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Q1. Is New York State on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																						
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Right track	18%	26%	10%	14%	16%	20%	23%	19%	14%	24%	16%	14%	14%	40%	26%	25%	17%	15%	20%	16%	17%	19%
Wrong direction	70%	62%	82%	72%	74%	66%	64%	69%	76%	61%	71%	77%	76%	39%	63%	60%	74%	71%	71%	71%	71%	67%
Don't know/No opinion	12%	12%	8%	15%	10%	14%	13%	13%	10%	15%	13%	9%	11%	21%	11%	15%	8%	14%	10%	12%	11%	14%
Q2. Is the United States on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																						
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Right track	36%	48%	14%	35%	27%	43%	51%	39%	18%	41%	31%	33%	31%	57%	49%	35%	33%	38%	34%	32%	38%	37%
Wrong direction	54%	44%	79%	49%	63%	46%	35%	50%	74%	48%	61%	56%	59%	27%	35%	55%	55%	52%	55%	60%	53%	51%
Don't know/No opinion	11%	9%	7%	16%	10%	11%	14%	11%	7%	11%	9%	11%	9%	17%	17%	10%	12%	10%	11%	9%	8%	11%
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 I name.																						
Q3. David Paterson																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
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Favorable	25%	25%	25%	24%	25%	25%	28%	25%	23%	24%	20%	29%	24%	34%	11%	22%	25%	27%	22%	14%	29%	28%
Unfavorable	65%	65%	70%	64%	66%	65%	61%	66%	68%	63%	72%	64%	67%	52%	79%	66%	69%	61%	71%	70%	62%	61%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	10%	5%	12%	9%	10%	11%	9%	9%	14%	7%	7%	9%	14%	11%	12%	6%	12%	7%	16%	9%	11%
Q4. Andrew Cuomo																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Favorable	63%	72%	50%	64%	60%	66%	68%	72%	50%	65%	67%	59%	62%	73%	77%	53%	64%	68%	68%	61%	58%	62%
Unfavorable	22%	16%	36%	17%	24%	20%	16%	16%	34%	21%	22%	22%	23%	11%	17%	17%	26%	20%	21%	29%	26%	15%
Don't know/No opinion	15%	13%	13%	19%	17%	14%	16%	13%	17%	14%	11%	19%	15%	16%	7%	30%	10%	12%	11%	10%	16%	23%
Q5. Rick Lazio																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Favorable	29%	23%	42%	24%	30%	27%	18%	27%	41%	28%	38%	23%	28%	34%	20%	20%	31%	32%	34%	27%	26%	23%
Unfavorable	27%	33%	22%	21%	29%	24%	41%	25%	18%	26%	26%	28%	26%	32%	26%	22%	33%	23%	27%	21%	26%	29%
Don't know/No opinion	45%	44%	36%	54%	41%	48%	41%	48%	41%	46%	36%	48%	46%	34%	54%	58%	37%	45%	39%	52%	48%	49%

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Q6. Kirsten Gillibrand																						
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Favorable	32%	37%	30%	26%	34%	31%	37%	36%	25%	30%	23%	40%	34%	33%	16%	23%	34%	37%	30%	31%	41%	30%
Unfavorable	29%	19%	44%	33%	29%	29%	24%	25%	40%	24%	39%	28%	32%	15%	28%	21%	34%	30%	34%	29%	27%	23%
Don't know/No opinion	39%	44%	26%	41%	38%	39%	39%	40%	35%	46%	38%	32%	35%	52%	55%	56%	33%	33%	36%	39%	32%	47%
Q7. George Pataki																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Favorable	56%	51%	72%	51%	54%	58%	45%	55%	67%	49%	63%	59%	57%	48%	57%	57%	58%	54%	60%	47%	56%	52%
Unfavorable	33%	39%	21%	37%	37%	30%	44%	35%	25%	39%	30%	30%	33%	38%	38%	31%	35%	33%	30%	42%	30%	38%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	11%	7%	12%	9%	12%	12%	10%	9%	12%	7%	11%	11%	14%	5%	12%	7%	13%	9%	10%	14%	10%
Q8. Barack Obama																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Favorable	58%	77%	27%	55%	46%	68%	86%	61%	32%	70%	51%	51%	50%	95%	82%	56%	59%	58%	59%	48%	52%	65%
Unfavorable	37%	19%	67%	42%	49%	28%	13%	32%	63%	27%	42%	44%	45%	3%	13%	41%	35%	37%	39%	48%	40%	29%
Don't know/No opinion	5%	4%	6%	4%	5%	4%	1%	7%	5%	3%	7%	5%	5%	2%	5%	3%	5%	5%	3%	4%	7%	5%
Q9. Chuck Schumer																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Favorable	62%	75%	45%	56%	59%	64%	77%	67%	46%	67%	54%	62%	60%	80%	76%	58%	63%	64%	64%	64%	59%	64%
Unfavorable	27%	14%	47%	32%	31%	25%	14%	21%	46%	23%	39%	25%	31%	5%	13%	25%	28%	28%	29%	28%	31%	22%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	11%	8%	12%	10%	11%	9%	12%	8%	10%	7%	13%	9%	15%	11%	17%	9%	8%	8%	9%	10%	14%
Q10. Bruce Blakeman																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Favorable	8%	9%	7%	5%	7%	8%	10%	6%	9%	8%	9%	7%	6%	17%	7%	10%	9%	5%	10%	2%	9%	6%
Unfavorable	8%	7%	8%	13%	8%	8%	7%	8%	10%	8%	11%	7%	8%	16%	6%	9%	10%	6%	11%	5%	5%	9%
Don't know/No opinion	84%	84%	85%	82%	84%	84%	83%	86%	82%	84%	80%	87%	87%	67%	87%	81%	81%	88%	80%	93%	86%	86%

