

PRRI 2018 California Workers Survey
Total = 3,318 (California Residents)
May 18 – June 11, 2018

Q.1 Do you think that things in California today are generally going in the right direction, or do you feel things have gotten pretty seriously off on the wrong track?

49	Right direction
50	Wrong track
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.2 Do you live in the community in which you grew up?

32	Yes
67	No
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

IF NO LONGER LIVE IN CHILDHOOD COMMUNITY (Q2=2), ASK [N=2,402]:

Q.3 Do you live within a two-hour drive from where you grew up, or do you live farther away than that?

38	Yes, within two-hour drive
6	No, live two to four hours away
56	No, live more than four hours away
*	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

ASK ALL:

Q.4 Do you think the American Dream—that if you work hard you’ll get ahead—still holds true, never held true, or once held true but does not anymore?

47	Still holds true
10	Never held true
43	Once held true, but not anymore
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.5 Do you think the American Dream is easier to achieve in California than elsewhere in the U.S. or harder to achieve?

16	Easier to achieve
55	Harder to achieve
29	About the same
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.6 In general, would you encourage young people in your community to stay in the area or leave for more opportunity elsewhere?

34	Stay in the area
64	Leave for more opportunity
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.7 Overall, would you say you are doing better or worse financially than most other Americans?

40	Better
16	Worse
43	About the same
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.8 Overall, would you say you are doing better or worse financially than most other Californians?

29	Better
19	Worse
51	About the same
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.9 Here are some goals that people value in their lives. Some people say these things are very important while others say they are not so important. For each of the following indicate how important it is to you personally.
[RANDOMIZE LIST]

a. Being successful in a high-paying career or profession

20	The most important
37	Very important but not most important
30	Somewhat important
12	Not important
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

b. Being a good parent

70	The most important
18	Very important but not most important
5	Somewhat important
6	Not important
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

c. Having a successful marriage

55	The most important
29	Very important but not most important
8	Somewhat important
7	Not important
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

d. Owning your own home

37	The most important
39	Very important but not most important
17	Somewhat important
6	Not important
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

e. Having a job or career that benefits society

19	The most important
39	Very important but not most important
29	Somewhat important
11	Not important
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

f. Becoming famous

2	The most important
4	Very important but not most important
11	Somewhat important
82	Not important
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

g. Being involved in a religious community

16	The most important
20	Very important but not most important
23	Somewhat important
39	Not important
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

h. Having a stable, well-paying job

46	The most important
44	Very important but not most important
7	Somewhat important
3	Not important
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.10 Now, please indicate whether you or anyone in your household has done or experienced any of the following in the last 12 MONTHS... **[READ; RANDOMIZE]**

a. Put off seeing a doctor or purchasing medication for financial reasons

12	Yes, happened to me
5	Yes, happened to someone in my household
8	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
74	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

b. Was not able to pay a monthly bill

9	Yes, happened to me
5	Yes, happened to someone in my household
6	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
78	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

c. Received food stamps

7	Yes, happened to me
6	Yes, happened to someone in my household
3	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
83	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

d. Reduced meals or cut back on food to save money

12	Yes, happened to me
5	Yes, happened to someone in my household
10	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
72	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

e. Received unemployment benefits

6	Yes, happened to me
6	Yes, happened to someone in my household
3	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
83	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

f. Received food from a food bank or pantry

5	Yes, happened to me
5	Yes, happened to someone in my household
3	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
86	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

g. Took a vacation that lasted more than three days

38	Yes, happened to me
7	Yes, happened to someone in my household
15	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
39	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

h. Used a payday lending service

5	Yes, happened to me
4	Yes, happened to someone in my household
2	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
88	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

i. Helped parents or in-laws financially

17	Yes, happened to me
8	Yes, happened to someone in my household
7	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
67	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

j. Received financial help from friends or family

11	Yes, happened to me
6	Yes, happened to someone in my household
6	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
77	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

k. Had difficulty paying rent or mortgage

10	Yes, happened to me
5	Yes, happened to someone in my household
7	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
77	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.11 Do you currently have any of the following?

a. Checking account

92	Yes
7	No
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

b. Savings account

78	Yes
20	No
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

c. Credit card

81	Yes
17	No
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

d. Retirement plan, such as a 401K or IRA

59	Yes
39	No
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

e. Student loan debt

14	Yes
84	No
<u>3</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.12 In the past 12 MONTHS, what would you estimate you and your family have paid out of your own pocket for your healthcare costs, such as health insurance premiums, co-pays, paying for tests, prescriptions, dental care, glasses or contacts?

