

**GALLUP NEWS SERVICE**

**GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SERIES:  
ENVIRONMENT**

**-- FINAL TOPLINE --**

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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted March 1-10, 2019 with a random sample of **-1,039—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.

For results based on the sample of **-538—national adults in Form A**, the margin of sampling error is **±5 percentage points**.

For results based on the sample of **-501—national adults in Form B**, the margins of sampling error is **±5 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 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](mailto:galluphelp@gallup.com).

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13. With which one of these statements about the environment and the economy do you most agree –  
 [ROTATED: protection of the environment should be given priority, even at the risk of curbing economic growth (or) economic growth should be given priority, even if the environment suffers to some extent]?

	<u>Environment</u>	<u>Economic growth</u>	<u>Equal priority (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Mar 1-10	65	30	3	2
2018 Mar 1-8	57	35	4	4
2017 Mar 1-5	56	35	5	4
2016 Mar 2-6	56	37	4	3
2015 Mar 5-8	46	42	6	5
2014 Mar 6-9	50	41	4	5
2013 Mar 7-10	43	48	4	5
2012 Mar 8-11	41	49	6	4
2011 Mar 3-6	36	54	6	4
2010 May 24-25	50	43	4	3
2010 Mar 4-7	38	53	4	5
2009 Mar 5-8	42	51	5	3
2008 Mar 6-9	49	42	5	3
2007 Mar 11-14	55	37	4	4
2006 Mar 13-16	52	37	6	4
2005 Mar 7-10	53	36	7	4
2004 Mar 8-11	49	44	4	3
2003 Mar 3-5	47	42	7	4
2002 Mar 4-7	54	36	5	5
2001 Mar 5-7	57	33	6	4
2000 Apr 3-9	67	28	2	3
2000 Jan 13-16	70	23	--	7
1999 Apr 13-14	67	28	--	5
1999 Mar 12-14	65	30	--	5
1998 Apr 17-19	68	24	--	8
1997 Jul 25-27	66	27	--	7
1995 Apr 17-19	62	32	--	6
1992 Jan 5-Mar 31	58	26	8	8
1991 Apr 11-14	71	20	--	9
1990 Apr 5-8	71	19	--	10
1984 Sep 28-Oct 1	61	28	--	11

**GALLUP ENVIRONMENT**

**March 2019**

**Public Release Data**

**QN13: Priority: environment or economy BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology**

		Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology			
		Total	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Unweighted n	1039	547	492	745	266	187	305	527	448	346	237	306	396	312	397	335	267
	Weighted n	1039	507	532	679	341	272	356	393	336	298	400	274	433	309	390	345	264
Protect environment, even at the risk of curbing economic growth		671	305	366	416	244	212	207	236	224	197	248	96	308	254	171	255	222
		65%	60%	69%	61%	72%	78%	58%	60%	67%	66%	62%	35%	71%	82%	44%	74%	84%
Economic growth priority, even if environment suffers to some extent		316	179	137	224	88	56	129	128	95	90	131	165	103	41	194	82	34
		30%	35%	26%	33%	26%	21%	36%	33%	28%	30%	33%	60%	24%	13%	50%	24%	13%
(Equal Priority) [Volunteered]		35	18	17	28	7	2	15	18	13	8	13	9	16	9	21	6	4
		3%	4%	3%	4%	2%	1%	4%	5%	4%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	5%	2%	2%
(DK)/(Refused)		16	5	11	11	3	1	5	10	5	3	8	4	6	5	5	2	4
		2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	0%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%