

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Alaska



Sample 561 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 8.6\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Alaska? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	6%
Mostly negative	61%
Both positive and negative	31%
Not sure	1%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Alaska this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	53%
No	39%
Not sure	8%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	42%
Somewhat enthusiastic	27%
Only a little	22%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Alaska elections with your friends or family?

Often	37%
A few times	44%
Hardly at all	17%
Never	3%

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5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	29%
Democrat	18%
Other party	9%
No party	41%
Not sure	2%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	85%
Probably will vote	15%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	68%
In person before election day (early voting)	12%
Vote by mail (absentee)	17%
Not sure	3%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	25%
No	75%
Not sure	0%

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9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Alaska?

Mark Begich	41%
Daniel S. Sullivan	42%
Other	0%
Not sure	9%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	6%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Alaska in November?

Mark Begich	31%
Daniel S. Sullivan	48%
Not sure	21%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	70%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	11%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	19%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Alaska?

Bill Walker	34%
Sean Parnell	38%
Other	0%
Not sure	20%
Lean Walker	5%
Lean Parnell	4%

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13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Alaska in November?

Bill Walker	47%
Sean Parnell	25%
Not sure	28%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	64%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	17%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	19%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	7%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	51%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	42%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	63%
Somewhat important	21%
Not important	17%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	21%
Republicans	46%
Not sure	33%

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18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	51%
Somewhat important	34%
Not important	15%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	15%
Republicans	59%
Not sure	26%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Mark Begich	42%
Daniel S. Sullivan	40%
Sean Parnell	42%
Bill Walker	35%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Mark Begich	46%
Daniel S. Sullivan	42%
Sean Parnell	37%
Bill Walker	16%

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22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Mark Begich	9%	32%	55%	4%
Daniel S. Sullivan	13%	31%	49%	7%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Mark Begich	44%
Daniel S. Sullivan	25%
Sean Parnell	13%
Bill Walker	12%
None of the above	53%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Mark Begich	92%
Daniel S. Sullivan	90%
Sean Parnell	65%
Bill Walker	52%
None of the above	7%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	22%
About the same	32%
Getting worse	43%
Not sure	3%

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26. How about the economy in Alaska? Do you think the economy in Alaska is getting better or worse?

Getting better	16%
About the same	51%
Getting worse	29%
Not sure	5%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	6%
Somewhat Approve	22%
Somewhat Disapprove	16%
Strongly Disapprove	50%
Not Sure	5%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	4%
Liberal	13%
Moderate	37%
Conservative	27%
Very Conservative	14%
Not sure	5%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	28%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	34%
Neither support or oppose	38%

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30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	20%
Republican	24%
Independent	52%
Not sure	4%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	51%	43%
Female	49%	57%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	14%	5%
30-44	27%	17%
45-64	42%	53%
65+	18%	25%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	35%	8%
Some college	38%	36%
College graduate	16%	31%
Postgraduate degree	11%	25%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	73%	88%
Black	4%	1%
Hispanic	5%	1%
Other	18%	10%

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35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	24%	14%
\$40,000-\$59,999	17%	15%
\$60,000-99,999	21%	26%
\$100,000 or more	30%	33%
Prefer not to say	8%	12%

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Sample 661 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 6.4\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Alabama? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	9%
Mostly negative	33%
Both positive and negative	50%
Not sure	7%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Alabama this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	52%
No	31%
Not sure	17%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	46%
Somewhat enthusiastic	25%
Only a little	21%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Alabama elections with your friends or family?

Often	30%
A few times	38%
Hardly at all	26%
Never	6%

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5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	78%
Probably will vote	22%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	88%
In person before election day (early voting)	8%
Vote by mail (absentee)	3%
Not sure	2%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	19%
No	81%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Alabama?

Jeff Sessions	63%
Other	11%
Not sure	27%

9. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	77%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	11%

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10. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Alabama?

Parker Griffith	22%
Robert Bentley	59%
Other	0%
Not sure	12%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	4%

11. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Alabama in November?

Parker Griffith	12%
Robert Bentley	72%
Not sure	16%

12. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	74%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	7%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	18%

13. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	19%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	61%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	19%

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14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	74%
Somewhat important	21%
Not important	5%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	20%
Republicans	56%
Not sure	24%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	73%
Somewhat important	21%
Not important	6%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	13%
Republicans	67%
Not sure	20%

18. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Jeff Sessions	64%
Parker Griffith	27%
Robert Bentley	62%

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19. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Jeff Sessions	18%
Parker Griffith	39%
Robert Bentley	21%

20. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Jeff Sessions	24%	5%	60%	10%

21. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Jeff Sessions	6%
Parker Griffith	3%
Robert Bentley	9%
None of the above	82%

22. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Jeff Sessions	27%
Parker Griffith	53%
Robert Bentley	71%
None of the above	19%

23. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	18%
About the same	28%
Getting worse	51%
Not sure	3%

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24. How about the economy in Alabama? Do you think the economy in Alabama is getting better or worse?

Getting better	26%
About the same	41%
Getting worse	29%
Not sure	4%

25. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	14%
Somewhat Approve	12%
Somewhat Disapprove	8%
Strongly Disapprove	63%
Not Sure	3%

26. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	3%
Liberal	8%
Moderate	24%
Conservative	37%
Very Conservative	21%
Not sure	7%

27. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	35%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	22%
Neither support or oppose	42%

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28. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	22%
Republican	42%
Independent	31%
Not sure	4%

29. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	49%	57%
Female	51%	43%

30. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	13%	3%
30-44	20%	12%
45-64	39%	46%
65+	27%	38%

31. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	37%	13%
Some college	37%	40%
College graduate	17%	26%
Postgraduate degree	9%	21%

32. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	77%	82%
Black	21%	11%
Hispanic	0%	0%
Other	1%	7%

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33. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	45%	28%
\$40,000-\$59,999	14%	16%
\$60,000-99,999	14%	21%
\$100,000 or more	11%	18%
Prefer not to say	15%	17%

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Sample 1567 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3.9\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Arkansas? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	4%
Mostly negative	57%
Both positive and negative	36%
Not sure	3%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Arkansas this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	61%
No	31%
Not sure	8%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	42%
Somewhat enthusiastic	29%
Only a little	20%
Not at all	9%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Arkansas elections with your friends or family?

Often	30%
A few times	50%
Hardly at all	14%
Never	7%

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5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	35%
Democrat	33%
Other party	3%
No party	25%
Not sure	4%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	80%
Probably will vote	20%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	52%
In person before election day (early voting)	43%
Vote by mail (absentee)	3%
Not sure	2%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	9%
No	90%
Not sure	0%

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9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Arkansas?

Mark Pryor	37%
Tom Cotton	43%
Other	1%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	5%
Lean Republican	4%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Arkansas in November?

Mark Pryor	34%
Tom Cotton	41%
Not sure	24%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	68%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	19%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Arkansas?

Mike Ross	33%
Asa Hutchinson	43%
Other	0%
Not sure	15%
Lean Democratic	5%
Lean Republican	4%

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13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Arkansas in November?

Mike Ross	31%
Asa Hutchinson	40%
Not sure	29%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	66%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	15%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	20%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	13%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	55%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	32%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	63%
Somewhat important	26%
Not important	12%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	24%
Republicans	45%
Not sure	32%

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18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	60%
Somewhat important	28%
Not important	12%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	16%
Republicans	53%
Not sure	31%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Mark Pryor	37%
Tom Cotton	42%
Mike Ross	37%
Asa Hutchinson	43%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Mark Pryor	46%
Tom Cotton	38%
Mike Ross	31%
Asa Hutchinson	28%

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22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Mark Pryor	16%	29%	49%	7%
Tom Cotton	20%	30%	43%	7%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Mark Pryor	21%
Tom Cotton	18%
Mike Ross	13%
Asa Hutchinson	14%
None of the above	70%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Mark Pryor	90%
Tom Cotton	89%
Mike Ross	75%
Asa Hutchinson	78%
None of the above	6%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	19%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	46%
Not sure	2%

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26. How about the economy in Arkansas? Do you think the economy in Arkansas is getting better or worse?

Getting better	17%
About the same	44%
Getting worse	36%
Not sure	3%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	10%
Somewhat Approve	16%
Somewhat Disapprove	13%
Strongly Disapprove	58%
Not Sure	3%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	9%
Moderate	33%
Conservative	30%
Very Conservative	15%
Not sure	9%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	23%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	25%
Neither support or oppose	52%

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30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	29%
Republican	29%
Independent	37%
Not sure	4%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	44%
Female	53%	56%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	6%
30-44	22%	19%
45-64	38%	44%
65+	30%	31%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	48%	17%
Some college	31%	35%
College graduate	14%	28%
Postgraduate degree	7%	20%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	82%	88%
Black	13%	7%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	3%	4%

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35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	39%	28%
\$40,000-\$59,999	22%	19%
\$60,000-99,999	19%	25%
\$100,000 or more	8%	16%
Prefer not to say	12%	12%

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Sample 2621 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3.5\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Arizona? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	4%
Mostly negative	57%
Both positive and negative	35%
Not sure	5%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Arizona this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	54%
No	38%
Not sure	9%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	44%
Somewhat enthusiastic	28%
Only a little	18%
Not at all	10%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Arizona elections with your friends or family?

Often	32%
A few times	43%
Hardly at all	17%
Never	8%

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5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	87%
Probably will vote	13%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	28%
In person before election day (early voting)	3%
Vote by mail (absentee)	68%
Not sure	1%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	42%
No	58%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Arizona?

Fred DuVal	38%
Doug Ducey	45%
Other	1%
Not sure	9%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	4%

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9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Arizona in November?

Fred DuVal	19%
Doug Ducey	57%
Not sure	24%

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Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	77%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	11%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	12%

11. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	17%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	53%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	30%

12. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	21%
Republicans	53%
Not sure	26%

13. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	64%
Somewhat important	27%
Not important	9%

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14. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	11%
Republicans	66%
Not sure	22%

15. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people? (Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Fred DuVal	37%
Doug Ducey	44%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people? (Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Fred DuVal	33%
Doug Ducey	33%

17. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Fred DuVal	11%
Doug Ducey	18%
None of the above	68%

18. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Fred DuVal	79%
Doug Ducey	81%
None of the above	12%

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19. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	23%
About the same	37%
Getting worse	39%
Not sure	1%

20. How about the economy in Arizona? Do you think the economy in Arizona is getting better or worse?

Getting better	18%
About the same	45%
Getting worse	35%
Not sure	2%

21. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	12%
Somewhat Approve	22%
Somewhat Disapprove	13%
Strongly Disapprove	52%
Not Sure	1%

22. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	7%
Liberal	16%
Moderate	28%
Conservative	32%
Very Conservative	14%
Not sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Arizona



23. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	31%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	33%
Neither support or oppose	35%

24. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	28%
Republican	33%
Independent	37%
Not sure	1%

25. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	54%
Female	53%	46%

26. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	10%	3%
30-44	21%	9%
45-64	37%	43%
65+	31%	45%

27. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	27%	10%
Some college	39%	37%
College graduate	21%	32%
Postgraduate degree	13%	22%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Arizona



28. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	76%	89%
Black	4%	2%
Hispanic	14%	3%
Other	7%	6%

29. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	28%	21%
\$40,000-\$59,999	19%	18%
\$60,000-99,999	23%	26%
\$100,000 or more	15%	20%
Prefer not to say	15%	15%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) California



Sample 7463 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 2\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in California? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	12%
Mostly negative	31%
Both positive and negative	43%
Not sure	13%

2. Have the candidates running for election in California this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	44%
No	40%
Not sure	16%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	39%
Somewhat enthusiastic	30%
Only a little	22%
Not at all	9%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming California elections with your friends or family?

Often	24%
A few times	44%
Hardly at all	23%
Never	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) California



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	30%
Democrat	46%
Other party	4%
No party	18%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	87%
Probably will vote	13%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	37%
In person before election day (early voting)	5%
Vote by mail (absentee)	56%
Not sure	2%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	27%
No	73%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) California



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in California?

Jerry Brown	52%
Neel Kashkari	34%
Other	1%
Not sure	8%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in California in November?

Jerry Brown	79%
Neel Kashkari	10%
Not sure	11%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	76%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	11%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	13%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	29%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	36%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	35%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) California



13. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	36%
Republicans	37%
Not sure	27%

14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	69%
Somewhat important	23%
Not important	8%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	21%
Republicans	55%
Not sure	24%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Jerry Brown	56%
Neel Kashkari	32%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Jerry Brown	32%
Neel Kashkari	25%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) California



18. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Jerry Brown	9%
Neel Kashkari	6%
None of the above	76%

19. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Jerry Brown	43%
Neel Kashkari	40%
None of the above	32%

20. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	32%
About the same	36%
Getting worse	29%
Not sure	3%

21. How about the economy in California? Do you think the economy in California is getting better or worse?

Getting better	33%
About the same	31%
Getting worse	33%
Not sure	3%

22. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	19%
Somewhat Approve	30%
Somewhat Disapprove	13%
Strongly Disapprove	36%
Not Sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) California



23. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	14%
Liberal	23%
Moderate	30%
Conservative	22%
Very Conservative	9%
Not sure	3%

24. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	24%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	48%
Neither support or oppose	28%

25. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	43%
Republican	25%
Independent	30%
Not sure	2%

26. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	54%
Female	53%	46%

27. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	13%	4%
30-44	23%	11%
45-64	38%	45%
65+	25%	40%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) California



28. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	23%	9%
Some college	39%	36%
College graduate	23%	31%
Postgraduate degree	15%	24%

29. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	60%	78%
Black	7%	4%
Hispanic	21%	7%
Other	12%	11%

30. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	26%	19%
\$40,000-\$59,999	15%	14%
\$60,000-99,999	22%	23%
\$100,000 or more	23%	28%
Prefer not to say	14%	16%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Colorado



Sample 1611 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 4.1\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Colorado? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	2%
Mostly negative	65%
Both positive and negative	30%
Not sure	4%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Colorado this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	49%
No	46%
Not sure	5%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	51%
Somewhat enthusiastic	21%
Only a little	15%
Not at all	13%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Colorado elections with your friends or family?

Often	40%
A few times	38%
Hardly at all	15%
Never	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Colorado



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	35%
Democrat	36%
Other party	4%
No party	23%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	94%
Probably will vote	6%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	7%
In person before election day (early voting)	5%
Vote by mail (absentee)	87%
Not sure	2%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	27%
No	73%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Colorado



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Colorado?

Mark Udall	44%
Cory Gardner	43%
Other	1%
Not sure	6%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Colorado in November?

Mark Udall	37%
Cory Gardner	40%
Not sure	23%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	83%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	6%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	11%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Colorado?

John Hickenlooper	46%
Bob Beauprez	41%
Other	1%
Not sure	7%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	3%

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13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Colorado in November?

John Hickenlooper	49%
Bob Beauprez	30%
Not sure	22%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	83%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	8%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	10%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	16%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	47%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	36%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	69%
Somewhat important	20%
Not important	11%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	29%
Republicans	45%
Not sure	26%

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18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	62%
Somewhat important	26%
Not important	12%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	16%
Republicans	61%
Not sure	23%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Mark Udall	44%
Cory Gardner	38%
John Hickenlooper	44%
Bob Beauprez	37%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Mark Udall	44%
Cory Gardner	47%
John Hickenlooper	41%
Bob Beauprez	42%

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22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Mark Udall	15%	28%	53%	4%
Cory Gardner	22%	32%	41%	5%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Mark Udall	25%
Cory Gardner	17%
John Hickenlooper	12%
Bob Beauprez	12%
None of the above	61%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Mark Udall	87%
Cory Gardner	85%
John Hickenlooper	76%
Bob Beauprez	76%
None of the above	8%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	31%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	33%
Not sure	3%

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26. How about the economy in Colorado? Do you think the economy in Colorado is getting better or worse?

Getting better	39%
About the same	35%
Getting worse	23%
Not sure	3%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	13%
Somewhat Approve	28%
Somewhat Disapprove	10%
Strongly Disapprove	47%
Not Sure	3%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	12%
Liberal	14%
Moderate	32%
Conservative	25%
Very Conservative	12%
Not sure	5%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	25%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	42%
Neither support or oppose	33%

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30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	31%
Republican	29%
Independent	38%
Not sure	2%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	55%
Female	52%	45%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	15%	4%
30-44	24%	13%
45-64	39%	48%
65+	21%	36%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	26%	10%
Some college	35%	33%
College graduate	24%	32%
Postgraduate degree	15%	25%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	80%	87%
Black	4%	2%
Hispanic	11%	4%
Other	5%	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Colorado



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	29%	21%
\$40,000-\$59,999	17%	15%
\$60,000-99,999	21%	23%
\$100,000 or more	19%	24%
Prefer not to say	15%	16%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Connecticut



Sample 1267 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 4.3\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Connecticut? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	3%
Mostly negative	68%
Both positive and negative	24%
Not sure	4%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Connecticut this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	50%
No	37%
Not sure	12%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	34%
Somewhat enthusiastic	31%
Only a little	23%
Not at all	12%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Connecticut elections with your friends or family?

Often	32%
A few times	43%
Hardly at all	18%
Never	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Connecticut



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	28%
Democrat	41%
Other party	4%
No party	25%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	82%
Probably will vote	18%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	86%
In person before election day (early voting)	5%
Vote by mail (absentee)	8%
Not sure	1%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	28%
No	72%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Connecticut



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Connecticut?

Dan Malloy	37%
Tom Foley	37%
Other	0%
Not sure	17%
Lean Democratic	5%
Lean Republican	4%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Connecticut in November?

