

SEE HOW THEY RUN: NATIONALLY..

As the magazine of record for polls, we feel obligated to print a complete list of national and state presidential polls. We are not confident, however, of their meaning at this time. As the data on page 86 show, Americans do not know much about Perot, but as the national data here show, they give him plurality support in many polls.

Field Dates	Organization	Bush	Clinton	Perot	Leader*	Sample
3/26-29	CBS News/ <i>New York Times</i>	44%	31%	16%	BUSH	RV
3/27-29	<i>Los Angeles Times</i>	37	35	21	BUSH	A
3/31-4/1	Gallup/ <i>USA Today</i> /CNN	44	25	24	BUSH	RV
4/8-9	ABC News	36	29	26	BUSH	RV
4/9	Yankelovich Clancy Shulman/ <i>Time</i> /CNN	40	25	21	BUSH	RV
4/10-14	<i>Washington Post</i>	37	24	23	BUSH	RV
4/11-14	NBC News/ <i>Wall Street Journal</i>	38	30	26	BUSH	RV
4/14-15	<i>U.S. News & World Report</i>	40	29	24	BUSH	A
4/15-16	Gallup/ <i>Newsweek</i>	42	27	20	BUSH	RV
4/20-22	Gallup/ <i>USA Today</i> /CNN	41	26	25	BUSH	RV
4/20-23	CBS News/ <i>New York Times</i>	38	28	23	BUSH	RV
4/22-26	ABC News/ <i>Washington Post</i>	36	31	30	BUSH	RV
4/22-27	Louis Harris and Associates	36	24	28	BUSH	A
4/30-5/1	Gallup/ <i>Newsweek</i>	38	27	22	BUSH	A
4/30-5/3	Times Mirror Center	33	30	30	BUSH	A
5/6-8	CBS News/ <i>New York Times</i>	36	30	25	BUSH	RV
5/7-10	Gallup	35	29	30	BUSH	RV
5/11-12	<i>Washington Post</i>	33	29	28	BUSH	A
5/13-14	Yankelovich Clancy Shulman/ <i>Time</i> /CNN	28	24	33	PEROT	RV
5/15-19	NBC News/ <i>Wall Street Journal</i>	35	27	30	BUSH	RV
5/18-20	Gallup/ <i>USA Today</i> /CNN	35	25	35	---	RV
5/27-30	CBS News/ <i>New York Times</i>	35	27	26	BUSH	RV
5/27-31	ABC News/ <i>Washington Post</i>	31	29	34	PEROT	RV
5/28-6/10	Times Mirror Center	31	27	36	PEROT	A
6/2-4	Greenberg-Lake/Tarrance Group	32	24	36	PEROT	RV
6/3-4	Yankelovich Clancy Shulman/ <i>Time</i> /CNN	24	24	37	PEROT	RV
6/3-7	ABC News/ <i>Washington Post</i>	30	26	36	PEROT	RV
6/4-8	Gallup	31	25	39	PEROT	RV
6/6-10	Louis Harris and Associates	33	25	37	PEROT	A
6/12-14	Gallup/ <i>USA Today</i> /CNN	32	24	34	PEROT	RV
6/17-20	CBS News/ <i>New York Times</i>	34	26	33	BUSH	RV
2-way matchups						
3/26-29	CBS News/ <i>New York Times</i>	49%	40%		BUSH	RV
3/26-29	Times Mirror Center	50	43		BUSH	A
3/27-29	<i>Los Angeles Times</i>	48	46		BUSH	A
3/28-4/1	American Viewpoint	49	33		BUSH	A
3/31-4/1	Gallup/ <i>USA Today</i> /CNN	54	34		BUSH	RV
4/8-9	ABC News	42	40		BUSH	RV
4/9	Yankelovich Clancy Shulman/ <i>Time</i> /CNN	44	33		BUSH	RV
4/9-12	Gallup	48	41		BUSH	RV
4/11-14	NBC News/ <i>Wall Street Journal</i>	50	42		BUSH	RV
4/20-22	Gallup/ <i>USA Today</i> /CNN	50	34		BUSH	RV
4/20-23	CBS News/ <i>New York Times</i>	48	41		BUSH	RV
4/22-26	ABC News/ <i>Washington Post</i>	48	44		BUSH	RV
4/22-27	Louis Harris and Associates	40	28		BUSH	A
4/30-5/3	Times Mirror Center	46	43		BUSH	A
5/6-8	CBS News/ <i>New York Times</i>	49	43		BUSH	RV
5/7-10	Gallup	45	40		BUSH	RV
5/13-14	Yankelovich Clancy Shulman/ <i>Time</i> /CNN	38	35		BUSH	RV
5/15-19	NBC News/ <i>Wall Street Journal</i>	47	43		BUSH	RV
5/18-20	Gallup/ <i>USA Today</i> /CNN	50	39		BUSH	RV
5/27-30	CBS News/ <i>New York Times</i>	48	41		BUSH	RV
5/27-31	ABC News/ <i>Washington Post</i>	43	43		---	RV
5/28-6/10	Times Mirror Center	46	41		BUSH	A
6/2-4	Greenberg-Lake/Tarrance Group	48	38		BUSH	RV
6/3-4	Yankelovich Clancy Shulman/ <i>Time</i> /CNN	35	38		CLINTON	RV
6/4-8	Gallup	46	40		BUSH	RV
6/6-10	Louis Harris and Associates	39	41		CLINTON	A
6/17-20	CBS News/ <i>New York Times</i>	47	41		BUSH	RV

Note: *Readers should keep in mind that for many of the polls shown above, a candidate's "lead" falls within the survey's margin of error, which is typically a few percentage points, positive or negative.