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Q11. Tom DiNapoli																						
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Favorable	19%	17%	22%	18%	20%	19%	16%	22%	17%	15%	26%	19%	19%	24%	14%	13%	18%	23%	25%	16%	14%	14%
Unfavorable	15%	12%	18%	16%	15%	14%	14%	11%	20%	16%	16%	13%	13%	21%	22%	9%	21%	11%	20%	11%	12%	12%
Don't know/No opinion	66%	70%	59%	67%	65%	67%	69%	67%	62%	69%	58%	68%	68%	55%	64%	77%	61%	66%	55%	73%	74%	74%
Q12. Richard Ravitch																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Favorable	22%	26%	17%	21%	22%	21%	31%	24%	14%	31%	24%	12%	21%	22%	22%	10%	23%	28%	24%	36%	15%	20%
Unfavorable	16%	14%	18%	15%	21%	11%	11%	15%	20%	17%	19%	13%	15%	21%	23%	9%	19%	16%	20%	10%	13%	13%
Don't know/No opinion	63%	60%	66%	64%	57%	67%	58%	61%	67%	52%	58%	75%	64%	57%	54%	82%	58%	56%	57%	54%	72%	67%
Q13. Steve Levy																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Favorable	16%	18%	17%	12%	16%	16%	21%	15%	14%	16%	33%	5%	15%	16%	16%	18%	17%	13%	20%	14%	15%	12%
Unfavorable	16%	17%	17%	14%	15%	17%	15%	15%	19%	15%	22%	14%	14%	27%	15%	16%	19%	14%	19%	11%	17%	14%
Don't know/No opinion	68%	65%	67%	74%	69%	67%	64%	70%	67%	70%	45%	80%	71%	57%	69%	66%	64%	73%	62%	75%	68%	73%
Q14. Warren Redlich																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Favorable	6%	5%	9%	5%	7%	5%	5%	5%	9%	6%	9%	5%	5%	9%	11%	6%	8%	5%	9%	1%	5%	5%
Unfavorable	10%	9%	10%	14%	11%	10%	13%	8%	12%	9%	8%	13%	9%	15%	20%	14%	12%	6%	12%	3%	8%	12%
Don't know/No opinion	84%	86%	81%	81%	82%	85%	82%	87%	79%	85%	84%	82%	86%	76%	69%	80%	80%	89%	79%	95%	88%	83%
Q15. How would you rate the job that David Paterson is doing as Governor? Would you rate it excellent, good, fair, or poor?																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Excellent	2%	3%	0%	0%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	6%	3%	0%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%
Good	14%	15%	14%	12%	12%	16%	12%	15%	15%	15%	11%	16%	14%	18%	4%	14%	10%	19%	12%	15%	14%	17%
Fair	39%	42%	33%	41%	36%	42%	47%	42%	31%	42%	38%	38%	37%	48%	48%	43%	43%	33%	33%	42%	43%	44%
Poor	44%	40%	51%	45%	50%	39%	38%	41%	52%	40%	48%	44%	47%	27%	45%	41%	45%	44%	52%	39%	41%	37%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%

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Q16. Do you think David Paterson should serve out the remainder of his term as Governor until December 31st or do you think he should resign immediately and let Lieutenant Governor Richard Ravitch serve as Governor for the remainder of the year?