Dan Malloy	46%
Tom Foley	27%
Not sure	27%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	64%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	15%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	21%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	24%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	38%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	38%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Connecticut



13. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	30%
Republicans	39%
Not sure	31%

14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	63%
Somewhat important	25%
Not important	11%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	24%
Republicans	52%
Not sure	24%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Dan Malloy	37%
Tom Foley	30%
Joe Visconti	10%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Dan Malloy	51%
Tom Foley	50%
Joe Visconti	23%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Connecticut



18. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Dan Malloy	20%
Tom Foley	13%
Joe Visconti	2%
None of the above	68%

19. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Dan Malloy	87%
Tom Foley	87%
Joe Visconti	12%
None of the above	10%

20. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	22%
About the same	41%
Getting worse	35%
Not sure	2%

21. How about the economy in Connecticut? Do you think the economy in Connecticut is getting better or worse?

Getting better	14%
About the same	34%
Getting worse	50%
Not sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Connecticut



22. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	15%
Somewhat Approve	28%
Somewhat Disapprove	14%
Strongly Disapprove	40%
Not Sure	3%

23. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	9%
Liberal	20%
Moderate	38%
Conservative	22%
Very Conservative	5%
Not sure	6%

24. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	18%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	44%
Neither support or oppose	37%

25. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	37%
Republican	24%
Independent	36%
Not sure	3%

26. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	56%
Female	53%	44%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Connecticut



27. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	4%
30-44	19%	14%
45-64	42%	48%
65+	28%	34%

28. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	26%	11%
Some college	26%	25%
College graduate	26%	33%
Postgraduate degree	23%	31%

29. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	86%	91%
Black	7%	3%
Hispanic	4%	2%
Other	3%	5%

30. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	21%	15%
\$40,000-\$59,999	14%	13%
\$60,000-99,999	23%	24%
\$100,000 or more	24%	30%
Prefer not to say	18%	18%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Delaware



Sample 461 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 7\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Delaware? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	25%
Mostly negative	11%
Both positive and negative	50%
Not sure	14%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Delaware this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	58%
No	26%
Not sure	16%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	34%
Somewhat enthusiastic	40%
Only a little	21%
Not at all	4%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Delaware elections with your friends or family?

Often	19%
A few times	41%
Hardly at all	29%
Never	11%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Delaware



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	30%
Democrat	49%
Other party	4%
No party	17%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	79%
Probably will vote	21%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	87%
In person before election day (early voting)	10%
Vote by mail (absentee)	3%
Not sure	0%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	31%
No	69%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Delaware



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Delaware?

Chris Coons	51%
Kevin Wade	33%
Other	0%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	4%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Delaware in November?

Chris Coons	75%
Kevin Wade	11%
Not sure	14%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	67%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	14%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	19%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	26%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	35%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	40%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Delaware



13. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	70%
Somewhat important	21%
Not important	9%

14. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	40%
Republicans	34%
Not sure	26%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	67%
Somewhat important	25%
Not important	9%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	29%
Republicans	47%
Not sure	23%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Chris Coons	56%
Kevin Wade	35%

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18. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Chris Coons	24%
Kevin Wade	17%

19. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Chris Coons	26%	9%	58%	7%
Kevin Wade	17%	8%	62%	14%

20. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Chris Coons	17%
Kevin Wade	7%
None of the above	74%

21. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Chris Coons	69%
Kevin Wade	22%
None of the above	26%

22. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	31%
About the same	31%
Getting worse	35%
Not sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Delaware



23. How about the economy in Delaware? Do you think the economy in Delaware is getting better or worse?

Getting better	21%
About the same	44%
Getting worse	31%
Not sure	4%

24. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	18%
Somewhat Approve	25%
Somewhat Disapprove	14%
Strongly Disapprove	38%
Not Sure	4%

25. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	8%
Liberal	18%
Moderate	37%
Conservative	22%
Very Conservative	10%
Not sure	5%

26. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	20%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	43%
Neither support or oppose	37%

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27. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	41%
Republican	27%
Independent	31%
Not sure	0%

28. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	51%
Female	53%	49%

29. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	3%
30-44	21%	17%
45-64	38%	40%
65+	29%	40%

30. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	35%	12%
Some college	26%	30%
College graduate	24%	32%
Postgraduate degree	15%	25%

31. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	76%	86%
Black	17%	7%
Hispanic	3%	1%
Other	3%	6%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Delaware



32. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	24%	20%
\$40,000-\$59,999	24%	19%
\$60,000-99,999	26%	25%
\$100,000 or more	14%	21%
Prefer not to say	12%	15%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Florida



Sample 5422 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 2.2\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Florida? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	5%
Mostly negative	61%
Both positive and negative	30%
Not sure	3%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Florida this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	49%
No	41%
Not sure	10%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	45%
Somewhat enthusiastic	28%
Only a little	18%
Not at all	10%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Florida elections with your friends or family?

Often	38%
A few times	42%
Hardly at all	15%
Never	5%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Florida



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	39%
Democrat	41%
Other party	2%
No party	17%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	88%
Probably will vote	12%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	38%
In person before election day (early voting)	23%
Vote by mail (absentee)	35%
Not sure	3%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	41%
No	58%
Not sure	1%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Florida



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Florida?

Charlie Crist	42%
Rick Scott	43%
Other	2%
Not sure	7%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Florida in November?

Charlie Crist	35%
Rick Scott	40%
Not sure	25%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	78%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	9%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	14%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	24%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	47%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	30%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Florida



13. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	31%
Republicans	44%
Not sure	25%

14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	68%
Somewhat important	24%
Not important	8%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	20%
Republicans	60%
Not sure	20%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Charlie Crist	38%
Rick Scott	39%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Charlie Crist	49%
Rick Scott	48%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Florida



18. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Charlie Crist	21%
Rick Scott	19%
None of the above	63%

19. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Charlie Crist	89%
Rick Scott	87%
None of the above	7%

20. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	26%
About the same	36%
Getting worse	35%
Not sure	3%

21. How about the economy in Florida? Do you think the economy in Florida is getting better or worse?

Getting better	32%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	21%
Not sure	4%

22. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	17%
Somewhat Approve	22%
Somewhat Disapprove	10%
Strongly Disapprove	48%
Not Sure	2%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Florida



23. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	7%
Liberal	15%
Moderate	33%
Conservative	29%
Very Conservative	13%
Not sure	4%

24. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	28%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	37%
Neither support or oppose	35%

25. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	35%
Republican	33%
Independent	31%
Not sure	2%

26. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	55%
Female	53%	45%

27. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	3%
30-44	19%	9%
45-64	37%	42%
65+	33%	46%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Florida



28. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	33%	14%
Some college	33%	36%
College graduate	21%	29%
Postgraduate degree	13%	21%

29. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	69%	86%
Black	14%	4%
Hispanic	15%	5%
Other	3%	4%

30. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	34%	24%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	17%
\$60,000-99,999	20%	24%
\$100,000 or more	13%	18%
Prefer not to say	15%	16%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Georgia



Sample 1774 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3.8\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Georgia? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	4%
Mostly negative	49%
Both positive and negative	41%
Not sure	6%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Georgia this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	53%
No	35%
Not sure	12%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	49%
Somewhat enthusiastic	29%
Only a little	16%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Georgia elections with your friends or family?

Often	38%
A few times	41%
Hardly at all	13%
Never	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Georgia



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	87%
Probably will vote	13%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	51%
In person before election day (early voting)	38%
Vote by mail (absentee)	7%
Not sure	4%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	29%
No	71%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Georgia?

Michelle Nunn	43%
David Perdue	43%
Amanda Swafford	1%
Other	0%
Not sure	8%
Lean Democratic	1%
Lean Republican	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Georgia



9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Georgia in November?

Michelle Nunn	35%
David Perdue	49%
Amanda Swafford	0%
Not sure	16%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	78%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	9%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	13%

11. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Georgia?

Jason Carter	41%
Nathan Deal	43%
Andrew Hunt	2%
Other	0%
Not sure	8%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	3%

12. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Georgia in November?

Jason Carter	27%
Nathan Deal	55%
Andrew Hunt	1%
Not sure	17%

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13. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	77%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	11%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	12%

14. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	25%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	49%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	26%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	75%
Somewhat important	19%
Not important	6%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	33%
Republicans	42%
Not sure	25%

17. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	73%
Somewhat important	21%
Not important	5%

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18. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	19%
Republicans	61%
Not sure	21%

19. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people? (Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Michelle Nunn	44%
David Perdue	40%
Amanda Swafford	8%
Jason Carter	39%
Nathan Deal	44%
Andrew Hunt	6%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people? (Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Michelle Nunn	43%
David Perdue	40%
Amanda Swafford	17%
Jason Carter	38%
Nathan Deal	38%
Andrew Hunt	17%

21. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Michelle Nunn	27%	27%	41%	5%
David Perdue	15%	28%	48%	8%
Amanda Swafford	4%	4%	56%	36%

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22. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Michelle Nunn	13%
David Perdue	15%
Amanda Swafford	1%
Jason Carter	10%
Nathan Deal	13%
Andrew Hunt	1%
None of the above	70%

23. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Michelle Nunn	82%
David Perdue	81%
Amanda Swafford	5%
Jason Carter	73%
Nathan Deal	77%
Andrew Hunt	4%
None of the above	10%

24. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	24%
About the same	34%
Getting worse	36%
Not sure	6%

25. How about the economy in Georgia? Do you think the economy in Georgia is getting better or worse?

Getting better	17%
About the same	46%
Getting worse	31%
Not sure	6%

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26. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	21%
Somewhat Approve	19%
Somewhat Disapprove	8%
Strongly Disapprove	50%
Not Sure	3%

27. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	8%
Liberal	13%
Moderate	29%
Conservative	29%
Very Conservative	14%
Not sure	6%

28. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	31%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	32%
Neither support or oppose	37%

29. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	38%
Republican	30%
Independent	29%
Not sure	3%

30. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	45%	54%
Female	55%	46%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Georgia



31. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	9%	3%
30-44	26%	12%
45-64	40%	47%
65+	25%	38%

32. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	32%	12%
Some college	34%	34%
College graduate	21%	30%
Postgraduate degree	13%	23%

33. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	65%	79%
Black	29%	14%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	3%	6%

34. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	32%	23%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	17%
\$60,000-99,999	21%	24%
\$100,000 or more	14%	20%
Prefer not to say	14%	16%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Hawaii



Sample 1002 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 6.2\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Hawaii? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	9%
Mostly negative	18%
Both positive and negative	69%
Not sure	4%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Hawaii this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	64%
No	26%
Not sure	10%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	33%
Somewhat enthusiastic	43%
Only a little	18%
Not at all	6%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Hawaii elections with your friends or family?

Often	22%
A few times	51%
Hardly at all	19%
Never	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Hawaii



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	81%
Probably will vote	19%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	34%
In person before election day (early voting)	17%
Vote by mail (absentee)	46%
Not sure	2%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	27%
No	73%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Hawaii?

Brian Schatz	66%
Campbell Cavasso	15%
Other	1%
Not sure	11%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	3%

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9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Hawaii in November?

Brian Schatz	82%
Campbell Cavasso	5%
Not sure	13%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	69%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	16%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

11. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Hawaii?

David Ige	45%
Duke Aiona	19%
Mufi Hanneman	5%
Other	0%
Not sure	19%
Lean Democratic	10%
Lean Republican	2%

12. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Hawaii in November?

David Ige	55%
Duke Aiona	12%
Mufi Hanneman	4%
Not sure	30%

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13. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	60%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	15%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	24%

14. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	28%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	22%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	50%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	54%
Somewhat important	29%
Not important	17%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	41%
Republicans	20%
Not sure	39%

17. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	50%
Somewhat important	32%
Not important	18%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Hawaii



18. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	29%
Republicans	35%
Not sure	36%

19. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Brian Schatz	66%
Campbell Cavasso	16%
David Ige	55%
Duke Aiona	32%
Mufi Hanneman	23%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Brian Schatz	12%
Campbell Cavasso	21%
David Ige	15%
Duke Aiona	40%
Mufi Hanneman	41%

21. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Brian Schatz	18%
Campbell Cavasso	2%
David Ige	13%
Duke Aiona	9%
Mufi Hanneman	4%
None of the above	68%

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22. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Brian Schatz	72%
Campbell Cavasso	42%
David Ige	83%
Duke Aiona	82%
Mufi Hanneman	69%
None of the above	9%

23. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	26%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	28%
Not sure	3%

24. How about the economy in Hawaii? Do you think the economy in Hawaii is getting better or worse?

Getting better	22%
About the same	47%
Getting worse	27%
Not sure	4%

25. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	16%
Somewhat Approve	38%
Somewhat Disapprove	17%
Strongly Disapprove	22%
Not Sure	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Hawaii



26. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	20%
Moderate	39%
Conservative	21%
Very Conservative	3%
Not sure	12%

27. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	8%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	43%
Neither support or oppose	49%

28. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	48%
Republican	15%
Independent	30%
Not sure	7%

29. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	49%	49%
Female	51%	51%

30. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	9%	3%
30-44	20%	16%
45-64	43%	49%
65+	28%	32%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Hawaii



31. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	33%	6%
Some college	33%	26%
College graduate	19%	37%
Postgraduate degree	15%	31%

32. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	36%	42%
Black	2%	1%
Hispanic	3%	1%
Other	60%	56%

33. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	18%	14%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	13%
\$60,000-99,999	31%	30%
\$100,000 or more	23%	30%
Prefer not to say	10%	12%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Iowa



Sample 2322 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3.3\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Iowa? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	3%
Mostly negative	64%
Both positive and negative	30%
Not sure	3%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Iowa this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	55%
No	35%
Not sure	11%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	37%
Somewhat enthusiastic	35%
Only a little	20%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Iowa elections with your friends or family?

Often	27%
A few times	47%
Hardly at all	18%
Never	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Iowa



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	36%
Democrat	34%
Other party	4%
No party	23%
Not sure	2%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	82%
Probably will vote	18%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	51%
In person before election day (early voting)	13%
Vote by mail (absentee)	34%
Not sure	2%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	50%
No	50%
Not sure	0%

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9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Iowa?

Bruce Braley	41%
Joni Ernst	41%
Other	1%
Not sure	11%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Iowa in November?

Bruce Braley	30%
Joni Ernst	39%
Not sure	31%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	72%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Iowa?

Jack Hatch	33%
Terry Branstad	46%
Other	0%
Not sure	13%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	5%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Iowa



13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Iowa in November?

Jack Hatch	10%
Terry Branstad	72%
Not sure	18%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	75%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	10%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	19%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	45%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	35%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	57%
Somewhat important	30%
Not important	12%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	27%
Republicans	39%
Not sure	34%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Iowa



18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	56%
Somewhat important	29%
Not important	15%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	18%
Republicans	52%
Not sure	31%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Bruce Braley	38%
Joni Ernst	40%
Jack Hatch	29%
Terry Branstad	47%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Bruce Braley	43%
Joni Ernst	46%
Jack Hatch	34%
Terry Branstad	37%

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22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Bruce Braley	15%	29%	50%	6%
Joni Ernst	18%	35%	41%	6%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Bruce Braley	24%
Joni Ernst	24%
Jack Hatch	8%
Terry Branstad	14%
None of the above	61%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Bruce Braley	88%
Joni Ernst	89%
Jack Hatch	64%
Terry Branstad	76%
None of the above	7%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	22%
About the same	41%
Getting worse	34%
Not sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Iowa



26. How about the economy in Iowa? Do you think the economy in Iowa is getting better or worse?

Getting better	29%
About the same	50%
Getting worse	17%
Not sure	3%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	12%
Somewhat Approve	27%
Somewhat Disapprove	16%
Strongly Disapprove	42%
Not Sure	4%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	15%
Moderate	34%
Conservative	26%
Very Conservative	12%
Not sure	7%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	19%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	34%
Neither support or oppose	48%

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30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	30%
Republican	30%
Independent	36%
Not sure	4%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	45%
Female	52%	55%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	6%
30-44	22%	19%
45-64	37%	45%
65+	29%	30%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	43%	14%
Some college	36%	32%
College graduate	15%	33%
Postgraduate degree	6%	21%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	95%	96%
Black	1%	1%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	2%	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Iowa



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	31%	21%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	17%
\$60,000-99,999	25%	29%
\$100,000 or more	12%	21%
Prefer not to say	13%	12%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Idaho



Sample 575 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 6.3\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Idaho? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	9%
Mostly negative	23%
Both positive and negative	58%
Not sure	9%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Idaho this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	63%
No	25%
Not sure	12%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	40%
Somewhat enthusiastic	34%
Only a little	21%
Not at all	5%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Idaho elections with your friends or family?

Often	26%
A few times	41%
Hardly at all	21%
Never	12%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Idaho



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	85%
Probably will vote	15%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	60%
In person before election day (early voting)	16%
Vote by mail (absentee)	21%
Not sure	3%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	35%
No	65%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Idaho?

Nels Mitchell	27%
Jim Risch	57%
Other	0%
Not sure	9%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Idaho



9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Idaho in November?

Nels Mitchell	7%
Jim Risch	80%
Not sure	13%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	68%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	19%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	13%

11. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Idaho?

A.J. Balukoff	31%
Butch Otter	48%
Other	2%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	5%

12. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Idaho in November?

