

# Global and United States Outlook 2014

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Adapted from presentation given in Kailua, HI on 11 Jan 2014

# Highlights of 2014

- World News – The Global Outlook
- United States
  - U.S. Government
  
- 2014 and you

*The narratives here are “best guess” stories to fit the data for 2014 global and United States collective mood patterns.*

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WORLD NEWS

*2014*

*with Daniel Reader*

# *Headline News*

March/April – Fuel Prices Soar on Iranian Nuke issue

May/June – Uncertain Response Inflames Israel

August – Iran Deal Proposed (Hillary-style)

September – CPI Remains High, Markets Choppy

October – Incumbents Worried

# Fuel Prices Soar on Iranian Deal Breaker – No Plan in Sight





# Israel Furious at Lack of Response



# August Iran Deal Proposed



# September CPI Remains High, Markets Choppy





# Campaigns Nasty, Incumbents Worried



**Happy New Year!**



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# United States – 2014

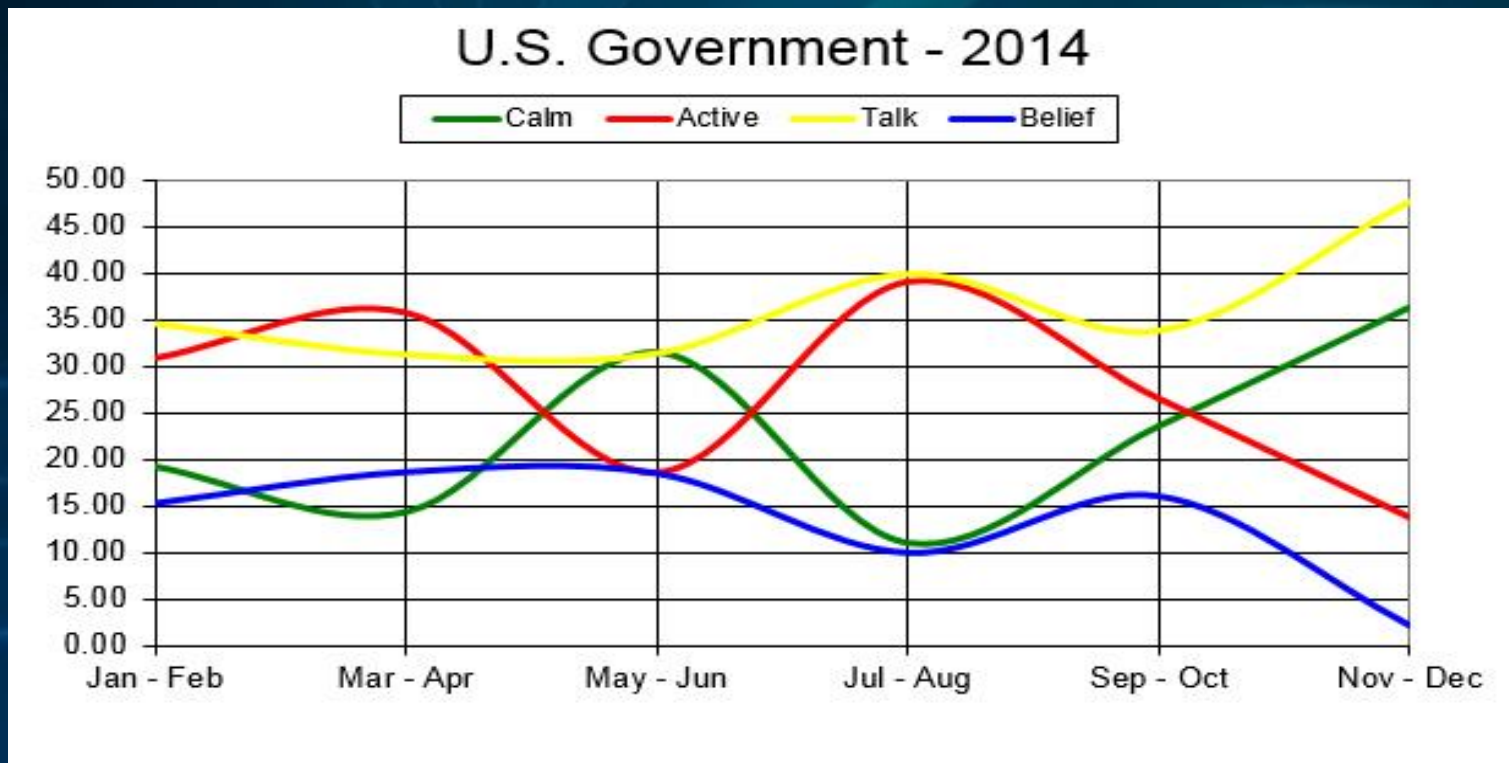
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# U.S. Government - 2014

