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Project Name: News Selection Experiment

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Interviews: 2500

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Matching and Weighting

YouGov interviewed 2743 respondents who were then matched down to a sample of 2500 to produce the final dataset. The respondents were matched on gender, age, race, education, party identification, ideology, and political interest. YouGov then weighted the matched set of survey respondents to known marginals for the general population of the United States from the 2007 American Community Survey. Those marginals are shown below.

Age: 18-34: 30.78% 35-54: 38.64% 55+: 30.58%

Gender: Male: 48.60%
 Female: 51.40%

Race: White/Other: 75.66% Black: 11.41% Hispanic: 12.93%

Education: HS or less: 46.68% Some College: 28.69% College Graduate: 16.92%

Post-graduate: 8.71%

Variable List

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Description
                       _____
caseid
                      Case ID
                       Case Weight
weight
treatment
                       Treatment group
                      Likely to watch - 60 minutes
Likely to watch - American Idol
Likely to watch - Anderson Cooper 360
imi1
imi2
imi3
                       Likely to watch - CSI
imi4
                       Likely to watch - Dancing with the Stars
imi5
                       Likely to watch - Dateline NBC
imi6
imi7
                       Likely to watch - ESPN Sports Center
imi8
                       Likely to watch - Glee
imi9
                       Likely to watch - Grey's Anatomy
imi10
                       Likely to watch - Hannity
                       Likely to watch - Nightly News with Brian Williams
imi11
                       Likely to watch - PBS News Hour
Likely to watch - The Big Bang Theory
Likely to watch - The Office
imi12
imi13
imi14
                       Likely to watch - Two and a Half Men
imi15
                      Followed closely - The Facebook IPO
snewsq1
snewsq2
                      Followed closely - The Jerry Sandusky sex-abuse scandal
                      Followed closely - The Trayvon Martin case
snewsq3
                       Followed closely - The 2012 Egyptian presidential
snewsq4
election
                       Followed closely - President Barack Obama's endorsement
snewsg5
                       of same-sex marriage
snewsq6
                       Followed closely - The Supreme Court decision on
                       healthcare
                       Followed closely - Tom Cruise-Katie Holmes divorce
snewsq7
choice1
                       Choice 1
choice2
                       Choice 2
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Choice 3
choice3
choice4
                         Choice 4
choice_video_1
                        Video choice 1
choice_video_2
                        Video choice 2
                        Control - Article choice 1
cchoice1
                        Control - Article choice 2
cchoice2
                      Control - Article choice 3
Control - Article choice 4
Feel in situation - Your son or daughter gets engaged to
cchoice3
cchoice4
feeling1
                         a Democrat
                        Feel in situation - Your son or daughter gets engaged to
feeling2
                         a Republican
                        Feel in situation - Hillary Clinton is nominated for the
feeling3
                         Nobel Peace Prize
                        Feel in situation - Former President George W. Bush
feeling4
                        receives an honorary degree from a college in your state
                        Feel in situation - Your next door neighbor puts up
feeling5
                         sign_insert yard sign
happy_dem
                         Democratic Party wins controls of both House Senate:
                         Happiness felt
                         Democratic Party wins controls of both House Senate:
angry_dem
                         Anger felt
                         Republican Party wins controls of both House Senate:
happy_rep
                         Happiness felt
                         Republican Party wins controls of both House Senate:
angry_rep
                        Anger felt
therm bo
                         Thermometer - Barack Obama
                   Thermometer - Barack Obama
Thermometer - Rick Santorum
Thermometer - Mitt Romney
Thermometer - Joe Biden
Thermometer - Bill O'Reilly
Thermometer - Rachel Maddow
Thermometer - Republican Party
Thermometer - Democratic Party
Thermometer - Tea Party
Trait describes trait insert: O
therm_rs
therm mr
therm_jb
therm_br
therm_rm
therm_rp
therm_dp
therm_tp
                        Trait describes trait_insert: Open to reason
trait1
                        Trait describes trait_insert: Ignorant
trait2
trait3
                        Trait describes trait_insert: Compassionate
trait4
                        Trait describes trait_insert: Hypocritical
trait5
                         Trait describes trait_insert: Sincere
trait6
                         Trait describes trait_insert: Concerned about the long
                         term future of the country
                         Trait describes trait_insert: Selfish
trait7
                         Trait describes trait_insert: Patriotic
trait8
trait9
                         Trait describes trait_insert: Show respect for those
they
                        disagree with
covbias1
                        Coverage bias - MSNBC
                     Coverage bias - Minde
Coverage bias - Huffington Post
Coverage bias - New York Times
Coverage bias - The Daily Show
Coverage bias - USA Today
Coverage bias - Fox News
Coverage bias - PBS
covbias2
covbias3
covbias4
covbias5
covbias6
covbias7
                      PK1 assignment
qpk1_treat
qpk2_treat
                        PK2 assignment
qpk1_force
                        Job or office held by person shown in picture/John
                        Boehner - Forced to pick
qpk1
                         Job or office held by person shown in picture/John
Boehner
                         Job or office held by Stephen Breyer - Forced to pick
qpk2_force
                         Job or office held by Stephen Breyer
qpk2
                         Job or office held by Ben Bernanke - Forced to pick
qpk3_force
qpk3
                         Job or office held by Ben Bernanke
                         Unemployment rate since the 2010 midterm elections,
qpk7
                         qpk7_insert
qpk8
                         Budget deficit since the 2010 midterm elections,
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qpk7_insert
preschoice lean
                                  Vote choice if presidential election held today - Lean
preschoice
                                 Vote choice if presidential election held today
preschoice_party preschoice - Party ID indicator eventsinterest Interest in current events
                            Interest in current events
Ideology - Self
Ideology - Self, can't say followup
Ideology - Most Democratic Party supporters
Ideology - Most Republican Party supporters
Ideology - Mitt Romney
Ideology - Most Tea Party Supporters
Ideology - People active in the 'Occupy Wall Street'
ideo self
ideo_self_dk
ideo_dem
ideo_rep
ideo_mr
ideo_tp
ideo_ows
                                 movement
ideo_bo
likescale_sdem
likescale_srep
likescale_bo
likescale_mr
likescale_sp
likescale_sp
likescale_bo
Like/dislike - President Obama
likescale_mr
likescale_sp
likescale_sp
likescale_hc
rep_likescale_sdem

