

1. Support Medical Research

Would you support or oppose the federal government conducting research about medical uses for marijuana?

	Gender			Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	47%	51%	43%	54%	48%	46%	37%	48%	38%	41%	54%
Somewhat support	27%	25%	28%	28%	23%	28%	29%	28%	26%	20%	33%
Somewhat oppose	8%	5%	10%	4%	4%	10%	12%	7%	10%	12%	2%
Strongly oppose	9%	8%	10%	5%	9%	9%	14%	9%	9%	11%	7%
Not sure	10%	10%	9%	9%	15%	7%	8%	8%	16%	16%	4%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (486)	100% (514)	100% (208)	100% (257)	100% (373)	100% (162)	100% (665)	100% (117)	100% (143)	100% (75)

	Party ID - 3 Point				Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	47%	56%	42%	39%	45%	54%	42%	42%	44%	50%	42%	51%
Somewhat support	27%	25%	27%	30%	23%	30%	34%	31%	32%	27%	27%	22%
Somewhat oppose	8%	7%	8%	9%	9%	9%	7%	3%	5%	9%	9%	7%
Strongly oppose	9%	5%	9%	15%	10%	5%	12%	11%	8%	7%	12%	9%
Not sure	10%	7%	14%	7%	13%	1%	5%	14%	11%	7%	10%	11%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (389)	100% (386)	100% (225)	100% (500)	100% (256)	100% (114)	100% (130)	100% (198)	100% (219)	100% (363)	100% (220)

2. Level of Attention

Thinking about next year's presidential election, would you say that the issue of marijuana legalization has received:

	Total	Gender		Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Too much attention from candidates	14%	14%	13%	13%	10%	19%	10%	13%	15%	16%	16%
About the right amount of attention from candidates	35%	36%	35%	32%	39%	33%	38%	37%	32%	33%	28%
Too little attention from candidates	28%	29%	27%	28%	27%	28%	30%	29%	30%	20%	30%
Not sure	23%	22%	25%	27%	24%	21%	23%	21%	23%	30%	26%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (484)	100% (513)	100% (207)	100% (257)	100% (372)	100% (161)	100% (663)	100% (116)	100% (143)	100% (75)

	Total	Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region			
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Too much attention from candidates	14%	9%	14%	20%	14%	12%	20%	10%	12%	13%	15%	13%
About the right amount of attention from candidates	35%	37%	32%	37%	32%	39%	47%	31%	34%	37%	38%	32%
Too little attention from candidates	28%	26%	31%	24%	31%	28%	21%	20%	26%	32%	27%	27%
Not sure	23%	27%	23%	18%	24%	20%	12%	38%	29%	18%	20%	28%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (389)	100% (385)	100% (223)	100% (498)	100% (255)	100% (114)	100% (130)	100% (198)	100% (218)	100% (362)	100% (219)

3. Marijuana Issues

How important will issues relating to marijuana legalization be in your vote for president next year?

	Gender			Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very important	15%	13%	16%	14%	17%	14%	14%	12%	23%	16%	20%
Somewhat important	25%	25%	24%	26%	26%	22%	29%	25%	26%	24%	23%
Not very important	23%	22%	24%	26%	18%	23%	27%	24%	18%	17%	37%
Not at all important	19%	24%	15%	12%	17%	25%	21%	22%	19%	15%	11%
I don't plan to vote next year	12%	12%	12%	15%	15%	10%	8%	12%	10%	17%	7%
Not sure	6%	4%	8%	8%	8%	5%	2%	5%	6%	12%	2%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (485)	100% (513)	100% (208)	100% (256)	100% (373)	100% (161)	100% (664)	100% (117)	100% (142)	100% (75)

	Party ID - 3 Point				Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very important	15%	14%	16%	13%	19%	11%	7%	9%	13%	12%	16%	17%
Somewhat important	25%	28%	20%	28%	28%	22%	21%	22%	20%	30%	25%	26%
Not very important	23%	27%	19%	23%	18%	32%	22%	29%	26%	25%	21%	22%
Not at all important	19%	15%	18%	29%	16%	20%	38%	17%	19%	22%	19%	18%
I don't plan to vote next year	12%	10%	19%	2%	13%	10%	10%	16%	17%	4%	14%	12%
Not sure	6%	5%	8%	4%	7%	6%	2%	7%	5%	8%	6%	5%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (388)	100% (385)	100% (225)	100% (499)	100% (255)	100% (114)	100% (130)	100% (198)	100% (219)	100% (363)	100% (218)

4. Candidate Support

Would you prefer to vote for a presidential candidate who:

	Total	Gender		Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Supported more restrictions on marijuana	15%	14%	17%	10%	11%	16%	28%	15%	15%	18%	15%
Supported the current level of restrictions on marijuana	9%	8%	10%	5%	7%	13%	9%	9%	12%	6%	8%
Supported fewer restrictions on marijuana	32%	39%	25%	35%	33%	34%	22%	35%	27%	19%	42%
A candidate's position on marijuana doesn't matter to me	22%	22%	22%	20%	20%	24%	26%	21%	29%	25%	19%
I don't plan to vote next year	12%	9%	14%	18%	16%	7%	6%	11%	10%	16%	9%
Not sure	10%	8%	12%	13%	12%	7%	9%	9%	7%	17%	7%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (482)	100% (511)	100% (207)	100% (254)	100% (372)	100% (160)	100% (659)	100% (116)	100% (143)	100% (75)

	Total	Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region			
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Supported more restrictions on marijuana	15%	10%	14%	27%	16%	15%	16%	12%	14%	15%	18%	13%
Supported the current level of restrictions on marijuana	9%	7%	9%	11%	8%	11%	11%	9%	11%	8%	9%	7%
Supported fewer restrictions on marijuana	32%	37%	32%	23%	30%	35%	33%	34%	28%	40%	29%	34%
A candidate's position on marijuana doesn't matter to me	22%	27%	18%	24%	22%	23%	26%	19%	21%	21%	22%	24%

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		Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
I don't plan to vote next												
year	12%	9%	15%	8%	13%	6%	12%	13%	15%	5%	11%	14%
Not sure	10%	9%	11%	8%	11%	10%	2%	13%	10%	12%	10%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(993)	(387)	(385)	(221)	(495)	(256)	(113)	(129)	(198)	(215)	(361)	(219)

5. Marijuana Regulation

Which comes closest to your opinion about how strictly marijuana should be regulated in comparison with other drugs?