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Serve remainder of term	64%	63%	68%	58%	62%	65%	63%	67%	60%	64%	55%	68%	62%	74%	58%	59%	63%	67%	61%	56%	69%	64%
Resign and let Ravitch serve	30%	31%	29%	33%	32%	29%	29%	27%	35%	31%	32%	28%	31%	20%	42%	32%	31%	28%	33%	29%	25%	30%
Don't know/No opinion	6%	6%	4%	9%	6%	7%	8%	6%	5%	5%	13%	4%	7%	5%	0%	9%	6%	5%	6%	14%	6%	6%

Q17. When you hear or read about what Governor David Paterson says, do you believe everything he says, do you believe some things but not others, do you believe very little of what he says, or do believe nothing of what he says?

	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Believe everything	5%	7%	5%	2%	5%	5%	6%	5%	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%	11%	2%	1%	6%	7%	4%	7%	6%	5%
Believe some things, not others	56%	59%	56%	54%	53%	59%	65%	60%	47%	51%	55%	63%	55%	61%	48%	58%	58%	53%	49%	57%	61%	62%
Believe very little	23%	20%	26%	26%	25%	22%	16%	24%	28%	28%	25%	18%	26%	15%	24%	17%	25%	26%	28%	26%	20%	19%
Believe nothing	12%	12%	12%	12%	14%	11%	9%	8%	19%	12%	11%	12%	11%	9%	23%	19%	10%	10%	16%	8%	10%	10%
Don't know/No opinion	3%	2%	1%	7%	3%	3%	4%	4%	1%	3%	4%	2%	3%	5%	3%	5%	1%	4%	3%	2%	3%	4%

Q18. If Kirsten Gillibrand runs for United States Senator in 2010, would you vote to elect her or would you prefer someone else?

	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
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Elect Gillibrand	28%	35%	22%	21%	26%	28%	37%	27%	21%	25%	15%	37%	27%	29%	23%	24%	30%	27%	26%	18%	35%	27%
Prefer someone else	38%	32%	51%	36%	40%	37%	26%	35%	52%	40%	40%	36%	39%	32%	41%	26%	40%	44%	46%	46%	38%	25%
Don't know/No opinion	34%	33%	26%	43%	34%	35%	37%	38%	27%	35%	45%	27%	34%	39%	36%	50%	30%	30%	29%	36%	27%	48%

Q19. If Chuck Schumer runs for United States Senator in 2010, would you vote to re-elect him or would you prefer someone else?

	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
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Re-elect Schumer	56%	69%	39%	50%	54%	57%	68%	62%	39%	62%	50%	53%	54%	66%	77%	48%	60%	56%	57%	66%	52%	56%
Prefer someone else	31%	19%	53%	33%	34%	29%	15%	26%	51%	26%	39%	32%	34%	20%	20%	27%	31%	33%	31%	23%	41%	25%
Don't know/No opinion	13%	12%	8%	17%	11%	14%	17%	13%	10%	12%	11%	15%	12%	14%	3%	24%	9%	10%	12%	11%	8%	19%