rep_likescale_sate

rep_likescale_srep
Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Democratic
Party supporters

Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Republicans

Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Republicans
rep_likescale_srep
                                 Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Republican
                                 Party supporters
rep_likescale_bo
                                 Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about President
Obama
rep_likescale_mr
                                 Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Mitt Romney
rep_likescale_sp
                                 Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Sarah Palin
                                  Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Hillary
rep_likescale_hc
Clinton
supporters
dem_likescale_srep
                                 Like/dislike - How Democrats feel about Republican Party
                                  supporters
dem_likescale_bo
dem_likescale_mr
dem_likescale_mr
dem_likescale_sp
dem_likescale_hc
birthyr

Like/dislike - How Democrats feel about Mitt Romney
Like/dislike - How Democrats feel about Sarah Palin
Like/dislike - How Democrats feel about Hillary Clinton

Birth Voor
birthyr
                                 Birth Year
                                  Gender
gender
                                 7 point Party ID 3 point party ID
pid7
pid3
                                 Race
race
educ
                                 Education
employ Employment Status

pew_bornagain Born Again (Pew version)

pew_religimp Importance of religion (Pew version)

pew_churatd Church attendance (Pew version)

pew_prayer Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)

religipew Pew religion
                                 Marital Status
religpew Pew religion Pertestant Church
ideo5
                                   Ideology
                                  Interest in news and public affairs
newsint
                                 What was your family's annual income last year?
faminc2
                               Family income
faminc
voterea
                                 Voter Registration Status
inputstate
                                 State of Residence
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Verbatims ______

snews1Identify person - Phillip Phillipssnews2Identify person - Lady Gagasign_insertCandidate insert for feeling5trait_insertParty insert for trait questions sign_insert trait_insert