A.J. Balukoff	14%
Butch Otter	68%
Not sure	18%

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13. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	68%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	15%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	16%

14. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	9%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	63%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	28%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	63%
Somewhat important	25%
Not important	12%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	19%
Republicans	51%
Not sure	29%

17. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	60%
Somewhat important	27%
Not important	13%

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18. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	7%
Republicans	65%
Not sure	27%

19. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Nels Mitchell	25%
Jim Risch	53%
A.J. Balukoff	32%
Butch Otter	44%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Nels Mitchell	21%
Jim Risch	23%
A.J. Balukoff	36%
Butch Otter	35%

21. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Nels Mitchell	10%	5%	67%	17%
Jim Risch	10%	7%	72%	11%

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22. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Nels Mitchell	3%
Jim Risch	7%
A.J. Balukoff	7%
Butch Otter	9%
None of the above	81%

23. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Nels Mitchell	16%
Jim Risch	30%
A.J. Balukoff	68%
Butch Otter	67%
None of the above	22%

24. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	19%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	36%
Not sure	2%

25. How about the economy in Idaho? Do you think the economy in Idaho is getting better or worse?

Getting better	18%
About the same	51%
Getting worse	28%
Not sure	3%

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26. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	4%
Somewhat Approve	18%
Somewhat Disapprove	12%
Strongly Disapprove	64%
Not Sure	2%

27. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	4%
Liberal	13%
Moderate	29%
Conservative	35%
Very Conservative	16%
Not sure	4%

28. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	28%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	29%
Neither support or oppose	43%

29. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	19%
Republican	41%
Independent	38%
Not sure	2%

30. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	49%
Female	53%	51%

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31. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	3%
30-44	22%	13%
45-64	39%	44%
65+	28%	39%

32. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	31%	13%
Some college	42%	39%
College graduate	19%	30%
Postgraduate degree	8%	18%

33. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	95%	93%
Black	1%	0%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	2%	7%

34. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	36%	31%
\$40,000-\$59,999	21%	19%
\$60,000-99,999	19%	23%
\$100,000 or more	12%	15%
Prefer not to say	11%	12%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Illinois



Sample 3519 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 2.7\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Illinois? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	4%
Mostly negative	63%
Both positive and negative	28%
Not sure	5%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Illinois this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	48%
No	42%
Not sure	10%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	40%
Somewhat enthusiastic	28%
Only a little	20%
Not at all	12%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Illinois elections with your friends or family?

Often	33%
A few times	43%
Hardly at all	17%
Never	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Illinois



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	84%
Probably will vote	16%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	62%
In person before election day (early voting)	22%
Vote by mail (absentee)	13%
Not sure	3%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	20%
No	79%
Not sure	1%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Illinois?

Dick Durbin	48%
Jim Oberweis	37%
Other	1%
Not sure	9%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	2%

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9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Illinois in November?

Dick Durbin	68%
Jim Oberweis	14%
Not sure	18%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	72%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

11. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Illinois?

Pat Quinn	41%
Bruce Rauner	37%
Other	1%
Not sure	13%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	4%

12. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Illinois in November?

Pat Quinn	42%
Bruce Rauner	28%
Not sure	30%

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13. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	73%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	11%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	17%

14. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	25%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	38%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	37%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	68%
Somewhat important	24%
Not important	9%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	34%
Republicans	36%
Not sure	29%

17. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	65%
Somewhat important	25%
Not important	10%

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18. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	21%
Republicans	53%
Not sure	26%

19. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people? (Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Dick Durbin	47%
Jim Oberweis	31%
Pat Quinn	36%
Bruce Rauner	33%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people? (Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Dick Durbin	36%
Jim Oberweis	36%
Pat Quinn	46%
Bruce Rauner	43%

21. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Dick Durbin	15%	15%	63%	7%
Jim Oberweis	15%	17%	57%	11%

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22. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Dick Durbin	12%
Jim Oberweis	9%
Pat Quinn	14%
Bruce Rauner	18%
None of the above	65%

23. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Dick Durbin	66%
Jim Oberweis	61%
Pat Quinn	81%
Bruce Rauner	81%
None of the above	13%

24. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	26%
About the same	38%
Getting worse	33%
Not sure	3%

25. How about the economy in Illinois? Do you think the economy in Illinois is getting better or worse?

Getting better	18%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	47%
Not sure	3%

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26. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	18%
Somewhat Approve	28%
Somewhat Disapprove	11%
Strongly Disapprove	39%
Not Sure	4%

27. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	11%
Liberal	16%
Moderate	34%
Conservative	22%
Very Conservative	9%
Not sure	7%

28. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	21%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	41%
Neither support or oppose	38%

29. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	40%
Republican	23%
Independent	34%
Not sure	3%

30. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	50%
Female	53%	50%

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31. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	4%
30-44	24%	15%
45-64	39%	49%
65+	26%	32%

32. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	30%	12%
Some college	34%	33%
College graduate	22%	32%
Postgraduate degree	14%	23%

33. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	76%	87%
Black	15%	6%
Hispanic	6%	2%
Other	3%	5%

34. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	27%	21%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	16%
\$60,000-99,999	23%	24%
\$100,000 or more	17%	24%
Prefer not to say	15%	16%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Indiana



Sample 1299 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 4.1\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Indiana? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	16%
Mostly negative	19%
Both positive and negative	45%
Not sure	19%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Indiana this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	42%
No	35%
Not sure	23%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	43%
Somewhat enthusiastic	32%
Only a little	18%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Indiana elections with your friends or family?

Often	25%
A few times	40%
Hardly at all	26%
Never	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Indiana



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	86%
Probably will vote	14%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	72%
In person before election day (early voting)	18%
Vote by mail (absentee)	7%
Not sure	2%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	24%
No	75%
Not sure	1%

8. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	21%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	53%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	26%

9. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	24%
Republicans	52%
Not sure	24%

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10. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	70%
Somewhat important	24%
Not important	6%

11. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	13%
Republicans	69%
Not sure	18%

12. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	26%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	38%
Not sure	2%

13. How about the economy in Indiana? Do you think the economy in Indiana is getting better or worse?

Getting better	26%
About the same	49%
Getting worse	23%
Not sure	2%

14. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	16%
Somewhat Approve	20%
Somewhat Disapprove	10%
Strongly Disapprove	52%
Not Sure	2%

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15. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	8%
Liberal	14%
Moderate	28%
Conservative	27%
Very Conservative	18%
Not sure	5%

16. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	31%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	34%
Neither support or oppose	35%

17. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	32%
Republican	35%
Independent	32%
Not sure	1%

18. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	49%	54%
Female	51%	46%

19. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	10%	4%
30-44	24%	13%
45-64	39%	50%
65+	28%	34%

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20. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	39%	17%
Some college	33%	37%
College graduate	17%	25%
Postgraduate degree	10%	21%

21. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	87%	89%
Black	8%	5%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	2%	4%

22. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	30%	26%
\$40,000-\$59,999	20%	20%
\$60,000-99,999	23%	23%
\$100,000 or more	14%	17%
Prefer not to say	12%	14%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kansas



Sample 1973 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3.8\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Kansas? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	3%
Mostly negative	57%
Both positive and negative	33%
Not sure	6%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Kansas this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	47%
No	40%
Not sure	13%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	39%
Somewhat enthusiastic	32%
Only a little	21%
Not at all	9%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Kansas elections with your friends or family?

Often	30%
A few times	43%
Hardly at all	18%
Never	9%

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5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	48%
Democrat	25%
Other party	4%
No party	22%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	79%
Probably will vote	21%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	62%
In person before election day (early voting)	16%
Vote by mail (absentee)	19%
Not sure	2%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	16%
No	84%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kansas



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Kansas?

Greg Orman	35%
Pat Roberts	36%
Randall Batson	1%
Other	0%
Not sure	18%
Lean Orman	3%
Lean Roberts	6%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Kansas in November?

Greg Orman	25%
Pat Roberts	50%
Randall Batson	1%
Not sure	24%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	62%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	16%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	23%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Kansas?

Paul Davis	37%
Sam Brownback	37%
Other	1%
Not sure	16%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	6%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kansas



13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Kansas in November?

Paul Davis	27%
Sam Brownback	48%
Not sure	25%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	68%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	12%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	19%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	10%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	54%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	36%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	54%
Somewhat important	31%
Not important	15%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	23%
Republicans	41%
Not sure	35%

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18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	51%
Somewhat important	35%
Not important	14%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	13%
Republicans	54%
Not sure	32%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Pat Roberts	36%
Greg Orman	37%
Randall Batson	4%
Paul Davis	34%
Sam Brownback	37%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Pat Roberts	45%
Greg Orman	38%
Randall Batson	16%
Paul Davis	36%
Sam Brownback	44%

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22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Pat Roberts	11%	31%	50%	7%
Greg Orman	22%	29%	39%	10%
Randall Batson	2%	6%	53%	39%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Pat Roberts	25%
Greg Orman	9%
Randall Batson	1%
Paul Davis	12%
Sam Brownback	20%
None of the above	59%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Pat Roberts	83%
Greg Orman	79%
Randall Batson	6%
Paul Davis	72%
Sam Brownback	82%
None of the above	10%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	19%
About the same	40%
Getting worse	40%
Not sure	2%

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26. How about the economy in Kansas? Do you think the economy in Kansas is getting better or worse?

Getting better	12%
About the same	42%
Getting worse	42%
Not sure	3%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	7%
Somewhat Approve	23%
Somewhat Disapprove	19%
Strongly Disapprove	49%
Not Sure	3%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	12%
Moderate	35%
Conservative	29%
Very Conservative	12%
Not sure	8%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	19%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	29%
Neither support or oppose	52%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kansas



30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	22%
Republican	36%
Independent	38%
Not sure	3%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	45%
Female	53%	55%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	6%
30-44	22%	18%
45-64	39%	47%
65+	29%	29%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	34%	9%
Some college	36%	32%
College graduate	20%	34%
Postgraduate degree	10%	25%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	88%	92%
Black	4%	2%
Hispanic	4%	1%
Other	4%	5%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kansas



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	27%	18%
\$40,000-\$59,999	17%	16%
\$60,000-99,999	27%	29%
\$100,000 or more	17%	24%
Prefer not to say	12%	13%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kentucky



Sample 1502 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3.8\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Kentucky? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	5%
Mostly negative	58%
Both positive and negative	33%
Not sure	4%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Kentucky this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	56%
No	32%
Not sure	12%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	43%
Somewhat enthusiastic	27%
Only a little	21%
Not at all	9%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Kentucky elections with your friends or family?

Often	36%
A few times	43%
Hardly at all	17%
Never	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kentucky



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	41%
Democrat	44%
Other party	3%
No party	7%
Not sure	4%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	81%
Probably will vote	19%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	88%
In person before election day (early voting)	8%
Vote by mail (absentee)	2%
Not sure	2%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	20%
No	80%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kentucky



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Kentucky?

Alison Lundergan Grimes	37%
Mitch McConnell	40%
David Patterson	2%
Other	0%
Not sure	14%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	5%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Kentucky in November?

Alison Lundergan Grimes	26%
Mitch McConnell	57%
David Patterson	1%
Not sure	16%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	72%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	11%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	17%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	10%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	55%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	35%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kentucky



13. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	61%
Somewhat important	26%
Not important	13%

14. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	29%
Republicans	43%
Not sure	28%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	60%
Somewhat important	27%
Not important	13%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	18%
Republicans	57%
Not sure	26%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Alison Lundergan Grimes	37%
Mitch McConnell	36%
David Patterson	7%

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18. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Alison Lundergan Grimes	51%
Mitch McConnell	49%
David Patterson	17%

19. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Alison Lundergan Grimes	20%	39%	35%	7%
Mitch McConnell	15%	27%	51%	7%
David Patterson	3%	6%	51%	39%

20. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Alison Lundergan Grimes	27%
Mitch McConnell	29%
David Patterson	1%
None of the above	59%

21. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Alison Lundergan Grimes	89%
Mitch McConnell	88%
David Patterson	8%
None of the above	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kentucky



22. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	20%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	44%
Not sure	4%

23. How about the economy in Kentucky? Do you think the economy in Kentucky is getting better or worse?

Getting better	16%
About the same	40%
Getting worse	41%
Not sure	4%

24. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	11%
Somewhat Approve	18%
Somewhat Disapprove	15%
Strongly Disapprove	53%
Not Sure	4%

25. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	4%
Liberal	12%
Moderate	33%
Conservative	27%
Very Conservative	13%
Not sure	12%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kentucky



26. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	25%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	27%
Neither support or oppose	48%

27. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	35%
Republican	34%
Independent	26%
Not sure	5%

28. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	47%
Female	53%	53%

29. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	5%
30-44	25%	18%
45-64	39%	48%
65+	26%	29%

30. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	43%	17%
Some college	31%	32%
College graduate	15%	29%
Postgraduate degree	11%	22%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Kentucky



31. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	89%	92%
Black	8%	4%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	2%	3%

32. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	38%	26%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	18%
\$60,000-99,999	19%	24%
\$100,000 or more	11%	18%
Prefer not to say	14%	14%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Louisiana



Sample 1318 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 4.7\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Louisiana? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	7%
Mostly negative	49%
Both positive and negative	38%
Not sure	6%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Louisiana this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	59%
No	29%
Not sure	13%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	44%
Somewhat enthusiastic	30%
Only a little	19%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Louisiana elections with your friends or family?

Often	29%
A few times	45%
Hardly at all	20%
Never	6%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Louisiana



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	33%
Democrat	44%
Other party	4%
No party	16%
Not sure	2%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	84%
Probably will vote	16%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	73%
In person before election day (early voting)	20%
Vote by mail (absentee)	4%
Not sure	3%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	8%
No	92%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Louisiana



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Louisiana?

Mary Landrieu	35%
Wayne Ables	0%
Vallian Senegal	0%
William Waymire, Jr.	0%
Raymond Brown	1%
Bill Cassidy	29%
Thomas Clements	1%
Rob Maness	5%
Brannon McMorris	3%
Other	0%
Not sure	19%
Lean Landrieu	2%
Lean Cassidy	4%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	58%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	21%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	21%

11. In Louisiana, if no candidate receives more than half the votes, the top two candidates will be in a runoff. If the candidates in a runoff were Mary Landrieu and Bill Cassidy, how would you vote?

Mary Landrieu (Democrat)	42%
Bill Cassidy (Republican)	46%
Not sure	12%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Louisiana



12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	21%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	50%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	29%

13. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	62%
Somewhat important	29%
Not important	9%

14. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	27%
Republicans	43%
Not sure	30%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	61%
Somewhat important	29%
Not important	10%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	21%
Republicans	51%
Not sure	28%

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17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Mary Landrieu	43%
Bill Cassidy	34%
Rob Maness	23%
Brannon McMorris	6%

18. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Mary Landrieu	45%
Bill Cassidy	40%
Rob Maness	16%
Brannon McMorris	16%

19. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Mary Landrieu	19%	28%	48%	4%
Bill Cassidy	15%	33%	42%	10%
Rob Maness	15%	8%	46%	31%
Brannon McMorris	3%	6%	48%	43%

20. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Mary Landrieu	20%
Bill Cassidy	17%
Rob Maness	6%
Brannon McMorris	0%
None of the above	68%

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21. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Mary Landrieu	88%
Bill Cassidy	82%
Rob Maness	19%
Brannon McMorris	3%
None of the above	9%

22. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	20%
About the same	35%
Getting worse	40%
Not sure	5%

23. How about the economy in Louisiana? Do you think the economy in Louisiana is getting better or worse?

Getting better	19%
About the same	47%
Getting worse	30%
Not sure	4%

24. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	14%
Somewhat Approve	20%
Somewhat Disapprove	11%
Strongly Disapprove	48%
Not Sure	6%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Louisiana



25. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	15%
Moderate	31%
Conservative	27%
Very Conservative	15%
Not sure	7%

26. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	24%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	26%
Neither support or oppose	50%

27. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	36%
Republican	30%
Independent	32%
Not sure	2%

28. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	48%
Female	52%	52%

29. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	14%	6%
30-44	23%	17%
45-64	38%	48%
65+	25%	30%

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30. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	45%	19%
Some college	30%	33%
College graduate	16%	27%
Postgraduate degree	8%	21%

31. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	64%	80%
Black	31%	13%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	3%	6%

32. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	33%	24%
\$40,000-\$59,999	24%	21%
\$60,000-99,999	21%	26%
\$100,000 or more	12%	18%
Prefer not to say	10%	11%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Massachusetts



Sample 2218 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 2.7\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Massachusetts? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	8%
Mostly negative	35%
Both positive and negative	50%
Not sure	7%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Massachusetts this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	55%
No	30%
Not sure	15%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	31%
Somewhat enthusiastic	37%
Only a little	21%
Not at all	11%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Massachusetts elections with your friends or family?

Often	24%
A few times	47%
Hardly at all	21%
Never	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Massachusetts



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	14%
Democrat	39%
Other party	6%
No party	41%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	82%
Probably will vote	18%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	86%
In person before election day (early voting)	7%
Vote by mail (absentee)	6%
Not sure	1%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	28%
No	72%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Massachusetts



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Massachusetts?

Ed Markey	50%
Brian Herr	29%
Other	0%
Not sure	14%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Massachusetts in November?

Ed Markey	74%
Brian Herr	8%
Not sure	18%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	64%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	17%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	19%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Massachusetts?

Martha Coakley	39%
Charlie Baker	37%
Other	1%
Not sure	13%
Lean Democratic	6%
Lean Republican	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Massachusetts



13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Massachusetts in November?

Martha Coakley	40%
Charlie Baker	31%
Not sure	29%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	66%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	15%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	19%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	26%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	33%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	41%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	65%
Somewhat important	26%
Not important	9%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	34%
Republicans	34%
Not sure	31%

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18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	62%
Somewhat important	29%
Not important	10%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	22%
Republicans	50%
Not sure	28%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Ed Markey	48%
Brian Herr	22%
Martha Coakley	42%
Charlie Baker	44%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Ed Markey	27%
Brian Herr	15%
Martha Coakley	38%
Charlie Baker	26%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Massachusetts



22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Ed Markey	12%	9%	70%	10%
Brian Herr	12%	5%	66%	18%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Ed Markey	7%
Brian Herr	3%
Martha Coakley	14%
Charlie Baker	11%
None of the above	75%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Ed Markey	30%
Brian Herr	13%
Martha Coakley	76%
Charlie Baker	72%
None of the above	18%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	27%
About the same	38%
Getting worse	31%
Not sure	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Massachusetts



26. How about the economy in Massachusetts? Do you think the economy in Massachusetts is getting better or worse?

Getting better	26%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	26%
Not sure	5%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	15%
Somewhat Approve	31%
Somewhat Disapprove	15%
Strongly Disapprove	33%
Not Sure	5%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	12%
Liberal	21%
Moderate	36%
Conservative	21%
Very Conservative	5%
Not sure	5%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	16%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	48%
Neither support or oppose	36%

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30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	37%
Republican	14%
Independent	46%
Not sure	3%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	51%
Female	53%	49%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	6%
30-44	22%	17%
45-64	40%	46%
65+	27%	31%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	28%	12%
Some college	27%	26%
College graduate	24%	30%
Postgraduate degree	21%	32%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	87%	91%
Black	4%	2%
Hispanic	5%	1%
Other	4%	6%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Massachusetts



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	23%	17%
\$40,000-\$59,999	16%	14%
\$60,000-99,999	22%	23%
\$100,000 or more	27%	32%
Prefer not to say	13%	14%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Maryland



Sample 1086 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 4.6\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Maryland? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	6%
Mostly negative	39%
Both positive and negative	43%
Not sure	12%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Maryland this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	54%
No	30%
Not sure	16%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	40%
Somewhat enthusiastic	26%
Only a little	23%
Not at all	10%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Maryland elections with your friends or family?

