

Siena College Research Institute
 January 27-31, 2013
 1,154 New York State Registered Voters, MOE +/- 3.7%
 401 Southern Tier* Registered Voters, MOE +/- 5.3%

Q1. Is New York State on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																													
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Right track	55%	70%	31%	53%	52%	58%	75%	59%	32%	52%	57%	68%	52%	44%	38%	45%	51%	69%	60%	64%	48%	57%	52%	73%	53%	54%	55%	57%	56%
Wrong direction	35%	21%	62%	38%	39%	33%	18%	28%	63%	39%	34%	22%	38%	48%	53%	41%	18%	27%	30%	42%	33%	41%	23%	37%	30%	33%	38%	36%	
Don't know/No opinion	9%	10%	7%	9%	9%	9%	7%	13%	5%	9%	9%	10%	10%	8%	9%	8%	13%	13%	6%	10%	10%	7%	3%	9%	15%	12%	5%	8%	
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.																													
Q2. Andrew Cuomo																													
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Favorable	67%	81%	42%	66%	63%	71%	83%	72%	43%	61%	70%	81%	65%	54%	52%	54%	64%	77%	74%	68%	65%	69%	64%	85%	66%	66%	64%	65%	73%
Unfavorable	29%	16%	54%	29%	33%	25%	14%	26%	50%	35%	26%	17%	30%	41%	43%	41%	33%	20%	19%	27%	32%	27%	31%	15%	31%	30%	31%	32%	25%
Don't know/No opinion	4%	3%	4%	5%	4%	4%	3%	3%	7%	3%	4%	2%	5%	5%	5%	4%	3%	7%	6%	3%	4%	5%	0%	3%	4%	6%	3%	2%	
Q3. Barack Obama																													
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Favorable	66%	89%	25%	60%	61%	71%	92%	73%	32%	68%	66%	77%	61%	58%	46%	60%	58%	97%	85%	78%	63%	62%	57%	72%	73%	73%	63%	70%	64%
Unfavorable	32%	9%	74%	37%	37%	28%	7%	24%	67%	31%	32%	20%	37%	41%	52%	39%	41%	2%	12%	20%	35%	36%	43%	27%	25%	23%	34%	29%	35%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	4%	2%	1%	2%	0%	1%	2%	4%	3%	2%	0%	
Q4. New York State Assembly																													
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Favorable	44%	56%	28%	37%	38%	48%	48%	45%	38%	39%	46%	50%	43%	37%	36%	37%	38%	65%	56%	54%	38%	44%	43%	45%	52%	36%	50%	43%	41%
Unfavorable	42%	31%	58%	48%	51%	35%	35%	42%	53%	47%	40%	37%	38%	51%	50%	51%	47%	28%	35%	34%	48%	43%	45%	39%	38%	44%	37%	45%	46%
Don't know/No opinion	14%	13%	13%	16%	11%	16%	18%	13%	9%	14%	14%	13%	19%	12%	14%	12%	14%	7%	9%	12%	15%	13%	12%	16%	10%	20%	13%	12%	13%
Q5. New York State Senate																													
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Favorable	45%	56%	26%	42%	38%	50%	47%	50%	35%	39%	47%	55%	40%	37%	37%	38%	60%	66%	64%	37%	43%	44%	47%	50%	41%	52%	46%	36%	
Unfavorable	46%	36%	64%	50%	54%	40%	41%	42%	60%	53%	43%	37%	47%	55%	53%	55%	52%	33%	30%	31%	54%	47%	47%	43%	43%	48%	40%	48%	52%
Don't know/No opinion	9%	8%	11%	9%	9%	9%	12%	8%	5%	8%	10%	8%	13%	8%	10%	8%	7%	3%	5%	9%	10%	9%	10%	7%	11%	8%	6%	11%	
Q6. The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation – or DEC																													
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Favorable	63%	66%	56%	66%	62%	65%	69%	67%	55%	64%	63%	61%	65%	64%	61%	65%	63%	66%	73%	72%	62%	61%	63%	62%	61%	68%	68%	61%	61%
Unfavorable	18%	14%	28%	16%	18%	17%	12%	15%	28%	17%	18%	14%	15%	23%	28%	22%	19%	11%	17%	10%	18%	18%	14%	23%	13%	18%	21%	15%	
Don't know/No opinion	19%	21%	15%	18%	20%	18%	19%	17%	17%	19%	19%	24%	20%	13%	11%	13%	18%	23%	11%	18%	20%	18%	19%	24%	16%	19%	13%	19%	24%
Q7. National Rifle Association or NRA																													
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Favorable	36%	19%	71%	38%	42%	31%	15%	33%	63%	39%	34%	24%	36%	50%	60%	48%	40%	14%	40%	33%	38%	36%	44%	19%	37%	30%	41%	35%	34%
Unfavorable	58%	76%	23%	56%	54%	61%	81%	61%	30%	55%	60%	69%	60%	44%	37%	45%	54%	80%	56%	56%	58%	59%	50%	80%	58%	63%	53%	58%	64%
Don't know/No opinion	6%	5%	6%	6%	4%	8%	4%	6%	7%	7%	6%	7%	4%	6%	3%	7%	5%	6%	4%	11%	4%	5%	7%	1%	5%	7%	6%	7%	2%

