

# Pressure on Fillon to pull out of race

Presidential candidate Francois Fillon is fighting to save his campaign after allegations that public funds were wrongly paid to his wife Penelope.

Marine Le Pen of the far-right National Front is now ahead in polls



**François Fillon**  
Republicans



**Marine Le Pen**  
National Front



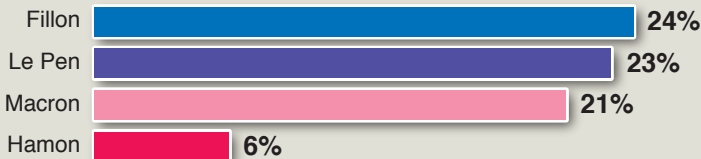
**Emmanuel Macron**  
En Marche!



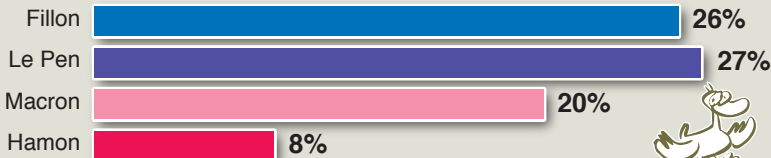
**Benoît Hamon**  
Socialist Party

## First round voting intentions

**Jan 3-4: Elabe** poll of 995 adults. Margin of error: 1.6%



**Jan 20: Ipsos** poll of 1,443 registered voters. Margin of error: 2.7%



**Jan 24: Le Canard Enchaîné** claims Penelope Fillon was paid over €800,000 for alleged fake jobs



**Jan 29-Feb 1: Ifop Fiducial** poll of 1,409 registered voters. Margin of error: 1.6%

