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Codebook Setup:

Variable      Variable Label

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version      Interview Version

1            Landline

2            Cellphone

county      S2c. In which California county do you live?

1	Alameda	30	Orange
2	Alpine	31	Placer
3	Amador	32	Plumas
4	Butte	33	Riverside
5	Calaveras	34	Sacramento
6	Colusa	35	San Benito
7	Contra Costa	36	San Bernardino
8	Del Norte	37	San Diego
9	El Dorado	38	San Francisco
10	Fresno	39	San Joaquin
11	Glenn	40	San Luis Obispo
12	Humboldt	41	San Mateo
13	Imperial	42	Santa Barbara
14	Inyo	43	Santa Clara
15	Kern	44	Santa Cruz
16	Kings	45	Shasta
17	Lake	46	Sierra
18	Lassen	47	Siskiyou
19	Los Angeles	48	Solano
20	Madera	49	Sonoma
21	Marin	50	Stanislaus
22	Mariposa	51	Sutter
23	Mendocino	52	Tehama
24	Merced	53	Trinity
25	Modoc	54	Tulare
26	Mono	55	Tuolumne
27	Monterey	56	Ventura
28	Napa	57	Yolo
29	Nevada	58	Yuba

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Q1.First, thinking about the state as a whole, what do you think is the most important issue facing people in California today?

[CODE RESPONSE; DO NOT READ LIST; SINGLE RECORD]

- 01 abortion
- 02 cost of living
- 03 crime; gangs; drugs
- 04 economy
- 05 education; schools, teachers
- 06 electricity costs, energy supply, energy crisis
- 07 environment; pollution; global warming
- 08 gasoline prices, oil prices
- 09 gay rights, gay marriages
- 10 government in general, problems with elected officials, political parties
- 11 government reform
- 12 government regulations
- 13 guns; gun control; mass shootings; school safety
- 14 health care; health insurance, health costs; prescription drug costs; Obamacare
- 15 homelessness
- 16 housing costs; housing availability, subprime housing crisis
- 17 immigration
- 18 illegal immigration
- 19 income/wealth inequality
- 20 infrastructure
- 21 jobs; unemployment
- 22 moral and family values
- 23 pension system reforms
- 24 political contributions, campaign finance
- 25 political redistricting, reapportionment
- 26 population growth; too much development; sprawl
- 27 poverty; the poor
- 28 race relations; racial and ethnic issues
- 29 state budget, deficit, state spending
- 30 taxes
- 31 terrorism; security issues
- 32 traffic; transportation
- 33 water; water quality; water availability, drought
- 34 welfare
- 35 women's rights
- 97 other [SPECIFY]
- 98 [VOL] don't know
- 99 [VOL] refuse

Q2.Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Jerry Brown is handling his job as governor of California?

- 1 approve
- 2 disapprove
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q3.Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that the California Legislature is handling its job?

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- 1 approve
- 2 disapprove
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q4. Do you think things in California are **generally** going in the right direction or the wrong direction?

- 1 right direction
- 2 wrong direction
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q5. Turning to economic conditions in California, do you think that during the next 12 months we will have good times financially or bad times?

- 1 good times
- 2 bad times
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q6. Next, some people are registered to vote and others are not. Are you **absolutely certain** that you are registered to vote in California?

- 1 yes [ASK Q6a]
- 2 no [SKIP TO Q7f]
- 8 [VOL] don't know [SKIP TO Q7f]
- 9 [VOL] refuse [SKIP TO Q7f]

Q6a. Are you registered as a Democrat, a Republican, another party, or are you registered as a decline-to-state or independent voter?  
(INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT SAYS THEY ARE REGISTERED AS "Non-Partisan" ENTER PUNCH <4> decline-to-state or Independent)

[IF RESPONDENT REFUSES, SAY "We understand and respect that this information is confidential, we ask only for nonpartisan research purposes and will keep all of this information absolutely anonymous"]

[CATI PROGRAMMING TO COMBINE Q6 AND Q6a]

- 1 registered, Democrat [ASK Q7]
- 2 registered, Republican [SKIP TO Q7a]
- 3 registered, another party [SPECIFY] [SKIP T
- 4 registered, decline to state/independent [SKIP T
- 5 registered, don't know party [SKIP T
- 6 not registered [SKIP TO Q7f]
- 8 [VOL] don't know if registered [SKIP T
- 9 [VOL] refuse to say if registered [SKIP T

Q7. Would you call yourself a strong Democrat or not a very strong Democrat?

