

Siena College Research Institute  
 August 13-16, 19, 2012  
 671 New York State Likely Voters  
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Q1. Is New York State on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																											
	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Right track	56%	69%	34%	53%	54%	58%	66%	62%	39%	57%	56%	63%	57%	49%	52%	74%	68%	53%	51%	63%	52%	60%	61%	57%	59%	56%	52%
Wrong direction	33%	21%	55%	40%	35%	32%	22%	27%	54%	34%	33%	25%	33%	43%	37%	16%	28%	38%	36%	29%	38%	30%	30%	29%	33%	34%	35%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	10%	11%	7%	10%	10%	11%	12%	6%	8%	11%	13%	10%	8%	11%	10%	4%	9%	14%	8%	10%	10%	9%	14%	8%	9%	13%

Q2. Is the United States on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																											
	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Right track	46%	65%	18%	36%	39%	52%	69%	48%	21%	47%	46%	55%	44%	38%	38%	76%	56%	46%	48%	44%	42%	39%	50%	52%	51%	50%	40%
Wrong direction	48%	29%	76%	60%	57%	41%	23%	45%	77%	48%	48%	36%	50%	59%	56%	18%	40%	49%	48%	48%	54%	55%	45%	39%	43%	45%	55%
Don't know/No opinion	6%	6%	7%	5%	4%	8%	8%	6%	3%	5%	6%	9%	6%	3%	6%	7%	4%	5%	4%	8%	4%	6%	5%	9%	6%	5%	5%

I'm going to read a series of names of people and institutions in public life and I'd like you to tell me whether you have a favorable opinion or an unfavorable opinion of each person or institution I name. [QUESTIONS Q3-Q12 ROTATED]

Q3. Andrew Cuomo																											
	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	71%	79%	58%	70%	68%	73%	76%	80%	54%	65%	74%	73%	70%	70%	71%	82%	55%	47%	72%	82%	71%	68%	76%	68%	73%	68%	72%
Unfavorable	24%	17%	36%	25%	26%	22%	17%	17%	41%	31%	20%	21%	24%	27%	25%	14%	31%	46%	22%	15%	25%	28%	22%	20%	21%	27%	24%
Don't know/No opinion	5%	4%	6%	6%	6%	5%	7%	3%	4%	3%	6%	6%	7%	3%	5%	4%	14%	7%	6%	4%	4%	3%	2%	12%	6%	5%	4%

Q4. Barack Obama																											
	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	64%	87%	25%	55%	57%	69%	93%	68%	29%	69%	62%	77%	60%	52%	54%	98%	74%	74%	64%	58%	55%	58%	68%	75%	69%	65%	59%
Unfavorable	35%	13%	73%	44%	42%	30%	6%	31%	70%	30%	37%	22%	37%	48%	44%	2%	26%	26%	35%	40%	44%	36%	31%	24%	29%	34%	40%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	1%	6%	0%	0%	2%	1%	0%

Q5. Mitt Romney																											
	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	34%	16%	65%	42%	40%	30%	9%	32%	60%	31%	36%	26%	36%	42%	42%	11%	22%	28%	33%	39%	44%	34%	31%	25%	30%	34%	38%
Unfavorable	61%	79%	31%	53%	58%	63%	88%	62%	34%	69%	58%	68%	57%	55%	54%	83%	68%	68%	63%	55%	51%	60%	63%	73%	61%	63%	60%
Don't know/No opinion	5%	5%	4%	6%	2%	7%	3%	6%	6%	1%	6%	6%	7%	2%	4%	6%	10%	4%	4%	6%	5%	6%	6%	3%	9%	2%	2%

