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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted August 2-6, 2017 with a random sample of 1,017<sup>2</sup> 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 ha

and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2011 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the January-June 2016 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.

Now thinking about something a little different,

11. Do you approve or disapprove of labor unions?

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Dis- approve</u>	<u>No opinion</u>		<u>Approve</u>	<u>Dis- approve</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Aug 26	61	33	5	1981 Aug 14 17	55	35	11
2016 Aug 37	56	36	8	1979 May 47	55	33	12
2015 Aug 59	58	36	7	1978 Jan 6	59	31	10
2014 Aug 7 10	53	38	10	1972 Dec 8 11	60	25	15
2013 Aug 7 11	54	39	7	1972 Mar 24 27	60	27	13
2012 Aug 9 12	52	42	6	1967 Sep 14 19	66	23	11
2011 Aug 11 14	52	42	6	1965 May 13 18	71	19	11
2010 Aug 5 8	52	41	7	1963 Jan 1-16	68	22	10
2009 Aug 6 9	48	45	7	1962 Jun 28 Jul 3	64	24	11
2008 Aug 7 10	59	31	10	1961 Sep 2-26	69	20	11
2007 Aug 13 16	60	32	8	1961 May 4 9	63	23	14
2006 Aug 7 10	59	29	12	1961 Jan 1-7	70	18	12
2005 Aug 8 11	58	33	9	1959 Aug 20 25	73	14	12
2004 Aug 9 11	59	34	7	1959 Jan 7 12	68	19	13
2003 Aug 4 6	65	29	6	1958 Oct 1 5 20	64	21	15
2002 Aug 5 8	58	33	9	1957 Aug 29 Sep 4	65	18	17
2001 Aug 16 19	60	32	8	1957 Apr 6 11	74	17	9
1999 Aug 24 26	65	28	7	1957 Jan 1-22	75	14	11
1999 Mar 5 7	66	29	5	1953 Oct 9 14	75	18	7
				1948 Dec 10 15			

D19. Are you, or is anyone in your household, a member of a labor union?

	Respondent in labor <u>union</u>	Other household member in <u>labor union</u>	Both in <u>labor union</u>	Not a member of <u>labor union</u>	No <u>opinion</u>	<i>Net: Union house- hold</i>
2017 Aug 26	7	6	3	83	1	16
2016 Aug 37	9	9	3	79	1	21
2015 Aug 59	8	6	2	83	1	16
2014 Aug 710	7	10	3	79	1	20
2013 Aug 711	8	9	2	80	1	19
2012 Aug 912	6	7	4	82	1	17
2011 Aug 1114	8	7	2	82	1	17
2010 Aug 58	8	6	2	83	1	16
2009 Aug 69	8	8	2	81	*	18
2008 Aug 710	8	8	1	82	*	17
2007 Aug 1316	8	7				

