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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted January 21-27, 2019 with a random sample of –1,022— adults, ages 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. For results based on this sample of national adults, the margin of sampling 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 telephone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Gallup obtained sample for this study 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 and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2018 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the January-June 2018 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.

Thinking now about immigrants—that is, people who come from other countries to live here in the United States,

9. In your view, should immigration be kept at its present level, increased or decreased?

	<u>Present level</u>	<u>Increased</u>	<u>Decreased</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Jan 21-27	37	30	31	3
2018 Jun 1-13 †	39	28	29	4
2017 Jun 7-11	38	24	35	3
2016 Jun 7-Jul 1 ^	38	21	38	3
2015 Jun 15-Jul 10 ^	40	25	34	1
2014 Jun 5-8	33	22	41	4
2014 Feb 6-9	35	27	36	2
2013 Jun 13-Jul 5 ^	40	23	35	2
2012 Jun 7-10	42	21	35	3
2011 Jun 9-12	35	18	43	4
2010 Jul 8-11	34	17	45	4
2009 Jul 10-12	32	14	50	5
2008 Jun 5-Jul 6 ^	39	18	39	3
2007 Jun 4-24 ^	35	16	45	4
2006 Jun 8-25 ^	42	17	39	2
2006 Apr 7-9	35	15	47	4
2005 Dec 9-11 †	31	15	51	3
2005 Jun 6-25 ^	34	16	46	4
2004 Jun 9-30 ^	33	14	49	4
2003 Jun 12-18	37	13	47	3
2002 Sep 2-4	26	17	54	3
2002 Jun 3-9	36	12	49	3
2001 Oct 19-21	30	8	58	4
2001 Jun 11-17	42	14	41	3
2001 Mar 26-28	41	10	43	6
2000 Sep 11-13	41	13	38	8
1999 Feb 26-28 †	41	10	44	5
1995 Jul 7-9	27	7	62	4
1995 Jun 5-6	24	7	65	4
1993 Jul 9-11	27	6	65	2
1986 Jun 19-23 ‡	35	7	49	9
1977 Mar 25-28	37	7	42	14
1965 Jun 24-29	39	7	33	20

^ Asked in poll including oversamples of black and Hispanic respondents and weighted to be representative of national adults

† Asked of a half sample.

‡ CBS/New York Times poll.

10. Please tell me whether you strongly favor, favor, oppose or strongly oppose each of the following proposals.
[RANDOM ORDER]

2019 Jan 21-27
Sorted by "Total Favor"

	Total Favor	Total Oppose
Allowing immigrants living in the U.S. illegally the chance to become U.S. citizens if they meet certain requirements over a period of time	81	18
Hiring significantly more border patrol agents	75	24
Significantly expanding the construction of walls along the U.S-Mexico border	40	60
Deporting all immigrants who are living in the United States illegally back to their home country	37	61

FULL RESULTS AND TRENDS:

A. Deporting all immigrants who are living in the United States illegally back to their home country

	<u>Strongly favor</u>	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Jan 21-27	17	20	31	30	2
2016 Jun 7-Jul 1	14	18	35	31	1

B. Significantly expanding the construction of walls along the U.S-Mexico border

	<u>Strongly favor</u>	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Jan 21-27	26	14	21	39	1
2018 Jun 1-13	24	17	23	34	2

C. Allowing immigrants living in the U.S. illegally the chance to become U.S. citizens if they meet certain requirements over a period of time

	<u>Strongly favor</u>	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Jan 21-27	34	47	9	9	*
2016 Jun 7-Jul 1	40	44	8	7	*

D. Hiring significantly more border patrol agents

	<u>Strongly favor</u>	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Jan 21-27	34	41	16	8	1