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- 1 strong
- 2 not very strong
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

[SKIP TO Q8a]

Q7a. Would you call yourself a strong Republican or not a very strong Republican?

- 1 strong
- 2 not very strong
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

[SKIP TO Q8b]

Q7b. In a few words, can you tell me the main reason why you are registered as a decline-to-state or independent voter and not as a member of a political party?

[CODE RESPONSE; DO NOT READ LIST; SINGLE RECORD]

- 1 corruption
- 2 don't want political mailings or phone calls
- 3 I vote for both Democrats and Republicans
- 4 parties don't reflect my views
- 5 politicians/Elected officials
- 6 privacy/confidentiality
- 7 work requirement
- 97 other [SPECIFY]
- 98 [VOL] don't know
- 99 [VOL] refuse

Q7c. And, were you previously registered with a major party or have you always been a decline-to-state or independent voter?

- 1 previously registered [ASK 7d]
- 2 always been a decline-to-state or independent voter [SKIP TO 7e]
- 8 [VOL] don't know [SKIP TO 7e]
- 9 [VOL] refuse [SKIP TO 7e]

Q7d. And what party were you previously registered with?  
[DO NOT READ LIST; SINGLE RECORD]

- 1 Republican Party
- 2 Democratic Party
- 3 Green Party
- 4 Libertarian
- 5 American Independent
- 6 other [SPECIFY]
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

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Q7e. Would you join a political party if it was a good reflection of your political views or do you prefer to be unaffiliated with any specific party?

- 1 join a political party
- 2 remain unaffiliated
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q7f. Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party or Democratic Party?

- 1 Republican Party
- 2 Democratic Party
- 3 [VOL] neither
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

[DELAYED SKIP: IF Q6a=4, ASK q7G; IF Q6a=3, 5, 6, 8, or 9 SKIP TO Q9]

Q7g. California voters like you will be able to choose between voting in the Democratic primary, or selecting a nonpartisan ballot on June 7th. Both ballots include state proposition measures. Do you plan to vote in the Democratic presidential primary or on the nonpartisan ballot?

[INTERVIEWER NOTE: If respondent says they already voted ask: "And did you vote in the Democratic presidential primary or on the nonpartisan ballot?"

[INTERVIEWER NOTE: BOTH BALLOTS INCLUDE STATE PROPOSITION MEASURES; ALL VOTERS MUST CHOOSE ONE OF THE TWO BALLOTS]

- 1 Democratic presidential primary [ASK Q8a]
- 2 nonpartisan ballot [SKIP TO Q9]
- 3 [VOL] not planning to vote [SKIP TO Q9]
- 8 [VOL] don't know [SKIP TO Q9]
- 9 [VOL] refuse [SKIP TO Q9]

Q8a. If the 2016 Democratic primary for president were being held today, and these were the candidates, who would you vote for? [ROTATE NAMES AND THEN ASK "or someone else?") [ACCEPT ANSWER WHEN GIVEN]

- 1 Hilary Clinton
- 2 Bernie Sanders
- 3 or someone else [SPECIFY]
- 4 [VOL] would not vote in presidential primary
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

[SKIP TO Q9]

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Q8b. If the 2016 Republican primary for president were being held today, would you vote for Donald Trump or someone else? [ACCEPT ANSWER WHEN GIVEN]

- 1 Donald Trump
- 2 or someone else [SPECIFY]
- 3 [VOL] would not vote in presidential primary
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q9. In general, would you say you are satisfied or not satisfied with your choices of candidates in the election for U.S. President in 2016?

- 1 satisfied
- 2 not satisfied
- 3 [VOL] both
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q10. How closely are you following news about candidates for the 2016 presidential election—very closely, fairly closely, not too closely, or not at all closely?

- 1 very closely
- 2 fairly closely
- 3 not too closely
- 4 not at all closely
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

[DELAYED SKIP: IF Q6a= 6, 8, or 9 SKIP TO Q14]

[ROTATE QUESTIONS 12 AND 12a]

Q12. If the November 8<sup>th</sup> presidential election were being held today, and these were the candidates, would you vote for: [ROTATE TRUMP IN SAME ORDER FOR Q12 and Q12a] [1] Hillary Clinton, the Democrat [OR] [2] Donald Trump, the Republican?

