

Region:

(N=500)	n	%
Southwest-----	76	15.20
West-----	66	13.20
Central-----	133	26.60
Northeast-----	139	27.80
Philly Area -----	86	17.20

Hello, my name is _____ and I am conducting a survey for Suffolk University and I would like to get your opinions on some issues of the day. Would you like to spend seven minutes to help us out? {ASK FOR YOUNGEST IN HOUSEHOLD}

1. Gender

(N=500)	n	%
Male -----	240	48.00
Female -----	260	52.00

2. How likely are you to vote in the general election for President this November -- very likely, somewhat likely, 50-50 or not likely?

(N=500)	n	%
Very likely -----	488	97.60
Somewhat likely -----	12	2.40

3. Are you currently registered as a Democrat, Republican, or No affiliation/Independent? {IF INDEPENDENT, "Which party would you lean toward/feel closest to"}

(N=500)	n	%
Democrat-----	240	48.00
Republican-----	197	39.40
Independent/No affiliation-----	55	11.00
Other -----	4	0.80
Refused-----	4	0.80

4. What is your age category?

(N=500)	n	%
18-24 Years -----	50	10.00
25-34 Years -----	74	14.80
35-49 Years -----	126	25.20
50-64 Years -----	152	30.40
65-74 Years -----	49	9.80
75+-----	42	8.40
Refused-----	7	1.40

5. For statistical purposes only, can you please tell me what your ethnic background / ancestry is?

(N=500)	n	%
White/Caucasian -----	387	77.40
Black/African-American-----	66	13.20
American Indian / Alaska Native -----	1	0.20
Asian -----	2	0.40
Native Hawaiian / Other Pacific Islander -----	0	0.00
Hispanic/Latino -----	35	7.00
Other -----	7	1.40
Don't know -----	2	0.40

6. Do you feel the country is headed in the right direction or is on the wrong track?

(N=500)	n	%
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Right Direction -----	143	28.60
Wrong Track -----	292	58.40
Undecided -----	65	13.00

7. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as president?
(N=500)

	n	%
Approve-----	249	49.80
Disapprove -----	224	44.80
Undecided -----	27	5.40

I am going to read you a short list of individuals and for each, please tell me if your opinion of them is generally favorable or generally unfavorable. If you are undecided or if you have never heard of someone, just tell me that. First take Barack Obama. Is your opinion of Barack Obama generally favorable or generally unfavorable? (RANDOMIZE 9-17)

(N=500)	<u>NEVER HEARD</u>	<u>FAVORABLE</u>	<u>UNFAVORABLE</u>	<u>HOF/UNDECIDED</u>
8. Barack Obama	1 0.20	261 52.20	222 44.40	16 3.20
9. Hillary Clinton	1 0.20	218 43.60	240 48.00	41 8.20
10. Bernie Sanders	5 1.00	300 60.00	146 29.20	49 9.80
11. Katie McGinty	116 23.20	143 28.60	117 23.40	124 24.80
12. Gary Johnson	221 44.20	60 12.00	66 13.20	153 30.60
13. Donald Trump	0 0.00	166 33.20	285 57.00	49 9.80
14. Jill Stein {STYNE}	260 52.00	51 10.20	53 10.60	136 27.20
15. Pat Toomey	29 5.80	178 35.60	180 36.00	113 22.60
16. Tim Kaine	75 15.00	187 37.40	89 17.80	149 29.80
17. Mike Pence	86 17.20	168 33.60	126 25.20	120 24.00

18. If the general election was held today and the candidates were (ROTATE) Democrat Hillary Clinton or Republican Donald Trump, for whom will you vote or lean towards?
(N=500)

	n	%
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Democrat Hillary Clinton-----	250	50.00
Republican Donald Trump -----	207	41.40
Undecided -----	39	7.80
Refused-----	4	0.80

{FOR 18.1 and 18.2}

19. Are you mostly voting for (Hillary Clinton/Donald Trump) or against (Hillary Clinton/Donald Trump)?

(N=457)	n	%
For -----	282	61.71
Against-----	145	31.73
Undecided -----	29	6.35
Refused-----	1	0.22

{FOR 18.1}

20. Is there a chance you would support Republican Donald Trump?

(N=250)	n	%
Yes-----	6	2.40
No -----	227	90.80
Undecided -----	16	6.40
Refused-----	1	0.40

{FOR 18.2}

21. Is there a chance you would support Democrat Hillary Clinton?

(N=207)	n	%
Yes-----	11	5.31
No -----	195	94.20
Undecided -----	1	0.48
Refused-----	0	0.00

22. Pennsylvania's presidential ballot may include Libertarian Gary Johnson and Green Party candidate Jill Stein. If the general election was held today and the candidates were (ROTATE) Democrat Hillary Clinton, Republican Donald Trump, (ROTATE) Green Party Jill Stein, or Libertarian Gary Johnson, for whom will you vote or lean toward?

(N=500)	n	%
Democrat Hillary Clinton-----	229	45.80
Republican Donald Trump -----	186	37.20
Green Party Jill Stein-----	13	2.60
Libertarian Party Gary Johnson -----	25	5.00
Undecided -----	43	8.60
Refused-----	4	0.80

23. When you think about this presidential election, how do you feel – {RANDOMIZE} Excited, Alarmed, or Bored (CHOOSE EMOTION CLOSEST TO ONE OF THE THREE)?

(N=500)	n	%
Excited -----	135	27.00
Alarmed-----	288	57.60
Bored-----	44	8.80
Undecided -----	31	6.20
Refused-----	2	0.40

24. For U.S. Senate, the candidates are (ROTATE) Republican Pat Toomey and Democrat Katie McGinty. At this point who will you vote for or lean toward?