Q8. I know it's a long way off, but if Andrew Cuomo runs for re-election as Governor in 2014, as things stand now, would you vote to re-elect him or would you prefer someone else?																													
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Re-elect Cuomo	56%	69%	34%	52%	53%	59%	70%	59%	37%	49%	59%	65%	56%	47%	40%	48%	53%	62%	60%	55%	54%	59%	53%	72%	57%	53%	54%	49%	65%
Prefer someone else	36%	23%	61%	35%	39%	33%	22%	32%	56%	41%	33%	28%	33%	46%	53%	45%	38%	31%	35%	37%	33%	38%	20%	36%	38%	38%	40%	31%	
Don't know/No opinion	8%	7%	5%	13%	9%	8%	8%	9%	6%	10%	8%	8%	11%	7%	7%	9%	7%	5%	8%	8%	8%	9%	9%	7%	9%	8%	11%	4%	
Q9. How would you rate the job that Andrew Cuomo is doing as Governor? Would you rate it excellent, good, fair, or poor?																													
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Excellent	16%	19%	9%	14%	15%	16%	21%	14%	11%	13%	16%	19%	17%	11%	8%	11%	15%	13%	20%	12%	12%	20%	15%	27%	15%	10%	16%	13%	15%
Good	42%	52%	26%	37%	38%	44%	49%	45%	30%	39%	43%	48%	40%	36%	36%	36%	40%	54%	36%	38%	43%	43%	37%	53%	44%	42%	38%	40%	48%
Fair	28%	22%	36%	33%	27%	29%	26%	28%	34%	30%	28%	27%	25%	32%	34%	32%	28%	28%	35%	36%	29%	25%	29%	14%	30%	33%	32%	32%	25%
Poor	13%	6%	27%	15%	18%	9%	4%	13%	24%	17%	12%	5%	16%	21%	21%	21%	16%	3%	10%	13%	15%	11%	17%	5%	11%	13%	13%	15%	12%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	
Q10. 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	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Good	19%	26%	8%	17%	18%	20%	22%	22%	12%	21%	19%	27%	16%	14%	12%	14%	17%	24%	21%	17%	15%	25%	18%	25%	19%	19%	19%	19%	
Fair	44%	50%	35%	40%	40%	46%	51%	48%	33%	39%	46%	51%	43%	37%	32%	37%	42%	54%	45%	57%	40%	39%	45%	52%	40%	42%	44%	47%	41%
Poor	35%	22%	56%	41%	39%	31%	25%	28%	54%	37%	34%	21%	39%	48%	55%	46%	39%	22%	31%	25%	42%	33%	36%	19%	39%	35%	35%	35%	
Don't know/No opinion	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	4%	0%	4%	2%	0%	3%	
Q11. As you may have heard, the State Senate is now closely divided between Republicans and Democrats. In fact, 33 of the 63 state senators are Democrats and only 30 are Republicans. However, six of those 33 Democrats have chosen to join with the 30 Republicans to form a coalition to lead the Senate. Which of the following two statements comes closest to your opinion: [CHOICES ROTATED]																													
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I wish the six Democrats had stayed with the other Democrats to put the Democrats in control of the Senate	39%	60%	8%	28%	33%	44%	66%	37%	15%	41%	38%	48%	35%	32%	22%	33%	34%	62%	47%	41%	38%	39%	28%	58%	42%	46%	36%	46%	36%
I'm glad the six Democrats have partnered with the Republicans because now the Senate is controlled by senators from both parties	56%	35%	89%	63%	60%	52%	29%	58%	82%	52%	57%	47%	58%	63%	71%	62%	61%	36%	51%	55%	57%	55%	67%	39%	54%	46%	60%	50%	57%
Don't know/No opinion	5%	4%	3%	9%	7%	4%	5%	5%	3%	7%	4%	5%	7%	5%	7%	5%	6%	2%	1%	4%	5%	6%	5%	3%	4%	8%	4%	3%	7%
Q12. As you may have heard, New York's Governor and Legislature recently enacted the toughest gun control law in the country. Do you support or oppose the state's new gun law?																													
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Support	65%	82%	33%	62%	59%	70%	88%	68%	36%	61%	67%	82%	61%	50%	40%	51%	59%	87%	75%	63%	64%	66%	61%	80%	65%	64%	63%	68%	64%
Oppose	30%	12%	63%	35%	39%	24%	8%	27%	61%	32%	29%	15%	32%	46%	55%	44%	36%	6%	23%	31%	31%	30%	35%	16%	30%	29%	31%	28%	31%
Don't know/No opinion	5%	6%	4%	3%	3%	6%	5%	5%	4%	7%	4%	3%	7%	5%	5%	5%	5%	7%	1%	7%	5%	4%	4%	4%	5%	7%	5%	3%	6%