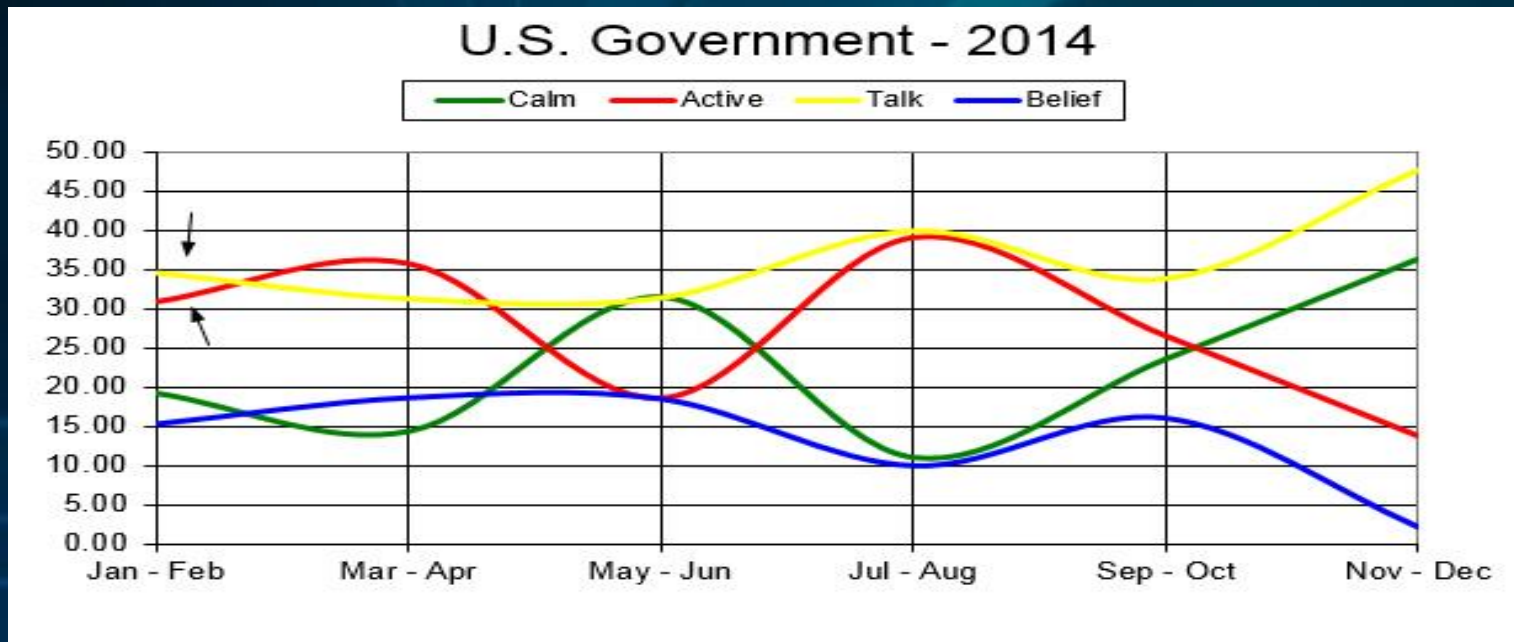
BASIC PROFILE AND TIMELINE

# Looking at the U.S. Government via Mood Cycles Projection





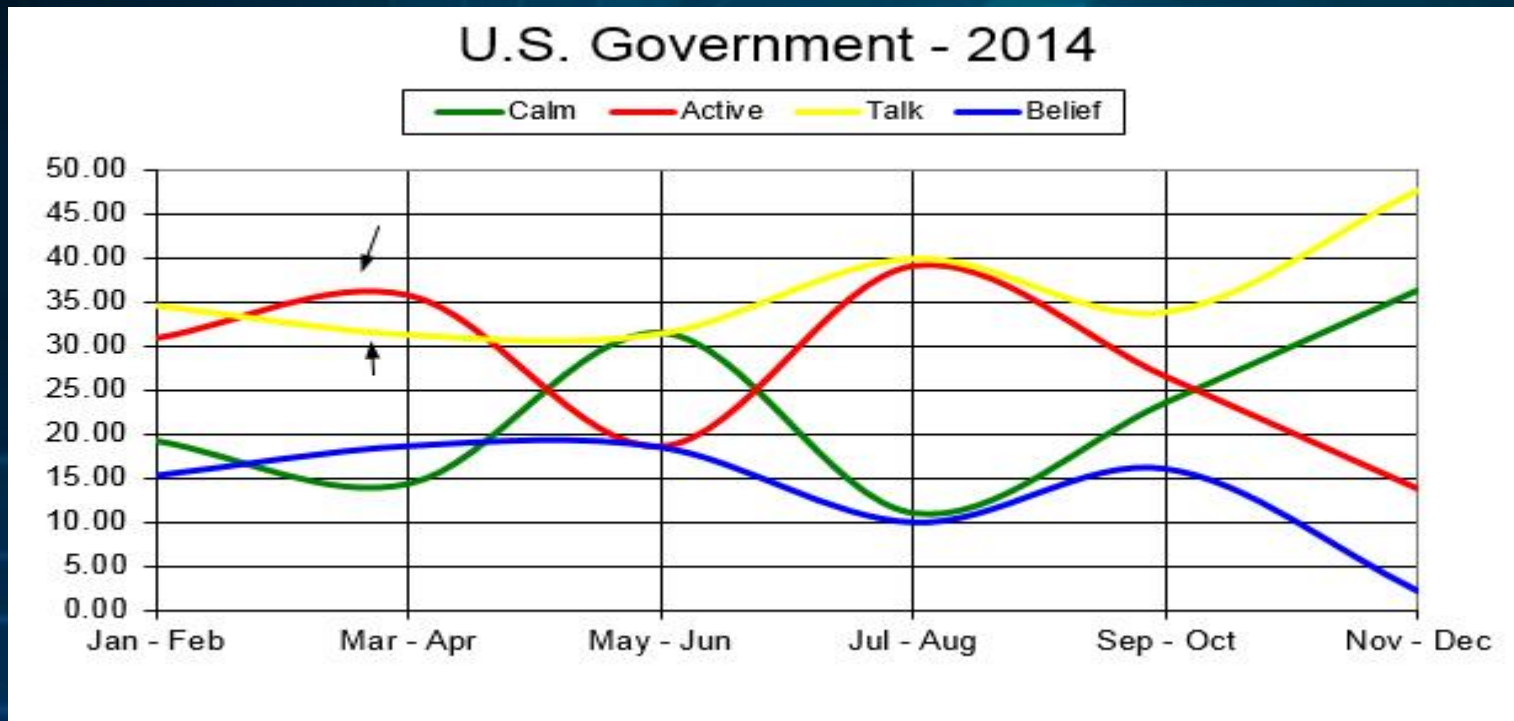
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Primary factors for 2014 Talk + Active.