- 1 Hillary Clinton, the Democrat
- 2 Donald Trump, the Republican
- 3 [VOL] someone else [SPECIFY]
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q12a. If the November 8<sup>th</sup> presidential election were being held today, and these were the candidates, would you vote for: [ROTATE TRUMP IN SAME ORDER FOR Q12 and Q12a] [1] Bernie Sanders, the Democrat [OR] [2] Donald Trump, the Republican?

- 1 Bernie Sanders, the Democrat
- 2 Donald Trump, the Republican
- 3 [VOL] someone else [SPECIFY]
- 8 [VOL] don't know

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9 [VOL] refuse

Q13. As you may know, California now has a top-two primary system for statewide races in which voters can cast ballots for any candidate, regardless of party, and the two candidates receiving the most votes—regardless of party—will advance to the general election. If the June primary for US Senator were being held today, and these were the candidates, who would you vote for? [ROTATE NAMES AND THEN ASK "OR SOMEONE ELSE"] [ACCEPT ANSWER WHEN GIVEN]

[IF A RESPONDENT SAYS "a Republican or a Democrat" PLEASE TYPE THAT IN THE OTHER SPECIFY]

1 Tom Del Beccaro (del ba-car-oh), a Republican  
2 Kamala Harris (ka-ma-la), a Democrat  
3 Loretta Sanchez, a Democrat  
4 Duf Sundheim (sund-heim), a Republican  
5 Ron Unz, a Republican  
6 someone else [SPECIFY]  
8 [VOL] don't know  
9 [VOL] refuse

Q14. In general, would you say you are satisfied or not satisfied with your choices of candidates in the election for U.S. Senate in 2016?

1 satisfied  
2 not satisfied  
3 [VOL] both  
8 [VOL] don't know  
9 [VOL] refuse

[DELAYED SKIP: IF Q6a= 6, 8, or 9 SKIP TO Q15]

Q14a. If the November 8<sup>th</sup> election for the U.S. Senate were being held today, and these were the top-two candidates in the June Primary, would you vote for: [ROTATE] [1] Kamala Harris, a Democrat [OR] [2] Loretta Sanchez, a Democrat?

[IF RESPONDENT SAYS THEY WOULD VOTE FOR SOMEONE ELSE, SAY: "Under California's top-two primary system, only the two candidates receiving the most votes in the primary election advance to the general election. If the November election for the U.S. Senate were being held today and those two candidates happen to be Kamala Harris (ka-ma-la) and Loretta Sanchez, would you vote for [ROTATE IN SAME ORDER AS ABOVE] [1] Kamala Harris (ka-ma-la), a Democrat, or [2] Loretta Sanchez, a Democrat?"]

[USE PUNCH 3 IF A RESPONDENT SAYS "Neither"]

1 Kamal Harris, a Democrat  
2 Loretta Sanchez, a Democrat  
3 [VOL] neither/would not vote for U.S. Senator  
8 [VOL] don't know  
9 [VOL] refuse

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Q15. Next, do you think the state budget situation in California—that is, the balance between government spending and revenues—is a big problem, somewhat of a problem, or not a problem for the people of California today?

- 1 big problem
- 2 somewhat of a problem
- 3 not a problem
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q16. As you may know, voters passed Proposition 30 in November 2012. It increased taxes on earnings over \$250,000 dollars until 2018 and sales taxes by one quarter cent until 2016. Do you favor or oppose extending for 12 years the tax increase on earnings over \$250,000 dollars to fund education and healthcare?

- 1 favor
- 2 oppose
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q17. In general, would you favor or oppose increasing the state tax on the purchase of cigarettes to fund healthcare?

- 1 favor
- 2 oppose
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q19. On another topic, Governor Brown recently released a revised budget plan for the next fiscal year that will increase spending on K-to-12 and higher education, health and human services, prisons, and courts. The plan includes funds to pay down the state's debt and puts \$2 billion dollars into the state's rainy day fund. In general, do you favor or oppose the governor's budget plan?

- 1 favor
- 2 oppose
- 3 [VOL] haven't heard anything about the budget
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q19a. The proposed budget plan also includes a new fee on all vehicles and an increase in the state gasoline tax to fund transportation infrastructure projects. Knowing this, in general, do you favor or oppose the governor's budget plan?

- 1 favor
- 2 oppose
- 3 [VOL] haven't heard anything about the budget
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse



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Q20. The state is projected to have a budget surplus of several billion dollars. In general, how would you prefer to use this extra money? [ROTATE] [1] Would you prefer to pay down state debt and build up the reserve [OR] [2] would you prefer to use some of this money to restore some funding for social service programs that were cut in recent years?

