

**GALLUP NEWS SERVICE**  
**FINAL PRE-ELECTION POLL**

**-- FINAL TOPLINE --**

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**Results are based on telephone interviews conducted November 1-4, 2012, on the Gallup Daily**

16. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district -- [ROTATE: the Democratic Party's candidate or the Republican Party's candidate]?
- 16A. *(If undecided or other)* As of today, do you lean more toward -- [ROTATE: the Democratic Party's candidate or the Republican Party's candidate]?

**COMBINED RESULTS (Q.16/16A): BASED ON REGISTERED VOTERS**

	Democratic <u>candidate</u>	Republican <u>candidate</u>	Other/ <u>undecided</u>
<b>Likely voters</b>			
2012 Nov 1-4	49	48	3
<b>Registered voters</b>			
2012 Nov 1-4	49	47	4
2012 Sep 24-27	47	46	8
2012 Aug 20-22	47	47	6
2012 May 10-13	44	50	6
2012 Feb 16-19	47	47	6
2011 Dec 15-			

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: Final Pre-Election Poll Trends (Presidential election years)

	<u>Democratic candidate</u>	<u>Republican candidate</u>	<u>Undecided/ other</u>
<b><u>LIKELY VOTERS</u></b>			
2008 Oct 31-Nov 2	53	41	6
2004 Oct 29-31	48	47	5
2000 Nov 5-6	49	45	6
1996 Nov 3-4	48	45	7
1984 Sep 28-Oct 1	48	46	6
1976 Oct 28-30	53	39	8
<b><u>REGISTERED VOTERS</u></b>			
2008 Oct 31-Nov 2	54	39	7
2004 Oct 29-31	49	45	6
2000 Nov 5-6	50	42	8
1996 Nov 3-4	47	47	6
1992 Oct 23-25	51	41	8
1988 May 13-15	52	37	11
1984 Sep 28-Oct 1	47	46	7
1980 Oct 30-Nov 1	53	38	9
1972 Sep 22-25	51	38	11
1968 Oct 17-22	48	41	11
1964 Oct 8-13	55	32	13
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20. Please tell me whether you think each of the following political office-holders deserves to be re-elected, or

**Q.20 (DESERVES RE-ELECTION) CONTINUED**

**C. Most members of Congress**

	Yes, deserves	No, does not	No opinion		Yes, deserves	No, does not	No opinion
2012 Nov 3-4 ^	36	56	8	2012 Nov 3-4 †	37	54	9
2011 Nov 28-Dec 1	20	76	3	2011 Nov 28-Dec 1	20	76	4
2011 Aug 4-7	21	70	9	2011 Aug 4-7	24	67	9
2011 May 12-15	28	63	9	2011 May 12-15	30	61	9
2010 Oct 14-17	33	56	12	2010 Oct 14-17	33	54	13
2010 Jun 11-13	28	64	7	2010 Jun 11-13	30	62	8
2010 May 24-25	32	63	6	2010 May 24-25	32	62	7
2010 Mar 26-28	28	65	7	2010 Mar 26-28	28	65	6
2008 Oct 23-26	36	51	13	2008 Oct 23-26	36	50	14
2008 Jul 25-27	36	52	12	2008 Jul 25-27	36	50	14
2008 Feb 8-10	39	50	11	2008 Feb 8-10	41	47	11
2006 Oct 20-22	38	52	10	2006 Oct 20-22	39	51	10
2006 Oct 6-8	39	50	11	2006 Oct 6-8	39	49	11
2006 Jun 23-25	38	51	11	2006 Jun 23-25	39	50	12
2006 Apr 28-30	38	53	10	2006 Apr 28-30	37	52	11
2006 Jan 6-8	43	47	10	2006 Jan 6-8	42	47	11
2005 Oct 21-23	46	44	10	2005 Oct 21-23	45	44	11
2004 Oct 14-16	51	34	15	2004 Oct 14-16	51	33	16
2003 Oct 10-12	50	37	13	2003 Oct 10-12	51	35	14
2002 Sep 20-22	57	29	14	2002 Sep 20-22	57	28	15
2002 Apr 29-May 1	57	24	19	2002 Apr 29-May 1	58	22	20
2001 Aug 24-26	52	30	18	2001 Aug 24-26	51	31	18
2000 Sep 11-13	54	30	16	2000 Jan 7-10	55	31	14
2000 Jan 7-10	56	31	13	1998 Oct 9-12	58	26	16
1998 Oct 9-12	58	27	15	1998 Apr 17-19	56	28	16
1998 Apr 17-19	55	29	16	1997 Oct 27-29	50	29	21
1994 Nov 2-6	38	47	15	1997 Aug 22-25	56	27	17
1994 Oct 22-25	43	45	12	1996 May 9-12	50	35	15
1994 Oct 7-9	37	49	14	1996 Jan 12-15	47	38	15
1994 Jul 15-17	40	46	14	1994 Nov 2-6	39	45	16
1994 Mar 25-27	46	38	16	1994 Oct 22-25	43	44	13
1994 Feb 26-28	42	44	14	1994 Oct 18-19	44	42	14
1992 Oct 23-25	29	50	21	1994 Oct 7-9	37	48	15
1992 Sep 11-15	32	46	22	1994 Jul 15-17	41	43	16
1992 Jul 31 Aug 2	40	46	14	1994 Mar 25-27	46	38	16
1992 Apr 20-22	33	50	17	1994 Feb 26-28	42	44	14
1992 Apr 9-12	32	53	15	1993 Dec 17-19	38	47	15
1992 Mar 20-22	31	58	11	1993 Jul 19-21	39	46	15
1992 Jan 31-Feb 2	43	43	14	1991 Nov	38	48	14
1992 Jan 3-9	43	42	15				

† Asked of 1,406 registered voters Nov. 3-4; ±3 PCT PTS.

‡ Asked of 1,536 national adults Nov. 3-4; ±3 PCT PTS.