Q13. Some have said that the state's new gun law was passed in haste, without enough time for careful review or to gage whether or not there was public support for the new law. They point to the fact that the Governor and Legislature have already admitted that corrections to the new law need to be enacted. Supporters say the law was long overdue and was needed. Which of the following two statements comes closest to your opinion: [CHOICES ROTATED]

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The law was rushed through without adequately considering public opinion and the effect the law would have	42%	24%	72%	47%	49%	36%	19%	40%	70%	45%	40%	27%	41%	59%	66%	57%	46%	20%	37%	41%	42%	41%	45%	23%	44%	42%	44%	39%	40%
The law was needed and while passed quickly was the right thing to do	56%	73%	26%	52%	48%	62%	80%	57%	29%	52%	58%	70%	55%	40%	33%	42%	51%	77%	63%	54%	56%	57%	53%	69%	55%	55%	53%	59%	57%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	4%	1%	1%	3%	3%	0%	5%	2%	1%	2%	8%	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	

Q14. On another issue, 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			Upstate		Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
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Support	48%	45%	52%	50%	51%	45%	47%	52%	44%	55%	45%	55%	46%	48%	45%	49%	41%	49%	47%	50%	47%	53%	54%	44%	39%	42%	54%	48%	
Oppose	42%	43%	41%	39%	40%	44%	41%	40%	46%	38%	44%	43%	40%	43%	42%	43%	42%	48%	40%	43%	41%	41%	38%	37%	44%	48%	46%	38%	43%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	12%	7%	10%	9%	11%	12%	8%	10%	8%	11%	12%	5%	11%	10%	9%	12%	11%	10%	9%	11%	9%	9%	11%	13%	12%	8%	9%	

Q15. While the proposed constitutional amendment would allow for seven casinos to be built in New York, Governor Cuomo has proposed that initially only three casinos - all in upstate New York - be built. Do you support or oppose the Governor's proposal to initially build only three casinos, all upstate?