- 1 pay down debt and build up reserve
- 2 restore funding for social services
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Next, please tell me if you would vote yes or no on each of the following proposals to increase state and local funding for surface transportation projects in California.

[ROTATE QUESTIONS 22 TO 23]

Q22. If the state ballot had a bond measure to pay for surface transportation projects in California, would you vote yes or no?

- 1 yes
- 2 no
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q23. If your local ballot had a measure to increase the local sales tax to pay for surface transportation projects in your part of California, would you vote yes or no?

- 1 yes
- 2 no
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q24. On another topic, overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Barack Obama is handling his job as president of the United States?

- 1 approve
- 2 disapprove
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q25. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way the U.S. Congress is handling its job?

- 1 approve
- 2 disapprove
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Changing topics,

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Q27. Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are living in the U.S.? [ROTATE] [1] There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met [OR] [2] They should not be allowed to stay in this country legally.

- 1 allowed to stay legally
- 2 not allowed to stay legally
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q28. All in all, would you favor or oppose building a wall along the entire border with Mexico?

- 1 favor
- 2 oppose
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q29. On another topic, do you approve or disapprove of the way the Supreme Court is handling its job?

- 1 approve
- 2 disapprove
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q30. As you many know, Barack Obama has nominated federal judge Merrick Garland to serve on the U.S. Supreme Court. From what you've seen and heard so far, do you think the Senate should or should not confirm Merrick Garland to the Supreme Court?

- 1 should confirm
- 2 should not confirm
- 3 [VOL] have not heard enough to have an opinion
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

On another topic,

[ROTATE QUESTIONS 31 AND 32]

Q31. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the Democratic Party?

- 1 favorable
- 2 unfavorable
- 8 [VOL] don't know
- 9 [VOL] refuse

Q32. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the Republican Party?

- 1 favorable
- 2 unfavorable
- 8 [VOL] don't know

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9 [VOL] refuse

Changing topics,

Q33. In general, do you think the use of marijuana should be legal, or not?

1 yes, legal  
2 no, not legal  
8 [VOL] don't know  
9 [VOL] refuse

Q34. An initiative on the November ballot would legalize, tax, and regulate the use of marijuana and is expected to generate about \$1 billion dollars annually in state and local tax revenues. How important is it to you that this revenue be spent on substance abuse prevention and treatment. Is it very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important?

1 very important  
2 somewhat important  
3 not too important  
4 not at all important  
8 [VOL] don't know  
9 [VOL] refuse

Q34a. Keeping in mind that all of your answers in the survey are confidential, have you ever tried marijuana? (IF YES, ASK: have you used marijuana in the last 12 months?)

1 yes have tried marijuana, used in the past year  
2 yes, have tried marijuana, not in the past year  
3 no, have not tried marijuana  
8 [VOL] don't know  
9 [VOL] refuse

Q35. Next, would you consider yourself to be politically:  
[READ LIST, ROTATE ORDER TOP TO BOTTOM]

1 very liberal  
2 somewhat liberal  
3 middle-of-the-road  
4 somewhat conservative  
5 very conservative  
8 [VOL] don't know  
9 [VOL] refuse

Q36. Generally speaking, how much interest would you say you have in politics—a great deal, a fair amount, only a little, or none?

1 great deal  
2 fair amount  
3 only a little  
4 none

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8 [VOL] don't know  
9 [VOL] refuse

Q38. How often would you say you vote—always, nearly always, part of the time, seldom, or never?

1 always  
2 nearly always  
3 part of the time  
4 seldom  
5 never  
8 [VOL] don't know  
9 [VOL] refuse

Q39. Do you plan to vote in the primary election on June 7, 2016? [IF SOMEONE SAYS THEY ALREADY VOTED CODE THEM AS <PUNCH 1>]

1 yes [ASK Q39a]  
2 no [SKIP TO  
D1]  
8 [VOL] don't know [SKIP TO  
D1]  
9 [VOL] refuse [SKIP  
TO D1]

Q39a. Do you plan to vote at your local polling place, by mail ballot, or have you already voted? [INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT SAYS THEY ALREADY VOTED BY MAIL/ABSENTEE BALLOT, CODE AS PUNCH <3> already voted]

1 local polling place  
2 mail ballot  
3 already voted  
8 [VOL] don't know  
9 [VOL] refuse

[IF RESPONDENT REFUSES ANY D1 TO D14d, SAY: "We understand and respect that this information is confidential, we ask only for research purposes and will keep all of this information absolutely anonymous"]

D1. Finally, we have a few demographic questions. What is your age? [IF NECESSARY: READ LIST]

RECORD AGE (code 18-98) [SKIP TO D2]  
99 [VOL] refuse [ASK D1a]

D1a. [IF REFUSE ON D1] Could you please tell me if you are between the ages of...? [READ LIST]

1 18 to 24  
2 25 to 34  
3 35 to 44  
4 45 to 54  
5 55 to 64

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6 65 or older  
9 [VOL] refuse

D2. Do you own or rent your current residence?