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Q6. Joe Biden																											
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Favorable	56%	75%	28%	46%	50%	61%	82%	60%	27%	61%	54%	61%	59%	49%	50%	79%	57%	59%	57%	54%	51%	61%	56%	64%	52%	60%	57%
Unfavorable	38%	18%	65%	51%	48%	30%	15%	35%	66%	36%	38%	30%	37%	45%	44%	14%	31%	36%	38%	40%	45%	33%	36%	28%	35%	36%	41%
Don't know/No opinion	6%	6%	7%	3%	2%	9%	4%	5%	7%	3%	7%	9%	3%	6%	6%	7%	12%	5%	5%	6%	4%	6%	8%	8%	13%	4%	2%
Q7. Paul Ryan																											
	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	31%	15%	54%	43%	37%	27%	6%	30%	59%	30%	31%	26%	34%	36%	38%	13%	30%	25%	32%	35%	40%	25%	31%	19%	28%	31%	36%
Unfavorable	46%	61%	19%	44%	48%	45%	72%	50%	19%	49%	46%	53%	42%	42%	41%	58%	54%	51%	47%	43%	38%	56%	39%	65%	40%	45%	55%
Don't know/No opinion	22%	24%	27%	13%	15%	28%	22%	20%	22%	21%	23%	21%	25%	22%	21%	29%	17%	23%	21%	22%	22%	19%	29%	16%	32%	24%	10%
Q8. Kirsten Gillibrand																											
	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	50%	55%	40%	50%	46%	53%	56%	60%	32%	54%	48%	45%	48%	55%	52%	49%	34%	38%	54%	52%	54%	53%	49%	41%	43%	55%	54%
Unfavorable	26%	16%	39%	32%	30%	22%	16%	20%	44%	24%	26%	23%	25%	29%	27%	17%	23%	23%	26%	27%	27%	27%	25%	21%	20%	24%	30%
Don't know/No opinion	25%	30%	21%	18%	24%	25%	29%	20%	24%	22%	26%	32%	27%	15%	21%	34%	43%	39%	21%	21%	19%	20%	26%	38%	37%	22%	16%
Q9. Wendy Long																											
	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	11%	10%	14%	10%	13%	10%	12%	7%	15%	13%	10%	13%	9%	10%	9%	17%	26%	20%	11%	6%	11%	9%	9%	13%	12%	9%	10%
Unfavorable	12%	15%	9%	11%	13%	11%	8%	14%	15%	10%	13%	15%	9%	11%	9%	19%	17%	15%	13%	11%	13%	20%	11%	7%	10%	11%	15%
Don't know/No opinion	77%	76%	78%	79%	74%	79%	80%	79%	70%	76%	77%	72%	82%	79%	82%	64%	56%	66%	76%	83%	77%	70%	80%	80%	78%	80%	75%
Q10. Charles Schumer																											
	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	65%	77%	48%	55%	59%	69%	74%	70%	48%	69%	63%	73%	68%	54%	63%	76%	61%	56%	68%	66%	62%	78%	61%	72%	65%	64%	68%
Unfavorable	26%	14%	42%	35%	35%	19%	10%	24%	45%	23%	26%	20%	26%	32%	29%	13%	22%	27%	25%	26%	30%	18%	25%	20%	20%	25%	30%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	9%	10%	9%	6%	12%	15%	6%	8%	7%	11%	8%	6%	14%	9%	11%	17%	17%	8%	8%	8%	4%	14%	8%	15%	10%	2%
Q11. Eric Schneiderman																											
	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	21%	26%	14%	21%	22%	21%	22%	25%	17%	19%	22%	28%	19%	16%	20%	25%	15%	14%	21%	24%	20%	42%	15%	22%	20%	21%	21%
Unfavorable	14%	13%	15%	16%	14%	15%	11%	12%	21%	12%	15%	15%	15%	13%	11%	18%	32%	19%	14%	11%	15%	10%	12%	15%	13%	14%	15%
Don't know/No opinion	64%	61%	70%	63%	64%	65%	67%	63%	62%	68%	63%	58%	66%	71%	69%	56%	53%	66%	65%	64%	65%	48%	73%	63%	67%	64%	63%