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Q20. Would you prefer to see Attorney General Andrew Cuomo run for re-election as Attorney General this year or would you prefer to see him run for Governor instead?																						
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Re-election as Attorney General	27%	23%	40%	25%	30%	25%	23%	26%	34%	24%	28%	31%	28%	24%	13%	24%	32%	25%	26%	34%	29%	26%
Run for Governor	55%	62%	40%	58%	54%	55%	61%	59%	45%	58%	54%	53%	53%	67%	76%	50%	57%	56%	60%	51%	51%	54%
Don't know/No opinion	18%	15%	20%	17%	15%	20%	16%	15%	21%	19%	18%	17%	19%	9%	11%	26%	11%	19%	14%	16%	19%	20%
Q21. Should Andrew Cuomo publicly declare now whether he's running for Attorney General or Governor this year, or does he have time to wait several months before publicly announcing?																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
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Declare now	44%	46%	49%	39%	44%	44%	35%	47%	49%	43%	42%	47%	44%	45%	35%	41%	50%	40%	46%	37%	47%	41%
Time to wait	44%	44%	36%	51%	45%	42%	57%	42%	36%	45%	43%	43%	43%	44%	63%	50%	39%	45%	42%	51%	39%	48%
Don't know/No opinion	12%	10%	15%	11%	11%	13%	8%	11%	15%	12%	15%	10%	13%	12%	2%	8%	11%	16%	12%	12%	14%	11%
Q22. 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			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
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Re-elect incumbent	38%	45%	30%	33%	39%	37%	45%	42%	29%	42%	36%	35%	36%	42%	39%	38%	40%	36%	37%	37%	38%	40%
Prefer someone else	44%	37%	57%	43%	46%	42%	36%	37%	59%	40%	43%	48%	45%	38%	37%	43%	45%	42%	47%	40%	45%	39%
Don't know/No opinion	18%	18%	13%	24%	15%	21%	20%	21%	13%	18%	21%	17%	18%	20%	24%	19%	14%	22%	16%	23%	18%	21%
Q23. Democrats currently control the State Senate by a 32 to 30 majority. Looking at this year's election, would you prefer to see the Democrats win a larger majority, would you prefer to see the Republicans win control of the Senate, or would you prefer to see the Senate continue to be closely divided between Republicans and Democrats?																						
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Larger majority for Democrats	33%	56%	6%	19%	27%	39%	55%	34%	16%	46%	31%	22%	28%	56%	57%	34%	33%	33%	26%	47%	31%	41%
Majority for Republicans	22%	10%	55%	13%	27%	18%	4%	16%	44%	17%	26%	25%	26%	2%	17%	16%	24%	25%	30%	21%	25%	10%
Closely divided	38%	29%	35%	57%	37%	39%	34%	45%	33%	31%	38%	45%	40%	37%	20%	44%	38%	35%	36%	26%	41%	42%
Don't know/No opinion	6%	4%	4%	10%	9%	4%	6%	6%	7%	6%	5%	7%	7%	4%	6%	5%	6%	7%	7%	6%	3%	7%

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Q24. 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			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion				
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	
Excellent	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	6%	2%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	
Good	6%	8%	5%	5%	4%	8%	8%	5%	7%	10%	5%	3%	4%	20%	3%	8%	5%	6%	5%	8%	8%	6%	
Fair	25%	30%	18%	24%	20%	29%	25%	33%	15%	30%	27%	19%	22%	39%	41%	27%	23%	25%	25%	19%	25%	27%	
Poor	67%	62%	76%	69%	74%	62%	67%	61%	76%	57%	66%	77%	72%	41%	50%	62%	72%	66%	68%	71%	67%	65%	
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%	2%	0%	1%	

For each of the following proposals that are either part of the current state budget debate, or long term issues the state faces, tell me whether you support or oppose the proposal, or simply do not have enough information in order to say.

Q25. Allowing grocery stores to sell wine in New York State.																							
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion				
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	
Support	57%	57%	52%	65%	62%	53%	62%	61%	48%	56%	65%	53%	59%	46%	43%	71%	58%	46%	53%	54%	54%	65%	
Oppose	37%	37%	41%	29%	31%	41%	32%	33%	45%	34%	31%	42%	34%	43%	55%	24%	36%	46%	41%	37%	42%	27%	
Don't have enough information	5%	5%	6%	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%	6%	7%	4%	4%	5%	8%	2%	4%	6%	6%	5%	9%	4%	6%	
Refused	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%	

Q26. Placing a new state tax on soda and other sugared beverages.																							
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion				
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	
Support	34%	40%	21%	36%	28%	39%	53%	35%	19%	38%	35%	29%	34%	29%	46%	36%	31%	35%	29%	43%	33%	36%	
Oppose	62%	55%	76%	59%	68%	57%	45%	59%	78%	56%	62%	67%	62%	61%	48%	58%	66%	60%	68%	50%	61%	58%	
Don't have enough information	4%	4%	2%	4%	3%	4%	1%	5%	3%	5%	2%	3%	3%	8%	6%	4%	3%	4%	2%	7%	4%	4%	
Refused	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	2%	

Q27. Closing 41 state parks and 14 historic sites this year.																							
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion				
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	
Support	9%	7%	10%	9%	12%	6%	2%	11%	11%	8%	10%	9%	9%	7%	5%	7%	7%	11%	8%	11%	11%	7%	
Oppose	80%	83%	78%	78%	76%	83%	89%	78%	76%	79%	74%	84%	80%	75%	76%	81%	82%	77%	80%	78%	80%	81%	
Don't have enough information	11%	10%	12%	13%	12%	10%	9%	10%	13%	13%	16%	7%	11%	16%	18%	12%	11%	11%	12%	11%	9%	11%	
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	