1 own  
2 rent  
3 [VOL] neither  
9 [VOL] don't know/refuse

D3. And how long have you lived at your current address? [IF UNDER 1 YEAR, CODE < 0 >] [PROBE: your best estimate is fine]

RECORD NUMBER OF YEARS (code 0-97) [ASK D4]  
98 [VOL] don't know [ASK D3a]  
99 [VOL] refuse [ASK D3a]

D3a. [IF REFUSE ON D3] Could you please tell me if you have lived at your current address for fewer than five years, five years to under 10 years, 10 years to under 20 years, or 20 years or more?

1 fewer than five years  
2 five years to under 10 years  
3 10 years to under 20 years  
4 20 years or more  
5 [VOL] all my life  
9 [VOL] refuse

D4. Are you a parent, stepparent, or legal guardian of any children 18 or under?

1 yes  
2 no  
9 [VOL] don't know/refuse

D5. What is your current work status—full-time employed, part-time employed, or not employed?

1 full-time employed [SKIP TO D5b]  
2 part-time employed [SKIP TO D5b]  
3 not-employed [ASK D5a]  
4 [VOL] disabled/on disability [SKIP TO D6]  
9 [VOL] don't know/refuse [SKIP TO D6]

D5a. Are you a student, homemaker, retired, unemployed and looking for work, or unemployed and not currently looking for work?

1 not employed, student  
2 not employed, homemaker  
3 not employed, retired  
4 not employed, looking for work  
5 not employed, not looking for work  
6 [VOL] disabled; on disability  
9 [VOL] don't know/refuse

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D5b. How do you usually commute to work—drive alone, carpool, take public bus or transit, walk, or bicycle?

- 1 drive alone
- 2 carpool
- 3 take public bus or transit
- 4 walk
- 5 bicycle
- 6 [VOL] work at home
- 7 [VOL] other [SPECIFY]
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse

D6. What was the last grade of school that you completed?  
[IF NECESSARY: READ LIST; ENTER "ASSOCIATES DEGREE" AS PUNCH <3>  
SOME COLLEGE]

- 1 some high school or less
- 2 high school graduate/GED
- 3 some college
- 4 college graduate
- 5 post graduate
- 6 [VOL] trade school
- 9 [VOL] refuse

D7. Are you married, divorced, separated, widowed, or never been married?

- 1 married
- 2 divorced
- 3 separated
- 4 widowed
- 5 never married
- 6 [VOL] living with partner
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refused

D8. Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin?

[IF NECESSARY: Such as Mexican-American, Latin American, Central or South American, or Spanish-American?]

- 1 yes, Hispanic
- 2 no, NOT Hispanic
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refused

D8a. For classification purposes, we'd like to know what your racial background is. Are you white, black or African-American, Asian, Pacific Islander or Native Hawaiian, American Indian or an Alaskan native, a member of another race, or a combination of these?  
[ACCEPT UP TO TWO ANSWERS]  
[IF RESP SAYS "Indian" PROBE: "is that American Indian or Asian Indian?"]

- 1 white
- 2 black/African-American

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- 3 Asian
- 4 Pacific Islander/Native Hawaiian
- 5 American Indian/Alaskan Native
- 6 [VOL] Hispanic/Latino
- 7 other [SPECIFY]
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refused

D8com D8/D8a\_1/D8a\_2 combined

- 1 Asian, non-Hispanic
- 2 black, non-Hispanic
- 3 Hispanic or Latino, any race
- 4 white, non-Hispanic
- 5 other, non-Hispanic
- 6 multi-race, non-Hispanic
- 9 refuse

D9. Were you born in the United States?

- 1 yes [SKIP TO D10]
- 2 no [ASK D9a]
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse [ASK D9a]

D9a. Are you a U.S. citizen or not?

- 1 yes, U.S. citizen
- 2 no, not a U.S. citizen
- 9 [VOL] refuse

D10. What is your religious preference—is it Protestant, Catholic, Jewish, some other religion, or no religion?

