

AREA

N=			600	100%
North	1	(1/ 67)	138	23%
East	2		80	13%
South	3		128	21%
West	4		110	18%
Central	5		144	24%

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 West Virginia households statewide.
{ALL QUOTAS INITIAL}

Are you currently registered to vote? (If no, ask to speak to a registered voter before terminating)

N=			600	100%
Yes	1	(1/ 69)	600	100%
No registered voter in household (CODE 21)	2		0	0%
All other call results	?		0	0%

S1

Gender

N=			600	100%
Male	1	(1/ 70)	258	43%
Female	2		342	57%

S2

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

N=			600	100%
Democratic	1	(1/ 71)	534	89%
Republican	2		0	0%
Independent/Undeclared	3		66	11%
Other Party	4		0	0%
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)	478	80%
Somewhat likely	2		94	16%
Not very/Not at all likely	3		0	0%
Other/Undecided/Refused	4		0	0%
Already voted	5		28	5%

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/ 77)	600	100%

Q1

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

N=			600	100%
Favorable	1	(1/ 78)	108	18%
Unfavorable	2		464	77%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	3		26	4%
Don't know (DO NOT READ)	4		2	0%

Q2

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

N=			600	100%
Favorable	..... 1	(1/ 79)	264	44%
Unfavorable	..... 2		248	41%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	..... 3		82	14%
Don't know (DO NOT READ)	..... 4		6	1%

Q3

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

N=			600	100%
Favorable	..... 1	(1/ 80)	420	70%
Unfavorable	..... 2		126	21%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	..... 3		46	8%
Don't know (DO NOT READ)	..... 4		8	1%

Q4

Q4. The candidates for President printed on your Democratic ballot are<Q4W1 ><Q4W >

N=			600	100%
Hillary Clinton	..... 1	(1/ 83)	358	60%
Barack Obama	..... 2		146	24%
John Edwards	..... 3		24	4%
No Preference (DO NOT READ)	..... 4		12	2%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	..... 5		46	8%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	..... 6		14	2%

Q5

Q5. 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=			600	100%
Hillary Clinton	..... 1	(1/ 84)	186	31%
Barack Obama	..... 2		164	27%
John McCain	..... 3		156	26%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	..... 4		68	11%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	..... 5		26	4%

Q6

Q6. 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/ 87)	240	40%
I will vote for Republican John McCain	..... 2		136	23%
I will vote for Independent Ralph Nader	..... 3		36	6%
Undecided (DO NOT READ)	..... 4		178	30%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	..... 5		10	2%

Q7

Q7. 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/ 88)	440	78%
If my first choice, doesn't get the Democratic nomination, I may vote for Ralph Nader	2		112	20%
In November, I'm planning to vote for Ralph Nader	3		12	2%

Q8
 Q8. Can Barack Obama beat John McCain in the General election?
 N= 600 100%
 Yes 1 (1/ 89) 304 51%
 No 2 174 29%
 Undecided (DO NOT READ) 3 122 20%
 Refused (DO NOT READ) 4 0 0%

Q9
 Q9. Regardless of what happens on Tuesday, do you think Hillary Clinton should get out of the Democratic Primary race after the West Virginia Primary?
 N= 600 100%
 Yes 1 (1/ 90) 144 24%
 No 2 402 67%
 Undecided (DO NOT READ) 3 54 9%
 Refused (DO NOT READ) 4 0 0%

Q10
 Q10. Is Hillary Clinton hurting the Democratic Party by running in the remaining Primaries?
 N= 600 100%
 Yes 1 (1/ 91) 118 20%
 No 2 430 72%
 Undecided (DO NOT READ) 3 52 9%
 Refused (DO NOT READ) 4 0 0%

Q11
 Q11. Which of the following issues is the most important issue facing the country?
 N= 600 100%
 Illegal immigration 1 (1/ 92) 30 5%
 The war in Iraq 2 126 21%
 The economy 3 336 56%
 Terrorism 4 20 3%
 Healthcare 5 54 9%
 Other (DO NOT READ) 6 10 2%
 Undecided (DO NOT READ) 7 22 4%
 Refused (DO NOT READ) 8 2 0%

Q12
 Q12. Are you in favor of making the President's tax cuts permanent?
 N= 600 100%
 Yes 1 (1/ 93) 288 48%
 No 2 186 31%
 Undecided (DO NOT READ) 3 126 21%
 Refused (DO NOT READ) 4 0 0%

Q13
 Q13. Are you in favor of tax increases to help close the budget deficit gap?
 N= 600 100%
 Yes 1 (1/ 94) 138 23%
 No 2 390 65%
 Undecided (DO NOT READ) 3 72 12%
 Refused (DO NOT READ) 4 0 0%

Q14
 Q14. Which best describes your family's situation?
 N= 600 100%
 Getting ahead financially 1 (1/ 95) 90 15%
 Holding steady financially 2 372 62%
 Falling behind financially 3 120 20%
 Undecided (DO NOT READ) 4 18 3%
 Refused (DO NOT READ) 5 0 0%

Q15
 Q15. Are there any members of your household who are US Veterans?
 N= 600 100%
 Yes 1 (1/ 96) 200 33%
 No 2 396 66%
 Undecided 3 4 1%
 Don't know 4 0 0%

Q16

Q16. Are there any members of your household who are union members?

N=			600	100%
Yes	1	(1/ 97)	180	30%
No	2		414	69%
Undecided	3		2	0%
Don't know	4		4	1%

DEMOS

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

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

Q17

Q17. Of the following categories, which comes closest to your age?

N=			600	100%
18-25	1	(1/ 99)	12	2%
26-35	2		40	7%
36-45	3		102	17%
46-55	4		110	18%
56-65	5		174	29%
66-75	6		88	15%
Over 75	7		72	12%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	8		2	0%

Q18

Q18. Are you (READ)?

N=			600	100%
White (Caucasian)	1	(1/100)	568	95%
Black (African American)	2		24	4%
Asian	3		2	0%
Hispanic/Latino	4		0	0%
Other	5		6	1%
Refused (DO NOT READ)	6		0	0%