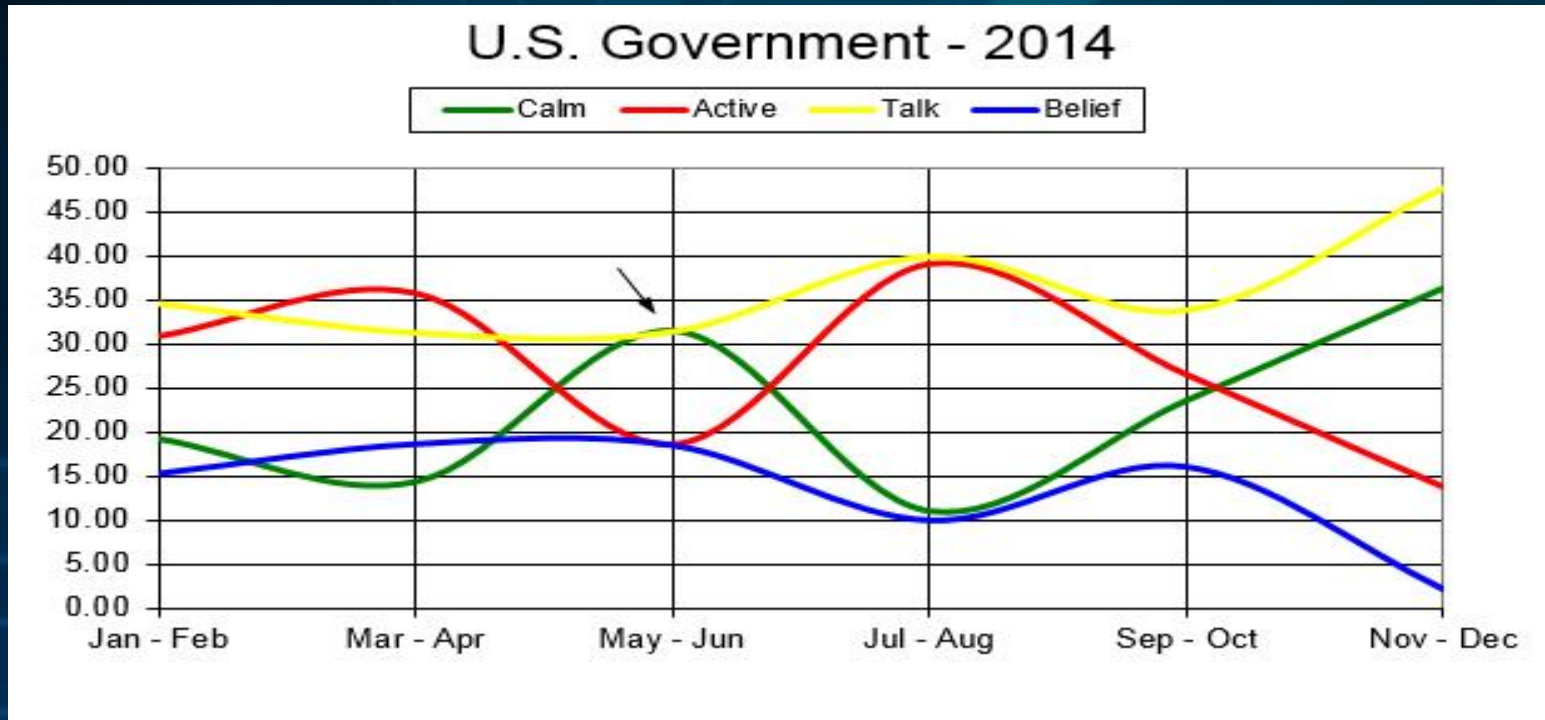
Look for themes of bickering, inaction, indecision, and confusion all year.