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Q12. Tom DiNapoli																											
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	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Favorable	24%	22%	26%	26%	28%	21%	17%	24%	30%	28%	22%	21%	25%	26%	24%	22%	30%	21%	19%	29%	28%	28%	23%	13%	22%	22%	27%
Unfavorable	17%	18%	18%	17%	19%	16%	13%	20%	20%	13%	19%	19%	20%	14%	14%	24%	13%	19%	21%	13%	18%	18%	18%	11%	15%	17%	22%
Don't know/No opinion	59%	60%	57%	57%	54%	63%	70%	57%	50%	58%	60%	61%	55%	60%	62%	54%	57%	59%	60%	58%	53%	53%	59%	76%	63%	61%	51%
Q13. How would you rate the job that Andrew Cuomo is doing as Governor? Would you rate it excellent, good, fair, or poor?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Excellent	16%	17%	12%	16%	18%	14%	16%	19%	10%	13%	17%	20%	17%	11%	15%	20%	17%	7%	14%	21%	16%	15%	16%	14%	18%	13%	15%
Good	44%	52%	34%	37%	40%	46%	46%	49%	36%	39%	45%	42%	39%	49%	46%	47%	22%	26%	47%	50%	47%	41%	47%	39%	43%	43%	50%
Fair	33%	24%	40%	41%	32%	33%	32%	28%	39%	39%	30%	29%	38%	33%	33%	29%	50%	51%	33%	23%	27%	36%	32%	41%	33%	35%	26%
Poor	7%	5%	12%	5%	8%	6%	4%	4%	13%	9%	6%	8%	5%	7%	6%	4%	6%	11%	6%	5%	10%	5%	4%	3%	4%	8%	8%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	5%	4%	1%	0%	0%	3%	1%	3%	3%	0%	1%
Q14. How would you rate the job that Kirsten Gillibrand is doing as United States Senator? Would you rate it excellent, good, fair, or poor?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Excellent	10%	13%	3%	8%	8%	11%	15%	9%	4%	11%	9%	9%	8%	11%	10%	9%	2%	1%	9%	14%	11%	14%	6%	9%	9%	10%	9%
Good	40%	47%	31%	36%	34%	44%	42%	47%	30%	42%	39%	38%	38%	42%	39%	43%	39%	37%	46%	36%	40%	35%	42%	38%	43%	40%	39%
Fair	24%	21%	28%	27%	27%	23%	23%	25%	24%	20%	26%	25%	23%	25%	25%	25%	28%	39%	19%	23%	19%	29%	28%	27%	24%	27%	25%
Poor	13%	5%	24%	18%	18%	9%	6%	8%	27%	16%	12%	11%	14%	15%	15%	4%	10%	8%	13%	14%	17%	9%	10%	7%	6%	11%	17%
Don't know/No opinion	13%	15%	13%	11%	13%	14%	15%	11%	14%	11%	14%	18%	16%	7%	11%	19%	21%	14%	13%	13%	11%	14%	14%	18%	18%	12%	10%
Q15. How would you rate the job that Barack Obama is doing as President? Would you rate it excellent, good, fair, or poor?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Excellent	17%	25%	5%	12%	13%	20%	25%	14%	12%	19%	16%	23%	14%	13%	11%	38%	24%	16%	15%	20%	12%	6%	23%	20%	27%	13%	10%
Good	36%	51%	16%	26%	30%	40%	58%	38%	13%	35%	36%	44%	35%	27%	32%	50%	45%	47%	35%	30%	32%	39%	34%	42%	28%	43%	38%
Fair	19%	15%	18%	29%	23%	16%	10%	28%	17%	21%	19%	14%	20%	25%	22%	13%	7%	19%	22%	18%	20%	21%	19%	20%	19%	18%	21%
Poor	28%	9%	61%	34%	33%	23%	7%	21%	58%	24%	29%	19%	31%	35%	35%	0%	23%	19%	28%	32%	36%	33%	23%	17%	26%	26%	31%
Don't know/No opinion	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Q16. Barack Obama is running for re-election as President this year. I know it's a ways off, but as things stand now, would you vote to re-elect him or would you prefer someone else?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Re-elect Obama	59%	83%	23%	47%	52%	65%	89%	62%	26%	63%	58%	73%	57%	46%	49%	94%	71%	67%	59%	55%	51%	54%	64%	67%	62%	59%	59%
Prefer someone else	37%	14%	76%	47%	45%	31%	8%	34%	70%	34%	38%	23%	40%	50%	47%	2%	29%	31%	37%	40%	47%	41%	31%	27%	32%	37%	40%
Don't know/No opinion	4%	4%	1%	6%	3%	4%	3%	4%	5%	3%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	4%	0%	1%	4%	5%	3%	5%	5%	5%	5%	3%	1%

