

Siena College Research Institute
November 26-29, 2012
822 New York State Registered Voters
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Q1. Is New York State on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																											
	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+
Right track	55%	69%	35%	51%	55%	55%	66%	59%	39%	52%	57%	63%	60%	45%	49%	76%	60%	58%	53%	57%	48%	61%	55%	61%	53%	55%	61%
Wrong direction	32%	16%	53%	39%	32%	31%	19%	29%	50%	37%	29%	23%	30%	42%	37%	10%	26%	26%	36%	29%	41%	24%	31%	23%	29%	33%	31%
Don't know/No opinion	13%	15%	12%	10%	13%	14%	14%	12%	11%	11%	14%	14%	11%	14%	13%	14%	14%	16%	11%	15%	11%	15%	14%	15%	18%	12%	8%
Q2. Is the United States on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																											
	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+
Right track	50%	68%	23%	43%	50%	50%	73%	53%	24%	49%	50%	60%	47%	41%	42%	83%	58%	55%	52%	46%	40%	43%	51%	66%	52%	48%	53%
Wrong direction	43%	23%	71%	51%	44%	42%	20%	40%	69%	43%	43%	31%	48%	51%	51%	9%	36%	40%	41%	44%	53%	48%	40%	28%	39%	44%	43%
Don't know/No opinion	8%	8%	6%	6%	6%	8%	7%	7%	6%	8%	7%	9%	5%	7%	7%	8%	6%	5%	7%	10%	7%	9%	8%	6%	9%	8%	4%
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. [Q3-Q15 Rotated]																											
Q3. Andrew Cuomo																											
	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+
Favorable	72%	76%	66%	70%	73%	71%	76%	76%	62%	71%	72%	73%	76%	68%	72%	77%	59%	63%	74%	77%	74%	70%	69%	72%	71%	73%	74%
Unfavorable	21%	16%	30%	22%	21%	22%	13%	19%	34%	24%	20%	18%	20%	26%	23%	14%	19%	22%	21%	19%	23%	20%	22%	19%	19%	21%	21%
Don't know/No opinion	7%	7%	5%	8%	6%	8%	11%	5%	5%	5%	7%	9%	4%	6%	5%	9%	22%	16%	5%	4%	3%	10%	10%	9%	11%	6%	5%
Q4. Barack Obama																											
	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+
Favorable	62%	85%	22%	58%	59%	65%	87%	69%	31%	64%	62%	72%	56%	57%	54%	97%	82%	68%	61%	62%	53%	53%	61%	81%	68%	58%	63%
Unfavorable	36%	13%	75%	42%	39%	33%	13%	29%	68%	34%	37%	25%	44%	41%	44%	2%	18%	32%	37%	36%	45%	45%	38%	17%	29%	41%	35%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	2%	3%	0%	2%	2%	0%	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%	0%	2%	2%	1%	0%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	1%
Q5. Kirsten Gillibrand																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
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Favorable	61%	72%	47%	55%	56%	65%	75%	65%	43%	66%	59%	58%	57%	67%	64%	57%	39%	54%	62%	64%	59%	65%	55%	69%	59%	63%	64%
Unfavorable	18%	9%	33%	19%	22%	14%	6%	14%	34%	16%	18%	13%	21%	20%	21%	11%	5%	10%	18%	20%	24%	18%	17%	11%	15%	17%	21%
Don't know/No opinion	22%	19%	20%	26%	22%	21%	19%	21%	23%	18%	23%	30%	22%	13%	16%	32%	56%	36%	20%	16%	17%	18%	28%	21%	26%	20%	16%
Q6. Charles Schumer																											
	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+
Favorable	65%	77%	49%	60%	62%	67%	76%	71%	46%	68%	64%	69%	56%	66%	65%	75%	49%	55%	65%	71%	66%	72%	62%	66%	63%	67%	68%
Unfavorable	24%	12%	43%	27%	30%	19%	12%	20%	45%	25%	24%	20%	28%	26%	27%	13%	15%	22%	28%	21%	27%	19%	26%	20%	22%	26%	25%
Don't know/No opinion	11%	11%	8%	12%	8%	13%	13%	9%	9%	7%	12%	10%	16%	8%	8%	12%	35%	23%	7%	8%	7%	9%	12%	15%	15%	7%	7%