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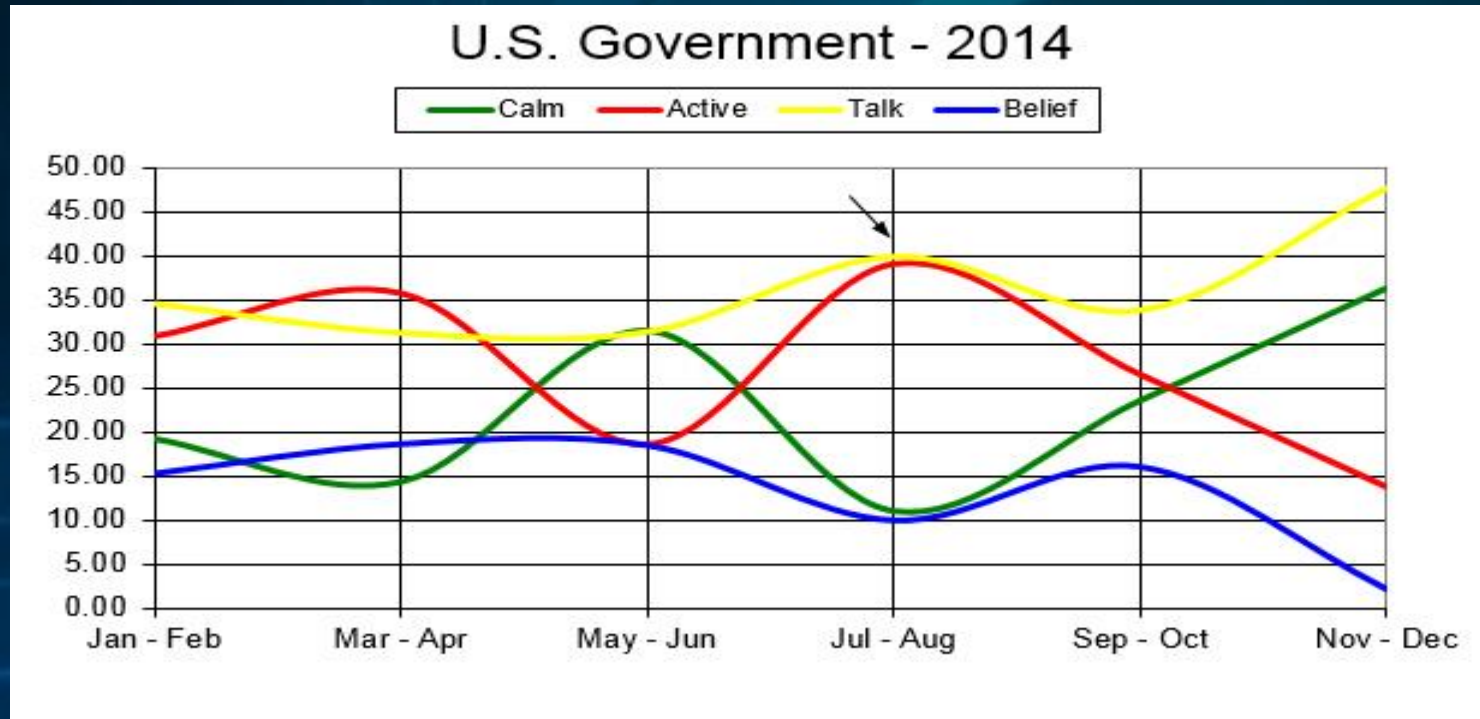
March – April, high Active + Talk  
Chaotic, crisis mode, angry, blaming