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Q17. Kirsten Gillibrand is running for re-election as United States Senator this year. As things stand now would you vote to re-elect her or would you prefer someone else?																											
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Re-elect Gillibrand	56%	67%	35%	53%	49%	61%	62%	67%	35%	58%	55%	60%	53%	53%	52%	71%	52%	52%	59%	55%	53%	66%	55%	59%	59%	56%	56%
Prefer someone else	28%	15%	49%	34%	36%	22%	16%	21%	49%	26%	29%	20%	29%	35%	33%	8%	27%	28%	27%	29%	33%	21%	25%	21%	27%	33%	
Don't know/No opinion	16%	18%	16%	13%	15%	17%	22%	11%	16%	17%	16%	20%	17%	12%	15%	21%	21%	20%	14%	16%	14%	14%	19%	20%	17%	11%	
Q18. As things stand now, if the election for State Senate were held today would you vote to re-elect your incumbent Senator or would you prefer someone else?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Re-elect incumbent	50%	59%	36%	47%	46%	54%	56%	55%	41%	55%	49%	53%	50%	49%	51%	54%	51%	42%	53%	53%	56%	53%	45%	50%	50%	51%	53%
Prefer someone else	30%	19%	50%	33%	38%	24%	19%	29%	43%	34%	28%	25%	30%	35%	31%	18%	37%	40%	29%	27%	27%	25%	34%	28%	27%	32%	31%
Vol: No incumbent	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
Don't know/No opinion	19%	22%	13%	19%	16%	22%	24%	15%	17%	10%	23%	22%	19%	16%	17%	27%	12%	18%	17%	20%	16%	21%	21%	22%	23%	17%	16%
Q19. Republicans currently control the State Senate by a 33 to 29 majority. Looking at this year's election, which would you prefer to see: [CHOICES ROTATED]																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
The Republicans continue to control the State Senate	37%	13%	80%	45%	43%	32%	9%	36%	67%	32%	39%	24%	40%	49%	46%	8%	32%	28%	39%	39%	46%	36%	37%	20%	34%	33%	44%
The Democrats win control of the Senate	57%	83%	16%	48%	50%	63%	89%	58%	27%	64%	55%	71%	54%	45%	48%	88%	63%	68%	55%	54%	46%	61%	57%	76%	60%	59%	54%
Don't know/No opinion	6%	5%	4%	7%	7%	5%	3%	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	6%	6%	4%	5%	4%	6%	7%	7%	3%	6%	4%	6%	8%	2%
Q20. How would you describe the fiscal condition of New York State right now? Would you describe it as excellent, good, fair, or poor?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Excellent	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	2%	3%	0%	1%	0%	7%	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	4%	0%	3%	1%	0%
Good	19%	22%	11%	19%	17%	20%	18%	23%	14%	14%	21%	25%	16%	14%	17%	24%	17%	10%	17%	25%	17%	16%	23%	18%	21%	17%	16%
Fair	49%	53%	41%	49%	52%	47%	56%	50%	41%	56%	46%	51%	54%	43%	48%	52%	58%	50%	45%	51%	48%	50%	47%	55%	42%	52%	53%
Poor	31%	22%	48%	31%	30%	31%	24%	26%	43%	29%	31%	20%	30%	42%	34%	17%	22%	39%	36%	22%	34%	31%	26%	27%	33%	29%	30%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
Q21. The State Department of Environmental Conservation is expected to soon issue a decision on whether or not to allow hydrofracking - that is, the proposed method to recover natural gas from parts of upstate New York - to move forward. How much have you heard or read about it - a great deal, some, not very much, nothing at all?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
A great deal	28%	26%	33%	30%	37%	21%	29%	27%	30%	23%	30%	20%	22%	41%	32%	15%	19%	25%	28%	30%	29%	30%	25%	32%	25%	23%	37%
Some	35%	30%	39%	41%	34%	36%	35%	38%	33%	44%	32%	30%	33%	42%	41%	16%	24%	30%	35%	37%	34%	40%	35%	33%	26%	40%	42%
Not very much	22%	24%	19%	16%	17%	25%	18%	20%	26%	14%	24%	29%	24%	11%	16%	40%	29%	20%	21%	22%	22%	16%	21%	21%	30%	23%	10%
Nothing at all	15%	19%	9%	12%	11%	18%	17%	15%	12%	18%	14%	19%	21%	6%	11%	26%	26%	24%	15%	11%	14%	14%	18%	13%	18%	14%	11%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	2%	2%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%