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Q28. Borrowing up to 6 billion dollars over the next 3 years to get New York State through this fiscal crisis.																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Support	27%	32%	16%	31%	26%	27%	34%	29%	20%	32%	22%	24%	26%	40%	25%	42%	22%	23%	27%	21%	27%	28%
Oppose	48%	38%	64%	49%	53%	44%	31%	45%	65%	42%	49%	53%	50%	36%	40%	33%	54%	51%	51%	46%	53%	40%
Don't have enough information	25%	30%	19%	20%	21%	29%	35%	26%	15%	26%	29%	22%	25%	24%	35%	25%	25%	25%	22%	33%	19%	31%
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%

Q29. Creating a new five member state financial review board appointed by the governor, the comptroller and legislative leaders charged with overseeing the state's long term financial planning.																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Support	46%	54%	38%	40%	47%	45%	54%	49%	37%	51%	41%	43%	46%	51%	36%	46%	46%	46%	44%	54%	46%	46%
Oppose	24%	17%	34%	26%	30%	19%	17%	23%	30%	19%	29%	24%	24%	14%	34%	22%	28%	20%	25%	20%	21%	24%
Don't have enough information	30%	28%	29%	34%	23%	36%	29%	27%	33%	28%	30%	32%	30%	34%	30%	31%	26%	34%	30%	26%	32%	31%
Refused	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%

Q30. Legalizing the use of medical marijuana in New York State.																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Support	50%	55%	32%	62%	54%	46%	72%	52%	31%	51%	57%	44%	50%	38%	49%	62%	53%	39%	40%	61%	39%	67%
Oppose	41%	34%	59%	30%	39%	42%	23%	36%	61%	38%	36%	47%	41%	47%	49%	32%	40%	48%	49%	29%	56%	24%
Don't have enough information	9%	9%	8%	7%	7%	10%	6%	10%	8%	10%	7%	9%	8%	13%	1%	6%	7%	12%	9%	6%	6%	9%
Refused	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	0%	0%

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Q31. Governor David Paterson said that his proposed state budget closes a budget deficit of more than 8 billion dollars. Given that health care and education account for the two largest portions of the state budget, which of the following positions best describes how you would prefer the State Legislature close the deficit when the budget is passed:

	Party			Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion				
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
The Legislature should cut spending to BOTH health care and education to help balance the budget	23%	14%	34%	29%	27%	21%	9%	27%	31%	21%	24%	25%	26%	10%	9%	16%	26%	25%	27%	28%	22%	18%
The Legislature should cut spending to health care but NOT education	8%	6%	9%	11%	11%	5%	8%	8%	6%	4%	9%	10%	9%	2%	9%	11%	8%	5%	7%	8%	8%	8%
The Legislature should cut spending to education but NOT health care	8%	7%	10%	5%	11%	5%	5%	7%	10%	7%	8%	8%	8%	6%	5%	12%	5%	7%	10%	7%	8%	4%
The Legislature should NOT cut spending to EITHER health care or education, even if it means raising taxes	52%	64%	35%	50%	42%	61%	72%	50%	42%	61%	45%	49%	47%	72%	73%	56%	51%	52%	46%	52%	55%	60%
Don't know/No opinion	9%	8%	11%	4%	10%	8%	7%	7%	11%	8%	14%	7%	9%	9%	5%	6%	9%	11%	10%	5%	8%	9%

Q32. Which of these two views comes closest to yours:

	Party			Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion				
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
New York's economy will recover as a result of national economic trends having nothing to do with New York's governmental leaders	52%	54%	49%	52%	53%	51%	62%	52%	48%	53%	63%	45%	54%	44%	60%	55%	52%	50%	53%	77%	44%	49%
New York's economy will recover to a large extent, because of the decisions New York's governmental leaders make over the next year	31%	32%	30%	33%	31%	31%	23%	34%	32%	31%	29%	32%	29%	42%	22%	27%	34%	30%	34%	15%	30%	32%
Neither, New York's economy won't improve	9%	5%	13%	10%	7%	10%	10%	6%	10%	7%	4%	13%	9%	2%	6%	10%	8%	9%	8%	1%	9%	12%
Don't know/No opinion	8%	9%	8%	4%	9%	8%	6%	7%	9%	9%	4%	10%	7%	11%	11%	8%	6%	11%	5%	7%	16%	6%