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Job or office held by person shown in picture/Harry Reid
qpk4
qpk5
                        Current U.S. Secretary of Defense
qpk6
                        President of France
qpk7_insert
                        Insert for qpk7/qpk8
qpk9
                       Barack Obama's religion
qpk10
                       Mitt Romney's religion
                      Ideology - Self, can't say followup: Text
ideo_self_dk_t
                        3 point party ID - other
pid3_t
race_other
                        Race, other
                       Employment Status - open
employ_t
                      Pew religion - Text
religpew_t
religpew_protestant_t Protestant Church - Text
                       corq1
corg2
                        corg2
corg3
                       corg3
corg4
                       corg4
corg5
                       corq5
corq6
                       corq6
corg7
                       corg7
corg8
                       corq8
corq9
                       corg9
corg10
                       corg10
corg11
                      corq11
corq12
                      corq12
cperson1
                      Control, Person 1
                      Control, Person 2
cperson2
                      Control, Person 3
cperson3
                    Control, Person 3
Control, Person 4
Control, Person 5
Control, Person 6
Control, Person 7
Control, Person 8
Control, Person 9
Control, Person 10
Control, Person 11
Control, Person 12
cperson4
cperson5
cperson6
cperson7
cperson8
cperson9
cperson10
cperson11
cperson12
                       Organization 1
org1
org2
                       Organization 2
                       Organization 3
org3
                       Organization 4
orq4
                       Organization 5
orq5
orq6
                       Organization 6
                       Organization 7
org7
org8
                       Organization 8
                      Organization 9
org9
                      Organization 10
ora10
orq11
                      Organization 11
orq12
                       Organization 12
                       Person 1
person1
person2
                       Person 2
                       Person 3
person3
person4
                       Person 4
                       Person 5
person5
                      Person 6
person6
person7
                      Person 7
                      Person 8
person8
person9
                      Person 9
person10
                      Person 10
person11
                      Person 11
person12
                      Person 12
title1_f1
                      title1_f1
title2_f1
                      title2_f1
                      title3_f1
title3_f1
                     title4_f1
title1_m1
title4_f1
title1 m1
title2_m1
                       title2_m1
title3_m1
                       title3_m1
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title4 m1	title4_m1
title1_p1	title1_p1
title1_p2	title1 p2
	— <u>-</u> -
title1_p3	title1_p3
title1_p4	title1_p4
title2_p1	title2_p1
title2_p2	title2_p2
title2_p3	title2_p3
title2 p4	title2 p4
title3_p1	title3_p1
title3_p2	title3_p2
title3_p3	title3_p3
=	
title3_p4	title3_p4
title4_p1	title4_p1
title4_p2	title4_p2
title4_p3	title4_p3
title4_p4	title4_p4
title5 pl	title5 p1
title5 p2	title5_p2
title5 p3	title5 p3
title5 p4	title5 p4
— <u>-</u> -	— <u>-</u> -
title6_p1	title6_p1
title6_p2	title6_p2
title6_p3	title6_p3
title6_p4	title6_p4

Variable Map and Codebook

Name: caseid Description: Case ID

Name: weight
Description: Case Weight

Name: treatment Description: Treatment group

Count Code Label

0 9 Not Asked

Name: imi1

Description: Likely to watch - 60 minutes

Count Code Label

391 1 Regularly
1192 2 Now and then
914 3 Never
3 8 Skipped 0 9 Not Asked

Name: imi2

Description: Likely to watch - American Idol

Count Code Label

324 1 Regularly 643 2 Now and then 1524 3 Never 9 8 Skipped 0 9 Not Asked

imi3

Description: Likely to watch - Anderson Cooper 360

Count Code Label _____ ____

149 1 Regularly 730 2 Now and then

1615 3 Never 6 8 Skipped 9 Not Asked

imi4

Description: Likely to watch - CSI

Count Code Label _____

535 1 Regularly 870 2 Now and then

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1089
          3 Never
       6 8 Skipped
        0 9 Not Asked
______
Name: imi5
Description: Likely to watch - Dancing with the Stars
     Count Code Label
     _____
      318 1 Regularly
      605 2 Now and then
          3 Never
       7 8 Skipped
       0 9 Not Asked
_____
     imi6
Description: Likely to watch - Dateline NBC
     Count Code Label
     _____
      285 1 Regularly
      1080 2 Now and then
      1132 3 Never
        3 8 Skipped
        0 9 Not Asked
______
Name: imi7
Description: Likely to watch - ESPN Sports Center
     Count Code Label
      280 1 Regularly
      751 2 Now and then
1462 3 Never
7 8 Skipped
        0
          9 Not Asked
______
     imi8
Description: Likely to watch - Glee
     Count Code Label
      196 1 Regularly
      350 2 Now and then
      1948 3 Never
       6 8 Skipped
0 9 Not Asked
______
Name: imi9
Description: Likely to watch - Grey's Anatomy
     Count Code Label
     _____
      252 1 Regularly
      462 2 Now and then
1783 3 Never
3 8 Skipped
0 9 Not Asked
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Name: imi10

Description: Likely to watch - Hannity

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Count Code Label
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       332 1 Regularly
      457 2 Now and then
1706 3 Never
5 8 Skipped
            9 Not Asked
         0
______
          imi11
Description: Likely to watch - Nightly News with Brian Williams
      Count Code Label
      ____ ___
       391 1 Regularly
       855 2 Now and then
1249 3 Never
5 8 Skipped
            9 Not Asked
         0
______
Name: imi12
Description: Likely to watch - PBS News Hour
      Count Code Label
      _____
       154 1 Regularly
627 2 Now and then
1713 3 Never
6 8 Skipped
0 9 Not Asked
       1713
______
Name: imi13
Description: Likely to watch - The Big Bang Theory
      Count Code Label
      _____
       536 1 Regularly
567 2 Now and then
388 3 Never
9 8 Skipped
       1388
         0 9 Not Asked
______
          imi14
Description: Likely to watch - The Office
      Count Code Label
       186 1 Regularly
586 2 Now and then
1719 3 Never
            8 Skipped
         9
            9 Not Asked
______
          imi15
Description: Likely to watch - Two and a Half Men
      Count Code Label
           1 Regularly
       344 I Regulally
664 2 Now and then
1483 3 Never
9 8 Skipped
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9 Not Asked ______ Name: snewsq1 Description: Followed closely - The Facebook IPO Count Code Label 125 1 Very closely 447 2 Fairly closely 3 Not too closely 1031 4 Not at all 2 8 Skipped 9 Not Asked \cap ______ Name: snewsg2
Description: Followed closely - The Jerry Sandusky sex-abuse scandal Count Code Label _____ 416 1 Very closely 859 2 Fairly closely 3 Not too closely 447 4 Not at all 8 Skipped 1 Ω 9 Not Asked ______