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Q22. Do you support or oppose the Department of Environmental Conservation allowing hydrofracking to move forward in parts of upstate New York?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	>\$100K
Support	39%	30%	50%	42%	47%	32%	24%	38%	53%	35%	39%	39%	41%	36%	40%	38%	38%	35%	39%	41%	41%	49%	41%	26%	34%	38%	44%
Oppose	38%	41%	33%	39%	36%	40%	53%	37%	26%	41%	37%	30%	37%	48%	42%	22%	34%	43%	39%	35%	37%	36%	33%	49%	34%	39%	44%
Don't have enough information	20%	25%	15%	15%	15%	23%	18%	22%	18%	21%	19%	26%	20%	14%	15%	37%	23%	20%	20%	20%	18%	11%	25%	20%	27%	21%	10%
Don't know/No opinion	3%	4%	2%	4%	1%	5%	5%	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	2%	5%	4%	4%	1%	5%	5%	2%	2%

Q23. Do you support or oppose increasing the minimum wage in New York from the current \$7.25 per hour to \$8.50 per hour?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	>\$100K
Support	80%	93%	65%	71%	73%	86%	93%	81%	65%	85%	79%	88%	77%	75%	77%	95%	79%	83%	80%	80%	74%	84%	82%	87%	86%	79%	77%
Oppose	17%	6%	32%	26%	25%	12%	5%	17%	32%	13%	19%	11%	19%	23%	21%	4%	21%	16%	16%	19%	22%	14%	16%	12%	13%	18%	18%
Don't have enough information	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	0%	0%	2%	0%	3%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	3%

Q24. Do you support or oppose creating a system of public campaign financing in New York that would limit the size of political contributions to candidates and use state money to match smaller contributions made to candidates for state offices?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	>\$100K
Support	55%	58%	48%	57%	62%	49%	64%	58%	43%	53%	55%	56%	59%	50%	55%	54%	53%	51%	59%	54%	55%	58%	45%	64%	44%	53%	67%
Oppose	31%	27%	37%	34%	31%	32%	20%	33%	42%	34%	30%	28%	30%	36%	31%	31%	40%	35%	29%	32%	32%	31%	39%	22%	36%	31%	28%
Don't have enough information	9%	9%	8%	7%	5%	12%	11%	5%	8%	7%	9%	9%	8%	9%	8%	9%	3%	10%	8%	8%	8%	6%	11%	10%	13%	12%	1%
Don't know/No opinion	5%	5%	7%	2%	2%	7%	5%	4%	6%	6%	5%	6%	3%	5%	5%	6%	4%	4%	3%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	5%	3%

Q25. Do you support or oppose passing an amendment to the state constitution to allow non-Indian, Las Vegas style casinos to be built in New York?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	>\$100K
Support	52%	50%	52%	57%	55%	50%	46%	60%	50%	53%	52%	52%	59%	49%	53%	55%	47%	53%	50%	53%	61%	57%	44%	45%	47%	59%	51%
Oppose	38%	41%	42%	30%	35%	41%	42%	32%	42%	42%	37%	35%	34%	45%	38%	35%	46%	36%	42%	38%	34%	37%	47%	36%	40%	36%	42%
Don't have enough information	5%	5%	3%	6%	6%	4%	7%	4%	3%	3%	5%	7%	2%	4%	5%	4%	0%	6%	4%	4%	2%	3%	4%	11%	6%	3%	4%
Don't know/No opinion	4%	4%	4%	7%	4%	5%	5%	4%	5%	2%	5%	6%	5%	2%	4%	6%	7%	5%	4%	5%	3%	3%	4%	8%	6%	3%	4%

Q26. Looking ahead to the upcoming presidential election, if the election for President was held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were: [CHOICES ROTATED]																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	>\$100K
Barack Obama on the Democratic line	62%	85%	24%	50%	55%	67%	91%	65%	29%	67%	60%	75%	59%	50%	52%	97%	71%	72%	61%	57%	52%	58%	66%	74%	67%	62%	60%
Mitt Romney on the Republican line	33%	12%	67%	42%	37%	30%	4%	30%	65%	29%	34%	21%	37%	43%	42%	1%	21%	24%	34%	36%	42%	42%	28%	20%	28%	32%	39%
Don't know/Refused	5%	3%	8%	7%	8%	3%	5%	5%	6%	4%	6%	4%	4%	8%	6%	2%	8%	3%	5%	7%	6%	0%	6%	6%	5%	6%	2%

