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Asia Zone

- ▶ MIDDLE EAST & NORTH AFRICA; WEST ASIA; SOUTH ASIA; NORTH ASIA; EAST ASIA

▶ SOUTHEAST ASIA

354-1 [Newly Inaugurated Indonesian President Jokowi \(51%\) Maintains Popularity While Presidential Opponent Prabowo \(31%\) Slips Back](#) (Click for Details)

(Indonesia) Newly inaugurated Indonesian President Jokowi (51%, down 2% since the Indonesian Presidential Election held in early July) retains the support of over half the Indonesian electorate following his inauguration in late October according to the latest Roy Morgan Poll on the Indonesian Presidency conducted in October 2014 with 2,321 Indonesian electors aged 17+. (Roy Morgan)

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Africa Zone

- ▶ WEST AFRICA; EAST AFRICA; CENTRAL AFRICA; SOUTHERN AFRICA

▶ SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA

354-2 [Ghanaians' Evaluations Of Public Service Delivery](#) (Click for Details)

Most Ghanaians are dissatisfied with government's delivery of public services such as electricity, healthcare, education, water and sanitation, and road maintenance, the latest Afrobarometer survey findings show. The public's negative assessments have increased significantly over time. (Afrobarometer)

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354-3 [Basotho Dissatisfied With The Way Democracy Is Working](#) (Click for Details)

Only about one-third of Basotho are satisfied with the way democracy is working in their country, the 2014 Afrobarometer survey reveals. (Afrobarometer)

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Euro Americas Zone

- ▶ EAST EUROPE, WEST EUROPE; NORTH AMERICA; LATIN AMERICA & AUSTRALASIA

▶ WEST EUROPE

354-4 [Eight In Ten Britons Have Felt Little Or No Impact Of Economic Growth](#) (Click for Details)

New polling from Ipsos MORI shows eight in ten Britons (80%) have felt little, if any, impact on their standard of living from the UK's economic recovery. Half of Britons (49%) have felt no impact at all from economic growth, while 31% say they have not felt very much. Just one in six (17%) say they say they have felt a fair amount of impact (14%), or been impacted 'a great deal' (three percent). (Ipsos Mori)

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354-5 [Seven In Ten Doubt David Cameron Will Get A Good Deal For Britain In Europe](#) (Click for Details)

The majority of Britons lack confidence that David Cameron will get a good deal for Britain in negotiations with other European leaders, including half of Conservatives, new polling from Ipsos MORI reveals. Seven in ten (69%) say they are not very confident (40%) or not at all confident (29%) that the Prime Minister will get a good deal for his country. One in four (26%) think he will get a good deal, with 22% fairly confident and four percent very confident. (Ipsos Mori)



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[2.8 Foreign Affairs & Security » International / Regional Organizations](#)

354-6 [Labour Support Lowest Since Before 2010 General Election](#) (Click for Details)

Support for the Labour Party is at the lowest level since the final days of Gordon Brown's premiership, November's Ipsos MORI Political Monitor reveals. Labour are down four points to 29%, their first score below 30% of the vote since before the last general election, while the Conservatives are up two points to 32%, giving them a three-point lead - the biggest lead we have recorded for the Conservatives since October 2010. (Ipsos Mori)

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354-7 [Listeners Predicting Bright Future For Radio](#) (Click for Details)

A recent YouGov report – 'New Generations and the Future of Radio 2014' reveals that although there is variance in the popularity of radio across different age groups, the future remains bright for the industry. (YouGov)

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[4.6 Society » Media/ New Media](#)

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► NORTH AMERICA

354-8 [Newly Insured Through Exchanges Give Coverage Good Marks](#) (Click for Details)

Over seven in 10 Americans who bought new health insurance policies through the government exchanges earlier this year rate the quality of their healthcare and their healthcare coverage as "excellent" or "good." These positive evaluations are generally similar to the reviews that all insured Americans give to their health insurance. (Gallup USA)

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354-9 [Public Perceptions of Privacy and Security in the Post-Snowden Era](#) (Click for Details)

Privacy evokes a constellation of concepts for Americans—some of them tied to traditional notions of civil liberties and some of them driven by concerns about the surveillance of digital communications and the coming era of “big data.” While Americans’ associations with the topic of privacy are varied, the majority of adults in a new survey by the Pew Research Center feel that their privacy is being challenged along such core dimensions as the security of their personal information and their ability to retain confidentiality. (Pew Research Center)