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Support	51%	54%	43%	53%	52%	50%	52%	57%	42%	47%	52%	49%	54%	50%	46%	51%	43%	61%	54%	51%	49%	51%	53%	53%	47%	47%	53%	51%	
Oppose	42%	37%	52%	42%	42%	43%	39%	37%	52%	46%	41%	42%	40%	44%	46%	44%	43%	50%	34%	41%	42%	43%	44%	36%	41%	46%	47%	40%	43%
Don't know/No opinion	7%	9%	5%	5%	7%	7%	9%	6%	6%	7%	7%	9%	5%	6%	7%	6%	8%	5%	5%	7%	7%	5%	11%	7%	7%	6%	7%	6%	

Q16. 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, or nothing at all?

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A great deal	26%	21%	29%	33%	35%	19%	28%	24%	27%	30%	24%	19%	22%	36%	58%	32%	31%	13%	14%	12%	27%	31%	23%	26%	22%	33%	22%	26%	29%
Some	34%	33%	39%	34%	36%	32%	37%	34%	34%	35%	34%	29%	35%	40%	32%	41%	38%	22%	20%	28%	35%	38%	32%	34%	38%	36%	32%	37%	37%
Not very much	22%	27%	17%	19%	16%	27%	21%	23%	20%	18%	24%	28%	20%	18%	9%	19%	17%	36%	45%	32%	21%	17%	23%	21%	23%	19%	30%	23%	15%
Nothing at all	18%	20%	14%	15%	12%	22%	13%	18%	19%	17%	18%	24%	23%	7%	1%	8%	14%	30%	21%	28%	17%	13%	22%	20%	17%	12%	16%	14%	19%
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%	0%	0%

Q17. Do you support or oppose the Department of Environmental Conservation allowing hydrofracking to move forward in parts of upstate New York?

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Support	40%	27%	62%	43%	45%	35%	25%	37%	59%	37%	41%	36%	40%	43%	47%	42%	41%	33%	35%	41%	43%	36%	45%	38%	41%	32%	40%	41%	42%
Oppose	40%	49%	21%	43%	42%	39%	56%	41%	25%	44%	39%	40%	39%	42%	48%	41%	42%	32%	40%	41%	36%	43%	32%	40%	41%	52%	38%	40%	42%
Vol: Don't have enough information	16%	18%	14%	12%	10%	21%	14%	17%	14%	16%	16%	19%	17%	11%	3%	13%	13%	29%	22%	13%	17%	16%	20%	12%	14%	12%	19%	16%	10%
Don't know/No opinion	4%	5%	3%	3%	3%	5%	4%	5%	3%	3%	5%	5%	4%	4%	2%	4%	4%	7%	3%	5%	4%	4%	3%	9%	5%	3%	3%	3%	6%

Q18. (If oppose allowing hydrofracking) How upset would you be if DEC allowed hydrofracking to move forward in parts of upstate New York? Would you be very upset, somewhat upset, not very upset, or not upset at all?

	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Upstate		Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upstate	Southern Tier	Upst not Southern Tier	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Very upset	54%	53%	45%	60%	52%	55%	54%	54%	49%	61%	50%	53%	46%	60%	69%	58%	58%	37%	39%	29%	61%	58%	50%	62%	49%	57%	49%	51%	61%
Somewhat upset	34%	34%	47%	27%	34%	33%	40%	33%	26%	27%	38%	28%	41%	35%	27%	36%	36%	31%	31%	43%	30%	34%	37%	31%	34%	33%	31%	39%	36%
Not very upset	7%	8%	3%	8%	8%	7%	3%	10%	8%	5%	8%	8%	11%	5%	3%	5%	4%	16%	16%	19%	4%	4%	9%	3%	8%	6%	10%	7%	1%
Not upset at all	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	4%	2%	3%	14%	7%	3%	9%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	17%	14%	9%	4%	3%	3%	0%	8%	4%	10%	1%	1%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%	1%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	3%	2%	0%	0%	1%	0%