Often	28%
A few times	42%
Hardly at all	20%
Never	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Maryland



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	26%
Democrat	55%
Other party	4%
No party	15%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	86%
Probably will vote	14%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	69%
In person before election day (early voting)	20%
Vote by mail (absentee)	7%
Not sure	3%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	11%
No	89%
Not sure	0%

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9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Maryland?

Anthony Brown	46%
Larry Hogan	35%
Other	0%
Not sure	11%
Lean Democratic	5%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Maryland in November?

Anthony Brown	65%
Larry Hogan	13%
Not sure	22%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	74%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	10%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	16%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	30%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	32%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	38%

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13. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	40%
Republicans	34%
Not sure	26%

14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	69%
Somewhat important	22%
Not important	9%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	25%
Republicans	56%
Not sure	19%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Anthony Brown	43%
Larry Hogan	38%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Anthony Brown	39%
Larry Hogan	34%

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18. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Anthony Brown	16%
Larry Hogan	11%
None of the above	70%

19. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Anthony Brown	74%
Larry Hogan	66%
None of the above	18%

20. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	29%
About the same	36%
Getting worse	32%
Not sure	3%

21. How about the economy in Maryland? Do you think the economy in Maryland is getting better or worse?

Getting better	23%
About the same	38%
Getting worse	34%
Not sure	4%

22. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	20%
Somewhat Approve	30%
Somewhat Disapprove	14%
Strongly Disapprove	33%
Not Sure	3%

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23. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	14%
Liberal	17%
Moderate	35%
Conservative	19%
Very Conservative	11%
Not sure	3%

24. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	23%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	51%
Neither support or oppose	26%

25. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	50%
Republican	23%
Independent	26%
Not sure	1%

26. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	45%	56%
Female	55%	44%

27. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	13%	4%
30-44	22%	13%
45-64	40%	46%
65+	25%	38%

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28. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	24%	10%
Some college	32%	27%
College graduate	23%	29%
Postgraduate degree	21%	33%

29. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	66%	83%
Black	28%	9%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	4%	7%

30. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	20%	14%
\$40,000-\$59,999	19%	13%
\$60,000-99,999	23%	24%
\$100,000 or more	25%	32%
Prefer not to say	13%	17%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Maine



Sample 1177 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 5.1\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Maine? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	2%
Mostly negative	47%
Both positive and negative	49%
Not sure	3%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Maine this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	64%
No	27%
Not sure	9%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	34%
Somewhat enthusiastic	37%
Only a little	23%
Not at all	6%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Maine elections with your friends or family?

Often	32%
A few times	44%
Hardly at all	17%
Never	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Maine



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	25%
Democrat	36%
Other party	12%
No party	25%
Not sure	2%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	89%
Probably will vote	11%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	70%
In person before election day (early voting)	11%
Vote by mail (absentee)	15%
Not sure	4%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	20%
No	79%
Not sure	0%

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9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Maine?

Shenna Bellows	30%
Susan Collins	48%
Other	0%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	5%
Lean Republican	6%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Maine in November?

Shenna Bellows	8%
Susan Collins	74%
Not sure	18%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	64%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	15%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	20%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Maine?

Mike Michaud	33%
Paul LePage	31%
Eliot Cutler	7%
Other	0%
Not sure	21%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	5%

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13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Maine in November?

Mike Michaud	31%
Paul LePage	37%
Eliot Cutler	3%
Not sure	30%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	62%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	14%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	24%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	15%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	32%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	53%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	48%
Somewhat important	30%
Not important	22%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	29%
Republicans	30%
Not sure	42%

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18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	48%
Somewhat important	31%
Not important	21%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	16%
Republicans	39%
Not sure	45%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Shenna Bellows	35%
Susan Collins	59%
Mike Michaud	44%
Paul LePage	35%
Eliot Cutler	30%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Shenna Bellows	25%
Susan Collins	24%
Mike Michaud	34%
Paul LePage	54%
Eliot Cutler	29%

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22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Shenna Bellows	19%	16%	57%	9%
Susan Collins	17%	14%	63%	7%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Shenna Bellows	9%
Susan Collins	8%
Mike Michaud	14%
Paul LePage	13%
Eliot Cutler	9%
None of the above	70%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Shenna Bellows	70%
Susan Collins	81%
Mike Michaud	84%
Paul LePage	84%
Eliot Cutler	73%
None of the above	10%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	23%
About the same	36%
Getting worse	37%
Not sure	4%

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26. How about the economy in Maine? Do you think the economy in Maine is getting better or worse?

Getting better	15%
About the same	39%
Getting worse	42%
Not sure	3%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	9%
Somewhat Approve	31%
Somewhat Disapprove	20%
Strongly Disapprove	36%
Not Sure	3%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	10%
Liberal	14%
Moderate	40%
Conservative	22%
Very Conservative	8%
Not sure	6%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	14%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	40%
Neither support or oppose	46%

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30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	28%
Republican	22%
Independent	46%
Not sure	5%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	46%
Female	53%	54%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	5%
30-44	20%	17%
45-64	40%	47%
65+	29%	31%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	39%	15%
Some college	31%	34%
College graduate	19%	30%
Postgraduate degree	11%	20%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	97%	95%
Black	1%	1%
Hispanic	1%	1%
Other	2%	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Maine



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	33%	25%
\$40,000-\$59,999	21%	20%
\$60,000-99,999	24%	26%
\$100,000 or more	12%	17%
Prefer not to say	10%	12%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Michigan



Sample 2394 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3.5\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Michigan? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	5%
Mostly negative	51%
Both positive and negative	40%
Not sure	5%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Michigan this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	49%
No	41%
Not sure	10%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	43%
Somewhat enthusiastic	30%
Only a little	19%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Michigan elections with your friends or family?

Often	32%
A few times	43%
Hardly at all	17%
Never	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Michigan



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	87%
Probably will vote	13%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	66%
In person before election day (early voting)	9%
Vote by mail (absentee)	24%
Not sure	1%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	35%
No	65%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Michigan?

Gary Peters	45%
Terri Lynn Land	38%
Other	1%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Michigan



9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Michigan in November?

Gary Peters	52%
Terri Lynn Land	22%
Not sure	25%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	71%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	16%

11. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Michigan?

Mark Schauer	41%
Rick Snyder	40%
Other	1%
Not sure	11%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	4%

12. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Michigan in November?

Mark Schauer	22%
Rick Snyder	54%
Not sure	24%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Michigan



13. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	78%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	8%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	14%

14. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	20%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	41%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	38%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	69%
Somewhat important	20%
Not important	11%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	30%
Republicans	42%
Not sure	29%

17. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	66%
Somewhat important	23%
Not important	11%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Michigan



18. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	19%
Republicans	54%
Not sure	27%

19. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Gary Peters	41%
Terri Lynn Land	35%
Mark Schauer	40%
Rick Snyder	42%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Gary Peters	36%
Terri Lynn Land	47%
Mark Schauer	38%
Rick Snyder	42%

21. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Gary Peters	23%	19%	48%	10%
Terri Lynn Land	14%	35%	43%	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Michigan



22. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Gary Peters	13%
Terri Lynn Land	12%
Mark Schauer	11%
Rick Snyder	10%
None of the above	73%

23. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Gary Peters	77%
Terri Lynn Land	79%
Mark Schauer	75%
Rick Snyder	78%
None of the above	14%

24. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	26%
About the same	41%
Getting worse	29%
Not sure	5%

25. How about the economy in Michigan? Do you think the economy in Michigan is getting better or worse?

Getting better	37%
About the same	37%
Getting worse	21%
Not sure	5%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Michigan



26. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	14%
Somewhat Approve	26%
Somewhat Disapprove	13%
Strongly Disapprove	41%
Not Sure	5%

27. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	9%
Liberal	15%
Moderate	30%
Conservative	26%
Very Conservative	12%
Not sure	8%

28. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	24%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	38%
Neither support or oppose	38%

29. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	34%
Republican	27%
Independent	35%
Not sure	4%

30. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	52%
Female	52%	48%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Michigan



31. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	13%	4%
30-44	21%	11%
45-64	40%	49%
65+	26%	36%

32. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	34%	15%
Some college	39%	37%
College graduate	17%	29%
Postgraduate degree	10%	20%

33. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	83%	89%
Black	12%	5%
Hispanic	3%	1%
Other	2%	6%

34. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	36%	27%
\$40,000-\$59,999	20%	19%
\$60,000-99,999	19%	23%
\$100,000 or more	13%	17%
Prefer not to say	12%	14%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Minnesota



Sample 2430 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Minnesota? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	5%
Mostly negative	45%
Both positive and negative	45%
Not sure	6%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Minnesota this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	48%
No	37%
Not sure	15%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	36%
Somewhat enthusiastic	36%
Only a little	21%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Minnesota elections with your friends or family?

Often	25%
A few times	42%
Hardly at all	24%
Never	9%

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5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	84%
Probably will vote	16%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	81%
In person before election day (early voting)	7%
Vote by mail (absentee)	11%
Not sure	2%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	41%
No	59%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Minnesota?

Al Franken	48%
Mike McFadden	39%
Other	1%
Not sure	7%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	2%

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9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Minnesota in November?

Al Franken	65%
Mike McFadden	17%
Not sure	18%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	75%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	12%

11. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Minnesota?

Mark Dayton	47%
Jeff Johnson	38%
Other	1%
Not sure	9%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	2%

12. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Minnesota in November?

Mark Dayton	63%
Jeff Johnson	16%
Not sure	21%

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13. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	74%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	12%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	13%

14. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	19%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	43%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	38%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	62%
Somewhat important	28%
Not important	10%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	32%
Republicans	35%
Not sure	33%

17. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	59%
Somewhat important	32%
Not important	9%

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18. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	18%
Republicans	50%
Not sure	31%

19. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Al Franken	52%
Mike McFadden	35%
Mark Dayton	48%
Jeff Johnson	33%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Al Franken	37%
Mike McFadden	36%
Mark Dayton	37%
Jeff Johnson	31%

21. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Al Franken	21%	17%	60%	3%
Mike McFadden	20%	26%	48%	7%

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22. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Al Franken	13%
Mike McFadden	7%
Mark Dayton	8%
Jeff Johnson	5%
None of the above	75%

23. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Al Franken	80%
Mike McFadden	74%
Mark Dayton	75%
Jeff Johnson	66%
None of the above	14%

24. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	28%
About the same	40%
Getting worse	28%
Not sure	4%

25. How about the economy in Minnesota? Do you think the economy in Minnesota is getting better or worse?

Getting better	35%
About the same	41%
Getting worse	20%
Not sure	4%

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26. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	14%
Somewhat Approve	25%
Somewhat Disapprove	18%
Strongly Disapprove	40%
Not Sure	3%

27. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	9%
Liberal	16%
Moderate	28%
Conservative	28%
Very Conservative	11%
Not sure	7%

28. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	19%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	41%
Neither support or oppose	40%

29. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	35%
Republican	31%
Independent	30%
Not sure	3%

30. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	49%	49%
Female	51%	51%

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31. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	5%
30-44	25%	18%
45-64	40%	47%
65+	25%	30%

32. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	33%	13%
Some college	35%	34%
College graduate	21%	34%
Postgraduate degree	10%	19%

33. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	92%	94%
Black	3%	1%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	3%	4%

34. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	25%	21%
\$40,000-\$59,999	20%	18%
\$60,000-99,999	25%	28%
\$100,000 or more	18%	22%
Prefer not to say	12%	11%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Missouri



Sample 1137 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 4.5\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Missouri? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	8%
Mostly negative	36%
Both positive and negative	44%
Not sure	13%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Missouri this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	37%
No	43%
Not sure	19%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	44%
Somewhat enthusiastic	30%
Only a little	19%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Missouri elections with your friends or family?

Often	24%
A few times	45%
Hardly at all	22%
Never	8%

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5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	85%
Probably will vote	15%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	83%
In person before election day (early voting)	10%
Vote by mail (absentee)	6%
Not sure	1%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	22%
No	78%
Not sure	0%

8. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	20%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	52%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	28%

9. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	25%
Republicans	48%
Not sure	27%

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10. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	67%
Somewhat important	21%
Not important	12%

11. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	15%
Republicans	66%
Not sure	19%

12. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	23%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	43%
Not sure	1%

13. How about the economy in Missouri? Do you think the economy in Missouri is getting better or worse?

Getting better	20%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	36%
Not sure	2%

14. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	14%
Somewhat Approve	22%
Somewhat Disapprove	9%
Strongly Disapprove	54%
Not Sure	1%

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15. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	11%
Liberal	13%
Moderate	26%
Conservative	26%
Very Conservative	19%
Not sure	5%

16. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	31%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	34%
Neither support or oppose	34%

17. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	33%
Republican	29%
Independent	36%
Not sure	3%

18. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	56%
Female	52%	44%

19. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	10%	3%
30-44	22%	9%
45-64	39%	48%
65+	28%	39%

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20. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	39%	15%
Some college	34%	38%
College graduate	16%	25%
Postgraduate degree	11%	22%

21. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	85%	89%
Black	10%	4%
Hispanic	3%	1%
Other	2%	5%

22. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	37%	28%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	15%
\$60,000-99,999	17%	23%
\$100,000 or more	13%	18%
Prefer not to say	16%	17%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Mississippi



Sample 654 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 6.8\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Mississippi? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	10%
Mostly negative	23%
Both positive and negative	41%
Not sure	25%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Mississippi this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	40%
No	39%
Not sure	21%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	35%
Somewhat enthusiastic	32%
Only a little	22%
Not at all	11%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Mississippi elections with your friends or family?

Often	20%
A few times	48%
Hardly at all	24%
Never	8%

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5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	83%
Probably will vote	17%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	86%
In person before election day (early voting)	9%
Vote by mail (absentee)	2%
Not sure	3%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	11%
No	89%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Mississippi?

Travis Childers	26%
Thad Cochran	41%
Other	2%
Not sure	20%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	9%

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9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Mississippi in November?

Travis Childers	14%
Thad Cochran	64%
Not sure	22%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	55%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	24%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	21%

11. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	24%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	51%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	25%

12. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	67%
Somewhat important	25%
Not important	9%

13. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	23%
Republicans	45%
Not sure	32%

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14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	65%
Somewhat important	25%
Not important	10%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	17%
Republicans	52%
Not sure	31%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Travis Childers	30%
Thad Cochran	43%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Travis Childers	21%
Thad Cochran	26%

18. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Travis Childers	18%	4%	65%	13%
Thad Cochran	14%	17%	57%	12%

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19. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Travis Childers	5%
Thad Cochran	10%
None of the above	82%

20. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Travis Childers	37%
Thad Cochran	55%
None of the above	35%

21. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	15%
About the same	39%
Getting worse	42%
Not sure	3%

22. How about the economy in Mississippi? Do you think the economy in Mississippi is getting better or worse?

Getting better	12%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	42%
Not sure	3%

23. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	17%
Somewhat Approve	14%
Somewhat Disapprove	10%
Strongly Disapprove	53%
Not Sure	5%

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24. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	3%
Liberal	12%
Moderate	28%
Conservative	30%
Very Conservative	20%
Not sure	8%

25. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	25%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	24%
Neither support or oppose	51%

26. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	30%
Republican	34%
Independent	33%
Not sure	3%

27. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	51%
Female	52%	49%

28. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	5%
30-44	26%	16%
45-64	37%	49%
65+	26%	30%

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29. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	43%	13%
Some college	34%	34%
College graduate	15%	31%
Postgraduate degree	9%	22%

30. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	62%	81%
Black	35%	15%
Hispanic	1%	1%
Other	1%	3%

31. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	40%	27%
\$40,000-\$59,999	19%	18%
\$60,000-99,999	20%	25%
\$100,000 or more	9%	19%
Prefer not to say	12%	11%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Montana



Sample 497 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 5.8\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Montana? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	10%
Mostly negative	28%
Both positive and negative	56%
Not sure	7%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Montana this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	53%
No	34%
Not sure	14%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	43%
Somewhat enthusiastic	33%
Only a little	17%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Montana elections with your friends or family?

Often	30%
A few times	51%
Hardly at all	13%
Never	6%

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5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	90%
Probably will vote	10%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	34%
In person before election day (early voting)	3%
Vote by mail (absentee)	61%
Not sure	2%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	49%
No	51%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Montana?

Amanda Curtis	35%
Steve Daines	53%
Other	0%
Not sure	6%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	3%

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9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Montana in November?