32	Less than \$500
17	\$500 to under \$1,000
14	\$1,000 to under \$2,000
13	\$2,000 to under \$4,000
8	\$4,000 to under \$6,000
5	\$6,000 to under \$8,000
3	\$8,000 to under \$10,000
2	\$10,000 to under \$12,000
3	\$12,000 to under \$15,000
2	\$15,000 or more
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

IF CHILD UNDER 18 YEARS OLD IN HOUSEHOLD, ASK [N=809]:

Q.13 In the average MONTH, what would you estimate you and your family have paid for the care of any of your children, such as a daycare center, babysitting, a nanny or afterschool programs?

75	Less than \$500
13	\$500 to under \$1,000
9	\$1,000 or more
<u>4</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

IF OWN CREDIT CARD (Q11C=1), ASK [N=2,812]:

Q.14 Which best describes how you pay your credit card?

60	I pay all my credit card debt every month
31	I pay more than the minimum every month, but not the entire balance
7	I pay the minimum every month
1	I can't make a payment every month, but I pay what I can when I can
1	I have so much credit card debt that I stopped making payments
*	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

IF HAVE STUDENT LOAN DEBT (Q11E=1), ASK [N=439]:

Q.15 Approximately how much do you owe for your student loan?

17	Less than \$5,000
21	\$5,000 to under \$10,000
19	\$10,000 to under \$20,000
20	\$20,000 to under \$50,000
11	\$50,000 to under \$70,000
11	\$70,000 or more
2	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

ASK ALL:

Thinking about your current work situation...

Q.16 Which of the following best describes your current work situation?

48	Working full-time
14	Working part-time
19	Retired
6	A homemaker or stay at home parent
3	A student
4	Unemployed but looking for work
1	Unemployed and not looking for work
1	Unemployed and on a temporary layoff from a job
4	Disabled
*	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

IF CURRENTLY EMPLOYED (Q16=1,2), ASK [N=1,792]:

Q.17 And are you currently?

72	Working one full-time job
8	Working one full-time job and at least one part-time job
6	Working multiple part-time jobs
5	Working one part-time job
7	Working for yourself/independent contractor
2	Other [SPECIFY]
*	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

ASK ALL:

Q.18 In the last 12 MONTHS, have you been paid for performing miscellaneous tasks or providing services for others, such as shopping, delivering household items, assisting with childcare, or driving for a ride-hailing app?

11	Yes, have done this
88	No, have not done this
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.19 Which of the following best describes how you get paid for the work you currently do? **[IF (Q16=3,4,5,6,7,8), ASK: "got paid at your most recent job"]**

47	Paid an hourly rate
34	Paid a salary
10	Paid by the job
8	Never had a job/not applicable
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

IF NOT CURRENTLY RETIRED (Q16=1,2,4,5,6,7,8), ASK [N=2,304]:

Q.20 At what age do you expect to retire?

26	Age 64 or under
21	Age 65
20	Age 66 or over
20	Never, can't afford to retire
12	Never, do not want to retire
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

IF CURRENTLY RETIRED (Q16=3), ASK [N=1,010]:

Q.20a At what age did you retire?

68	Age 64 or under
10	Age 65
22	Age 66 or over
*	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

ASK ALL:

Q.21 In a typical week, how many hours do you work? **[IF (Q16=3, 4,5,6,7,8),
ASK: "did you work at your most recent job"]**

19	Fewer than 30 hours
11	30-39 hours
36	40 hours
12	41-49 hours
14	50-59 hours
7	60+ hours
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.22 On a typical work day, how much time do you spend commuting roundtrip to and from work? **[IF (Q16=3, 4,5,6,7,8), ASK: “did you spend commuting roundtrip to and from work at your most recent job”]**

41	Less than 30 minutes
23	30 minutes to under an hour
13	1 to under 1.5 hours
7	1.5 to under 2 hours
3	2 to under 3 hours
1	3 to under 4 hours
1	4 hours or more
8	Never had a job/Not applicable
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.23 Thinking of how you got your current job **[IF (Q16=3, 4,5,6,7,8), ASK: “most recent job”]**, did your personal connections, such as close friends, family members or coworkers play a role in helping you get the job, or not?

