

CNN October 2017

The study was conducted for CNN via telephone by SSRS, an independent research company. Interviews were conducted from **October 12, 2017 – October 15 2017** among a sample of **1,010** respondents. The landline total respondents were **405** and there were **605** of cell phone respondents. The margin of sampling error for total respondents is +/-3.5 at the 95% confidence level. The design effect is 1.32. More information about SSRS can be obtained by visiting www.ssrs.com.

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Monday, October 16 at 7:00 p.m.**

Q2. (A2) Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling...?

The federal government's response to recent hurricanes	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
October 12-15, 2017	44%	47%	9%
September 17-20, 2017	64%	25%	10%

MORE ON METHODOLOGY

A total of 1,010 adults were interviewed by telephone nationwide by live interviewers calling both landline and cell phones. Interviews were conducted in English and Spanish. Among the entire sample, 31% described themselves as Democrats, 23% described themselves as Republicans, and 42% described themselves as independents or members of another party.

All respondents were asked questions concerning basic demographics, and the entire sample was weighted to reflect national Census figures for gender, race, age, education, region of country, and telephone usage.

Results for the full sample have a margin of sampling error of +/-3.5 percentage points. For the sample of 894 registered voters, it is +/-3.8 percentage points.

Crosstabs on the following pages only include results for subgroups with enough unweighted cases to produce a sampling error of +/-8.5 percentage points or less once adjusted for design effect. Some subgroups represent too small a share of the national population to produce crosstabs with an acceptable sampling error. Interviews were conducted among these subgroups, but results for groups with a design-effect adjusted sampling error larger than +/-8.5 percentage points are not displayed and instead are denoted with "N/A".



CNN/SSRS Poll -- October 12, 2017 to October 15, 2017

2N. (A2n) Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling The federal government's response to recent hurricanes?
 Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-white
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Approve	44%	53%	36%	54%	25%
Disapprove	47%	40%	54%	38%	63%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	9%	7%	11%	7%	12%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.5	4.9	5.1	4.3	6.4

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
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Approve	44%	31%	39%	56%	53%	32%	54%
Disapprove	47%	57%	53%	37%	39%	56%	39%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	9%	13%	8%	7%	8%	11%	7%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.5	7.4	7.7	6.4	6.4	5.8	4.4

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
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Approve	44%	38%	48%	45%	42%	60%	44%
Disapprove	47%	53%	43%	45%	51%	33%	49%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	9%	9%	8%	10%	7%	7%	7%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.5	5.7	4.7	4.6	5.2	5.7	6.2

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	44%	19%	44%	81%	20%	37%	69%
Disapprove	47%	73%	45%	14%	75%	52%	25%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	9%	7%	11%	6%	5%	11%	7%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.5	6.3	5.5	7.0	7.5	5.7	5.9

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Trump ap-prove	Trump disap prove	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	44%	16%	79%	89%	16%	46%
Disapprove	47%	75%	14%	6%	76%	47%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	9%	9%	7%	5%	8%	7%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.5	5.2	5.4	5.6	4.8	3.8