Amanda Curtis	10%
Steve Daines	77%
Not sure	13%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	80%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	8%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	12%

11. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	14%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	52%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	34%

12. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	64%
Somewhat important	27%
Not important	9%

13. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	23%
Republicans	48%
Not sure	28%

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14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	65%
Somewhat important	26%
Not important	9%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	11%
Republicans	63%
Not sure	26%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Amanda Curtis	38%
Steve Daines	51%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Amanda Curtis	39%
Steve Daines	35%

18. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Amanda Curtis	23%	19%	50%	8%
Steve Daines	18%	16%	62%	4%

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19. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Amanda Curtis	9%
Steve Daines	24%
None of the above	69%

20. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Amanda Curtis	55%
Steve Daines	75%
None of the above	17%

21. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	25%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	42%
Not sure	1%

22. How about the economy in Montana? Do you think the economy in Montana is getting better or worse?

Getting better	25%
About the same	49%
Getting worse	24%
Not sure	2%

23. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	11%
Somewhat Approve	24%
Somewhat Disapprove	11%
Strongly Disapprove	53%
Not Sure	1%

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24. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	7%
Liberal	14%
Moderate	35%
Conservative	25%
Very Conservative	15%
Not sure	5%

25. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	26%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	33%
Neither support or oppose	41%

26. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	24%
Republican	28%
Independent	45%
Not sure	3%

27. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	51%	47%
Female	49%	53%

28. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	13%	5%
30-44	20%	14%
45-64	40%	47%
65+	26%	33%

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29. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	31%	13%
Some college	41%	38%
College graduate	20%	32%
Postgraduate degree	9%	18%

30. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	91%	93%
Black	0%	0%
Hispanic	1%	1%
Other	8%	6%

31. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	36%	33%
\$40,000-\$59,999	20%	18%
\$60,000-99,999	23%	23%
\$100,000 or more	9%	12%
Prefer not to say	13%	14%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Carolina



Sample 1910 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error ±3.9%

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in North Carolina? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	4%
Mostly negative	62%
Both positive and negative	29%
Not sure	5%

2. Have the candidates running for election in North Carolina this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	58%
No	33%
Not sure	9%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	47%
Somewhat enthusiastic	27%
Only a little	19%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming North Carolina elections with your friends or family?

Often	37%
A few times	44%
Hardly at all	13%
Never	6%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Carolina



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	34%
Democrat	39%
Other party	3%
No party	24%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	84%
Probably will vote	16%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	50%
In person before election day (early voting)	35%
Vote by mail (absentee)	10%
Not sure	6%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	9%
No	91%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Carolina



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from North Carolina?

Kay Hagan	42%
Thom Tillis	36%
Sean Haugh	2%
Other	0%
Not sure	13%
Lean Democratic	1%
Lean Republican	5%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from North Carolina in November?

Kay Hagan	40%
Thom Tillis	35%
Sean Haugh	1%
Not sure	25%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	75%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	10%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	23%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	50%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	27%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Carolina



13. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	73%
Somewhat important	21%
Not important	6%

14. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	29%
Republicans	45%
Not sure	27%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	71%
Somewhat important	21%
Not important	8%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	19%
Republicans	59%
Not sure	22%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Kay Hagan	43%
Thom Tillis	34%
Sean Haugh	10%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Carolina



18. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Kay Hagan	48%
Thom Tillis	51%
Sean Haugh	21%

19. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Kay Hagan	20%	32%	43%	5%
Thom Tillis	15%	38%	41%	6%
Sean Haugh	5%	8%	50%	37%

20. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Kay Hagan	24%
Thom Tillis	18%
Sean Haugh	1%
None of the above	65%

21. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Kay Hagan	89%
Thom Tillis	87%
Sean Haugh	7%
None of the above	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Carolina



22. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	25%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	39%
Not sure	2%

23. How about the economy in North Carolina? Do you think the economy in North Carolina is getting better or worse?

Getting better	21%
About the same	42%
Getting worse	34%
Not sure	3%

24. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	18%
Somewhat Approve	23%
Somewhat Disapprove	7%
Strongly Disapprove	50%
Not Sure	2%

25. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	8%
Liberal	17%
Moderate	32%
Conservative	26%
Very Conservative	14%
Not sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Carolina



26. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	27%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	36%
Neither support or oppose	37%

27. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	36%
Republican	28%
Independent	34%
Not sure	1%

28. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	56%
Female	53%	44%

29. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	10%	4%
30-44	26%	12%
45-64	39%	45%
65+	26%	39%

30. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	31%	12%
Some college	37%	34%
College graduate	22%	32%
Postgraduate degree	11%	22%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Carolina



31. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	75%	85%
Black	21%	9%
Hispanic	1%	1%
Other	3%	5%

32. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	33%	23%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	18%
\$60,000-99,999	22%	24%
\$100,000 or more	13%	19%
Prefer not to say	14%	16%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Dakota



Sample 191 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 13.7\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in North Dakota? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	13%
Mostly negative	12%
Both positive and negative	59%
Not sure	16%

2. Have the candidates running for election in North Dakota this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	61%
No	28%
Not sure	11%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	37%
Somewhat enthusiastic	35%
Only a little	25%
Not at all	3%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming North Dakota elections with your friends or family?

Often	31%
A few times	42%
Hardly at all	19%
Never	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Dakota



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	92%
Probably will vote	8%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	47%
In person before election day (early voting)	29%
Vote by mail (absentee)	22%
Not sure	3%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	30%
No	69%
Not sure	0%

8. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	14%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	62%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	24%

9. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	21%
Republicans	40%
Not sure	39%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Dakota



10. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	57%
Somewhat important	32%
Not important	11%

11. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	8%
Republicans	71%
Not sure	21%

12. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	24%
About the same	31%
Getting worse	45%
Not sure	0%

13. How about the economy in North Dakota? Do you think the economy in North Dakota is getting better or worse?

Getting better	49%
About the same	44%
Getting worse	7%
Not sure	0%

14. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	5%
Somewhat Approve	23%
Somewhat Disapprove	9%
Strongly Disapprove	62%
Not Sure	1%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Dakota



15. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	7%
Liberal	14%
Moderate	22%
Conservative	31%
Very Conservative	15%
Not sure	11%

16. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	27%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	33%
Neither support or oppose	40%

17. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	22%
Republican	35%
Independent	41%
Not sure	2%

18. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	53%
Female	53%	47%

19. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	19%	6%
30-44	19%	19%
45-64	37%	47%
65+	25%	28%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) North Dakota



20. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	37%	10%
Some college	36%	41%
College graduate	22%	31%
Postgraduate degree	6%	17%

21. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	98%	96%
Black	0%	0%
Hispanic	0%	0%
Other	2%	4%

22. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	24%	25%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	16%
\$60,000-99,999	19%	23%
\$100,000 or more	15%	21%
Prefer not to say	23%	15%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nebraska



Sample 681 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error ±5.2%

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Nebraska? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	6%
Mostly negative	38%
Both positive and negative	49%
Not sure	6%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Nebraska this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	56%
No	30%
Not sure	14%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	44%
Somewhat enthusiastic	27%
Only a little	21%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Nebraska elections with your friends or family?

Often	25%
A few times	44%
Hardly at all	22%
Never	10%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nebraska



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	51%
Democrat	30%
Other party	4%
No party	12%
Not sure	2%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	85%
Probably will vote	15%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	65%
In person before election day (early voting)	8%
Vote by mail (absentee)	24%
Not sure	3%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	32%
No	68%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nebraska



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Nebraska?

David Domina	28%
Ben Sasse	54%
Other	0%
Not sure	11%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	4%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Nebraska in November?

David Domina	13%
Ben Sasse	70%
Not sure	17%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	69%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	16%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Nebraska?

Chuck Hassebrook	31%
Pete Ricketts	51%
Other	0%
Not sure	11%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nebraska



13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Nebraska in November?

Chuck Hassebrook	14%
Pete Ricketts	64%
Not sure	22%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	69%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	17%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	14%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	13%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	57%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	30%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	60%
Somewhat important	29%
Not important	11%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	19%
Republicans	48%
Not sure	33%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nebraska



18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	57%
Somewhat important	31%
Not important	12%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	12%
Republicans	60%
Not sure	28%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

David Domina	32%
Ben Sasse	58%
Chuck Hassebrook	30%
Pete Ricketts	52%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

David Domina	27%
Ben Sasse	21%
Chuck Hassebrook	35%
Pete Ricketts	30%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nebraska



22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
David Domina	14%	12%	62%	11%
Ben Sasse	23%	11%	57%	10%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

David Domina	10%
Ben Sasse	25%
Chuck Hassebrook	12%
Pete Ricketts	21%
None of the above	55%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

David Domina	44%
Ben Sasse	69%
Chuck Hassebrook	66%
Pete Ricketts	79%
None of the above	16%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	19%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	43%
Not sure	6%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nebraska



26. How about the economy in Nebraska? Do you think the economy in Nebraska is getting better or worse?

Getting better	16%
About the same	53%
Getting worse	25%
Not sure	6%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	9%
Somewhat Approve	18%
Somewhat Disapprove	11%
Strongly Disapprove	57%
Not Sure	4%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	12%
Moderate	25%
Conservative	33%
Very Conservative	17%
Not sure	8%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	30%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	28%
Neither support or oppose	42%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nebraska



30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	25%
Republican	42%
Independent	32%
Not sure	1%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	55%
Female	52%	45%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	10%	5%
30-44	22%	14%
45-64	39%	50%
65+	29%	31%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	34%	14%
Some college	36%	30%
College graduate	20%	28%
Postgraduate degree	10%	27%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	92%	94%
Black	3%	2%
Hispanic	3%	1%
Other	2%	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nebraska



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	32%	24%
\$40,000-\$59,999	21%	20%
\$60,000-99,999	25%	26%
\$100,000 or more	14%	22%
Prefer not to say	9%	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Hampshire



Sample 1042 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 4.3\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in New Hampshire? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	3%
Mostly negative	56%
Both positive and negative	37%
Not sure	3%

2. Have the candidates running for election in New Hampshire this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	53%
No	37%
Not sure	10%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	40%
Somewhat enthusiastic	32%
Only a little	22%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming New Hampshire elections with your friends or family?

Often	33%
A few times	42%
Hardly at all	17%
Never	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Hampshire



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	28%
Democrat	31%
Other party	10%
No party	30%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	86%
Probably will vote	14%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	87%
In person before election day (early voting)	6%
Vote by mail (absentee)	5%
Not sure	2%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	32%
No	68%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Hampshire



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from New Hampshire?

Jeanne Shaheen	41%
Scott Brown	38%
Other	1%
Not sure	12%
Lean Democratic	5%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from New Hampshire in November?

Jeanne Shaheen	49%
Scott Brown	27%
Not sure	24%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	72%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in New Hampshire?

Maggie Hassan	45%
Walt Havenstein	35%
Other	1%
Not sure	13%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Hampshire



13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in New Hampshire in November?

Maggie Hassan	57%
Walt Havenstein	18%
Not sure	25%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	70%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	16%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	16%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	47%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	38%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	60%
Somewhat important	28%
Not important	12%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	27%
Republicans	37%
Not sure	36%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Hampshire



18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	57%
Somewhat important	31%
Not important	12%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	20%
Republicans	47%
Not sure	33%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Jeanne Shaheen	44%
Scott Brown	36%
Maggie Hassan	46%
Walt Havenstein	33%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Jeanne Shaheen	39%
Scott Brown	45%
Maggie Hassan	29%
Walt Havenstein	29%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Hampshire



22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Jeanne Shaheen	13%	21%	60%	6%
Scott Brown	13%	28%	52%	7%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Jeanne Shaheen	18%
Scott Brown	19%
Maggie Hassan	10%
Walt Havenstein	11%
None of the above	67%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Jeanne Shaheen	85%
Scott Brown	85%
Maggie Hassan	74%
Walt Havenstein	64%
None of the above	11%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	24%
About the same	38%
Getting worse	35%
Not sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Hampshire



26. How about the economy in New Hampshire? Do you think the economy in New Hampshire is getting better or worse?

Getting better	22%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	31%
Not sure	4%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	12%
Somewhat Approve	22%
Somewhat Disapprove	16%
Strongly Disapprove	46%
Not Sure	4%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	19%
Moderate	38%
Conservative	24%
Very Conservative	7%
Not sure	8%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	16%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	42%
Neither support or oppose	42%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Hampshire



30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	26%
Republican	23%
Independent	48%
Not sure	3%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	49%
Female	53%	51%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	10%	3%
30-44	20%	14%
45-64	44%	47%
65+	26%	36%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	31%	13%
Some college	31%	31%
College graduate	21%	32%
Postgraduate degree	17%	25%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	96%	96%
Black	0%	0%
Hispanic	2%	0%
Other	2%	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Hampshire



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	22%	18%
\$40,000-\$59,999	19%	16%
\$60,000-99,999	27%	27%
\$100,000 or more	21%	26%
Prefer not to say	12%	13%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Jersey



Sample 1868 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error ±3.6%

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in New Jersey? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	10%
Mostly negative	30%
Both positive and negative	45%
Not sure	15%

2. Have the candidates running for election in New Jersey this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	38%
No	40%
Not sure	22%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	39%
Somewhat enthusiastic	30%
Only a little	20%
Not at all	11%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming New Jersey elections with your friends or family?

Often	21%
A few times	40%
Hardly at all	26%
Never	14%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Jersey



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	30%
Democrat	45%
Other party	2%
No party	21%
Not sure	3%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	81%
Probably will vote	19%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	81%
In person before election day (early voting)	6%
Vote by mail (absentee)	13%
Not sure	0%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	46%
No	52%
Not sure	2%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Jersey



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from New Jersey?

Cory Booker	48%
Jeff Bell	35%
Other	0%
Not sure	9%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	4%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from New Jersey in November?

Cory Booker	73%
Jeff Bell	11%
Not sure	16%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	72%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	11%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	17%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	26%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	41%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	33%

13. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	71%
Somewhat important	22%
Not important	6%

14. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	33%
Republicans	39%
Not sure	28%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	68%
Somewhat important	24%
Not important	8%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	20%
Republicans	55%
Not sure	25%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Cory Booker	52%
Jeff Bell	32%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Jersey



18. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Cory Booker	30%
Jeff Bell	25%

19. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Cory Booker	17%	12%	64%	7%
Jeff Bell	17%	9%	61%	14%

20. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Cory Booker	12%
Jeff Bell	4%
None of the above	72%

21. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Cory Booker	47%
Jeff Bell	22%
None of the above	35%

22. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	24%
About the same	37%
Getting worse	36%
Not sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Jersey



23. How about the economy in New Jersey? Do you think the economy in New Jersey is getting better or worse?

Getting better	12%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	40%
Not sure	5%

24. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	19%
Somewhat Approve	26%
Somewhat Disapprove	12%
Strongly Disapprove	40%
Not Sure	3%

25. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	10%
Liberal	17%
Moderate	34%
Conservative	25%
Very Conservative	8%
Not sure	5%

26. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	22%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	43%
Neither support or oppose	35%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Jersey



27. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	42%
Republican	25%
Independent	31%
Not sure	3%

28. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	54%
Female	52%	46%

29. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	4%
30-44	20%	11%
45-64	41%	48%
65+	29%	37%

30. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	31%	15%
Some college	26%	29%
College graduate	25%	30%
Postgraduate degree	18%	26%

31. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	73%	87%
Black	14%	5%
Hispanic	8%	2%
Other	6%	5%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Jersey



32. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	21%	14%
\$40,000-\$59,999	16%	13%
\$60,000-99,999	23%	25%
\$100,000 or more	26%	32%
Prefer not to say	15%	17%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Mexico



Sample 962 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 6\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in New Mexico? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	3%
Mostly negative	58%
Both positive and negative	33%
Not sure	6%

2. Have the candidates running for election in New Mexico this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	41%
No	45%
Not sure	14%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	39%
Somewhat enthusiastic	25%
Only a little	22%
Not at all	14%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming New Mexico elections with your friends or family?

Often	24%
A few times	49%
Hardly at all	18%
Never	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Mexico



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	31%
Democrat	46%
Other party	4%
No party	18%
Not sure	2%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	87%
Probably will vote	13%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	31%
In person before election day (early voting)	48%
Vote by mail (absentee)	17%
Not sure	4%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	15%
No	85%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Mexico



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from New Mexico?

Tom Udall	50%
Allen Weh	32%
Other	1%
Not sure	11%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	4%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from New Mexico in November?

Tom Udall	64%
Allen Weh	16%
Not sure	21%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	72%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in New Mexico?

Gary King	31%
Susana Martinez	45%
Other	0%
Not sure	12%
Lean Democratic	7%
Lean Republican	5%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Mexico



13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in New Mexico in November?

Gary King	12%
Susana Martinez	69%
Not sure	19%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	72%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	8%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	20%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	18%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	40%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	42%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	64%
Somewhat important	22%
Not important	13%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	34%
Republicans	34%
Not sure	32%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Mexico



18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	60%
Somewhat important	27%
Not important	13%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	18%
Republicans	48%
Not sure	34%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Tom Udall	52%
Allen Weh	29%
Gary King	27%
Susana Martinez	42%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Tom Udall	29%
Allen Weh	41%
Gary King	51%
Susana Martinez	44%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Mexico



22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Tom Udall	14%	19%	57%	9%
Allen Weh	17%	29%	46%	8%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Tom Udall	14%
Allen Weh	9%
Gary King	7%
Susana Martinez	12%
None of the above	74%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Tom Udall	78%
Allen Weh	72%
Gary King	73%
Susana Martinez	80%
None of the above	14%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	21%
About the same	34%
Getting worse	43%
Not sure	2%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Mexico



26. How about the economy in New Mexico? Do you think the economy in New Mexico is getting better or worse?

Getting better	11%
About the same	42%
Getting worse	43%
Not sure	3%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	14%
Somewhat Approve	27%
Somewhat Disapprove	14%
Strongly Disapprove	39%
Not Sure	6%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	10%
Liberal	21%
Moderate	34%
Conservative	21%
Very Conservative	11%
Not sure	3%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	21%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	44%
Neither support or oppose	35%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Mexico



30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	42%
Republican	26%
Independent	30%
Not sure	2%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	44%	51%
Female	56%	49%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	4%
30-44	23%	11%
45-64	38%	44%
65+	27%	42%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	28%	7%
Some college	40%	33%
College graduate	19%	34%
Postgraduate degree	14%	27%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	55%	80%
Black	2%	1%
Hispanic	34%	11%
Other	10%	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New Mexico



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	30%	22%
\$40,000-\$59,999	21%	18%
\$60,000-99,999	22%	24%
\$100,000 or more	14%	21%
Prefer not to say	13%	15%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nevada



Sample 1314 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 4.5\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Nevada? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	11%
Mostly negative	30%
Both positive and negative	49%
Not sure	10%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Nevada this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	41%
No	42%
Not sure	17%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	37%
Somewhat enthusiastic	34%
Only a little	19%
Not at all	9%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Nevada elections with your friends or family?

