



Interviews with 1,018 adult Americans conducted by telephone by Opinion Research Corporation on July 16-21, 2010. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points. Results in this document labelled "All Americans" or "Total" are based on this sample of 1,018 adults.

Additional interviews were conducted among African-Americans, and combined with the African-Americans contacted in the initial sample of 1,018 for a total of 308 African-American respondents. The margin of sampling error for results based on this sample of African-Americans is plus or minus 5.5 percentage points.

Additional interviews were also conducted among Hispanics, and combined with the Hispanics contacted in the initial sample of 1,018 for a total of 303 Hispanic respondents. The margin of sampling error for results based on this sample of Hispanics is plus or minus 5.5 percentage points.

Columns in this document labeled "Whites" show results only for the 757 respondents in the initial sample who described themselves as white in a question on racial background and did not describe themselves as Hispanic or Latino in a separate question on ethnicity. (Sampling error for non-Hispanic whites is +/-3.5 percentage points.) Columns in this document labeled "Blacks" refer to all respondents who described themselves as black or African-American and did not describe themselves as Hispanic or Latino in a separate question on ethnicity. Columns in this document labeled "Hispanics" refer to all respondents who described themselves as Hispanic or Latino in a separate question on ethnicity regardless of their race.

Trend results for racial groups are shown only for polls which had enough African-American and Hispanic respondents to produce statistically valid results.

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23. What should be the main focus of the U.S. government in dealing with the issue of illegal immigration -- developing a plan that would allow illegal immigrants who have jobs to become legal U.S. residents, or developing a plan for stopping the flow of illegal immigrants into the U.S. and for deporting those already here?

ALL AMERICANS  
July 16-21      May 21-23  
2010              2010

Allow to become legal residents	42%	38%
Stop illegals/deport those here	57%	60%
No opinion	1%	2%

CNN/USA TODAY/GALLUP TRENDS

	<u>Allow to become Legal resident</u>	<u>Stop illegals/ Deport those here</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2005 Dec 9-11 *	41	56	3

\* Asked of half sample

July 16-21, 2010  
Blacks      Hispanics      Whites

Allow to become legal residents	51%	70%	36%
Stop illegals/deport those here	49%	27%	63%
No opinion	1%	3%	1%

28. In general, does the number of illegal immigrants currently in this country make you feel angry, dissatisfied, but not angry, satisfied, but not pleased, or pleased?

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	<u>All Americans</u>	<u>Blacks</u>	<u>Hispanics</u>	<u>Whites</u>
Angry	23%	18%	11%	26%
Dissatisfied	51%	39%	40%	54%
Satisfied	20%	30%	28%	17%
Pleased	6%	11%	20%	3%
No opinion	1%	2%	1%	*

34. In general, do you think people who favor tough new laws against illegal immigrants feel that way mostly because they are concerned about the effects of illegal immigration on economic conditions and law enforcement in this country, or mostly because they dislike Latinos?

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	All			
	<u>Americans</u>	<u>Blacks</u>	<u>Hispanics</u>	<u>Whites</u>
Concerned about economy and law enforcement	77%	63%	62%	81%
Dislike Latinos	20%	33%	34%	16%
Other (vol.)	2%	2%	3%	2%
No opinion	1%	2%	1%	1%