	Gender		Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point				
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Marijuana should be regulated more strictly than drugs like cocaine or methamphetamine	4%	3%	5%	4%	2%	5%	4%	3%	7%	7%	2%
Marijuana should be regulated about as strictly as drugs like cocaine or methamphetamine	25%	22%	28%	18%	25%	20%	45%	27%	26%	19%	20%
Marijuana should be regulated less strictly than drugs like cocaine or methamphetamine	59%	66%	53%	61%	58%	66%	44%	61%	54%	47%	70%
Not sure	12%	9%	14%	16%	14%	9%	7%	9%	12%	27%	8%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (996)	100% (483)	100% (513)	100% (207)	100% (255)	100% (372)	100% (162)	100% (662)	100% (117)	100% (142)	100% (75)

	Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Marijuana should be regulated more strictly than drugs like cocaine or methamphetamine	4%	4%	3%	5%	4%	3%	7%	4%	6%	3%	4%	3%
Marijuana should be regulated about as strictly as drugs like cocaine or methamphetamine	25%	20%	25%	34%	25%	26%	27%	22%	26%	22%	29%	21%
Marijuana should be regulated less strictly than drugs like cocaine or methamphetamine	59%	65%	56%	55%	56%	65%	63%	56%	52%	69%	54%	64%

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		Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Not sure	12%	11%	15%	7%	15%	5%	2%	18%	16%	6%	13%	12%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (996)	100% (388)	100% (385)	100% (223)	100% (497)	100% (256)	100% (113)	100% (130)	100% (198)	100% (217)	100% (361)	100% (220)

6. Smoked Marijuana

Have you smoked marijuana in the past year?

	Gender			Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	14%	17%	10%	17%	18%	13%	4%	14%	17%	9%	14%
No	84%	81%	87%	80%	79%	84%	95%	84%	83%	84%	83%
Prefer not to say	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	—	7%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(483)	(514)	(207)	(256)	(372)	(162)	(663)	(117)	(142)	(75)

	Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	14%	16%	13%	12%	17%	13%	8%	7%	17%	14%	10%	17%
No	84%	82%	83%	87%	81%	87%	90%	85%	82%	83%	87%	80%
Prefer not to say	2%	2%	4%	1%	3%	—	2%	8%	1%	2%	3%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(389)	(385)	(223)	(498)	(256)	(113)	(130)	(198)	(218)	(361)	(220)

7. Ever Smoked Marijuana

Have you ever smoked marijuana?

	Gender			Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	47%	54%	41%	44%	48%	60%	25%	50%	47%	36%	43%
No	50%	43%	56%	54%	49%	36%	74%	47%	51%	60%	56%
Prefer not to say	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	4%	1%	3%	2%	4%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(994)	(482)	(512)	(207)	(253)	(372)	(162)	(661)	(116)	(142)	(75)

	Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	47%	52%	45%	44%	46%	63%	37%	33%	52%	46%	43%	51%
No	50%	46%	51%	54%	52%	36%	58%	59%	47%	50%	55%	46%
Prefer not to say	3%	2%	4%	2%	2%	1%	5%	8%	1%	4%	2%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(994)	(387)	(384)	(223)	(497)	(255)	(113)	(129)	(197)	(217)	(360)	(220)

8. Smoke Marijuana If Legal

If it were completely legal, would you want to try marijuana?

Asked of those who have never smoked marijuana

	Gender			Age - 4 Point				Race - 4 Point			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	10%	14%	6%	17%	8%	10%	4%	10%	7%	9%	8%
No	87%	83%	90%	78%	88%	87%	95%	87%	91%	85%	87%
Prefer not to say	4%	3%	4%	6%	5%	4%	1%	3%	2%	7%	4%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (491)	100% (213)	100% (278)	100% (119)	100% (116)	100% (143)	100% (113)	100% (311)	100% (60)	100% (80)	100% (40)

	Party ID - 3 Point			Family Income - 3 Point				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	10%	8%	10%	11%	9%	15%	9%	7%	4%	10%	12%	10%
No	87%	88%	86%	87%	88%	84%	89%	82%	92%	86%	85%	85%
Prefer not to say	4%	4%	4%	2%	3%	1%	2%	11%	3%	4%	3%	5%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (491)	100% (175)	100% (191)	100% (125)	100% (244)	100% (104)	100% (65)	100% (78)	100% (93)	100% (110)	100% (189)	100% (99)

Interviewing Dates	November 13 - 15, 2015
Target population	U.S. adults, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by age, gender, race, education, and region) was selected from the 2010 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2010 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement. Religion, minor party identification, and non-placement on an ideology scale, were imputed from the 2008 Pew Religion in American Life Survey.
Weighting	The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on age, gender, race, education, voter registration, and non-placement on an ideology scale. The weights range from 0.202 to 4.066, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.857.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 4.1% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	20 questions not reported.