Often	23%
A few times	44%
Hardly at all	19%
Never	14%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nevada



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	35%
Democrat	38%
Other party	8%
No party	15%
Not sure	4%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	78%
Probably will vote	22%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	31%
In person before election day (early voting)	54%
Vote by mail (absentee)	12%
Not sure	4%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	11%
No	87%
Not sure	2%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nevada



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Nevada?

Robert Goodman	24%
Brian Sandoval	50%
None of these candidates	0%
Other	6%
Not sure	13%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Nevada in November?

Robert Goodman	11%
Brian Sandoval	73%
None of these candidates	2%
Not sure	13%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	68%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	15%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	17%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	21%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	44%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	35%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nevada



13. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	29%
Republicans	43%
Not sure	28%

14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	64%
Somewhat important	25%
Not important	10%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	20%
Republicans	53%
Not sure	26%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Robert Goodman	28%
Brian Sandoval	60%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Robert Goodman	18%
Brian Sandoval	16%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nevada



18. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Robert Goodman	5%
Brian Sandoval	10%
None of the above	76%

19. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Robert Goodman	18%
Brian Sandoval	60%
None of the above	27%

20. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	31%
About the same	36%
Getting worse	30%
Not sure	3%

21. How about the economy in Nevada? Do you think the economy in Nevada is getting better or worse?

Getting better	40%
About the same	38%
Getting worse	19%
Not sure	4%

22. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	12%
Somewhat Approve	27%
Somewhat Disapprove	12%
Strongly Disapprove	44%
Not Sure	5%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nevada



23. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	9%
Liberal	16%
Moderate	36%
Conservative	23%
Very Conservative	10%
Not sure	5%

24. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	23%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	38%
Neither support or oppose	39%

25. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	35%
Republican	28%
Independent	33%
Not sure	4%

26. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	51%	55%
Female	49%	45%

27. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	10%	3%
30-44	26%	13%
45-64	36%	45%
65+	28%	40%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Nevada



28. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	30%	13%
Some college	40%	37%
College graduate	19%	30%
Postgraduate degree	11%	20%

29. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	68%	83%
Black	8%	4%
Hispanic	14%	4%
Other	10%	9%

30. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	35%	25%
\$40,000-\$59,999	16%	17%
\$60,000-99,999	25%	28%
\$100,000 or more	13%	18%
Prefer not to say	11%	13%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New York



Sample 4506 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 2.3\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in New York? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	9%
Mostly negative	42%
Both positive and negative	40%
Not sure	10%

2. Have the candidates running for election in New York this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	45%
No	41%
Not sure	14%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	33%
Somewhat enthusiastic	31%
Only a little	26%
Not at all	11%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming New York elections with your friends or family?

Often	22%
A few times	42%
Hardly at all	24%
Never	11%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New York



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	29%
Democrat	49%
Other party	5%
No party	15%
Not sure	2%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	80%
Probably will vote	20%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	87%
In person before election day (early voting)	5%
Vote by mail (absentee)	6%
Not sure	1%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	26%
No	73%
Not sure	1%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New York



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in New York?

Andrew Cuomo	48%
Rob Astorino	28%
Other	1%
Not sure	11%
Lean Democratic	8%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in New York in November?

Andrew Cuomo	79%
Rob Astorino	8%
Not sure	14%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	65%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	14%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	21%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	30%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	35%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	35%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New York



13. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	34%
Republicans	36%
Not sure	30%

14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	67%
Somewhat important	25%
Not important	9%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	23%
Republicans	52%
Not sure	25%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Andrew Cuomo	50%
Rob Astorino	26%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Andrew Cuomo	36%
Rob Astorino	42%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New York



18. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Andrew Cuomo	15%
Rob Astorino	9%
None of the above	69%

19. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Andrew Cuomo	72%
Rob Astorino	61%
None of the above	19%

20. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	27%
About the same	36%
Getting worse	32%
Not sure	4%

21. How about the economy in New York? Do you think the economy in New York is getting better or worse?

Getting better	25%
About the same	37%
Getting worse	33%
Not sure	4%

22. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	18%
Somewhat Approve	31%
Somewhat Disapprove	12%
Strongly Disapprove	35%
Not Sure	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) New York



23. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	13%
Liberal	20%
Moderate	32%
Conservative	23%
Very Conservative	7%
Not sure	5%

24. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	20%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	45%
Neither support or oppose	35%

25. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	44%
Republican	24%
Independent	30%
Not sure	2%

26. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	52%
Female	52%	48%

27. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	5%
30-44	21%	13%
45-64	39%	47%
65+	29%	35%

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28. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	31%	14%
Some college	28%	31%
College graduate	22%	29%
Postgraduate degree	19%	26%

29. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	73%	87%
Black	14%	5%
Hispanic	10%	3%
Other	4%	5%

30. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	28%	20%
\$40,000-\$59,999	16%	16%
\$60,000-99,999	21%	25%
\$100,000 or more	20%	25%
Prefer not to say	15%	15%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Ohio



Sample 2728 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 2.8\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Ohio? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	10%
Mostly negative	32%
Both positive and negative	48%
Not sure	10%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Ohio this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	44%
No	39%
Not sure	16%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	39%
Somewhat enthusiastic	30%
Only a little	22%
Not at all	10%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Ohio elections with your friends or family?

Often	24%
A few times	43%
Hardly at all	23%
Never	10%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Ohio



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	85%
Probably will vote	15%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	58%
In person before election day (early voting)	11%
Vote by mail (absentee)	28%
Not sure	2%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	39%
No	61%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Ohio?

Ed FitzGerald	31%
John Kasich	51%
Other	1%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Ohio



9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Ohio in November?

Ed FitzGerald	12%
John Kasich	72%
Not sure	16%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	73%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	12%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

11. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	19%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	49%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	32%

12. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	26%
Republicans	46%
Not sure	27%

13. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	63%
Somewhat important	27%
Not important	11%

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14. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	15%
Republicans	63%
Not sure	23%

15. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Ed FitzGerald	28%
John Kasich	53%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Ed FitzGerald	39%
John Kasich	31%

17. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Ed FitzGerald	9%
John Kasich	17%
None of the above	70%

18. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Ed FitzGerald	49%
John Kasich	74%
None of the above	19%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Ohio



19. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	21%
About the same	41%
Getting worse	35%
Not sure	3%

20. How about the economy in Ohio? Do you think the economy in Ohio is getting better or worse?

Getting better	33%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	20%
Not sure	4%

21. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	14%
Somewhat Approve	22%
Somewhat Disapprove	14%
Strongly Disapprove	48%
Not Sure	2%

22. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	7%
Liberal	15%
Moderate	30%
Conservative	30%
Very Conservative	13%
Not sure	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Ohio



23. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	29%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	34%
Neither support or oppose	36%

24. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	34%
Republican	30%
Independent	33%
Not sure	3%

25. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	53%
Female	52%	47%

26. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	4%
30-44	24%	14%
45-64	38%	48%
65+	27%	34%

27. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	42%	19%
Some college	32%	34%
College graduate	17%	27%
Postgraduate degree	9%	21%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Ohio



28. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	86%	89%
Black	10%	6%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	2%	5%

29. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	37%	28%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	17%
\$60,000-99,999	21%	24%
\$100,000 or more	13%	18%
Prefer not to say	12%	13%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Oklahoma



Sample 995 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error ±5.1%

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Oklahoma? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	13%
Mostly negative	22%
Both positive and negative	52%
Not sure	13%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Oklahoma this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	64%
No	23%
Not sure	13%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	43%
Somewhat enthusiastic	31%
Only a little	16%
Not at all	11%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Oklahoma elections with your friends or family?

Often	26%
A few times	46%
Hardly at all	19%
Never	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Oklahoma



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	49%
Democrat	31%
Other party	5%
No party	14%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	77%
Probably will vote	23%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	82%
In person before election day (early voting)	10%
Vote by mail (absentee)	5%
Not sure	2%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	19%
No	81%
Not sure	0%

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9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Oklahoma?

Matt Silverstein	24%
Jim Inhofe	60%
Other	0%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Oklahoma in November?

Matt Silverstein	7%
Jim Inhofe	79%
Not sure	14%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	67%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	17%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	16%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Oklahoma?

Connie Johnson	24%
James Lankford	58%
Other	0%
Not sure	8%
Won't vote	0%
Lean Democratic	5%
Lean Republican	5%

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13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Oklahoma in November?

Connie Johnson	7%
James Lankford	76%
Not sure	17%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	65%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	23%

15. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Oklahoma?

Joe Dorman	29%
Mary Fallin	51%
Other	0%
Not sure	12%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	5%

16. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Oklahoma in November?

Joe Dorman	15%
Mary Fallin	63%
Not sure	22%

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17. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	70%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	14%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

18. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	10%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	62%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	28%

19. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	65%
Somewhat important	27%
Not important	8%

20. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	22%
Republicans	48%
Not sure	30%

21. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	64%
Somewhat important	28%
Not important	8%

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22. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	11%
Republicans	63%
Not sure	26%

23. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Matt Silverstein	25%
Jim Inhofe	64%
Connie Johnson	26%
James Lankford	57%
Joe Dorman	31%
Mary Fallin	54%

24. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Matt Silverstein	20%
Jim Inhofe	21%
Connie Johnson	23%
James Lankford	17%
Joe Dorman	29%
Mary Fallin	33%

25. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Matt Silverstein	11%	6%	69%	14%
Jim Inhofe	20%	14%	59%	7%

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26. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Matt Silverstein	3%
Jim Inhofe	9%
Connie Johnson	3%
James Lankford	8%
Joe Dorman	5%
Mary Fallin	10%
None of the above	78%

27. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Matt Silverstein	16%
Jim Inhofe	57%
Connie Johnson	18%
James Lankford	44%
Joe Dorman	49%
Mary Fallin	68%
None of the above	24%

28. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	16%
About the same	36%
Getting worse	45%
Not sure	3%

29. How about the economy in Oklahoma? Do you think the economy in Oklahoma is getting better or worse?

Getting better	20%
About the same	54%
Getting worse	24%
Not sure	3%

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30. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	8%
Somewhat Approve	15%
Somewhat Disapprove	14%
Strongly Disapprove	61%
Not Sure	2%

31. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	9%
Moderate	30%
Conservative	29%
Very Conservative	19%
Not sure	8%

32. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	32%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	23%
Neither support or oppose	45%

33. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	23%
Republican	39%
Independent	33%
Not sure	4%

34. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	46%	53%
Female	54%	47%

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35. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	6%
30-44	22%	14%
45-64	37%	46%
65+	29%	34%

36. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	41%	13%
Some college	35%	33%
College graduate	16%	31%
Postgraduate degree	8%	22%

37. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	77%	86%
Black	6%	2%
Hispanic	3%	2%
Other	14%	10%

38. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	29%	22%
\$40,000-\$59,999	24%	20%
\$60,000-99,999	20%	24%
\$100,000 or more	12%	20%
Prefer not to say	16%	15%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Oregon



Sample 1421 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3.8\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Oregon? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	3%
Mostly negative	35%
Both positive and negative	52%
Not sure	10%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Oregon this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	51%
No	35%
Not sure	14%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	43%
Somewhat enthusiastic	33%
Only a little	18%
Not at all	6%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Oregon elections with your friends or family?

Often	33%
A few times	43%
Hardly at all	17%
Never	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Oregon



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	33%
Democrat	42%
Other party	5%
No party	20%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	91%
Probably will vote	9%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	3%
In person before election day (early voting)	2%
Vote by mail (absentee)	93%
Not sure	2%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	12%
No	87%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Oregon



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Oregon?

Jeff Merkley	47%
Monica Wehby	36%
Other	1%
Not sure	9%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Oregon in November?

Jeff Merkley	70%
Monica Wehby	12%
Not sure	17%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	74%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	13%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Oregon?

John Kitzhaber	44%
Dennis Richardson	40%
Other	1%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	3%

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13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Oregon in November?

John Kitzhaber	61%
Dennis Richardson	16%
Not sure	22%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	77%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	10%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	12%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	19%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	41%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	40%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	69%
Somewhat important	23%
Not important	7%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	32%
Republicans	36%
Not sure	32%

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18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	69%
Somewhat important	23%
Not important	8%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	16%
Republicans	58%
Not sure	26%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Jeff Merkley	47%
Monica Wehby	29%
John Kitzhaber	40%
Dennis Richardson	32%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Jeff Merkley	35%
Monica Wehby	47%
John Kitzhaber	43%
Dennis Richardson	35%

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22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Jeff Merkley	18%	14%	62%	5%
Monica Wehby	14%	34%	46%	7%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Jeff Merkley	12%
Monica Wehby	8%
John Kitzhaber	6%
Dennis Richardson	7%
None of the above	75%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Jeff Merkley	73%
Monica Wehby	72%
John Kitzhaber	61%
Dennis Richardson	55%
None of the above	19%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	28%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	35%
Not sure	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Oregon



26. How about the economy in Oregon? Do you think the economy in Oregon is getting better or worse?

Getting better	27%
About the same	38%
Getting worse	30%
Not sure	5%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	12%
Somewhat Approve	27%
Somewhat Disapprove	11%
Strongly Disapprove	45%
Not Sure	4%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	15%
Liberal	19%
Moderate	25%
Conservative	25%
Very Conservative	10%
Not sure	6%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	27%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	42%
Neither support or oppose	31%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Oregon



30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	35%
Republican	27%
Independent	34%
Not sure	4%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	55%
Female	52%	45%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	4%
30-44	23%	11%
45-64	38%	44%
65+	28%	41%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	28%	11%
Some college	38%	42%
College graduate	21%	28%
Postgraduate degree	13%	20%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	88%	89%
Black	1%	1%
Hispanic	5%	2%
Other	6%	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Oregon



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	39%	33%
\$40,000-\$59,999	16%	17%
\$60,000-99,999	21%	23%
\$100,000 or more	12%	15%
Prefer not to say	12%	12%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Pennsylvania



Sample 3111 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 2.8\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Pennsylvania? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	4%
Mostly negative	43%
Both positive and negative	44%
Not sure	9%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Pennsylvania this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	59%
No	27%
Not sure	14%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	40%
Somewhat enthusiastic	32%
Only a little	19%
Not at all	9%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Pennsylvania elections with your friends or family?

Often	27%
A few times	46%
Hardly at all	20%
Never	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Pennsylvania



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	42%
Democrat	44%
Other party	3%
No party	10%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	82%
Probably will vote	18%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	90%
In person before election day (early voting)	4%
Vote by mail (absentee)	5%
Not sure	1%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	26%
No	73%
Not sure	1%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Pennsylvania



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Pennsylvania?

Tom Wolf	48%
Tom Corbett	36%
Other	0%
Not sure	8%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	4%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Pennsylvania in November?

Tom Wolf	61%
Tom Corbett	18%
Not sure	21%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	74%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	11%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	15%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	24%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	43%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	33%

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13. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	29%
Republicans	42%
Not sure	29%

14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	65%
Somewhat important	27%
Not important	8%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	17%
Republicans	58%
Not sure	25%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Tom Wolf	48%
Tom Corbett	33%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Tom Wolf	34%
Tom Corbett	49%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Pennsylvania



18. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Tom Wolf	14%
Tom Corbett	11%
None of the above	73%

19. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Tom Wolf	81%
Tom Corbett	79%
None of the above	14%

20. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	23%
About the same	38%
Getting worse	35%
Not sure	4%

21. How about the economy in Pennsylvania? Do you think the economy in Pennsylvania is getting better or worse?

Getting better	16%
About the same	47%
Getting worse	33%
Not sure	4%

22. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	15%
Somewhat Approve	26%
Somewhat Disapprove	12%
Strongly Disapprove	44%
Not Sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Pennsylvania



23. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	10%
Liberal	17%
Moderate	30%
Conservative	28%
Very Conservative	11%
Not sure	4%

24. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	25%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	40%
Neither support or oppose	35%

25. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	40%
Republican	34%
Independent	25%
Not sure	2%

26. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	54%
Female	52%	46%

27. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	4%
30-44	22%	12%
45-64	39%	49%
65+	28%	36%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Pennsylvania



28. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	40%	18%
Some college	27%	29%
College graduate	20%	29%
Postgraduate degree	13%	24%

29. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	87%	90%
Black	9%	4%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	2%	5%

30. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	29%	19%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	16%
\$60,000-99,999	22%	25%
\$100,000 or more	15%	22%
Prefer not to say	16%	17%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Rhode Island



Sample 866 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 5.6\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Rhode Island? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	10%
Mostly negative	36%
Both positive and negative	49%
Not sure	5%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Rhode Island this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	58%
No	28%
Not sure	14%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	25%
Somewhat enthusiastic	36%
Only a little	23%
Not at all	15%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Rhode Island elections with your friends or family?

Often	27%
A few times	52%
Hardly at all	17%
Never	5%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Rhode Island



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	12%
Democrat	33%
Other party	5%
No party	48%
Not sure	2%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	80%
Probably will vote	20%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	93%
In person before election day (early voting)	3%
Vote by mail (absentee)	3%
Not sure	1%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	30%
No	70%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Rhode Island



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Rhode Island?

Jack Reed	58%
Mark Zaccaria	17%
Other	0%
Not sure	15%
Lean Democratic	7%
Lean Republican	3%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Rhode Island in November?

Jack Reed	84%
Mark Zaccaria	3%
Not sure	13%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	61%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	18%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	22%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Rhode Island?

Gina Raimondo	27%
Allan Fung	28%
Other	4%
Not sure	21%
Lean Democratic	13%
Lean Republican	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Rhode Island



13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Rhode Island in November?