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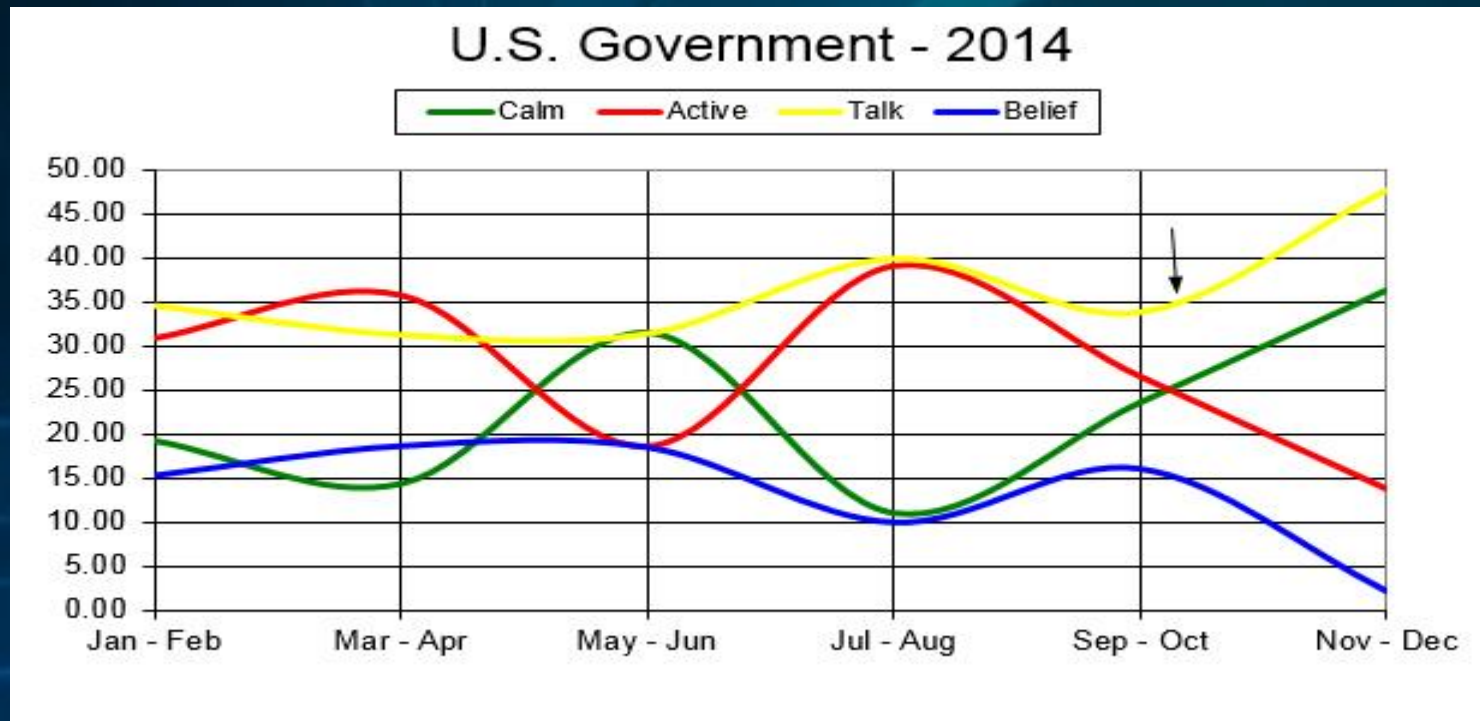
May - June, Talk + Active replaced with Talk + Calm  
Cooperation, international diplomacy, bipartisanship