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Q7. Sheldon Silver																											
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Favorable	24%	31%	12%	23%	25%	24%	29%	25%	17%	23%	25%	32%	17%	22%	22%	36%	21%	27%	23%	23%	18%	37%	25%	28%	28%	23%	24%
Unfavorable	34%	28%	45%	35%	39%	30%	25%	33%	47%	38%	33%	31%	30%	40%	38%	26%	21%	15%	35%	43%	45%	30%	31%	24%	26%	39%	38%
Don't know/No opinion	42%	41%	44%	42%	36%	44%	46%	41%	36%	39%	42%	37%	53%	39%	40%	39%	57%	58%	42%	34%	37%	33%	44%	48%	46%	38%	38%
Q8. Dean Skelos																											
	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+
Favorable	16%	17%	16%	14%	18%	14%	13%	16%	19%	13%	17%	9%	20%	19%	17%	11%	15%	21%	17%	11%	18%	17%	10%	16%	15%	13%	19%
Unfavorable	18%	17%	13%	22%	17%	19%	18%	18%	17%	19%	18%	20%	12%	19%	19%	19%	11%	15%	17%	19%	22%	16%	16%	16%	17%	20%	19%
Don't know/No opinion	67%	66%	71%	64%	66%	67%	69%	66%	64%	69%	65%	70%	68%	62%	64%	70%	74%	63%	66%	70%	60%	67%	74%	68%	68%	67%	62%
Q9. New York State Assembly																											
	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+
Favorable	41%	48%	32%	36%	36%	45%	38%	49%	34%	37%	43%	46%	38%	37%	37%	59%	47%	52%	41%	35%	43%	38%	42%	37%	42%	43%	38%
Unfavorable	40%	34%	48%	43%	48%	33%	40%	33%	49%	48%	37%	35%	38%	45%	44%	28%	27%	21%	46%	45%	43%	33%	42%	38%	32%	44%	48%
Don't know/No opinion	19%	19%	20%	21%	16%	22%	22%	18%	17%	16%	20%	19%	23%	17%	19%	13%	26%	27%	13%	20%	13%	29%	17%	25%	26%	13%	15%
Q10. New York State Senate																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
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Favorable	45%	52%	40%	40%	43%	47%	42%	49%	45%	41%	47%	50%	43%	41%	40%	62%	65%	58%	47%	38%	50%	41%	43%	43%	48%	47%	41%
Unfavorable	41%	34%	48%	48%	47%	37%	40%	42%	43%	48%	38%	37%	40%	47%	46%	28%	28%	26%	44%	46%	40%	36%	46%	42%	36%	43%	49%
Don't know/No opinion	14%	14%	13%	12%	11%	16%	18%	9%	12%	11%	14%	13%	17%	12%	14%	10%	7%	16%	9%	16%	10%	23%	11%	15%	16%	10%	10%
Q11. Tom DiNapoli																											
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
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Favorable	26%	24%	34%	22%	31%	21%	23%	27%	30%	30%	24%	17%	29%	32%	28%	21%	18%	26%	25%	27%	36%	16%	19%	22%	23%	26%	29%
Unfavorable	18%	17%	18%	18%	15%	21%	13%	19%	22%	21%	17%	17%	16%	21%	18%	21%	18%	18%	21%	15%	21%	18%	18%	17%	19%	20%	16%
Don't know/No opinion	56%	60%	48%	60%	54%	58%	64%	55%	48%	49%	59%	65%	55%	47%	54%	58%	64%	56%	55%	59%	43%	66%	64%	61%	57%	54%	55%
Q12. Eric Schneiderman																											
	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+
Favorable	21%	27%	15%	16%	22%	21%	24%	24%	17%	22%	21%	24%	22%	19%	20%	28%	22%	16%	21%	25%	22%	29%	20%	20%	23%	17%	25%
Unfavorable	15%	13%	19%	15%	14%	16%	9%	15%	22%	16%	15%	13%	12%	20%	16%	13%	15%	15%	15%	22%	6%	16%	10%	15%	15%	14%	
Don't know/No opinion	63%	60%	66%	69%	63%	63%	67%	61%	61%	62%	64%	64%	66%	61%	63%	59%	63%	70%	63%	61%	57%	66%	64%	70%	61%	67%	60%