IF SOME OTHER RELIGION, ASK: Which one would that be?

- 1 Protestant [INCLUDE: Baptist, Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopalian, Pentecostal, Church of Christ, etc.; if ANY question punch <97> and specify]
- 2 Catholic
- 3 Jewish
- 4 no religion (includes: not a believer, not religious, atheist, agnostic)
- 5 Buddhism
- 6 Christian; just Christian
- 7 Hinduism
- 8 Islam (Muslim)
- 9 Jehovah's Witness
- 10 Latter Day Saints, LDS, Mormon
- 11 Native American
- 12 Non-denominational
- 13 Orthodox Christian (e.g., Greek/Russian/Serbian/etc.)
- 97 some other religion [SPECIFY]
- 99 [VOL] don't know/refused

[IF D10 = 1, 2, 6, 9, 10, 12, 13, 97, 99 ASK D10a, ELSE SKIP TO D11]

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D10a. Would you describe yourself as a "born again" or evangelical Christian, or not?

- 1 yes, would
- 2 no, would not
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refused

D11. Which of the following **categories** best describes your total annual household income before taxes, from all sources?

[PROBE: your best estimate is fine AND/OR REREAD LIST BEFORE ACCEPTING DON'T KNOW OR REFUSED"]

[IF RESPONDENT REFUSES, SAY "We understand and respect that this information is confidential, we ask only for research purposes and will keep all of this information absolutely anonymous"]

- 1 under \$20,000
- 2 \$20,000 to under \$40,000
- 3 \$40,000 to under \$60,000
- 4 \$60,000 to under \$80,000
- 5 \$80,000 to under \$100,000
- 6 \$100,000 to under \$200,000
- 7 \$200,000 or more
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse

D12. Including yourself, how many adults 18 years of age or older live in your household?

- 1 one
- 2-12 [enter number]
- 99 [VOL] don't know/refused

**LANDLINE RESPONDENTS ONLY:**

D13a. Now thinking about your telephone use, do you have a working cell phone? [INTERVIEWER: THIS INCLUDES SHARED CELL PHONES.]

- 1 yes, have cell phone [ASK D13b]
- 2 no, do not [SKIP TO D15]
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse [SKIP TO D15]

D13b. Thinking about all the phone calls you receive, do you receive more calls on your cell phone, more calls on your regular home phone, or is it about equal?

- 1 more on cell phone [ASK D13c]
- 2 more on home phone [SKIP TO D13d]
- 3 about equal [SKIP TO D15]
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse [SKIP TO D15]

D13c. Would that be **a lot more** or just a **few** more calls received on your cell phone?

- 1 a lot more
- 2 a few more
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse



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[SKIP TO D15]

D13d. Would that be **a lot more** or just a **few** more calls received on your regular home phone?

- 1 a lot more
- 2 a few more
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse

[SKIP TO D15]

**CELL PHONE RESPONDENTS ONLY:**

D14a. Now thinking about your telephone use, is a cell phone your only phone, or do you also have a regular phone that you use to make and receive calls where you currently live? [IF NEEDED: "A regular telephone is sometimes called a "landline" or phone that is wired to a jack in the wall."]

- 1 cell phone is only phone [SKIP TO D15]
- 2 have regular phone at home [ASK D14b]
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse [SKIP TO D15]

D14b. Thinking about all the phone calls you receive, do you receive more calls on your cell phone, more calls on your regular home phone, or is it about equal?

- 1 more on cell phone [ASK D14c]
- 2 more on home phone [SKIP TO D14d]
- 3 about equal [SKIP TO D15]
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse [SKIP TO D15]

D14c. Would that be **a lot more** or just a **few** more calls received on your cell phone?

- 1 a lot more
- 2 a few more
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse

[SKIP TO D15]

D14d. Would that be **a lot more** or just a **few** more calls received on your regular home phone?

- 1 a lot more
- 2 a few more
- 9 [VOL] don't know/refuse

[QUARTER SAMPLE:]

D15. Finally, would you be willing to talk about these questions with a reporter from a news organization in your region for a story about this survey?

- 1 yes [RECORD RESPONDENT'S FIRST NAME]
- 2 no
- 9 [VOL] refused

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language	Language
	0 English
	1 Spanish
gender	Gender
	1 Male
	2 Female
likevote	Likely Voters
	0 Respondent not likely to vote
	1 Respondent likely to vote
weight	Final Weight