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July - August, high Talk + Active  
Argumentative, oppositional, uncooperative, deceptive, confusing

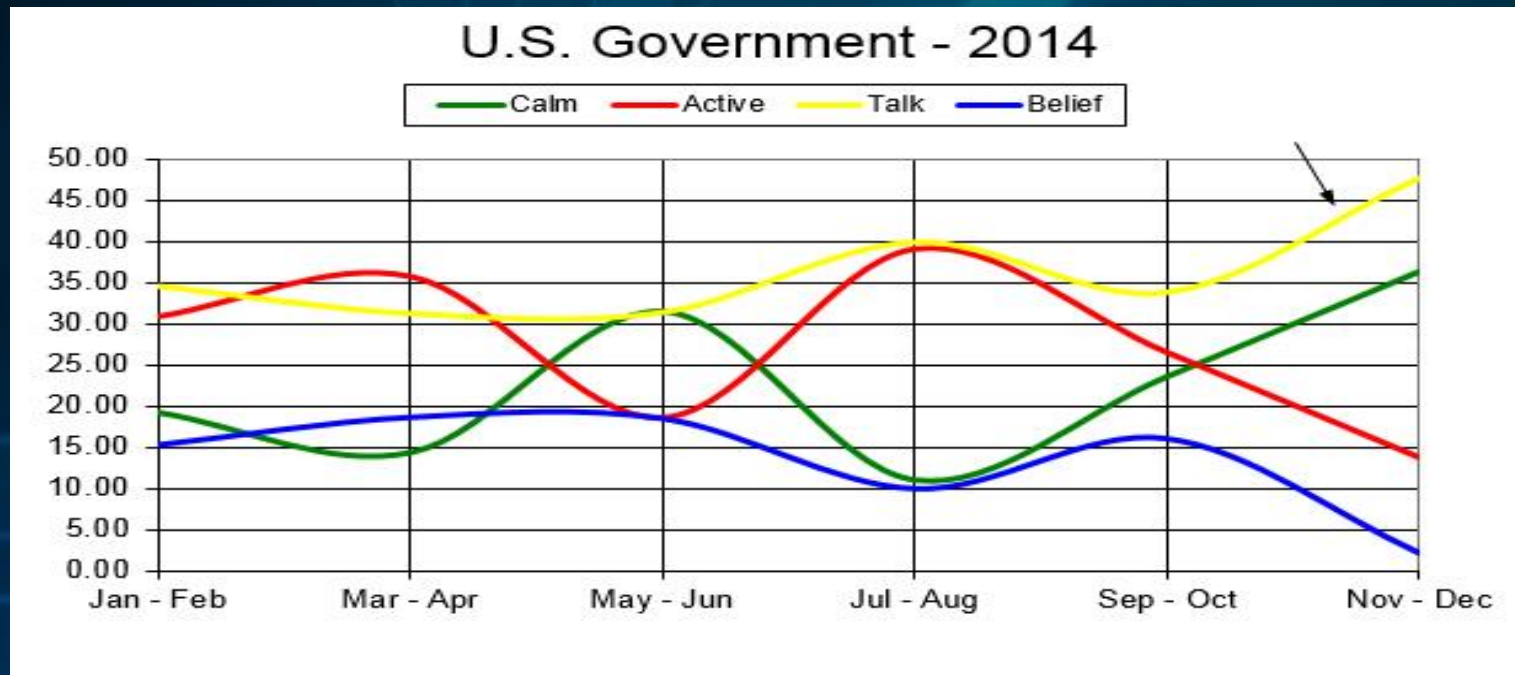
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Near Election Day – Major Turning Point



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New Primary Theme of Talk and Calm emerges  
Cooperation, international diplomacy, focus on domestic issues and/or economy. May be seen as vulnerable or weak by the rest of the world.