AND IN THE STATES

On their face, the state polls do show Perot in a strong position and Clinton in a weak one.

State/Dates	Organization	Bush	Clinton	Perot	Sample	State/Dates	Organization	Bush	Clinton	Perot	Sample	
AK 6/2-9	Dittman Research Corp.	30%	19%	41%	A	NC 4/26-28	Mason-Dixon/PMR	38%	26%	27%	LV	
	Policy Analysts	32	19	41	RV		ND 6/1-2	University of North Dakota	33	17	30	A
AL 5/23-26	Mason-Dixon/PMR	36	28	22	LV	NE 5/5-6		Political/Media Research	39	15	36	LV
AR 5/18-19	Mason-Dixon/PMR	28	41	22	LV		Gallup	36	11	36	A	
AZ 4/4-8	Behavior Research Ctr.	40	24	27	A*	NH 4/9-16	American Research Group	38	25	24	RV	
	KAET-TV	37	15	37	RV		NJ 4/23-30	<i>Star-Ledger</i> /Eagleton	43	23	24	RV
	O'Neil Associates	30	21	41	RV	The Record Poll		39	24	24	LV	
CA 4/23-26	<i>Los Angeles Times</i>	33	26	32	RV	5/20-29	Political/Media Research	26	24	32	LV	
	Political/Media Research	32	20	38	LV	NM 4/9-19	Z Group New Mexico	29	25	31	RV	
	Field Institute	31	25	37	RV		OH 5/6-16	Univ. of Akron	23	15	25	A
	<i>Los Angeles Times</i>	25	26	39	RV			Ohio University	38	17	30	A
	Political/Media Research	24	22	41	LV			5/17-21	Political/Media Research	34	19	34
5/22-26	Field Institute	25	25	38	RV	OK 4/21-28	Cole, Hargrave, Snodgrass	32	19	34	RV	
5/27-30												
CO 4/24-5/3	Talmey-Drake	30	17	35	RV	OR 5/4-7	TH Research	31	21	42	LV	
	<i>Denver Post</i>	30	20	32	RV		5/9-13	Griggs Anderson Research	28	28	40	RV
CT 4/21-27	<i>Hartford Courant</i> /ISI	38	19	25	A	PA 4/15-18	Pennsylvania Poli	35	31	18	RV	
	<i>Hartford Courant</i> /ISI	29	19	33	A		5/11-12	The Cromer Group	31	25	24	RV
FL 5/29-31	Mason-Dixon	31	22	34	LV	RI 6/7-11	Brown University	20	19	32	LV	
GA 6/3-15	Georgia State Univ.	35	25	39	LV		SC 5/5-7	<i>Greenville News</i>	38	15	14	RV
HI 4/2-5	Political/Media Research	35	27	23	LV	TX 4/9-18		Harte-Hanks/Texas A&M Univ.	30	20	35	LV
ID 6/10-11	Tarrance Group	33	13	42	LV		6/11-13	Mason-Dixon/PMR	30	21	41	LV
IL 5/30-6/1	McKeon & Assoc.	27	25	34	LV	UT 6/2-3	Valley Research	32	10	38	RV	
IN 4/27-29	Political/Media Research	46	18	30	LV		VA 4/4-6	Mason-Dixon/PMR	40	23	20	LV
LA 6/18-20	Mason-Dixon	30	26	25	LV	4/7-9		Potomac Survey Research	43	26	20	LV
						6/6-8		Mason-Dixon/PMR	33	20	35	LV
MA 4/30-5/1	Bannon Research	31	20	27	RV	VT 5/7-9	Becker Institute	33	21	28	A	
	<i>Boston Globe</i> /KRC	22	22	35	RV		WA 4/16-17	Elway Research	34	21	23	RV
MD 6/3-5	Mason-Dixon	27	29	28	LV	4/22-23		Elway Research	30	18	29	RV
						5/8-12		GMA Research	29	20	35	RV
MI 6/2-4	SRB	31	24	33	RV	WV 4/27-30	Ryan-McGinn-Samples	30	33	21	A	
MN 3/30-4/1	Political/Media Research	36	28	25	LV		5/4-5	Mason-Dixon/PMR	32	28	25	LV
6/7-14	<i>Star Tribune</i>	30	23	40	LV							
MO 6/13-21	Univ. of Missouri	23	20	28	RV							
MT 4/7-9	Political/Media Research	39	29	23	LV							
	Univ. of Montana	22	17	42	LV							

Note: Only post-March 3-way matchups shown. PMR=Political/Media Research; SRB=Schulman, Ronca, Bucuvalas; * = Adult heads of households.