

AREA

N=			600	100%
Central	1	(1/ 67)	146	24%
East Central	2		40	7%
North Central	3		46	8%
North East	4		30	5%
North West	5		106	18%
South Central	6		52	9%
South East	7		58	10%
South West	8		76	13%
West Central	9		46	8%

START

Hello, my name is _____ and I am conducting a survey for Suffolk (SUFF-ick) University and I would like to get your opinions on some political questions. We are calling Indiana households statewide. Would you be willing to spend three minutes answering up to 12 questions? (..rotate for household).

QUOTA Geo, gender, age, race}

Are you currently registered to vote?

N=			600	100%
Continue	1	(1/ 69)	600	100%

S1

Gender

N=			600	100%
Male	1	(1/ 70)	262	44%
Female	2		338	56%

S2

S2. Thank you. And which political party are you enrolled in?

N=			600	100%
Democratic	1	(1/ 71)	366	61%
Republican	2		126	21%
Independent/Undeclared	3		92	15%
Other Party	4		16	3%
Not registered yet	5		0	0%

S3

S3. Thank You. How likely are you to vote in the Democratic Primary on Tuesday?

N=			600	100%
Very likely	1	(1/ 74)	468	78%
Somewhat likely	2		90	15%
Not very/Not at all likely	3		0	0%
Other/Undecided/Refused	4		0	0%
Already voted	5		42	7%

PRE1

I'm going to read you the names of some state and national candidates. For each one, please tell me if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of them.

First take George Bush.

N=			600	100%
Continue	1	(1/ 80)	600	100%

Q1

Q1. Is your opinion of George Bush generally favorable or generally unfavorable?

N=			600	100%
Favorable	1	(1/ 81)	124	21%
Unfavorable	2		426	71%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	3		40	7%
Don't know (DO NOT READ)	4		10	2%

Q2

Q2. Is your opinion of Barack Obama generally favorable or generally unfavorable?

N=			600	100%
Favorable	1	(1/ 82)	348	58%
Unfavorable	2		174	29%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	3		68	11%
Don't know (DO NOT READ)	4		10	2%

Q3

Q3. Is your opinion of Hillary Clinton generally favorable or generally unfavorable?

N=			600	100%
Favorable	1	(1/ 83)	316	53%
Unfavorable	2		214	36%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	3		64	11%
Don't know (DO NOT READ)	4		6	1%

Q4

Q4. The two Democratic candidates for Governor printed on your ballot are Jim Schellinger {SHELL-Ing-er} and Jill Long Thompson. <Q4W >

N=			600	100%
Jim Schellinger	1	(1/ 85)	162	27%
Jill Long Thompson	2		208	35%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	3		214	36%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	4		16	3%

Q5

Q5. The two candidates for President as listed on your ballot are Hillary Clinton and Barack Obama. <Q4W >

N=			600	100%
Barack Obama	1	(1/ 86)	256	43%
Hillary Clinton	2		296	49%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	3		36	6%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	4		12	2%

Q6

Q6. Regardless of who you personally support, who do you believe will be the next President of the United States considering both parties - Hillary Clinton, Barack Obama, or John McCain?

N=			552	100%
Hillary Clinton	1	(1/ 87)	156	28%
Barack Obama	2		194	35%
John McCain	3		140	25%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	4		60	11%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	5		2	0%

Q7

Q7. If your candidate<WORD3 >does not win the Democratic nomination, which of the following scenarios is most likely in the November General election: (read)

N=			600	100%
I will vote for<WORD2 > regardless	> 1	(1/ 90)	266	44%
I will vote for Republican John McCain	2		230	38%
I will vote for Independent Ralph Nader	3		36	6%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	4		64	11%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	5		4	1%

Q8

Q8. Which of the following statements most accurately reflects your opinion of Independent candidate Ralph Nader:

N=			564	100%
In November, I will NOT vote for Ralph Nader ... under any circumstances	1	(1/ 91)	486	86%
If my first choice, doesn't get the Democratic nomination, I may vote for Ralph Nader	2		74	13%
In November, I'm planning to vote for Ralph Nader	3		4	1%

Q9

Q9. Which of the following issues is the most important issue facing the country?

N=			600	100%
Illegal immigration	1	(1/ 92)	32	5%
The war in Iraq	2		128	21%
The economy	3		322	54%
Terrorism	4		30	5%
Healthcare	5		72	12%
Other (DO NOT READ)	6		6	1%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	7		8	1%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	8		2	0%

Q10

Q10. Are you in favor of making the President's tax cuts permanent?

N=			600	100%
Yes	1	(1/ 93)	290	48%
No	2		198	33%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	3		108	18%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	4		4	1%

Q11

Q11. Are you in favor of tax increases to help close the budget deficit gap?

N=			600	100%
Yes	1	(1/ 94)	138	23%
No	2		418	70%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	3		42	7%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	4		2	0%

Q12

Q12. Which best describes your family's situation?

N=			600	100%
Getting ahead financially	1	(1/ 95)	84	14%
Holding steady financially	2		392	65%
Falling behind financially	3		110	18%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	4		8	1%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	5		6	1%

Q13

Q13. Are there any members of your household who are US Veterans?

N=			600	100%
Yes	1	(1/ 96)	184	31%
No	2		416	69%
Undecided	3		0	0%
Don't know	4		0	0%

Q14

Q14. Are there any members of your household who are union members?

N=			600	100%
Yes	1	(1/ 97)	180	30%
No	2		420	70%
Undecided	3		0	0%
Don't know	4		0	0%

DEMOS

THE INITIAL QUESTIONS WILL HELP US CLASSIFY YOUR RESPONSES WITH OTHERS TAKING THE SURVEY

N=			600	100%
Continue	1	(1/ 98)	600	100%

Q15

Q15. Of the following categories, which comes closest to your age?

N=			600	100%
18-25	1	(1/ 99)	10	2%
26-35	2		56	9%
36-45	3		88	15%
46-55	4		130	22%
56-65	5		154	26%
66-75	6		70	12%
Over 75	7		90	15%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	8		2	0%

Q16

Q16. Are you?

N=			600	100%
White (Caucasian)	1	(1/100)	496	83%
Black (African American)	2		88	15%
Asian	3		0	0%
Hispanic/Latino	4		4	1%
Other	5		8	1%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	6		4	1%