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Q13. Michael Bloomberg																											
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Favorable	55%	59%	53%	48%	55%	55%	64%	58%	44%	53%	56%	56%	68%	47%	56%	49%	60%	54%	57%	54%	52%	65%	55%	58%	50%	55%	61%
Unfavorable	35%	32%	37%	40%	37%	33%	25%	32%	48%	39%	33%	40%	26%	36%	34%	43%	29%	38%	34%	35%	38%	34%	30%	34%	37%	34%	33%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	9%	11%	12%	8%	11%	11%	10%	8%	8%	11%	4%	6%	18%	10%	8%	12%	8%	9%	11%	9%	1%	15%	8%	13%	11%	6%
Q14. Chris Christie																											
	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+
Favorable	63%	61%	67%	64%	62%	65%	58%	60%	73%	65%	63%	67%	79%	50%	64%	58%	58%	57%	64%	66%	69%	66%	62%	56%	55%	68%	67%
Unfavorable	18%	22%	14%	14%	20%	17%	24%	18%	15%	18%	19%	20%	13%	19%	17%	28%	22%	20%	20%	16%	17%	23%	15%	22%	20%	14%	23%
Don't know/No opinion	18%	17%	19%	22%	18%	18%	18%	22%	11%	17%	19%	12%	8%	31%	19%	15%	20%	23%	16%	18%	14%	11%	23%	22%	25%	18%	10%
Q15. Hillary Clinton																											
	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+
Favorable	75%	90%	50%	70%	69%	80%	93%	78%	55%	74%	75%	81%	70%	71%	69%	94%	87%	80%	71%	76%	73%	65%	73%	84%	79%	69%	75%
Unfavorable	23%	9%	48%	26%	29%	18%	5%	19%	43%	25%	22%	17%	28%	26%	28%	5%	11%	15%	28%	22%	26%	33%	25%	14%	18%	30%	23%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	5%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	
Q16. I know it's a long way off, but if Andrew Cuomo runs for re-election as Governor, 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		
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Re-elect Cuomo	62%	71%	49%	58%	62%	62%	73%	68%	45%	63%	62%	67%	62%	57%	61%	71%	54%	52%	66%	67%	61%	62%	62%	65%	61%	61%	69%
Prefer someone else	29%	21%	39%	33%	30%	28%	18%	27%	44%	28%	28%	23%	29%	34%	30%	22%	27%	35%	26%	26%	32%	25%	29%	25%	27%	32%	26%
Don't know/No opinion	9%	8%	12%	9%	8%	10%	9%	5%	11%	9%	9%	10%	9%	9%	8%	6%	19%	13%	8%	7%	7%	13%	10%	10%	11%	8%	5%
Q17. 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	15%	20%	8%	12%	16%	14%	22%	12%	9%	14%	15%	21%	13%	10%	14%	17%	19%	9%	15%	18%	14%	23%	11%	17%	12%	15%	17%
Good	45%	47%	39%	46%	45%	45%	41%	54%	38%	46%	45%	45%	51%	42%	46%	50%	32%	39%	45%	51%	48%	40%	45%	43%	46%	44%	46%
Fair	30%	25%	38%	31%	29%	31%	29%	25%	38%	27%	31%	26%	26%	36%	31%	24%	26%	38%	30%	22%	28%	23%	32%	33%	31%	31%	28%
Poor	8%	5%	13%	9%	9%	8%	3%	9%	13%	11%	7%	7%	8%	11%	8%	7%	13%	8%	10%	8%	9%	9%	8%	6%	8%	8%	9%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%	0%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	2%	11%	6%	1%	2%	1%	5%	4%	2%	4%	1%	1%	
Q18. 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		
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Excellent	19%	32%	5%	11%	18%	20%	30%	16%	12%	21%	18%	29%	11%	14%	12%	51%	35%	13%	21%	20%	11%	13%	27%	25%	26%	13%	18%
Good	35%	44%	13%	39%	34%	36%	50%	40%	15%	35%	36%	37%	37%	33%	33%	40%	40%	44%	34%	33%	35%	30%	28%	45%	34%	37%	39%
Fair	19%	15%	31%	16%	19%	20%	9%	26%	18%	20%	19%	15%	20%	23%	23%	7%	10%	24%	19%	18%	21%	21%	19%	18%	17%	23%	17%
Poor	25%	9%	52%	32%	28%	23%	10%	16%	54%	24%	26%	18%	31%	30%	31%	2%	15%	18%	26%	28%	33%	34%	25%	11%	22%	26%	26%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%	0%	