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Q27. Did Mitt Romney's selection of Congressman Paul Ryan to be his Vice Presidential running mate make you more likely to support Romney, less likely to support Romney, or did it have no effect on your support of Romney?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
More likely	16%	7%	25%	24%	16%	15%	2%	16%	28%	14%	16%	10%	18%	21%	20%	2%	13%	6%	17%	20%	22%	12%	15%	8%	13%	17%	17%
Less likely	21%	28%	9%	20%	21%	22%	25%	25%	13%	21%	21%	25%	21%	18%	20%	22%	25%	21%	19%	24%	20%	29%	20%	21%	19%	19%	28%
No effect	62%	64%	64%	56%	62%	61%	71%	57%	57%	64%	61%	64%	60%	60%	59%	75%	60%	73%	63%	55%	55%	59%	64%	70%	67%	61%	55%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%

Q28. And if the election for U.S. Senator was held today who would you vote for if the candidates were: [CHOICES ROTATED]																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Kirsten Gillibrand on the Democratic line	65%	84%	34%	59%	56%	71%	83%	72%	39%	71%	63%	72%	59%	61%	61%	83%	48%	61%	68%	65%	60%	72%	67%	70%	71%	69%	59%
Wendy Long on the Republican line	22%	4%	52%	29%	31%	16%	4%	18%	47%	21%	23%	17%	28%	25%	27%	6%	33%	19%	23%	24%	29%	19%	21%	14%	15%	19%	31%
Don't know/Refused	13%	12%	14%	12%	13%	13%	13%	10%	13%	8%	14%	11%	13%	14%	12%	11%	19%	20%	9%	11%	11%	9%	12%	16%	14%	12%	10%

Q29. Looking at the issue of health care and the Federal health care legislation enacted two years ago, which of the following two choices is closest to your point of view: [CHOICES ROTATED]																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Although it may not go far enough, I'd like to see the health care reform legislation fully implemented as soon as	59%	81%	24%	53%	53%	64%	85%	65%	26%	62%	59%	69%	59%	50%	51%	89%	60%	63%	63%	54%	49%	62%	62%	71%	61%	60%	58%
I'm in favor of repealing the health care reform legislation	36%	16%	69%	42%	45%	29%	11%	30%	68%	34%	37%	26%	38%	45%	44%	6%	36%	34%	34%	39%	46%	36%	33%	25%	32%	37%	40%
Refused	5%	3%	7%	5%	2%	7%	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%	4%	2%	3%	7%	5%	2%	5%	3%	6%	3%	3%

Q30. President Obama has proposed eliminating the income tax cuts passed during the Bush Administration for taxpayers earning more than \$250,000. Would you like to see those tax cuts eliminated or are you in favor of keeping those tax cuts in place?																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Eliminated	58%	72%	35%	53%	56%	60%	78%	62%	34%	70%	54%	59%	60%	56%	58%	61%	52%	60%	63%	53%	54%	57%	58%	68%	53%	58%	66%
Keep tax cuts	37%	24%	57%	44%	42%	33%	17%	34%	61%	28%	40%	37%	32%	40%	38%	31%	41%	35%	33%	41%	42%	39%	37%	23%	37%	38%	33%
Don't know/No opinion	5%	5%	7%	2%	3%	7%	5%	3%	5%	2%	6%	4%	8%	4%	3%	8%	7%	5%	5%	6%	4%	4%	5%	8%	10%	4%	1%

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<b>Nature of the Sample</b>	
<b>New York State Likely Voters</b>	
<b>Party</b>	
Democrat	49%
Republican	24%
Independent/Other	24%
<b>Region</b>	
NYC	39%
Suburbs	25%
Upstate	37%
<b>Political View</b>	
Liberal	29%
Moderate	38%
Conservative	29%
<b>Union Household</b>	
Yes	27%
No	72%
<b>Religion</b>	
Catholic	39%
Jewish	9%
Protestant	29%
Other	20%
<b>Age</b>	
18 to 34	20%
35 to 54	38%
55 and older	38%
<b>Gender</b>	
Male	45%
Female	55%
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>	
White	70%
African American/Black	16%
Latino	7%
<b>Income</b>	
Less than \$50,000	30%
\$50,000 to \$100,000	32%
\$100,000 or more	29%