(N=500)	n	%
Republican Pat Toomey-----	178	35.60
Democrat Katie McGinty-----	214	42.80
Other-----	6	1.20
Undecided-----	96	19.20
Refused-----	6	1.20

26. What do you think is the most important issue facing the next president? {Randomize }

(N=500)	n	%
Reducing the national debt-----	18	3.60
Taxes-----	10	2.00
Jobs/Economy-----	107	21.40
Schools/Education-----	21	4.20
Healthcare-----	27	5.40
Illegal immigration-----	16	3.20
Abortion policy-----	6	1.20
Climate Change-----	10	2.00
Civil liberties-----	12	2.40
Terrorism/national security-----	157	31.40
Crime/Guns-----	35	7.00
Drugs/Opioids-----	6	1.20
Choosing Supreme Court Nominees-----	40	8.00
Undecided-----	35	7.00

27. Thinking about the last 5-10 years, do you feel more or less safe, living in America? Or has it not changed in your view?

(N=500)	n	%
More safe-----	65	13.00
Less safe-----	280	56.00
Not changed-----	147	29.40
Undecided-----	8	1.60

28. Donald Trump has said that weak leadership by Hillary Clinton and President Obama is responsible for the rise of ISIS and terrorist attacks in the U.S. and abroad. Do you agree or disagree?

(N=500)	n	%
Agree-----	191	38.20
Disagree-----	278	55.60
Undecided-----	31	6.20

(ROTATE Q29 & 30)

29. Donald Trump has called for a temporary ban on Muslim immigrants, and on immigrants from areas of the world with a history of terrorism. Do you support or oppose this idea?

(N=500)	n	%
Support ban-----	215	43.00
Oppose ban-----	232	46.40
Undecided-----	51	10.20
Refused-----	2	0.40

30. Hillary Clinton has called for a ban on assault weapons. Do you support or oppose this idea?

(N=500)	n	%
Support ban -----	304	60.80
Oppose ban -----	168	33.60
Undecided -----	28	5.60
Refused-----	0	0.00

31. Which comes closer to your view: Muslim Americans are loyal citizens and allies in the battle against terrorism, or Muslim Americans need to be subjected to special scrutiny because of the threat of terrorism from their communities?

(N=500)	n	%
Muslim Americans are loyal citizens/allies against terrorism -----	272	54.40
Muslim Americans need special scrutiny / threat of terrorism-----	123	24.60
Undecided -----	96	19.20
Refused-----	9	1.80

32. Last week Hillary Clinton announced that former Governor of Virginia Tim Kaine will be her vice presidential pick for the Democratic presidential ticket. Does Kaine's selection make you more likely to vote for Clinton, less likely, or does it make no difference?

(N=500)	n	%
More likely -----	70	14.00
Less likely -----	43	8.60
No difference -----	370	74.00
Undecided -----	15	3.00
Refused-----	2	0.40

33. Two weeks ago, FBI Director James Comey announced the conclusion of the investigation of Hillary Clinton's emails saying that Clinton was extremely careless but that the FBI was not seeking an indictment. Do you think Hillary Clinton should have been indicted?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	227	45.40
No -----	245	49.00
Undecided -----	27	5.40
Refused-----	1	0.20

The next question is about trust in federal agencies and branches of government. I'm going to read you a short list and please tell me if you trust that branch or agency or whether you do not trust. (RANDOMIZE)

(N=500)	<u>TRUST</u>	<u>DO NOT TRUST</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
34. FBI	315 63.00	122 24.40	63 12.60
35. Congress	125 25.00	305 61.00	70 14.00
36. Supreme Court	300	123	77

	60.00	24.60	15.40
37. Post Office	437 87.40	36 7.20	27 5.40
38. IRS	236 47.20	229 45.80	35 7.00
39. Social Security	330 66.00	115 23.00	55 11.00
40. President	292 58.40	178 35.60	30 6.00
41. US Armed Forces	465 93.00	19 3.80	16 3.20

42. Just your best guess. When all the votes are counted this November, who do you think is most likely to be elected president – {ROTATE} Hillary Clinton or Donald Trump?

(N=500)	n	%
Hillary Clinton -----	251	50.20
Donald Trump -----	185	37.00
Undecided -----	62	12.40
Refused -----	2	0.40

43. How would you describe your own political viewpoint – very liberal, liberal, moderate, conservative, very conservative? {ROTATE .1-.5 ASCENDING TO DESCENDING}

(N=500)	n	%
Very liberal-----	29	5.80
Liberal-----	77	15.40
Moderate -----	226	45.20
Conservative -----	100	20.00
Very Conservative -----	49	9.80
Other -----	10	2.00
Don't know -----	9	1.80

44. What TV news or commentary source do you trust the most? {RANDOMIZE 35.1 - 35.8}

(N=500)	n	%
CNN -----	64	12.80
MSNBC -----	35	7.00
FOX News -----	121	24.20
ABC-----	54	10.80
NBC -----	52	10.40
CBS-----	39	7.80
C-SPAN -----	22	4.40
Comedy Central -----	14	2.80
Undecided -----	99	19.80

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

45. What is your annual household income? (READ CHOICES)

(N=500)	n	%
Under \$20,000 per year -----	54	10.80
Under \$50,000 per year -----	108	21.60
Under \$75,000 per year -----	81	16.20
Under \$100,000 per year-----	62	12.40
Under \$140,000 per year-----	58	11.60
\$140,000 per year or more -----	55	11.00
Undecided -----	82	16.40

46. How important is religion in your life – very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important?

(N=500)	n	%
Very important -----	306	61.20
Somewhat important -----	112	22.40
Not very important -----	27	5.40
Not at all important-----	49	9.80
Undecided -----	0	0.00
Refused-----	6	1.20

[THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME. HAVE A NICE DAY/EVENING.]