2014 Oct 29-Nov 2	47	44	9
2010 Oct 28-31	44	48	8
2006 Nov 2-5	51	40	9
2002 Oct 31-Nov 3	49	44	7
1998 Oct 29-Nov 1	50	41	9
1994 Nov 2-6	46	46	8
1990 Oct 25-28	50	40	10
1982 Oct 15-18	58	40	2
1978 Oct 27-30	55	44	1
1974 Oct 18-21	62	35	3
1970 Oct 22-25	46	36	18
1966 Oct 21-26	51	41	8
1962 Oct 19-24	56	38	6
1958 Oct 15-20	56	42	12
1954 Oct 15-20	--	--	--
1950 Oct 22-27	47	45	8

5. Will your vote for a candidate be made in order to send a message that you SUPPORT Donald Trump, be made in order to send a message that you OPPOSE Donald Trump, or will you NOT be sending a message about Donald Trump with your vote?

	Message to <u>support</u>	Message to <u>oppose</u>	Not a <u>message</u>	Don't plan to vote (vol.)	No <u>opinion</u>
<u>REGISTERED VOTERS</u>					
<i>Donald Trump</i>					
2018 Jun 11-17	20	23	53	1	3
<i>Barack Obama</i>					
2014 Oct 29-Nov 2	17	30	51	*	2
2014 Sep 25-30	20	32	46	1	1
2014 Apr 24-30	24	30	43	1	2
2010 Oct 28-31	22	30	44	1	3
<i>George W. Bush</i>					
2006 Nov 2-5	18	31	46	1	4
2002 Oct 31-Nov 3	28	15	53	1	3
<i>Bill Clinton</i>					
1998 Oct 29-Nov 1	24	19	54	1	2
1998 Oct 23-25	24	20	53	1	2
1998 Sep 23-25	24	18	55	1	2
1998 Sep 11-12	20	17	60	1	2
<u>NATIONAL ADULTS</u>					
<i>Donald Trump</i>					
2018 Jun 11-17	19	22	55	1	3
<i>Barack Obama</i>					
2014 Oct 29-Nov 2	17	25	53	2	3
2014 Sep 25-30	21	29	48	1	1
2014 Apr 24-30	23	29	45	1	3
2010 Oct 28-31	22	29	45	1	3
<i>George W. Bush</i>					
2006 Nov 2-5	17	30	46	2	4
2002 Oct 31-Nov 3	28	15	53	1	3
<i>Bill Clinton</i>					
1998 Oct 29-Nov 1	23	18	54	3	2
1998 Oct 23-25	23	19	52	4	2
1998 Sep 23-24	24	17	55	2	2
1998 Sep 11-12	20	16	61	1	2

1998 WORDING: What effect, if any, will the Monica Lewinsky matter have on your vote for Congress in November? Will your vote for a candidate be made in order to send a message that you SUPPORT Bill Clinton, be made in order to send a message that you OPPOSE Bill Clinton, or will you NOT be sending a message about Bill Clinton with your vote?