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354-10 [Little Enthusiasm, Familiar Divisions After the GOP's Big Midterm Victory](#) (Click for Details)

After a sweeping midterm election victory on Nov. 4, the Republican Party retook full control of Congress. But the public has mixed reactions to the GOP's big win – much as it did four years ago, after Republicans gained control of the House though not the Senate. (Pew Research Center)

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354-11 [In U.S., 55% of Uninsured Plan to Get Health Coverage](#) (Click for Details)

More than half of uninsured Americans say they plan to sign up for health coverage, a promising sign as the open enrollment period for obtaining health insurance through state and federal exchanges opens. Specifically, 55% of Americans who currently lack insurance say they plan to sign up for coverage while 35% of the uninsured say they will not get insurance and instead pay the fine as required by the Affordable Care Act, also known as "Obamacare." (Gallup USA)

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354-12 [Building Exceptional Business-to-Business Relationships](#) (Click for Details)

The most impressive and unique relationships -- when the partners have unknotted the bow tie -- show some very specific traits. In no particular order, this report presents common themes in this regard. (Gallup USA)



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354-13 [Recent Grads More Likely to Have Had Useful Internships](#) (Click for Details)

Although studies of employers show internships in college can give job seekers an edge in today's job market, a Gallup-Purdue University study of college graduates shows only about one-third of the most recent grads strongly agree they had an internship or job as undergrads that allowed them to apply what they were learning in the classroom. (Gallup USA)

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354-14 [Americans Say Government, Economy Most Important Problems](#) (Click for Details)

The economy in general and government are the issues Americans are most likely to name as the most important problems facing the country in November. These are followed closely by mentions of immigration and unemployment. (Gallup USA)

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354-15 [Democratic Party Favorable Rating Falls to Record Low](#) (Click for Details)

After the midterm elections that saw the Democratic Party suffer significant losses in Congress, a record-low 36% of Americans say they have a favorable opinion of the party, down six percentage points from before the elections. The Republican Party's favorable rating, at 42%, is essentially unchanged from 40%. This marks the first time since September 2011 that the Republican Party has had a higher favorability rating than the Democratic Party. (Gallup USA)

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354-16 [Majority in U.S. Want GOP in Congress to Set Nation's Course](#) (Click for Details)

Following the midterm election that some have termed a Republican wave, the majority of Americans want the Republicans in Congress -- rather than President Barack Obama -- to have more influence over the direction the country takes in the coming year. This is a switch from early 2012 when a slim plurality, 46%, wanted Obama to prevail in steering the nation. (Gallup USA)

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354-17 [In U.S., Economic Confidence Index Climbs to -8](#) (Click for Details)

In the U.S., Gallup's Economic Confidence Index averaged -8 for the week ending Nov. 9. This is the highest weekly average found since the week ending June 30 of last year, and continues the upward trend in confidence that began in late September.

(Gallup USA)

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[3.2 Economy » Consumer Confidence/Protection](#)



354-18 [Americans Satisfied With How Health System Works for Them](#) (Click for Details)

Over the last seven and a half months, two-thirds of Americans, on average, have been satisfied with how the healthcare system is working for them. Less than a week before the health insurance exchanges reopen, these results show that Americans who have health insurance (70%) are almost twice as likely as those who don't (37%) to be satisfied with the healthcare system. (Gallup USA)

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354-19 [Gender Gap in Jobs Outlook Widest in the Americas](#) (Click for Details)

The global jobs outlook remained about as dismal in 2013 as it was in 2012, and it was even more so for women than for men in some parts of the world. While men and women in most regions were more likely to say it was a bad time than a good time to find a job, women were more pessimistic than men in Northern America and Latin America and the Caribbean. ([Gallup USA](#))

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► **LATIN AMERICA**354-20 [Religion in Latin America \(Multi-country survey\)](#) (Click for Details)

Latin America is home to more than 425 million Catholics – nearly 40% of the world's total Catholic population – and the Roman Catholic Church now has a Latin American pope for the first time in its history. Yet identification with Catholicism has declined throughout the region, according to a major new Pew Research Center survey that examines religious affiliations, beliefs and practices in 18 countries and one U.S. territory (Puerto Rico) across Latin America and the Caribbean. ([Pew Research Center](#))