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Q19. (If support hydrofracking) How upset would you be if DEC did not allow hydrofracking to move forward in parts of upstate New York? Would you be very upset, somewhat upset, not very upset, or not upset at all?																													
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Upstate		Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upstate	Southern Tier	Upst not Southern Tier	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Very upset	20%	8%	31%	21%	26%	13%	6%	15%	32%	13%	22%	13%	23%	23%	30%	22%	23%	7%	21%	11%	17%	30%	21%	16%	24%	14%	16%	25%	17%
Somewhat upset	39%	39%	42%	36%	38%	40%	41%	41%	36%	40%	38%	36%	40%	41%	38%	42%	41%	28%	42%	36%	43%	36%	43%	33%	33%	40%	39%	37%	42%
Not very upset	24%	30%	16%	24%	22%	25%	30%	27%	18%	19%	25%	32%	16%	21%	25%	21%	21%	33%	27%	26%	22%	23%	23%	24%	23%	24%	27%	18%	
Not upset at all	17%	23%	11%	17%	13%	21%	22%	16%	13%	25%	13%	17%	20%	14%	7%	15%	15%	32%	8%	27%	17%	11%	14%	15%	18%	22%	21%	9%	23%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	1%	0%	4%	0%	2%	0%	2%	0%
I'm going to read you some statements that have been made about hydrofracking and I'd like you to tell me whether you completely agree with that statement, somewhat agree with it, neither agree nor disagree, disagree somewhat, or completely disagree with that statement. If you do not have enough information in order to say, simply tell me you don't know.																													
Q20. Hydrofracking is too dangerous as it leads to unsafe levels of methane gas being released																													
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Upstate		Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upstate	Southern Tier	Upst not Southern Tier	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Completely agree	23%	28%	12%	24%	22%	24%	32%	22%	15%	27%	21%	23%	21%	24%	32%	22%	24%	18%	21%	18%	25%	24%	17%	28%	20%	33%	24%	20%	26%
Somewhat agree	18%	21%	14%	17%	20%	17%	20%	20%	13%	21%	17%	19%	20%	17%	18%	17%	18%	23%	17%	22%	17%	18%	15%	21%	19%	22%	16%	20%	18%
Neither agree nor disagree	9%	7%	8%	15%	9%	10%	9%	8%	11%	9%	9%	8%	8%	12%	6%	13%	9%	9%	7%	17%	8%	6%	8%	12%	13%	6%	9%	11%	10%
Somewhat disagree	11%	8%	19%	10%	15%	8%	6%	13%	14%	7%	13%	13%	8%	12%	15%	11%	11%	7%	15%	9%	11%	11%	12%	8%	9%	13%	10%	9%	12%
Completely disagree	9%	4%	17%	11%	13%	6%	2%	7%	21%	8%	10%	6%	9%	13%	19%	12%	11%	3%	6%	5%	11%	10%	12%	6%	11%	4%	7%	12%	8%
Don't know/No opinion	29%	32%	29%	23%	21%	36%	31%	30%	26%	29%	30%	32%	34%	23%	11%	25%	26%	41%	34%	29%	28%	30%	36%	26%	29%	22%	33%	29%	26%
Q21. Hydrofracking is the only way to obtain the abundant supply of natural gas that is currently inaccessible																													
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Upstate		Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upstate	Southern Tier	Upst not Southern Tier	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Completely agree	9%	5%	14%	13%	13%	6%	6%	8%	13%	10%	9%	8%	8%	12%	13%	11%	10%	6%	11%	6%	11%	10%	9%	7%	10%	10%	9%	12%	6%
