

## Methodology

### About the Pew Research Center's Spring 2018 Global Attitudes Survey

Results for the survey are based on telephone and face-to-face interviews conducted under the direction of D3 Systems, Inc., Kantar Public UK, Kantar Public Korea and Langer Research Associates. The results are based on national samples, unless otherwise noted. More details about our international survey methodology and country-specific sample designs are [available here](#).

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# Topline Questionnaire

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## Methodological notes:

- Survey results are based on national samples. For further details on sample designs, see Methodology section and our [international survey methods database](#).
- Due to rounding, percentages may not total 100%. The topline “total” columns show 100%, because they are based on unrounded numbers.
- Not all questions included in the Spring 2018 survey are presented in this topline. Omitted questions have either been previously released or will be released in future reports.

		Q51. Do you think people leaving our country for jobs in other countries is a very big problem, a moderately big problem, a small problem, or not a problem at all for (survey country)?					
		Very big problem	Moderately big problem	Small problem	Not a problem at all	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2018	17	21	28	33	1	100
	Summer, 2002	9	16	32	34	9	100
Canada	Spring, 2018	12	25	35	27	1	100
	Summer, 2002	20	35	28	14	2	100
France	Spring, 2018	19	29	28	24	0	100
	Summer, 2002	14	25	31	29	1	100
Germany	Spring, 2018	12	21	45	21	1	100
	Summer, 2002	33	31	22	12	2	100
Greece	Spring, 2018	61	28	7	4	0	100
Hungary	Spring, 2018	50	30	14	3	2	100
	Fall, 2009	38	30	20	10	1	100
Italy	Spring, 2018	50	30	12	5	3	100
	Summer, 2002	27	38	25	9	1	100
Netherlands	Spring, 2018	5	14	33	47	1	100
Poland	Spring, 2018	27	41	22	6	4	100
	Fall, 2009	27	41	20	10	2	100
	Spring, 2007	45	33	15	7	1	100
	Summer, 2002	21	31	24	18	5	100
Spain	Spring, 2018	67	21	6	5	0	100
Sweden	Spring, 2018	4	14	46	35	1	100
United Kingdom	Spring, 2018	16	25	26	32	1	100
	Summer, 2002	12	27	28	25	8	100
Russia	Spring, 2018	32	39	19	9	2	100
	Fall, 2009	15	24	29	22	9	100
	Spring, 2007	19	24	32	18	7	100
	Summer, 2002	12	21	34	26	7	100
Australia	Spring, 2018	11	24	33	31	2	100
India	Spring, 2018	49	15	6	12	17	100
Indonesia	Spring, 2018	32	24	14	24	5	100
	Spring, 2007	10	30	39	18	2	100
Japan	Spring, 2018	30	28	17	22	2	100
	Summer, 2002	12	27	20	37	4	100
Philippines	Spring, 2018	33	32	16	20	1	100
	Summer, 2002	25	30	19	24	2	100
South Korea	Spring, 2018	30	26	29	15	1	100
	Summer, 2002	11	29	35	21	3	100
Israel	Spring, 2018	27	34	20	18	1	100
Tunisia	Spring, 2018	73	8	4	14	0	100
Kenya	Spring, 2018	50	22	10	17	1	100
	Spring, 2007	23	25	23	27	2	100
	Summer, 2002	37	20	16	21	6	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2018	58	10	7	23	1	100
South Africa	Spring, 2018	51	13	12	24	1	100
	Summer, 2002	52	15	11	21	2	100
Argentina	Spring, 2018	65	17	7	8	3	100
	Spring, 2007	38	35	17	7	4	100
	Summer, 2002	58	21	10	9	2	100
Brazil	Spring, 2018	32	35	12	19	2	100

		<b>Q51. Do you think people leaving our country for jobs in other countries is a very big problem, a moderately big problem, a small problem, or not a problem at all for (survey country)?</b>					
		<b>Very big problem</b>	<b>Moderately big problem</b>	<b>Small problem</b>	<b>Not a problem at all</b>	<b>DK/Refused</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Mexico</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	52	27	9	12	1	100
	<b>Spring, 2017</b>	57	32	4	5	2	100
	<b>Spring, 2015</b>	50	30	14	5	1	100
	<b>Spring, 2014</b>	38	32	20	10	1	100
	<b>Spring, 2013</b>	53	24	14	7	2	100
	<b>Spring, 2012</b>	50	29	11	9	2	100
	<b>Spring, 2011</b>	50	29	14	7	0	100
	<b>Spring, 2009</b>	50	31	12	6	1	100
	<b>Spring, 2007</b>	50	36	9	3	2	100
	<b>Summer, 2002</b>	52	30	9	7	1	100

		<b>Q52. In your opinion, should we allow more immigrants to move to our country, fewer immigrants, or about the same as we do now?</b>					
		<b>More</b>	<b>Fewer</b>	<b>About the same</b>	<b>No immigrants at all (DO NOT READ)</b>	<b>DK/Refused</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>United States</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	24	25	44	4	4	100
<b>Canada</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	19	25	53	2	1	100
<b>France</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	16	40	42	1	1	100
	<b>Spring, 2014</b>	3	57	39	0	1	100
<b>Germany</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	10	54	30	4	3	100
	<b>Spring, 2014</b>	14	44	40	0	2	100
<b>Greece</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	2	55	15	27	0	100
	<b>Spring, 2014</b>	1	86	12	0	2	100
<b>Hungary</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	2	27	22	45	4	100
<b>Italy</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	5	56	18	15	6	100
	<b>Spring, 2014</b>	2	80	15	0	3	100
<b>Netherlands</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	10	38	49	1	3	100
<b>Poland</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	9	31	36	18	7	100
	<b>Spring, 2014</b>	9	40	40	0	11	100
<b>Spain</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	28	29	39	1	3	100
	<b>Spring, 2014</b>	10	47	40	0	2	100
<b>Sweden</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	14	51	33	1	1	100
<b>United Kingdom</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	16	35	43	2	4	100
	<b>Spring, 2014</b>	6	55	36	0	3	100
<b>Russia</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	7	55	23	12	2	100
<b>Australia</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	18	37	42	1	1	100
<b>India</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	13	29	11	16	30	100
<b>Indonesia</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	8	42	31	12	7	100
<b>Japan</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	23	13	58	0	5	100
<b>Philippines</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	19	31	46	1	2	100
<b>South Korea</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	18	27	52	1	2	100
<b>Israel</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	9	56	15	17	2	100
<b>Tunisia</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	20	40	38	2	0	100
<b>Kenya</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	15	55	24	5	1	100
<b>Nigeria</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	20	39	26	11	4	100
<b>South Africa</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	11	41	23	24	2	100
<b>Argentina</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	6	52	28	9	4	100
<b>Brazil</b>	<b>Spring, 2018</b>	14	35	44	2	5	100

		Q52. In your opinion, should we allow more immigrants to move to our country, fewer immigrants, or about the same as we do now?					
		More	Fewer	About the same	No immigrants at all (DO NOT READ)	DK/Refused	Total
Mexico	Spring, 2018	11	43	42	1	3	100