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354-21 [Brazilians Are More Likely To Improve Eating Habits In The Americas \(Multi-Country Survey\)](#) (Click for Details)

According to the study, although 75% of the citizens of the Americas wish to make changes in their diet, only 19% can make these changes successfully. Brazilians are the most willing: 89% would change their eating habits. The Americans and Canadians appear in sequence, with 77% and 76%, respectively. On the other hand, the Mexicans show very strong: 50% do not want to change their way of eating. ([Ibope/WIN](#))

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354-22 [One In Four Overweight People Are Not Aware Of Their Problem \(Multi-Country Survey\)](#) (Click for Details)

About 44% of the inhabitants of the Americas say they are overweight. However, there is a gap between self-assessment and estimates of the World Health Organization's what the research shows Perception and Reality. A study on obesity in the Americas held by WIN Americas in nine South American countries, including Brazil, where the research was conducted by CONNECT, web platform IBOPE Intelligence. ([Ibope/WIN](#))

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Topic of the week:

One In Four Overweight People Are Not Aware Of Their Problem

► This page is devoted to opinions of countries whose polling activity is generally not known very widely or where a recent topical issue requires special attention.

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Research Conducted In The Americas Shows That Being Overweight Is Underestimated In The Region

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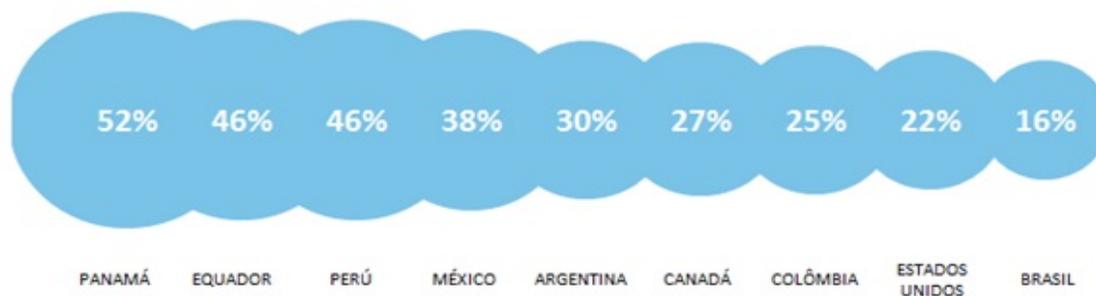


According to the BMI (Body Mass Index) of respondents, 26% of those who are overweight say they have overweight trend seen in all countries, but that is worse in people of Central America and the Andean countries, which are the least recognize their excess weight. Panamanians lead the ranking: 52% of overweight people state that they are not overweight. Following appear Ecuador and Peru, with 46% each. Brazil and the United States appear as the most realistic, with 16% and 22%, respectively.

There are also 49% of the inhabitants of the Americas who say they are at your ideal weight and 8% who report being underweight.

PESSOAS COM SOBREPESO QUE DECLARARAM NÃO TER SOBREPESO

% de pessoas com sobrepeso segundo o IMC e que NÃO se declararam com sobrepeso



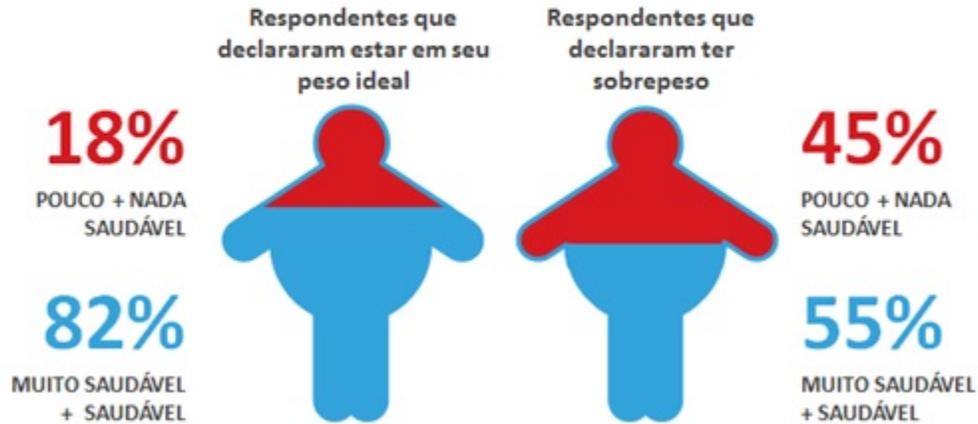
Fonte: WIN 2014. Base: Pessoas com sobrepeso de acordo com o IMC por país

IMC: O Índice de Massa Corporal se calcula dividindo o peso em Kilos, sobre a altura em Metros, elevada ao quadrado e seu resultado se expressa em Kg/m². Normal: 18.5-24.9, Sobrepeso: 25+.