Somewhat agree	19%	15%	30%	19%	25%	15%	13%	20%	27%	17%	21%	18%	19%	22%	21%	22%	20%	10%	21%	23%	17%	19%	21%	16%	20%	18%	21%	16%	20%
Neither agree nor disagree	9%	10%	6%	10%	7%	10%	9%	8%	8%	9%	8%	11%	6%	7%	10%	7%	8%	10%	9%	10%	9%	8%	9%	11%	9%	7%	8%	9%	10%
Somewhat disagree	15%	18%	10%	16%	16%	15%	20%	17%	11%	15%	15%	16%	17%	14%	18%	13%	16%	13%	15%	17%	14%	16%	15%	18%	14%	16%	14%	16%	17%
Completely disagree	16%	19%	11%	16%	16%	16%	18%	15%	14%	17%	16%	16%	11%	20%	19%	20%	17%	15%	17%	11%	17%	15%	15%	21%	15%	17%	18%	15%	16%
Don't know/No opinion	31%	34%	28%	26%	23%	37%	35%	31%	27%	32%	31%	31%	38%	26%	18%	27%	29%	46%	27%	33%	32%	30%	32%	26%	32%	30%	31%	31%	31%
Q22. Hydrofracking runs the unacceptable risk of contaminating drinking water																													
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Upstate		Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upstate	Southern Tier	Upst not Southern Tier	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
Completely agree	29%	36%	16%	30%	31%	28%	39%	29%	19%	32%	28%	31%	26%	31%	36%	30%	30%	22%	32%	26%	29%	31%	22%	30%	28%	42%	30%	27%	32%
Somewhat agree	20%	21%	19%	19%	19%	20%	21%	23%	14%	22%	19%	18%	24%	19%	22%	18%	20%	27%	14%	21%	23%	16%	20%	21%	20%	19%	18%	21%	19%
Neither agree nor disagree	8%	6%	9%	11%	8%	8%	6%	8%	8%	6%	9%	8%	6%	10%	5%	10%	8%	8%	5%	13%	7%	5%	8%	9%	8%	6%	6%	10%	9%
Somewhat disagree	9%	5%	17%	8%	11%	7%	8%	8%	14%	7%	9%	7%	9%	11%	10%	12%	10%	3%	6%	5%	9%	11%	9%	7%	10%	8%	8%	7%	11%
Completely disagree	9%	5%	13%	11%	12%	6%	1%	7%	21%	7%	10%	8%	10%	9%	16%	8%	10%	3%	10%	6%	9%	11%	11%	9%	10%	5%	10%	10%	6%
Don't know/No opinion	25%	27%	26%	22%	18%	31%	26%	26%	24%	26%	25%	29%	27%	20%	10%	22%	22%	37%	33%	29%	22%	27%	29%	24%	25%	20%	28%	25%	22%
Q23. Hydrofracking would be an economic benefit to local communities in the Southern Tier through increased business activity and tax revenues																													
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Upstate		Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
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Completely agree	25%	16%	41%	30%	35%	18%	18%	23%	39%	29%	24%	24%	23%	29%	34%	28%	28%	15%	30%	20%	32%	24%	28%	30%	25%	22%	20%	27%	33%
Somewhat agree	30%	30%	33%	29%	30%	31%	30%	32%	28%	31%	30%	25%	33%	35%	28%	36%	32%	28%	17%	40%	26%	30%	27%	26%	31%	38%	28%	30%	33%
Neither agree nor disagree	6%	8%	5%	5%	4%	8%	5%	9%	4%	5%	7%	6%	5%	5%	5%	6%	6%	9%	6%	9%	6%	6%	6%	5%	9%	5%	6%	8%	6%
Somewhat disagree	9%	12%	6%	8%	9%	10%	16%	9%	6%	8%	10%	11%	10%	8%	9%	8%	9%	6%	9%	7%	8%	12%	10%	9%	8%	9%	12%	9%	8%
Completely disagree	9%	11%	6%	9%	9%	10%	10%	9%	8%	9%	9%	9%	7%	11%	17%	10%	9%	10%	11%	3%	10%	11%	9%	9%	9%	10%	11%	8%	8%
Don't know/No opinion	19%	23%	9%	19%	12%	24%	22%	19%	15%	17%	20%	25%	21%	11%	7%	12%	16%	32%	26%	21%	19%	17%	21%	21%	19%	15%	24%	18%	12%