Gina Raimondo	52%
Allan Fung	16%
Not sure	32%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	51%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	15%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	34%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	19%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	29%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	52%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	48%
Somewhat important	35%
Not important	18%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	37%
Republicans	26%
Not sure	37%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Rhode Island



18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	48%
Somewhat important	35%
Not important	16%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	22%
Republicans	40%
Not sure	38%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Jack Reed	64%
Mark Zaccaria	20%
Gina Raimondo	38%
Allan Fung	40%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Jack Reed	15%
Mark Zaccaria	12%
Gina Raimondo	38%
Allan Fung	27%

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22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Jack Reed	19%	7%	66%	9%
Mark Zaccaria	8%	5%	61%	26%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Jack Reed	11%
Mark Zaccaria	1%
Gina Raimondo	22%
Allan Fung	7%
None of the above	69%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Jack Reed	75%
Mark Zaccaria	22%
Gina Raimondo	84%
Allan Fung	78%
None of the above	12%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	21%
About the same	48%
Getting worse	27%
Not sure	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Rhode Island



26. How about the economy in Rhode Island? Do you think the economy in Rhode Island is getting better or worse?

Getting better	11%
About the same	44%
Getting worse	40%
Not sure	5%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	9%
Somewhat Approve	26%
Somewhat Disapprove	27%
Strongly Disapprove	33%
Not Sure	5%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	6%
Liberal	21%
Moderate	37%
Conservative	21%
Very Conservative	3%
Not sure	12%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	11%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	39%
Neither support or oppose	51%

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30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	30%
Republican	12%
Independent	50%
Not sure	8%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	45%
Female	53%	55%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	13%	5%
30-44	21%	17%
45-64	38%	51%
65+	28%	27%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	31%	11%
Some college	31%	31%
College graduate	23%	34%
Postgraduate degree	16%	24%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	86%	93%
Black	3%	1%
Hispanic	6%	1%
Other	5%	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Rhode Island



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	22%	15%
\$40,000-\$59,999	20%	17%
\$60,000-99,999	23%	28%
\$100,000 or more	20%	25%
Prefer not to say	16%	15%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Carolina



Sample 1566 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 4.2\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in South Carolina? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	8%
Mostly negative	33%
Both positive and negative	50%
Not sure	9%

2. Have the candidates running for election in South Carolina this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	55%
No	31%
Not sure	15%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	34%
Somewhat enthusiastic	36%
Only a little	22%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming South Carolina elections with your friends or family?

Often	24%
A few times	46%
Hardly at all	21%
Never	10%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Carolina



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	78%
Probably will vote	22%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	79%
In person before election day (early voting)	11%
Vote by mail (absentee)	8%
Not sure	2%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	20%
No	80%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from South Carolina?

Brad Hutto	26%
Lindsey Graham	40%
Thomas Ravenel	8%
Other	2%
Not sure	19%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Carolina



9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from South Carolina in November?

Brad Hutto	10%
Lindsey Graham	69%
Thomas Ravenel	3%
Not sure	18%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	54%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	21%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	25%

11. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from South Carolina?

Joyce Dickerson	26%
Tim Scott	53%
Other	0%
Not sure	15%
Won't vote	0%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	3%

12. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from South Carolina in November?

Joyce Dickerson	13%
Tim Scott	63%
Not sure	24%

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13. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	66%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	17%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	18%

14. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in South Carolina?

Vincent Sheheen	28%
Nikki Haley	46%
Other	1%
Not sure	16%
Lean Democratic	5%
Lean Republican	4%

15. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in South Carolina in November?

Vincent Sheheen	16%
Nikki Haley	61%
Not sure	23%

16. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	69%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	18%

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17. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	20%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	49%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	31%

18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	66%
Somewhat important	25%
Not important	9%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	24%
Republicans	44%
Not sure	32%

20. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	65%
Somewhat important	26%
Not important	9%

21. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	17%
Republicans	54%
Not sure	29%

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22. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Brad Hutto	27%
Lindsey Graham	42%
Thomas Ravenel	17%
Joyce Dickerson	24%
Tim Scott	54%
Vincent Sheheen	29%
Nikki Haley	49%

23. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Brad Hutto	16%
Lindsey Graham	35%
Thomas Ravenel	39%
Joyce Dickerson	20%
Tim Scott	16%
Vincent Sheheen	34%
Nikki Haley	33%

24. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Brad Hutto	12%	5%	62%	21%
Lindsey Graham	13%	14%	63%	10%
Thomas Ravenel	7%	18%	58%	17%

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25. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Brad Hutto	3%
Lindsey Graham	12%
Thomas Ravenel	2%
Joyce Dickerson	2%
Tim Scott	8%
Vincent Sheheen	6%
Nikki Haley	7%
None of the above	76%

26. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Brad Hutto	19%
Lindsey Graham	55%
Thomas Ravenel	37%
Joyce Dickerson	15%
Tim Scott	50%
Vincent Sheheen	54%
Nikki Haley	70%
None of the above	20%

27. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	20%
About the same	37%
Getting worse	37%
Not sure	6%

28. How about the economy in South Carolina? Do you think the economy in South Carolina is getting better or worse?

Getting better	25%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	24%
Not sure	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Carolina



29. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	14%
Somewhat Approve	18%
Somewhat Disapprove	15%
Strongly Disapprove	48%
Not Sure	5%

30. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	11%
Moderate	31%
Conservative	28%
Very Conservative	14%
Not sure	11%

31. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	24%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	28%
Neither support or oppose	48%

32. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	25%
Republican	33%
Independent	37%
Not sure	5%

33. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	47%	48%
Female	53%	52%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Carolina



34. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	4%
30-44	22%	14%
45-64	37%	44%
65+	30%	38%

35. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	36%	12%
Some college	36%	37%
College graduate	17%	30%
Postgraduate degree	11%	21%

36. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	71%	85%
Black	24%	10%
Hispanic	3%	1%
Other	2%	4%

37. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	37%	24%
\$40,000-\$59,999	22%	19%
\$60,000-99,999	18%	25%
\$100,000 or more	10%	17%
Prefer not to say	13%	15%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Dakota



Sample 527 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 8.1\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in South Dakota? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	7%
Mostly negative	39%
Both positive and negative	46%
Not sure	8%

2. Have the candidates running for election in South Dakota this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	55%
No	28%
Not sure	17%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	30%
Somewhat enthusiastic	36%
Only a little	27%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming South Dakota elections with your friends or family?

Often	27%
A few times	40%
Hardly at all	27%
Never	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Dakota



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	45%
Democrat	33%
Other party	7%
No party	15%
Not sure	0%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	76%
Probably will vote	24%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	70%
In person before election day (early voting)	22%
Vote by mail (absentee)	5%
Not sure	3%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	26%
No	74%
Not sure	0%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Dakota



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from South Dakota?

Rick Weiland	22%
Mike Rounds	32%
Larry Pressler	17%
Other	0%
Not sure	17%
Lean Weiland	3%
Lean Rounds	6%
Lean Pressler	4%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from South Dakota in November?

Rick Weiland	9%
Mike Rounds	56%
Larry Pressler	9%
Not sure	26%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	50%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	26%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	24%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in South Dakota?

Susan Wismer	24%
Dennis Daugaard	49%
Other	3%
Not sure	15%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Dakota



13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in South Dakota in November?

Susan Wismer	5%
Dennis Daugaard	75%
Not sure	20%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	62%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	18%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	20%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	10%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	60%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	29%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	52%
Somewhat important	29%
Not important	18%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	15%
Republicans	49%
Not sure	36%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Dakota



18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	43%
Somewhat important	39%
Not important	18%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	7%
Republicans	58%
Not sure	35%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Rick Weiland	33%
Mike Rounds	44%
Larry Pressler	34%
Susan Wismer	21%
Dennis Daugaard	52%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Rick Weiland	32%
Mike Rounds	32%
Larry Pressler	22%
Susan Wismer	21%
Dennis Daugaard	25%

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22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Rick Weiland	15%	21%	55%	8%
Mike Rounds	16%	29%	48%	7%
Larry Pressler	16%	17%	55%	12%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Rick Weiland	12%
Mike Rounds	9%
Larry Pressler	3%
Susan Wismer	2%
Dennis Daugaard	6%
None of the above	73%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Rick Weiland	68%
Mike Rounds	74%
Larry Pressler	67%
Susan Wismer	29%
Dennis Daugaard	60%
None of the above	22%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	13%
About the same	45%
Getting worse	38%
Not sure	4%

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26. How about the economy in South Dakota? Do you think the economy in South Dakota is getting better or worse?

Getting better	20%
About the same	57%
Getting worse	18%
Not sure	5%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	6%
Somewhat Approve	17%
Somewhat Disapprove	15%
Strongly Disapprove	55%
Not Sure	6%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	6%
Liberal	9%
Moderate	36%
Conservative	26%
Very Conservative	15%
Not sure	9%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	21%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	25%
Neither support or oppose	55%

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30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	26%
Republican	35%
Independent	36%
Not sure	2%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	52%	45%
Female	48%	55%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	11%	5%
30-44	24%	20%
45-64	38%	46%
65+	26%	30%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	43%	12%
Some college	35%	31%
College graduate	16%	39%
Postgraduate degree	6%	18%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	89%	93%
Black	0%	0%
Hispanic	1%	1%
Other	9%	6%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) South Dakota



35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	33%	22%
\$40,000-\$59,999	23%	19%
\$60,000-99,999	25%	30%
\$100,000 or more	9%	16%
Prefer not to say	10%	13%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Tennessee



Sample 974 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 5.4\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Tennessee? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	11%
Mostly negative	33%
Both positive and negative	46%
Not sure	10%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Tennessee this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	52%
No	35%
Not sure	12%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	44%
Somewhat enthusiastic	28%
Only a little	16%
Not at all	11%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Tennessee elections with your friends or family?

Often	30%
A few times	39%
Hardly at all	23%
Never	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Tennessee



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	84%
Probably will vote	16%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	35%
In person before election day (early voting)	56%
Vote by mail (absentee)	4%
Not sure	4%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	22%
No	78%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Tennessee?

Gordon Ball	30%
Lamar Alexander	47%
Other	2%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Tennessee



9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Tennessee in November?

Gordon Ball	11%
Lamar Alexander	74%
Not sure	15%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	68%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	14%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	18%

11. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Tennessee?

Charles V. "Charlie" Brown	25%
Bill Haslam	51%
Other	2%
Not sure	11%
Lean Democratic	5%
Lean Republican	7%

12. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Tennessee in November?

Charles V. "Charlie" Brown	12%
Bill Haslam	75%
Not sure	12%

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13. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	67%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	12%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	21%

14. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	16%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	58%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	26%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	73%
Somewhat important	20%
Not important	8%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	26%
Republicans	50%
Not sure	24%

17. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	73%
Somewhat important	20%
Not important	7%

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18. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	18%
Republicans	64%
Not sure	18%

19. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Gordon Ball	25%
Lamar Alexander	40%
Charles V. "Charlie" Brown	19%
Bill Haslam	50%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Gordon Ball	31%
Lamar Alexander	38%
Charles V. "Charlie" Brown	26%
Bill Haslam	28%

21. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Gordon Ball	15%	14%	56%	15%
Lamar Alexander	13%	18%	59%	10%

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22. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Gordon Ball	6%
Lamar Alexander	13%
Charles V. "Charlie" Brown	3%
Bill Haslam	8%
None of the above	72%

23. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Gordon Ball	49%
Lamar Alexander	73%
Charles V. "Charlie" Brown	16%
Bill Haslam	59%
None of the above	17%

24. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	20%
About the same	35%
Getting worse	43%
Not sure	2%

25. How about the economy in Tennessee? Do you think the economy in Tennessee is getting better or worse?

Getting better	21%
About the same	50%
Getting worse	27%
Not sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Tennessee



26. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	15%
Somewhat Approve	19%
Somewhat Disapprove	8%
Strongly Disapprove	58%
Not Sure	1%

27. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	6%
Liberal	13%
Moderate	28%
Conservative	30%
Very Conservative	19%
Not sure	4%

28. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	34%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	28%
Neither support or oppose	38%

29. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	30%
Republican	34%
Independent	36%
Not sure	1%

30. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	46%	57%
Female	54%	43%

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31. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	9%	3%
30-44	24%	9%
45-64	38%	48%
65+	29%	40%

32. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	40%	15%
Some college	29%	37%
College graduate	20%	27%
Postgraduate degree	11%	22%

33. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	82%	88%
Black	16%	6%
Hispanic	1%	1%
Other	1%	5%

34. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	41%	27%
\$40,000-\$59,999	19%	18%
\$60,000-99,999	18%	22%
\$100,000 or more	10%	16%
Prefer not to say	13%	16%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Texas



Sample 3987 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 2.6\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Texas? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	6%
Mostly negative	41%
Both positive and negative	48%
Not sure	5%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Texas this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	61%
No	29%
Not sure	11%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	48%
Somewhat enthusiastic	29%
Only a little	16%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Texas elections with your friends or family?

Often	36%
A few times	40%
Hardly at all	17%
Never	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Texas



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	82%
Probably will vote	18%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	32%
In person before election day (early voting)	53%
Vote by mail (absentee)	10%
Not sure	4%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	13%
No	86%
Not sure	1%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Texas?

David Alameel	32%
John Cornyn	52%
Other	1%
Not sure	8%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	5%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Texas



9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Texas in November?

David Alameel	14%
John Cornyn	75%
Not sure	11%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	70%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	12%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	17%

11. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Texas?

Wendy Davis	35%
Greg Abbott	53%
Other	0%
Not sure	6%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	4%

12. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Texas in November?

Wendy Davis	19%
Greg Abbott	69%
Not sure	13%

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13. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	81%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	7%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	12%

14. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	17%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	55%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	29%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	75%
Somewhat important	19%
Not important	6%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	26%
Republicans	52%
Not sure	23%

17. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	74%
Somewhat important	19%
Not important	7%

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18. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	16%
Republicans	66%
Not sure	18%

19. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

David Alameel	28%
John Cornyn	50%
Wendy Davis	36%
Greg Abbott	52%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

David Alameel	27%
John Cornyn	29%
Wendy Davis	53%
Greg Abbott	33%

21. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
David Alameel	13%	7%	66%	14%
John Cornyn	13%	10%	67%	10%

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22. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

David Alameel	5%
John Cornyn	11%
Wendy Davis	16%
Greg Abbott	12%
None of the above	67%

23. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

David Alameel	19%
John Cornyn	37%
Wendy Davis	79%
Greg Abbott	76%
None of the above	13%

24. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	22%
About the same	35%
Getting worse	40%
Not sure	3%

25. How about the economy in Texas? Do you think the economy in Texas is getting better or worse?

Getting better	34%
About the same	49%
Getting worse	13%
Not sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Texas



26. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	13%
Somewhat Approve	18%
Somewhat Disapprove	12%
Strongly Disapprove	54%
Not Sure	2%

27. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	7%
Liberal	12%
Moderate	29%
Conservative	29%
Very Conservative	20%
Not sure	3%

28. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	37%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	30%
Neither support or oppose	33%

29. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	28%
Republican	37%
Independent	32%
Not sure	3%

30. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	49%	59%
Female	51%	41%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Texas



31. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	3%
30-44	23%	10%
45-64	39%	46%
65+	26%	40%

32. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	28%	11%
Some college	36%	36%
College graduate	23%	31%
Postgraduate degree	13%	23%

33. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	65%	81%
Black	12%	5%
Hispanic	19%	7%
Other	4%	7%

34. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	27%	19%
\$40,000-\$59,999	16%	15%
\$60,000-99,999	22%	24%
\$100,000 or more	19%	26%
Prefer not to say	15%	17%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Utah



Sample 864 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 4.6\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Utah? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	22%
Mostly negative	17%
Both positive and negative	50%
Not sure	11%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Utah this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	60%
No	25%
Not sure	15%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	40%
Somewhat enthusiastic	37%
Only a little	16%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Utah elections with your friends or family?

Often	27%
A few times	42%
Hardly at all	25%
Never	6%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Utah



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	86%
Probably will vote	14%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	50%
In person before election day (early voting)	16%
Vote by mail (absentee)	32%
Not sure	2%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	36%
No	64%
Not sure	0%

8. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	13%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	60%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	27%

9. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	19%
Republicans	56%
Not sure	25%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Utah



10. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	63%
Somewhat important	29%
Not important	8%

11. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	12%
Republicans	69%
Not sure	20%

12. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	19%
About the same	39%
Getting worse	39%
Not sure	3%

13. How about the economy in Utah? Do you think the economy in Utah is getting better or worse?

Getting better	32%
About the same	48%
Getting worse	15%
Not sure	4%

14. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	6%
Somewhat Approve	17%
Somewhat Disapprove	11%
Strongly Disapprove	64%
Not Sure	1%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Utah



15. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	13%
Moderate	26%
Conservative	36%
Very Conservative	18%
Not sure	2%

16. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	32%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	32%
Neither support or oppose	36%

17. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	18%
Republican	45%
Independent	35%
Not sure	2%

18. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	51%	58%
Female	49%	42%

19. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	6%
30-44	30%	26%
45-64	35%	41%
65+	23%	28%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Utah



20. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	21%	8%
Some college	47%	39%
College graduate	21%	32%
Postgraduate degree	11%	21%

21. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	89%	92%
Black	1%	1%
Hispanic	6%	2%
Other	4%	5%

22. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	30%	22%
\$40,000-\$59,999	20%	20%
\$60,000-99,999	25%	31%
\$100,000 or more	16%	18%
Prefer not to say	10%	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Virginia



Sample 1605 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3.9\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Virginia? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	4%
Mostly negative	41%
Both positive and negative	45%
Not sure	9%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Virginia this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	48%
No	37%
Not sure	16%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	43%
Somewhat enthusiastic	27%
Only a little	19%
Not at all	11%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Virginia elections with your friends or family?

Often	26%
A few times	40%
Hardly at all	22%
Never	11%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Virginia



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	86%
Probably will vote	14%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	83%
In person before election day (early voting)	9%
Vote by mail (absentee)	7%
Not sure	1%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	30%
No	70%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Virginia?