An alarming fact is that, according to the study, more than half (58%) of people who are overweight did not visit a doctor to talk about it and the majority (73%) does not make any diet.

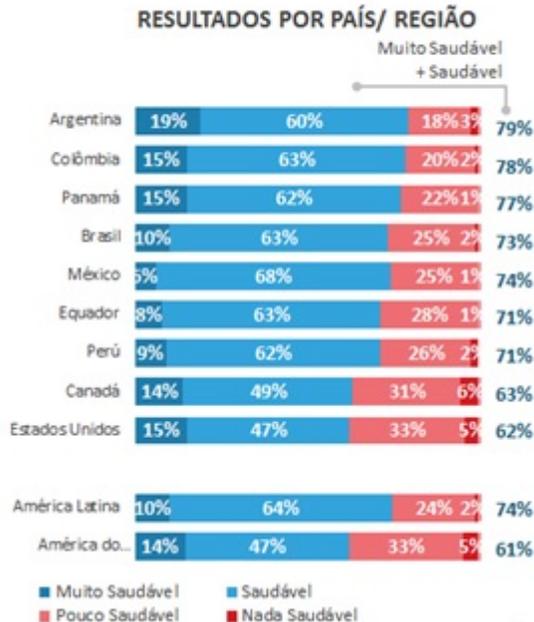
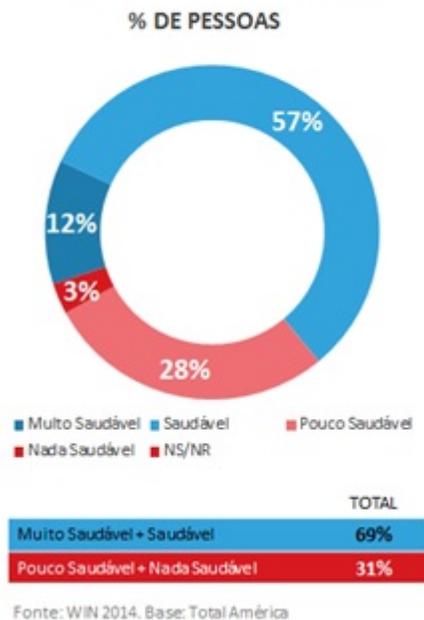
As a result, respondents overweight said they had worse health compared to those who do not have overweight problems. Research shows that 45% of those who report being overweight are not considered healthy proportion drops to 18% among those who believe to be the ideal weight.

AUTOAVALIAÇÃO DA SAÚDE
% entre população total adulta



In general, almost seven out of 10 citizens of the Americas evaluate positively their health: 57% to qualify as healthy and 12% as very healthy. On the other hand, 28% say their health is unhealthy and 3% to indicate how unhealthy. Proportionally, respondents in North America evaluate their health more negatively than the Latin American: 38% vs. 26%, respectively.

Autoavaliação da saúde
Como avalia o seu estado de saúde?



The survey was conducted between August and September 2014, with 10,786 respondents from nine countries of the continent.

Source: <http://www.ibope.com.br/pt-br/noticias/Paginas/Uma-em-cada-quatro-pessoas-com-sobrepeso-nao-tem-consciencia-de-seu-problema.aspx>

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A Quantitative Analysis

A quantitative analysis of global polls monitored during the 5 year period January 2007 – January 2014

KEY STATISTICS

- 1- Number of Surveys (*a selection on key political and social issues*): \simeq 6,805 polls during the period 2007-2014
- 2- Subjects of Interest (*we have made a list of 125 subjects, further grouped into 9 broad categories, namely: **Governance**, **Globalization** (inclusive of global economic issues) **Global Conflicts** (conflict zones), **Global leaders** (USA and Emerging powers), **Global Environment**, **Family**, **Religion**, and **other miscellaneous***)
- 3- Number of **countries** covered by one or more surveys: \simeq 178 during the period 2007-2014
- 4- Number **polling organizations** whose polls have been cited: \simeq 358 during the period 2007-2014