37	Yes, they helped
54	No, they did not help
8	Never had a job/Not applicable
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

IF CURRENTLY EMPLOYED (Q16=1,2), ASK [N=1,792]:

Q.24 How difficult would it be for you to take a day or two off work, to take care of personal or family matters? **[HALF SAMPLE REVERSE ORDER]**

6	Very difficult
17	Somewhat difficult
35	Not too difficult
41	Not at all difficult
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

ASK ALL:

Q.25 How difficult would it be for you to relocate if you found a good or better job? Would this be... **[HALF SAMPLE REVERSE ORDER]**

28	Very difficult
34	Somewhat difficult
21	Not too difficult
14	Not at all difficult
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.26 How difficult has it been for you to find affordable housing in the places where you would want to live? **[HALF SAMPLE REVERSE ORDER]**

32	Very difficult
31	Somewhat difficult
20	Not too difficult
14	Not at all difficult
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.27 Thinking about concerns that people may have, how worried are you that you or someone in your family will... **[RANDOMIZE LIST]**

a. Lose their job because of advances in technology or automation

12	Very worried
17	Somewhat worried
30	Not too worried
39	Not at all worried
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

b. Be a victim of a violent crime

18	Very worried
24	Somewhat worried
37	Not too worried
20	Not at all worried
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

c. Lose their healthcare insurance

19	Very worried
21	Somewhat worried
29	Not too worried
29	Not at all worried
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

d. Be unable to afford housing

23	Very worried
28	Somewhat worried
24	Not too worried
24	Not at all worried
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

e. Be deported

8	Very worried
5	Somewhat worried
7	Not too worried
78	Not at all worried
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.28 Please say whether you or anyone in your household has done or experienced any of the following in the last 12 MONTHS... **[READ; RANDOMIZE]**

a. Received a raise or a promotion at a job

22	Yes, happened to me
14	Yes, happened to someone in my household
8	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
54	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

b. Lost a job or had work hours reduced

8	Yes, happened to me
9	Yes, happened to someone in my household
4	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
78	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

c. Experienced sexual harassment in the workplace

4	Yes, happened to me
3	Yes, happened to someone in my household
2	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
91	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

d. Experienced sexual assault in the workplace

2	Yes, happened to me
2	Yes, happened to someone in my household
1	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
94	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

e. Been injured on the job

7	Yes, happened to me
6	Yes, happened to someone in my household
2	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
84	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

f. Been required to work overtime without being paid for it

7	Yes, happened to me
6	Yes, happened to someone in my household
3	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
83	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

g. Been paid less than the minimum wage

4	Yes, happened to me
3	Yes, happened to someone in my household
2	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
89	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

h. Had tips taken by another employee or employer

2	Yes, happened to me
3	Yes, happened to someone in my household
2	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
92	Did not happen to anyone in my household
1	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

i. Were required to work through lunch break or received no break at all during the workday

12	Yes, happened to me
7	Yes, happened to someone in my household
4	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
76	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

j. Had wages withheld by an employer without cause

2	Yes, happened to me
2	Yes, happened to someone in my household
2	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
93	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

k. Experienced racial discrimination or bias in the workplace

5	Yes, happened to me
4	Yes, happened to someone in my household
3	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
87	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

l. Experienced gender discrimination or bias in the workplace

5	Yes, happened to me
4	Yes, happened to someone in my household
2	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
88	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

m. Felt vulnerable because of immigration status

3	Yes, happened to me
3	Yes, happened to someone in my household
2	Yes, happened to me and someone in my household
90	Did not happen to anyone in my household
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.29 Does your income mostly...

