## GALLUP NEWS SERVICE

## GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SERIES: MOOD OF THE NATION

## -- FINAL TOPLINE --

Results are based on telephone interviews conducted January 2-22, 2024, with a random sample of $\mathbf{1 , 0 1 1}$ 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 $\pm 4$ percentage points at the $\mathbf{9 5 \%}$ confidence level.

For results based on the sample of -- 505 -- national adults in Form $A$ and the sample of 506-- national adults in Form B, the margin of sampling error is $\pm 6$ 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 $\mathbf{8 0 \%}$ cell phone respondents and $\mathbf{2 0 \%}$ 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 Dynata. 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 phoneonly/landline only/both and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the most recent Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the most recent National Health Interview Survey. Population density targets are based on the $\mathbf{2 0 2 0}$ 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.
Q. 9 (CURRENT ECONOMIC CONDITIONS) CONTINUED

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10. Right now, do you think that economic conditions in the country as a whole are getting better or getting worse?

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better worse

## Q. 10 (ECONOMIC OUTLOOK) CONTINUED

|  | Getting better | Getting worse | $\begin{gathered} \text { SAME } \\ \text { (vol.) } \end{gathered}$ | No opinion |  | Getting better | Getting worse | $\begin{gathered} \text { SAME } \\ \text { (vol.) } \end{gathered}$ | No opinion |
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| 2008 |  |  |  |  |  | 28 | 63 | 7 | 2 |
| 2008 Dec 4-7 | 13 | 77 | 8 | 2 |  | 36 | 52 | 9 | 3 |
| 2008 Nov 13-16 | 15 | 78 | 5 | 2 | 2005 Jul 25-28 | 35 | 53 | 9 | 3 |
| 2008 Oct 10-12 | 9 | 84 | 5 | 3 | 2005 Jul 7-10 | 35 | 54 | 8 | 3 |
| 2008 Oct 3-5 | 10 | 83 | 5 | 2 | 2005 Jun 16-19 | 35 | 57 | 6 | 2 |
| 2008 Sep 8-11 | 17 | 74 | 7 | 2 | 2005 Jun 6-8 | 35 | 55 | 8 | 2 |
| 2008 Aug 21-23 | 19 | 69 | 9 | 3 | 2005 May 23-26 | 41 | 52 | 5 | 2 |
| 2008 Aug 7-10 | 17 | 71 | 10 | 2 | 2005 May 2-5 | 32 | 61 | 6 |  |

Q. 10