# U.S. Government - 2014

THE NARRATIVE

# U.S. Government: Jan-Feb

- People in congress are grabbing what ground they can, getting away with whatever they can.
- Everyone sees what's going on, but ignoring it because it seems normal.
- Their actions or non-actions are not without consequence. A crisis is looming.



# U.S. Government: March - April

- Crisis mode.
- The teams are huddling and cohesive, but the government is not doing well.
- The way to get through this mess would be to do what must be done even if some people or party members don't like it.





## U.S. Government: May - June

- In spite of themselves, Congress gets some things done. Obama speaking out against them might be what gets them going.
- A major shift is taking place in the background (international?).





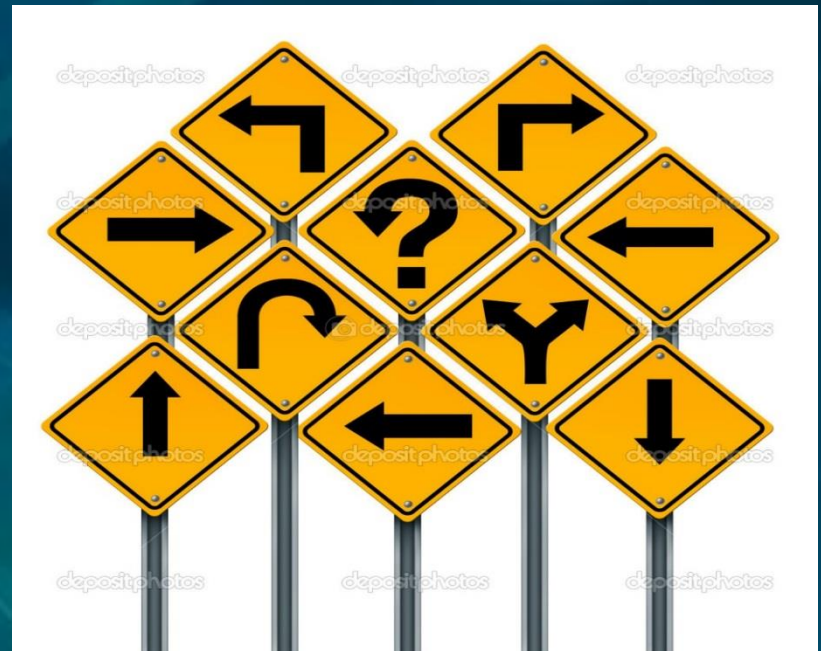
# U.S. Government: July - August

- Nothing is getting done. Everyone in the government is clueless. No one is looking at the long term effects of their actions.
- Things are not going well. Or perhaps, better said, with the election coming up, many don't want it to go well.



## U.S. Government: Sept - Oct

- People are leaving old allegiances and attachments as the election approaches.
- Elections are bringing out flip-flopping on a huge scale. It's really hard to tell what anyone is for or what they believe.
- There is a lot going on internationally.



# U.S. Government: Nov - Dec

- There are a lot of “lame ducks” on their way out. Incumbents for the most part didn’t do well
- Spending and budget issues have to wait until the new congress comes in
- Republicans, especially, have to regroup and come up with better strategies for future elections





# 2014 and You

A SUMMARY FOR U.S. SOCIETY



## 2014 - What it is NOT

- The end of the world: the global situation may change quite a bit, but plan on 2015 arriving on schedule.
- The end of the United States: the role the U.S. plays in the world may shift, but it should still be here in 2015.
- The year the entire economy collapses: the FED may have to pull some more rabbits out of their hat (which may have long term consequences), but they will do their best to keep the markets, at least, near break-even.
- The year congress hugs and sings Kumbaya.
- However, it is not a good year to emphasize self-sufficiency or going it alone



## 2014 - For many people in the U.S.

- A year that may be more difficult to make ends meet than one may be used to
- A year that may be difficult to maintain the same beliefs one has “always had” about people, political affiliations, the world, maybe even one’s spiritual beliefs
- A year where being flexible and adaptable in both attitude and lifestyle are big advantages
- A year where new or enhanced connections with supportive loved ones and with Spirit will add strength and resilience
- A year where special attention to diet, exercise, rest time and well-being in general are to your advantage

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