75	Stay the same from month to month [OR]
23	Change from month to month or seasonally ¹
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.30 Suppose that you have an emergency expense that costs \$400. Based on your current financial situation, how difficult would it be for you to pay for this expense? Would this be... **[HALF SAMPLE REVERSE ORDER]**

64	Not too difficult
18	Somewhat difficult
11	Very difficult
6	Nearly impossible
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.31 Now, please read the following statements on a few different topics and say if you agree or disagree with each one. **[RANDOMIZE LIST]**

a. The economic system in this country unfairly favors the wealthy.

38	Completely agree
38	Mostly agree
15	Mostly disagree
8	Completely disagree
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

¹ When this survey was distributed to respondents, the word "seasonally" was unintentionally changed to "seasonably." This misspelling is unlikely to have a substantial effect on responses.

b. Hard work and determination are no guarantee of success for most people.

17	Completely agree
37	Mostly agree
34	Mostly disagree
10	Completely disagree
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

c. Politics and elections are controlled by people with money and by big corporations so it doesn't matter if I vote.

21	Completely agree
31	Mostly agree
29	Mostly disagree
17	Completely disagree
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

d. It is important for workers to organize so that employers do not take advantage of them.

31	Completely agree
42	Mostly agree
19	Mostly disagree
6	Completely disagree
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

e. There is little people like me can do to improve their working conditions.

9	Completely agree
32	Mostly agree
41	Mostly disagree
15	Completely disagree
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

f. Employers generally see people like me as being replaceable.

27	Completely agree
40	Mostly agree
25	Mostly disagree
7	Completely disagree
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

g. Public officials don't care much about what people like me think.

26	Completely agree
44	Mostly agree
23	Mostly disagree
5	Completely disagree
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

h. At some point, there is not much you can do to change your financial situation.

9	Completely agree
33	Mostly agree
38	Mostly disagree
18	Completely disagree
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.32 Growing up in your family was it generally expected that you would go to college after high school or was it generally expected you would get a full-time job after high school?

44	Go to a four-year college
11	Go to a community college
6	Enter a trade school or vocational program
17	Immediately get a job
22	Family did not talk about it
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.33 And thinking about your family's financial situation when you were growing up, how would you describe your family's social class? **[FORM 1 READ CATEGORIES IN ORDER (1-5); FORM 2 READ IN REVERSE ORDER (5-1)]**

*	Upper class
10	Upper-middle class
36	Middle class
40	Working class
13	Lower class
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.34 What is the highest level of education achieved by either of your parents?

27	Less than high school education
27	High school graduate or GED
13	Some college, no degree
7	Associate degree
14	Bachelor's degree
6	Master's degree
4	Professional degree or Doctorate degree
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.35 Today, would you say that a college education is a smart investment in the future or is it more of a gamble that may not pay off in the end?

62	Smart investment
37	Gamble that may not pay off
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.36 Currently, how many of your closest friends have a four-year college degree or are pursuing a four-year college degree

12	All of them
28	Most of them
18	About half of them
28	Only a few
13	None of them
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

ATTEND Aside from weddings and funerals, how often do you attend religious services?

8	More than once a week
18	Once a week
8	Once or twice a month
16	A few times a year
22	Seldom
28	Never
<u>1</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.37 Now, please read the following statements on a few different topics and say if you agree or disagree with each one. **[RANDOMIZE LIST]**

a. Efforts to increase diversity almost always come at the expense of whites.

11	Completely agree
20	Mostly agree
33	Mostly disagree
34	Completely disagree
<u>3</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

b. Things have changed so much that I often feel like a stranger in my own country.

13	Completely agree
21	Mostly agree
33	Mostly disagree
31	Completely disagree
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

c. The American way of life needs to be protected from foreign influence.

14	Completely agree
22	Mostly agree
28	Mostly disagree
34	Completely disagree
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

d. Today, America is in danger of losing its culture and identity.

18	Completely agree
26	Mostly agree
26	Mostly disagree
28	Completely disagree
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

e. The values of Islam are at odds with American values and way of life.

18	Completely agree
24	Mostly agree
30	Mostly disagree
25	Completely disagree
<u>3</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

f. It bothers me when I come in contact with immigrants who speak little or no English.

