

Results of SurveyUSA Election Poll #13308



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Geography: New York

Data Collected: 02/02/2008 - 02/03/2008

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Eve of NY Democratic Primary -- Clinton Well Positioned to Carry Home State: 24 hours till votes are counted in the New York state Democratic Primary, Hillary Clinton maintains her home-state domination of Barack Obama, 56% Clinton, 38% Obama, according to this final pre-primary tracking poll conducted by SurveyUSA.

Filtering: 2,100 state of NY adults were interviewed 02/02/08 and 02/03/08. All interviews completed before 6:30 pm ET kickoff of Super Bowl on 02/03/08. Of the adults, 1,851 were registered to vote. Of them, 774 were determined by SurveyUSA to be likely to vote in the 02/05/08 Democratic Primary. Research conducted for WABC-TV New York City, WGRZ-TV Buffalo, WTNH-TV Hartford, WHEC-TV Rochester, WNYT-TV Albany.

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774 Likely Voters	All	Gender		Age				<50 / 50+		Race				Ideology		
		Male	Female	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	18-49	50+	White	Black	Hispani	Other	Conser	Modera	Liberal
Margin of Sampling Error: +/-3.6%																
Clinton	56%	43%	65%	43%	52%	61%	66%	49%	63%	61%	39%	66%	41%	50%	56%	54%
Obama	38%	50%	28%	54%	39%	34%	25%	45%	30%	32%	57%	26%	53%	35%	37%	42%
Other	4%	3%	4%	2%	5%	3%	5%	4%	4%	4%	2%	5%	1%	10%	5%	1%
Undecided	3%	3%	3%	0%	4%	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%	1%	3%	5%	4%	2%	3%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Composition of Likely Voters	100%	42%	58%	19%	32%	28%	21%	51%	49%	56%	21%	17%	7%	10%	34%	29%

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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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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.