

# South Korean presidential candidates

Opposition party leader **Lee Jae-myung** is the front runner to succeed President **Yoon Suk Yeol** after the Constitutional Court upheld Yoon's impeachment, permanently removing him from office

Contenders from Yoon's conservative **People Power** party include...



**Lee Jae-myung**

Leader of left-wing opposition **Democratic Party** has championed impeachment of Yoon and remains front runner in every poll

Former factory worker and lawyer, Lee was defeated by Yoon in 2022 presidential election by less than one percentage point

Lee has been plagued by corruption allegations and was hospitalized after 24-day hunger strike in protest of Yoon's policies. He also survived assassination attempt in 2024



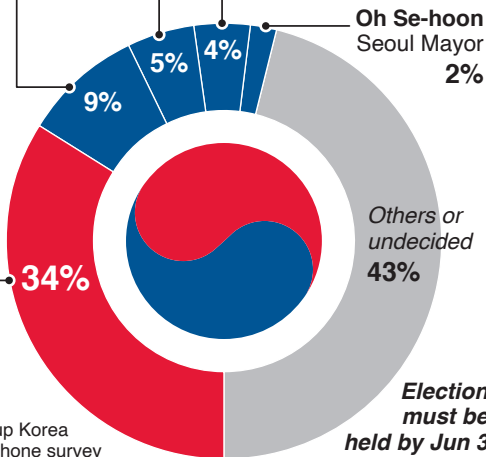
**Kim Moon-soo**  
Labour minister



**Han Dong-hoon**  
Former party leader



**Hong Joon-pyo**  
Daegu mayor



Gallup Korea telephone survey of 1,001 adults between Apr 1-3. Margin of error  $\pm 3.1$  points

Total does not add up to 100% due to rounding

**Election must be held by Jun 3**