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Q33. (Republicans only) Looking ahead to the election for Governor, if the Republican primary for Governor were held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were:

	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Rick Lazio	45%				50%	39%	18%	41%	51%	39%	52%	42%	47%	13%	29%	60%	46%	41%	48%	39%	35%	53%
Steve Levy	16%				16%	16%	6%	20%	15%	22%	25%	8%	13%	69%	52%	30%	20%	9%	20%	53%	8%	12%
Don't know/No opinion	40%				34%	45%	76%	39%	33%	40%	22%	49%	40%	18%	19%	10%	33%	50%	31%	8%	58%	35%

Q34. (Republicans only) To be clear, Rick Lazio is a former Republican Congressman, and Steve Levy is the current Democratic Suffolk County Executive. Knowing that, who would you vote for if the Republican primary for Governor were held today?

	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Rick Lazio	60%				63%	56%	45%	52%	69%	61%	60%	59%	61%	21%	48%	70%	59%	59%	63%	39%	54%	63%
Steve Levy	19%				14%	23%	18%	27%	15%	19%	26%	14%	16%	79%	52%	30%	24%	12%	22%	39%	16%	12%
Don't know/No opinion	22%				23%	20%	37%	21%	16%	20%	14%	27%	22%	0%	0%	0%	17%	29%	15%	21%	30%	26%

Q35. If the 2010 election for governor were held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were:

	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Andrew Cuomo on the Democratic line	59%	78%	28%	58%	53%	63%	76%	66%	37%	66%	53%	56%	55%	84%	76%	54%	61%	60%	60%	59%	53%	63%
Rick Lazio on the Republican line	21%	9%	50%	13%	21%	20%	6%	17%	37%	12%	29%	23%	24%	4%	8%	14%	22%	23%	24%	22%	26%	11%
Warren Redlich on the Libertarian Party line	3%	2%	4%	6%	5%	2%	5%	2%	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%	1%	0%	8%	3%	1%	3%	6%	2%	5%
Don't know/No opinion	17%	12%	18%	23%	20%	15%	13%	15%	22%	18%	15%	18%	17%	12%	16%	23%	15%	16%	14%	13%	19%	20%

Q36. If the 2010 election for governor were held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were:

	Total	Party			Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
		Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Andrew Cuomo on the Democratic line	63%	81%	34%	60%	60%	65%	79%	69%	43%	70%	54%	61%	60%	85%	82%	57%	65%	64%	63%	73%	59%	64%
Steve Levy on the Republican line	16%	7%	43%	9%	16%	17%	5%	12%	30%	12%	26%	14%	19%	7%	7%	13%	17%	18%	21%	11%	17%	10%
Warren Redlich on the Libertarian Party line	4%	2%	7%	6%	5%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	6%	4%	5%	0%	0%	10%	3%	2%	2%	1%	6%	7%
Don't know/No opinion	17%	11%	17%	25%	20%	15%	11%	14%	23%	16%	13%	20%	16%	8%	11%	20%	15%	17%	14%	14%	18%	19%

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Q37. If the 2010 election for Unites States Senator were held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were:																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Kirsten Gillibrand on the Democratic line	39%	58%	17%	30%	36%	43%	62%	40%	23%	47%	29%	38%	38%	58%	31%	30%	43%	42%	34%	44%	44%	43%
George Pataki on the Republican line	45%	30%	75%	45%	49%	42%	24%	43%	65%	36%	57%	47%	49%	28%	36%	45%	46%	45%	51%	44%	46%	38%
Don't know/No opinion	15%	12%	8%	25%	15%	16%	15%	16%	12%	17%	14%	15%	14%	14%	33%	25%	11%	14%	15%	13%	9%	19%
Q38. If the 2010 election for Unites States Senator were held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were:																						
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region			Ethnic			Age			Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	NYC	Subs	Upst	White	Afr Amer /Black	Latino	18-34	35-54	55+	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other
Kirsten Gillibrand on the Democratic line	48%	66%	25%	40%	44%	51%	64%	55%	28%	55%	37%	48%	47%	71%	46%	40%	50%	50%	45%	45%	53%	51%
Bruce Blakeman on the Republican line	24%	11%	46%	27%	27%	22%	15%	18%	42%	19%	32%	25%	26%	14%	12%	22%	26%	25%	30%	25%	25%	17%
Don't know/No opinion	28%	23%	29%	34%	29%	27%	22%	27%	30%	26%	31%	27%	27%	15%	42%	38%	23%	25%	25%	30%	22%	32%