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Q19. How would you describe the fiscal condition of New York State right now? Would you describe it as excellent, good, fair, or poor?																											
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Excellent	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	0%	5%	6%	3%	0%	2%	0%	0%	2%	3%	3%	0%	1%	
Good	18%	25%	8%	17%	19%	18%	25%	18%	14%	18%	23%	18%	14%	15%	32%	19%	20%	17%	19%	15%	20%	19%	22%	18%	18%	20%	
Fair	42%	47%	40%	38%	40%	44%	51%	41%	35%	43%	45%	40%	41%	42%	47%	36%	45%	39%	45%	44%	49%	43%	39%	41%	43%	42%	
Poor	35%	24%	51%	40%	37%	34%	21%	37%	49%	36%	35%	24%	39%	44%	39%	13%	37%	31%	41%	31%	40%	27%	33%	33%	36%	34%	
Don't know/No opinion	2%	2%	1%	4%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%	6%	1%	0%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	4%	4%	3%	2%	3%		

Q40. Switching gears, 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?																											
	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+
A great deal	27%	24%	26%	33%	32%	23%	31%	26%	23%	31%	25%	23%	22%	35%	31%	13%	23%	20%	27%	31%	29%	22%	23%	32%	27%	34%	
Some	36%	32%	45%	39%	38%	34%	37%	36%	39%	38%	36%	25%	41%	44%	41%	21%	20%	34%	35%	37%	37%	40%	36%	31%	31%	42%	
Not very much	20%	23%	17%	17%	17%	22%	16%	23%	18%	19%	20%	25%	19%	14%	16%	31%	29%	24%	18%	18%	22%	20%	18%	19%	24%	12%	
Nothing at all	17%	21%	12%	11%	13%	21%	17%	15%	20%	12%	19%	27%	18%	7%	12%	35%	29%	21%	19%	13%	13%	16%	23%	17%	14%	12%	
Don't know/No opinion	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	

Q41. Do you support or oppose the Department of Environmental Conservation allowing hydrofracking to move forward in parts of upstate New York?																											
	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+
Support	42%	36%	60%	40%	47%	39%	31%	43%	55%	45%	41%	41%	50%	39%	43%	41%	41%	36%	45%	43%	48%	48%	42%	34%	38%	46%	
Oppose	36%	39%	24%	39%	38%	34%	47%	37%	23%	37%	35%	29%	32%	45%	39%	27%	31%	43%	34%	33%	35%	23%	31%	47%	38%	38%	
Don't have enough information	17%	20%	12%	17%	12%	21%	18%	15%	19%	15%	18%	24%	15%	11%	14%	25%	19%	15%	17%	17%	14%	21%	19%	15%	14%	13%	
Don't know/No opinion	5%	5%	5%	4%	3%	6%	4%	5%	4%	3%	5%	6%	3%	5%	4%	7%	9%	6%	3%	6%	3%	7%	8%	4%	3%		

Q42. As a result of the recent elections, the New York State Senate is closely divided between Democrats and Republicans, putting in doubt which political party will control the State Senate in January. At least one senator has said that he will vote for control of the Senate to go to the opposite party from which he was elected. Regardless of what party, if any, you belong to, do you think senators should absolutely vote for their party to be in control of the Senate, or do you think it's OK for senators to switch allegiance and vote for the opposite party to control the Senate?																											
	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+
Senators should absolutely vote for their party to be in control of the Senate	28%	29%	26%	25%	26%	29%	28%	26%	31%	27%	29%	30%	27%	25%	28%	29%	32%	26%	31%	26%	30%	32%	28%	24%	28%	28%	
It's OK for senators to switch allegiance and vote for the opposite party to control the Senate	65%	61%	68%	70%	69%	61%	67%	65%	63%	65%	64%	59%	67%	69%	66%	60%	62%	71%	62%	63%	64%	60%	63%	69%	60%	68%	
Don't know/No opinion	8%	10%	6%	5%	4%	10%	4%	10%	6%	8%	7%	11%	6%	6%	6%	11%	6%	2%	7%	10%	7%	8%	9%	7%	4%		