9	Completely agree
18	Mostly agree
26	Mostly disagree
45	Completely disagree
<u>2</u>	Refused (VOL.)
100	Total

Q.38 Which of the following do you find are major obstacles to finding a well-paying or better job? **[CHECK ALL THAT APPLY]**

21	Most are too far away from where I live
7	It is difficult for me to fill out applications on the internet
15	I don't know where to look to find good job announcements
6	I am not fluent in English
56	Not applicable
<u>6</u>	Refused (VOL.)

*responses do not add up to 100 as multiple responses were allowed

Survey Methodology

The PRRI 2018 California Workers Survey was conducted by PRRI among a random sample of 3,194 adults (age 18 and up) living in California who are part of GfK's Knowledge Panel. Additionally, the survey includes 124 Californians who are working and struggling with poverty from NORC's AmeriSpeak panel. This brought the total sample of Californians to 3,318 and the total sample of those working and struggling with poverty to 1,068.² Interviews were conducted online in both English and Spanish between May 18 and June 11, 2018. The survey is supported by a grant from The James Irvine Foundation.

Respondents are recruited to the KnowledgePanel using an addressed-based sampling methodology from the Delivery Sequence File of the USPS – a database with full coverage of all delivery addresses in the U.S. As such, it covers all households regardless of their phone status, providing a representative online sample. Unlike opt-in panels, households are not permitted to "self-select" into the panel; and are generally limited to how many surveys they can take within a given time period.

The initial sample drawn from the KnowledgePanel was adjusted using pre-stratification weights so that it approximates the adult U.S. population defined by the latest Current Population Survey. Next, a probability proportional to size (PPS) sampling scheme was used to select a representative sample. Once assigned to the survey, panel participants received an email notification reminder on May 18th to complete the survey. An additional email reminder was sent out on the following days during the field period: May 21st, May 26th and May 29th.

To reduce the effects of any non-response bias, a post-stratification adjustment was applied based on demographic distributions from the most recent Current Population Survey (CPS). The post-stratification weight rebalanced the sample based on the following benchmarks: age, race and ethnicity, gender, state regions, metro area, education and income. The sample weighting was accomplished using an iterative proportional fitting (IFP) process that simultaneously balances the distributions of all variables. Weights were trimmed to prevent individual interviews from having too much influence on the final results. The final weight was computed to ensure that the demographic characteristics of the sample closely

² In order to oversample our target population – those Californians who are working and struggling with poverty – we created a predictive model using data from the Census's 2017 Annual Social and Economic Supplement (ASEC). First, we identified those individual-level and household-level characteristics that appeared in both the demographic profile of GfK's Knowledge Panel and the ASEC. Second, we created a predictive model from the ASEC data using those analogous characteristics – predicting whether individuals fell above or below the 250% poverty line using characteristics like household size, income, race, and education. Finally, the predictors from this model were applied to GfK's data – essentially using ASEC as a "donor" dataset to make predictions about this "working and struggling with poverty" characteristic that could not be readily identified in the GfK Knowledge Panel. Individuals living in households that had a high likelihood of falling into the "working and struggling with poverty" category based on the model were then oversampled.

approximate the demographic characteristics of the target populations.

The margin of error for the national survey is +/- 2.8 percentage points at the 95% level of confidence. The design effect for the survey is 2.7. Table 1 includes margin of error information for the state samples. In addition to sampling error, surveys may also be subject to error or bias due to question wording, context and order effects.

Appendix

Table 1. Demographic, Political, Religious, and Economic Subgroup Sample Sizes

(All figures are unweighted)

	N=
Total Sample	3,318
Male	1,412
Female	1,906
Republican	654
Independent	1,252
<i>Leans Republican</i>	425
<i>Independent (no lean)</i>	188
<i>Leans Democrat</i>	639
Democrat	1,308
White, non-Hispanic	1,727
Black, non-Hispanic	145
Hispanic	1,033
Asian or Pacific Islander	215
Age 18-29	244
30-49	985
50-64	1,022
65+	1,067
White evangelical Protestant	300
White mainline Protestant	389
Black Protestant	108
Hispanic Protestant	225
Catholic	964
<i>White Catholic</i>	265
<i>Hispanic Catholic</i>	599
Religiously unaffiliated	801
Working and struggling with poverty	1,068