Mark Warner	46%
Ed Gillespie	37%
Robert Sarvis	1%
Other	0%
Not sure	11%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	2%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Virginia



9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Virginia in November?

Mark Warner	65%
Ed Gillespie	16%
Robert Sarvis	0%
Not sure	18%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	78%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	10%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	12%

11. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	23%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	43%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	34%

12. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	75%
Somewhat important	16%
Not important	9%

13. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	28%
Republicans	43%
Not sure	29%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Virginia



14. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	70%
Somewhat important	19%
Not important	11%

15. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	15%
Republicans	64%
Not sure	20%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Mark Warner	50%
Ed Gillespie	37%
Robert Sarvis	10%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Mark Warner	34%
Ed Gillespie	37%
Robert Sarvis	28%

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18. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Mark Warner	19%	20%	53%	8%
Ed Gillespie	19%	23%	48%	10%
Robert Sarvis	3%	8%	59%	29%

19. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Mark Warner	17%
Ed Gillespie	10%
Robert Sarvis	1%
None of the above	70%

20. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Mark Warner	75%
Ed Gillespie	71%
Robert Sarvis	8%
None of the above	18%

21. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	28%
About the same	32%
Getting worse	36%
Not sure	3%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Virginia



22. How about the economy in Virginia? Do you think the economy in Virginia is getting better or worse?

Getting better	23%
About the same	40%
Getting worse	34%
Not sure	4%

23. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	17%
Somewhat Approve	28%
Somewhat Disapprove	9%
Strongly Disapprove	44%
Not Sure	2%

24. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	8%
Liberal	17%
Moderate	34%
Conservative	22%
Very Conservative	15%
Not sure	4%

25. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	25%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	44%
Neither support or oppose	31%

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26. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	34%
Republican	28%
Independent	35%
Not sure	2%

27. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	59%
Female	52%	41%

28. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	4%
30-44	24%	13%
45-64	39%	49%
65+	25%	34%

29. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	29%	9%
Some college	31%	28%
College graduate	23%	33%
Postgraduate degree	17%	31%

30. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	74%	84%
Black	18%	7%
Hispanic	3%	2%
Other	5%	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Virginia



31. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	23%	15%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	14%
\$60,000-99,999	23%	23%
\$100,000 or more	22%	32%
Prefer not to say	15%	16%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Vermont



Sample 329 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 8.2\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Vermont? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	23%
Mostly negative	20%
Both positive and negative	43%
Not sure	14%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Vermont this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	57%
No	29%
Not sure	13%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	30%
Somewhat enthusiastic	38%
Only a little	25%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Vermont elections with your friends or family?

Often	17%
A few times	48%
Hardly at all	27%
Never	9%

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5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	77%
Probably will vote	23%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	70%
In person before election day (early voting)	11%
Vote by mail (absentee)	15%
Not sure	5%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	17%
No	83%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Vermont?

Peter Shumlin	38%
Scott Milne	32%
Emily Peyton	2%
Other	2%
Not sure	13%
Lean Democratic	9%
Lean Republican	3%

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9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Vermont in November?

Peter Shumlin	79%
Scott Milne	10%
Emily Peyton	1%
Not sure	10%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	59%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	19%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	22%

11. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	23%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	35%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	43%

12. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	34%
Republicans	36%
Not sure	30%

13. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	57%
Somewhat important	28%
Not important	15%

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14. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	23%
Republicans	48%
Not sure	29%

15. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Peter Shumlin	50%
Scott Milne	36%
Emily Peyton	7%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Peter Shumlin	36%
Scott Milne	15%
Emily Peyton	22%

17. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Peter Shumlin	10%
Scott Milne	3%
Emily Peyton	1%
None of the above	80%

18. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Peter Shumlin	66%
Scott Milne	49%
Emily Peyton	13%
None of the above	23%

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19. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	26%
About the same	38%
Getting worse	32%
Not sure	4%

20. How about the economy in Vermont? Do you think the economy in Vermont is getting better or worse?

Getting better	21%
About the same	38%
Getting worse	38%
Not sure	3%

21. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	12%
Somewhat Approve	26%
Somewhat Disapprove	23%
Strongly Disapprove	35%
Not Sure	4%

22. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	10%
Liberal	20%
Moderate	35%
Conservative	22%
Very Conservative	5%
Not sure	7%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Vermont



23. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	16%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	49%
Neither support or oppose	35%

24. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	32%
Republican	18%
Independent	48%
Not sure	2%

25. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	51%	48%
Female	49%	52%

26. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	5%
30-44	21%	14%
45-64	39%	47%
65+	28%	34%

27. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	33%	12%
Some college	29%	29%
College graduate	24%	30%
Postgraduate degree	14%	28%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Vermont



28. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	90%	95%
Black	0%	0%
Hispanic	1%	2%
Other	8%	4%

29. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	30%	22%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	17%
\$60,000-99,999	21%	20%
\$100,000 or more	21%	27%
Prefer not to say	11%	13%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Washington



Sample 1922 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 3.5\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Washington? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	10%
Mostly negative	33%
Both positive and negative	42%
Not sure	15%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Washington this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	43%
No	37%
Not sure	20%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	40%
Somewhat enthusiastic	31%
Only a little	21%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Washington elections with your friends or family?

Often	29%
A few times	44%
Hardly at all	18%
Never	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Washington



5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	90%
Probably will vote	10%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	3%
In person before election day (early voting)	2%
Vote by mail (absentee)	94%
Not sure	1%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	11%
No	89%
Not sure	0%

8. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	24%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	40%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	36%

9. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	31%
Republicans	40%
Not sure	29%

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10. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	69%
Somewhat important	23%
Not important	8%

11. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	17%
Republicans	60%
Not sure	23%

12. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	28%
About the same	35%
Getting worse	35%
Not sure	2%

13. How about the economy in Washington? Do you think the economy in Washington is getting better or worse?

Getting better	29%
About the same	39%
Getting worse	29%
Not sure	3%

14. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	16%
Somewhat Approve	29%
Somewhat Disapprove	14%
Strongly Disapprove	41%
Not Sure	1%

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15. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	13%
Liberal	20%
Moderate	30%
Conservative	23%
Very Conservative	11%
Not sure	3%

16. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	25%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	47%
Neither support or oppose	27%

17. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	38%
Republican	23%
Independent	38%
Not sure	2%

18. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	57%
Female	52%	43%

19. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	12%	3%
30-44	24%	12%
45-64	39%	43%
65+	24%	42%

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20. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	25%	10%
Some college	38%	38%
College graduate	24%	31%
Postgraduate degree	13%	21%

21. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	85%	87%
Black	3%	2%
Hispanic	5%	2%
Other	7%	9%

22. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	28%	21%
\$40,000-\$59,999	15%	16%
\$60,000-99,999	24%	24%
\$100,000 or more	19%	23%
Prefer not to say	13%	15%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Wisconsin



Sample 3308 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 2.6\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Wisconsin? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	3%
Mostly negative	51%
Both positive and negative	42%
Not sure	4%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Wisconsin this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	69%
No	23%
Not sure	8%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	41%
Somewhat enthusiastic	32%
Only a little	19%
Not at all	7%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Wisconsin elections with your friends or family?

Often	33%
A few times	43%
Hardly at all	18%
Never	6%

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5. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	88%
Probably will vote	12%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

6. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	79%
In person before election day (early voting)	12%
Vote by mail (absentee)	7%
Not sure	2%

7. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	28%
No	72%
Not sure	0%

8. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Wisconsin?

Mary Burke	42%
Scott Walker	43%
Other	0%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	3%
Lean Republican	3%

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9. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Wisconsin in November?

Mary Burke	24%
Scott Walker	52%
Not sure	24%

10. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	84%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	6%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	10%

11. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	21%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	38%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	40%

12. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	30%
Republicans	38%
Not sure	32%

13. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	57%
Somewhat important	30%
Not important	12%

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14. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	20%
Republicans	51%
Not sure	29%

15. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people? (Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Mary Burke	43%
Scott Walker	44%

16. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people? (Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Mary Burke	43%
Scott Walker	46%

17. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Mary Burke	19%
Scott Walker	24%
None of the above	64%

18. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Mary Burke	89%
Scott Walker	90%
None of the above	5%

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19. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	27%
About the same	43%
Getting worse	26%
Not sure	3%

20. How about the economy in Wisconsin? Do you think the economy in Wisconsin is getting better or worse?

Getting better	30%
About the same	41%
Getting worse	27%
Not sure	3%

21. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	15%
Somewhat Approve	28%
Somewhat Disapprove	14%
Strongly Disapprove	39%
Not Sure	4%

22. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	6%
Liberal	16%
Moderate	32%
Conservative	28%
Very Conservative	9%
Not sure	8%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Wisconsin



23. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	17%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	38%
Neither support or oppose	45%

24. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	33%
Republican	30%
Independent	33%
Not sure	4%

25. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	48%	47%
Female	52%	53%

26. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	13%	6%
30-44	24%	16%
45-64	38%	48%
65+	25%	30%

27. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	37%	13%
Some college	35%	33%
College graduate	19%	33%
Postgraduate degree	9%	20%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) Wisconsin



28. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	90%	93%
Black	6%	2%
Hispanic	2%	1%
Other	3%	4%

29. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	26%	18%
\$40,000-\$59,999	19%	17%
\$60,000-99,999	27%	29%
\$100,000 or more	16%	23%
Prefer not to say	12%	13%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) West Virginia



Sample 877 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error $\pm 5.2\%$

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in West Virginia? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	3%
Mostly negative	44%
Both positive and negative	42%
Not sure	10%

2. Have the candidates running for election in West Virginia this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	53%
No	31%
Not sure	16%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	43%
Somewhat enthusiastic	30%
Only a little	19%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming West Virginia elections with your friends or family?

Often	24%
A few times	46%
Hardly at all	21%
Never	9%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) West Virginia



5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	36%
Democrat	42%
Other party	4%
No party	16%
Not sure	1%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	77%
Probably will vote	23%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	70%
In person before election day (early voting)	21%
Vote by mail (absentee)	5%
Not sure	4%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	9%
No	90%
Not sure	1%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) West Virginia



9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from West Virginia?

Natalie Tennant	28%
Shelley Moore Capito	51%
Other	0%
Not sure	10%
Lean Democratic	6%
Lean Republican	5%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from West Virginia in November?

Natalie Tennant	17%
Shelley Moore Capito	61%
Not sure	23%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	69%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	13%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	18%

12. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	10%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	56%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	35%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) West Virginia



13. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	58%
Somewhat important	29%
Not important	13%

14. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	23%
Republicans	46%
Not sure	31%

15. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	57%
Somewhat important	30%
Not important	14%

16. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	17%
Republicans	53%
Not sure	29%

17. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Natalie Tennant	36%
Shelley Moore Capito	52%

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18. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Natalie Tennant	41%
Shelley Moore Capito	25%

19. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Natalie Tennant	14%	32%	49%	5%
Shelley Moore Capito	22%	21%	53%	5%

20. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Natalie Tennant	15%
Shelley Moore Capito	21%
None of the above	67%

21. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Natalie Tennant	76%
Shelley Moore Capito	81%
None of the above	15%

22. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	18%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	46%
Not sure	4%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) West Virginia



23. How about the economy in West Virginia? Do you think the economy in West Virginia is getting better or worse?

Getting better	12%
About the same	33%
Getting worse	51%
Not sure	4%

24. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	8%
Somewhat Approve	16%
Somewhat Disapprove	17%
Strongly Disapprove	54%
Not Sure	5%

25. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	11%
Moderate	35%
Conservative	28%
Very Conservative	14%
Not sure	7%

26. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	23%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	29%
Neither support or oppose	48%

CBS News/New York Times Upshot Battleground Tracker (Wave 4) West Virginia



27. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	31%
Republican	33%
Independent	31%
Not sure	4%

28. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	49%	45%
Female	51%	55%

29. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	10%	7%
30-44	21%	19%
45-64	39%	49%
65+	30%	25%

30. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	47%	19%
Some college	28%	34%
College graduate	15%	25%
Postgraduate degree	10%	21%

31. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	95%	94%
Black	3%	2%
Hispanic	1%	1%
Other	1%	3%

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32. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

	Weighted	Unweighted
Less than \$40,000	41%	30%
\$40,000-\$59,999	18%	20%
\$60,000-99,999	20%	24%
\$100,000 or more	10%	16%
Prefer not to say	11%	11%

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Sample 258 Likely Voters
Conducted October 16-23, 2014
Margin of Error ±11.2%

1. From what you've seen or heard, how would you describe the tone of the 2014 midterm election campaigns in Wyoming? Would you say that most of what the candidates and their advertisements are saying is ...

Mostly positive	24%
Mostly negative	14%
Both positive and negative	51%
Not sure	10%

2. Have the candidates running for election in Wyoming this year been talking about issues you care about?

Yes	61%
No	23%
Not sure	17%

3. How enthusiastic are you about voting in the elections for Congress in November?

Very enthusiastic	34%
Somewhat enthusiastic	33%
Only a little	25%
Not at all	8%

4. Have you discussed the upcoming Wyoming elections with your friends or family?

Often	24%
A few times	43%
Hardly at all	20%
Never	13%

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5. Are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or something else?

Republican	63%
Democrat	22%
Other party	5%
No party	8%
Not sure	3%

6. How likely is it that you will vote in the election this November?

Definitely will vote	91%
Probably will vote	9%
Maybe will vote	0%
Probably will not vote	0%
Definitely will not vote	0%
Don't know	0%

7. How do you plan to vote in the elections to be held on November 4?

Asked of respondents who are definitely or probably going to vote

In person on election day	69%
In person before election day (early voting)	20%
Vote by mail (absentee)	8%
Not sure	3%

8. Have you already cast your vote/returned your ballot?

Asked of respondents who are plan to vote early in-person or by mail

Yes	26%
No	74%
Not sure	0%

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9. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for U.S. Senator from Wyoming?

Charlie Hardy	23%
Mike Enzi	61%
Other	0%
Not sure	6%
Lean Democratic	4%
Lean Republican	6%

10. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected to the U.S. Senate from Wyoming in November?

Charlie Hardy	1%
Mike Enzi	94%
Not sure	5%

11. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for U.S. Senate or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	58%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	24%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	17%

12. Which candidate will you vote for in the election for Governor in Wyoming?

Pete Gosar	31%
Matt Mead	48%
Other	0%
Not sure	9%
Lean Democratic	2%
Lean Republican	10%

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13. Regardless of how you are voting, which candidate do you think is most likely to be elected as Governor in Wyoming in November?

Pete Gosar	5%
Matt Mead	81%
Not sure	13%

14. Have you made up your mind to vote for [Candidate Name] for Governor or is there a chance you might vote for a different candidate?"

Asked of respondents who are not undecided. Undecided leaners coded as leaning.

Definitely will vote for [Candidate Name] - my mind is made up	52%
I will probably vote for [Candidate Name], but there is a chance I'll vote for someone else	19%
I'm just leaning toward [Candidate Name]	29%

15. As you know, President Obama will not be on the ballot in this year's Congressional midterms. Will you consider your vote in the 2014 Congressional elections to be...

A vote in support of President Obama and his policies	8%
A vote against President Obama and his policies	63%
President Obama and his policies not be a factor in my vote	29%

16. In deciding how to vote for U.S. Senate, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the Senate after the election?

Very important	60%
Somewhat important	27%
Not important	14%

17. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the U.S. Senate?

Democrats	12%
Republicans	64%
Not sure	24%

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18. In deciding how to vote for U.S. House of Representatives, how important is it to you which party controls a majority of seats in the House of Representatives after the election?

Very important	59%
Somewhat important	27%
Not important	14%

19. After the election on November 4, which party do you think is most likely to have a majority of seats in the House of Representatives?

Democrats	4%
Republicans	75%
Not sure	21%

20. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat favorable)

Charlie Hardy	18%
Mike Enzi	66%
Pete Gosar	32%
Matt Mead	46%

21. Generally, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of the following people?
(Percent very or somewhat unfavorable)

Charlie Hardy	33%
Mike Enzi	18%
Pete Gosar	22%
Matt Mead	34%

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22. Has what you've heard or read about the following candidates in recent weeks made you think better of them, made you think worse of them, or has it not changed your mind about them?

	Think better	Think worse	Have not changed mind	Not sure
Charlie Hardy	9%	4%	69%	18%
Mike Enzi	18%	11%	65%	7%

23. Have you been personally contacted by any of the following campaigns, either by phone call or by an in-person visit? Check all that apply.

Charlie Hardy	2%
Mike Enzi	14%
Pete Gosar	5%
Matt Mead	9%
None of the above	83%

24. Have you seen any advertisements for any of the following candidates?

Charlie Hardy	17%
Mike Enzi	53%
Pete Gosar	29%
Matt Mead	52%
None of the above	40%

25. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	14%
About the same	30%
Getting worse	52%
Not sure	4%

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26. How about the economy in Wyoming? Do you think the economy in Wyoming is getting better or worse?

Getting better	28%
About the same	56%
Getting worse	16%
Not sure	0%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	6%
Somewhat Approve	14%
Somewhat Disapprove	16%
Strongly Disapprove	65%
Not Sure	0%

28. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	3%
Liberal	6%
Moderate	41%
Conservative	28%
Very Conservative	20%
Not sure	2%

29. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?

Support the Tea Party movement	42%
Oppose the Tea Party movement	27%
Neither support or oppose	31%

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30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?

Democrat	17%
Republican	48%
Independent	34%
Not sure	0%

31. Gender

	Weighted	Unweighted
Male	51%	50%
Female	49%	50%

32. Age

	Weighted	Unweighted
18-29	9%	3%
30-44	21%	11%
45-64	40%	48%
65+	30%	38%

33. Highest level of education completed

	Weighted	Unweighted
High school or less	28%	9%
Some college	41%	41%
College graduate	21%	31%
Postgraduate degree	10%	19%

34. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Weighted	Unweighted
White	86%	93%
Black	2%	0%
Hispanic	6%	1%
Other	6%	6%

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35. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

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