Q43. Do you think it's in the best interests of New Yorkers for Governor Cuomo to get involved in trying to help one party or the other gain control of the State Senate?																											
	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+
Yes	30%	37%	22%	28%	33%	28%	46%	28%	20%	28%	32%	38%	29%	24%	27%	40%	46%	38%	28%	30%	25%	30%	29%	40%	27%	35%	
No	60%	50%	71%	64%	60%	59%	43%	62%	73%	65%	58%	48%	66%	67%	64%	51%	41%	55%	64%	58%	68%	58%	60%	49%	56%	59%	
Don't know/No opinion	10%	13%	6%	8%	7%	13%	11%	10%	7%	7%	10%	14%	5%	9%	9%	9%	13%	7%	8%	13%	7%	12%	12%	11%	6%		

Q44. (If think Governor Cuomo should get involved) Do you think Governor Cuomo should help the Republicans maintain control of the State Senate or do you think he should help the Democrats take control of the State Senate?																											
	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+
Republicans	13%	4%	52%	7%	10%	16%	3%	16%	32%	15%	12%	9%	16%	17%	18%	5%	5%	11%	18%	12%	23%	12%	16%	3%	13%	16%	12%
Democrats	68%	86%	21%	64%	69%	67%	84%	63%	41%	69%	67%	74%	65%	61%	65%	80%	64%	75%	67%	63%	60%	74%	58%	82%	74%	67%	69%
Don't know/No opinion	19%	11%	27%	28%	21%	17%	12%	21%	27%	16%	20%	17%	20%	22%	17%	15%	31%	14%	15%	25%	16%	14%	27%	16%	14%	18%	19%

Q45. Looking ahead a few years, would you like to see Hillary Clinton run for President in 2016, or would you prefer she not run for President in 2016?																											
	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+
Run in 2016	54%	69%	26%	49%	47%	59%	69%	58%	34%	55%	53%	60%	47%	52%	48%	74%	60%	58%	53%	52%	52%	49%	54%	57%	57%	52%	54%
Not run in 2016	39%	26%	70%	38%	45%	35%	23%	35%	62%	38%	40%	33%	45%	43%	46%	17%	32%	32%	41%	41%	44%	47%	38%	32%	36%	41%	41%
Don't know/No opinion	7%	5%	4%	13%	8%	6%	8%	7%	3%	7%	7%	7%	8%	6%	6%	9%	8%	10%	6%	7%	4%	3%	8%	11%	7%	7%	5%

Q46. How about Andrew Cuomo, would you like to see Andrew Cuomo run for President in 2016, or would you prefer he not run for President in 2016?																											
	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+
Run in 2016	39%	43%	33%	39%	38%	41%	41%	46%	31%	39%	40%	40%	37%	40%	40%	42%	30%	36%	40%	42%	41%	40%	38%	41%	38%	40%	44%
Not run in 2016	49%	48%	52%	48%	52%	46%	47%	44%	60%	48%	49%	48%	50%	50%	49%	51%	49%	52%	48%	47%	49%	48%	50%	46%	50%	45%	49%
Don't know/No opinion	11%	9%	15%	12%	9%	13%	12%	11%	9%	12%	11%	12%	12%	10%	11%	7%	21%	12%	12%	11%	10%	12%	13%	13%	15%	7%	

