

Results of SurveyUSA Election Poll #13875



Geography: Kentucky
 Data Collected: 05/09/2008 - 05/11/2008
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Clinton Poised for Ceremonial Trouncing of Obama in Kentucky: In a Democratic Primary in Kentucky today, 05/12/08, 8 days until votes are counted, Hillary Clinton decisively defeats Barack Obama, and is well-positioned to pick up delegates and popular votes, according to SurveyUSA's 5th pre-primary tracking poll, conducted for WHAS-TV Louisville and WCPO-TV Cincinnati. Clinton leads 62% to 30% today, effectively unchanged from SurveyUSA polls released 4 weeks, 2 weeks and 1 week ago. Clinton gets 84% of the vote in Eastern Kentucky, 62% in Western KY, 61% in North Central KY and 52% in greater Louisville. It is unclear to what extent Democrats in Kentucky will conclude, before Primary Day, that the Kentucky contest has significance. Some may conclude that the nomination fight is over, and that the contest has no meaning. Others may see it as having great symbolic importance, and the opportunity to make a statement.

Filtering: 1,600 state of KY adults were interviewed 05/09/08 through 05/11/08. All interviews conducted after results of the 05/06/08 Indiana and North Carolina primaries were known. Of the adults, 1,468 were registered to vote. Of them, 641 were determined by SurveyUSA to be likely to vote in the 05/20/08 Democratic Primary. 51 delegates will be awarded, proportionately, to the Democratic National Convention. Kentucky's primary is closed; only Democrats may vote.

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641 Likely Voters	All	Gender		Age				<50 / 50+		Age			Race		Ideology		
		Male	Female	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	18-49	50+	< Obam	> McCa	> In Bet	White	Black	Conser	Moder	Liberal
Margin of Sampling Error: +/-3.8%																	
Clinton	62%	55%	68%	61%	56%	64%	67%	58%	66%	57%	70%	64%	67%	13%	61%	67%	61%
Obama	30%	36%	25%	35%	37%	26%	23%	36%	25%	37%	22%	26%	24%	86%	24%	26%	37%
Other	6%	7%	5%	2%	6%	7%	5%	4%	6%	4%	5%	7%	6%	1%	11%	4%	2%
Undecided	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	4%	2%	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%	0%	3%	3%	0%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Composition of Likely Voters	100%	46%	54%	19%	28%	30%	23%	47%	53%	40%	15%	45%	90%	9%	19%	35%	24%

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		Regular	Occasio	Almost	Pro-life	Pro-cho	Could C	Mind M	Econo	Environ	Health	Iraq	Terroris	Social	Educati	Immigra
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Undecided	3%	4%	1%	0%	4%	1%	10%	1%	2%	3%	3%	1%	0%	4%	0%	0%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Composition of Likely Voters	100%	52%	30%	19%	47%	48%	17%	83%	54%	2%	12%	14%	5%	5%	2%	3%

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		Wester	Louisvill	North C	Eastern
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Statement of Methodology: The following statement conforms to the principles of disclosure of the National Council on Public Polls:How this poll was conducted: This SurveyUSA poll was conducted by telephone in the voice of a professional announcer. Respondent households were selected at random, using Random Digit Dialed (RDD) sample provided by Survey Sampling, of Fairfield CT. All respondents heard the questions asked identically. Within the report, you will find: the geography that was surveyed; the date(s) interviews were conducted and the news organization(s) that paid for the research. The number of respondents who answered each question and the margin of sampling error for each question are provided. Where necessary, responses were weighted according to age, gender, ethnic origin, geographical area and number of adults and number of voice telephone lines in the household, so that the sample would reflect the actual demographic proportions in the population, using most recent U.S.Census estimates. In theory, with the stated sample size, one can say with 95% certainty that the results would not vary by more than the stated margin of sampling error, in one direction or the other, had the entire universe of respondents been interviewed with complete accuracy. There are other possible sources of error in all surveys that may be more serious than theoretical calculations of sampling error. These include refusals to be interviewed, question wording and question order, weighting by demographic control data and the manner in which respondents are filtered (such as, determining who is a likely voter). It is difficult to quantify the errors that may result from these factors. Fieldwork for this survey was done by SurveyUSA of Verona, NJ.