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Q30. DEC could strictly monitor the potential impact of hydrofracking upon ground water supplies																													
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Upstate		Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upstate	Southern Tier	Upst not Southern Tier	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
More likely to support	50%	45%	60%	53%	57%	45%	48%	49%	57%	50%	50%	48%	54%	50%	52%	49%	53%	51%	36%	51%	52%	49%	52%	57%	49%	46%	47%	50%	57%
No effect on your position	25%	27%	19%	27%	23%	27%	33%	26%	19%	26%	25%	27%	21%	27%	26%	27%	25%	22%	32%	31%	24%	23%	30%	24%	29%	25%	28%	25%	
Oppose the action	16%	17%	15%	15%	16%	16%	14%	17%	18%	16%	16%	16%	13%	18%	19%	18%	14%	16%	23%	14%	15%	19%	14%	7%	20%	21%	20%	13%	16%
Don't know/No opinion	8%	10%	6%	5%	4%	12%	6%	8%	7%	8%	8%	8%	11%	5%	4%	5%	7%	11%	9%	4%	9%	9%	11%	6%	7%	5%	8%	10%	2%
Q31. Now, we've discussed a lot of issues surrounding hydrofracking, so I'd like to get your overall view one more time. 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			Upstate		Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upstate	Southern Tier	Upst not Southern Tier	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
Support	45%	31%	69%	47%	51%	39%	35%	41%	61%	44%	45%	42%	43%	49%	50%	48%	44%	44%	44%	50%	45%	41%	50%	44%	45%	37%	46%	49%	42%
Oppose	42%	53%	23%	39%	40%	43%	53%	45%	27%	43%	41%	41%	38%	45%	46%	45%	43%	41%	36%	38%	41%	43%	32%	37%	45%	54%	40%	40%	45%
Vol: Don't have enough information	9%	10%	3%	10%	7%	10%	8%	10%	7%	9%	9%	12%	12%	3%	3%	3%	7%	9%	16%	8%	9%	8%	11%	14%	4%	8%	8%	9%	7%
Don't know/No opinion	5%	6%	6%	4%	2%	8%	5%	5%	6%	4%	5%	5%	7%	3%	2%	4%	5%	7%	3%	4%	4%	7%	7%	5%	6%	1%	6%	2%	6%
Q32. Finally, if DEC allows hydrofracking to move forward - regardless of what conditions, if any, accompany its decision - would you support or oppose legislation that would stop it by imposing a moratorium on hydrofracking in New York?																													
	Party				Gender		Political View			Union HH		Region			Upstate		Ethnicity			Age			Religion				Income		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	Yes	No	NYC	Subs	Upstate	Southern Tier	Upst not Southern Tier	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
Support	47%	57%	30%	45%	50%	45%	60%	46%	35%	50%	46%	47%	47%	47%	51%	46%	46%	53%	50%	49%	44%	48%	38%	49%	50%	56%	49%	44%	51%
Oppose	37%	24%	58%	40%	39%	35%	27%	35%	52%	33%	39%	34%	33%	41%	42%	41%	39%	25%	33%	30%	42%	36%	44%	35%	35%	28%	33%	42%	38%
Don't know/No opinion	16%	19%	11%	15%	11%	20%	13%	18%	13%	18%	16%	19%	19%	12%	6%	13%	15%	22%	16%	21%	14%	17%	18%	16%	15%	16%	18%	15%	12%

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Nature of the Sample	
New York State Registered Voters	
Party	
Democrat	48%
Republican	23%
Independent/Other	26%
Region	
NYC	39%
Suburbs	25%
Upstate	36%
Political View	
Liberal	27%
Moderate	42%
Conservative	26%
Union Household	
Yes	30%
No	69%
Religion	
Catholic	39%
Jewish	10%
Protestant	25%
Other	23%
Age	
18 to 34	23%
35 to 54	38%
55 and older	37%
Gender	
Male	45%
Female	55%
Race/Ethnicity	
White	70%
African American/Black	12%
Latino	11%
Income	
Less than \$50,000	32%
\$50,000 to \$100,000	32%
\$100,000 or more	27%

* Southern Tier is defined as the following counties in New York State: Allegany, Broome, Cattaraugus, Chatauqua, Chemung, Chenango, Cortland, Delaware, Otsego, Schuyler, Steuben, Sullivan, Tioga, Tompkins