Q47. And looking ahead to next year, do you think the national economy will be better, worse or about the same in 2013 as it was in 2012?																											
	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+
Better	39%	55%	20%	31%	43%	37%	56%	39%	22%	41%	39%	47%	39%	33%	35%	60%	52%	41%	37%	41%	34%	44%	39%	46%	38%	42%	39%
Worse	22%	8%	43%	28%	23%	22%	9%	19%	42%	26%	21%	16%	25%	27%	27%	1%	13%	17%	22%	25%	32%	19%	22%	10%	19%	25%	22%
About the same	36%	33%	36%	39%	32%	39%	30%	40%	35%	31%	37%	34%	34%	38%	36%	34%	30%	40%	39%	30%	33%	34%	35%	42%	39%	30%	38%
Don't know/No opinion	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%	5%	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	4%	5%	2%	2%	4%	1%	4%	5%	2%	4%	3%	0%

Q48. How about in New York State, do you think the state economy will be better, worse or about the same in 2013 as it was in 2012?																											
	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+
Better	34%	45%	18%	33%	41%	28%	48%	33%	18%	36%	33%	41%	32%	28%	30%	50%	42%	38%	30%	36%	29%	39%	34%	37%	28%	40%	36%
Worse	21%	10%	35%	26%	20%	22%	12%	18%	34%	25%	19%	14%	21%	27%	24%	8%	17%	17%	22%	20%	25%	16%	21%	15%	19%	23%	20%
About the same	42%	42%	46%	39%	37%	47%	36%	48%	46%	35%	46%	41%	44%	43%	44%	41%	36%	43%	46%	40%	44%	39%	42%	45%	48%	36%	43%
Don't know/No opinion	3%	3%	1%	3%	2%	4%	5%	1%	2%	4%	2%	4%	2%	2%	2%	1%	5%	2%	1%	4%	1%	6%	3%	2%	5%	2%	1%

Q49. Thinking about your personal household finances, do you think your financial situation will be better, worse or about the same in 2013 as it was in 2012?																											
	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+
Better	27%	35%	17%	23%	31%	23%	34%	27%	16%	26%	27%	32%	21%	25%	24%	47%	35%	47%	27%	15%	21%	29%	29%	32%	27%	31%	25%
Worse	18%	11%	28%	23%	17%	19%	13%	16%	28%	18%	18%	16%	20%	20%	21%	7%	11%	11%	21%	20%	23%	20%	18%	10%	16%	21%	18%
About the same	53%	53%	53%	51%	49%	56%	50%	55%	55%	53%	53%	50%	56%	54%	54%	46%	45%	40%	51%	62%	54%	49%	50%	55%	53%	47%	56%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	0%	9%	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	4%	0%	1%

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Q50. And finally, how confident are you that the President and Congress will succeed in negotiating a legislative deal before the end of the year in order to avert the so-called financial cliff? Are you:																											
	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+
Very confident	12%	15%	8%	10%	12%	12%	15%	13%	6%	15%	11%	17%	10%	8%	9%	25%	13%	9%	12%	13%	8%	8%	13%	15%	10%	11%	13%
Somewhat confident	43%	52%	27%	42%	43%	43%	52%	45%	33%	40%	44%	45%	42%	41%	41%	50%	57%	48%	40%	42%	43%	45%	44%	43%	47%	41%	44%
Not very confident	27%	21%	40%	25%	28%	26%	23%	28%	29%	26%	28%	21%	28%	33%	30%	16%	19%	26%	27%	28%	30%	22%	28%	26%	26%	31%	25%
Not at all confident	17%	10%	26%	23%	16%	18%	9%	13%	31%	17%	17%	15%	20%	17%	19%	9%	10%	16%	20%	15%	19%	23%	14%	14%	16%	18%	18%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%

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Nature of the Sample	
New York State Registered Voters	
Party	
Democrat	47%
Republican	23%
Independent/Other	25%
Region	
NYC	38%
Suburbs	24%
Upstate	38%
Political View	
Liberal	27%
Moderate	40%
Conservative	28%
Union Household	
Yes	31%
No	67%
Religion	
Catholic	36%
Jewish	10%
Protestant	25%
Other	25%
Age	
18 to 34	22%
35 to 54	37%
55 and older	37%
Gender	
Male	45%
Female	55%
Race/Ethnicity	
White	72%
African American/Black	13%
Latino	7%
Income	
Less than \$50,000	32%
\$50,000 to \$100,000	29%
\$100,000 or more	26%