snewsq3

Description: Followed closely - The Trayvon Martin case

Count Code Label 524 1 Very closely 895 2 Fairly closely 673 3 Not too closely 407 4 Not at all 1 8 Skipped 9 Not Asked

Name: snewsg4

Description: Followed closely - The 2012 Egyptian presidential election

Count Code Label _____ 201 1 Very closely 586 2 Fairly closely 870 3 Not too closely 843 4 Not at all 0 8 Skipped 9 Not Asked \cap

Name: snewsq5

Description: Followed closely - President Barack Obama's endorsement of samesex marriage

> Count Code Label 741 1 Very closely 758 2 Fairly closely 623 3 Not too closely 377 4 Not at all 8 Skipped 1 9 Not Asked

333

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______
       snewsq6
Description: Followed closely - The Supreme Court decision on healthcare
      Count Code Label
       1225 1 Very closely
675 2 Fairly closely
369 3 Not too closely
229 4 Not at all
        2 8 Skipped
         0 9 Not Asked
______
Name: snewsg7
Description: Followed closely - Tom Cruise-Katie Holmes divorce
      Count Code Label
        140 1 Very closely
422 2 Fairly closely
            3 Not too closely
       1005 4 Not at all
        0 8 Skipped
         0 9 Not Asked
______
Name: choice1
Description: Choice 1
      Count Code Label
        339 1 title1_p1, org1
        312 2 title2_p1, org2
        321 3 title3_p1, org3
        366 4 title4_p1, org4
        330 5 title5_p1, org5
        327 6 title6_p1, org6
5 8 Skipped
500 9 Not Asked
______
Name: choice2
Description: Choice 2
      Count Code Label
      _____
        361 1 title1_p2, person1
        328 2 title2_p2, person2
        319 3 title3_p2, person3
325 4 title4_p2, person4
316 5 title5_p2, person5
341 6 title6_p2, person6
            8 Skipped
        10
        500
            9 Not Asked
______
      choice3
Description: Choice 3
      Count Code Label
            1 title1_p3, org7
        362 2 title2_p3, org8
335 3 title3_p3, org9
            4 title4_p3, org10
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303
           5 title5_p3, org11
           6 title6_p3, org12
       8
           8 Skipped
      500
           9 Not Asked
_____
Name: choice4
Description: Choice 4
     Count Code Label
      347 1 title1_p4, person7
      332 2 title2_p4, person8
      293 3 title3_p4, person9
      346 4 title4_p4, person10
      5 title5_p4, person11
      344 6 title6_p4, person12
          8 Skipped
      500
          9 Not Asked
______
    choice_video_1
Description: Video choice 1
     Count Code Label
      635 1 title1_m1
      569 3 title3_m1
465 4 title4_m1
8 8 Skipped
      569
      465
         9 Not Asked
      500
_____
Name: choice video 2
Description: Video choice 2
     Count Code Label
      8 Skipped
      16
      500 9 Not Asked
______
Name: cchoice1
Description: Control - Article choice 1
     Count Code Label
     _____
       72 1 title1_p1, corg1
           2 title2_p1, corg2
       78
          3 title3_p1, corg3
       92
          4 title4_p1, corg4
       96
       82 5 title5_p1, corg5
       79 6 title6_p1, corg6
          8 Skipped
      2000
          9 Not Asked
______
     cchoice2
Description: Control - Article choice 2
     Count Code Label
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1 title1_p2, cperson1
        77
            2 title2_p2, cperson2
            3 title3_p2, cperson3
        73
        87
            4 title4_p2, cperson4
        67
            5 title5_p2, cperson5
        95
           6 title6_p2, cperson6
            8 Skipped
        6
      2000
            9 Not Asked
______
     cchoice3
Description: Control - Article choice 3
      Count Code Label
        86 1 title1_p3, corg7
        8 Skipped
        4
           9 Not Asked
      2000
_______
         cchoice4
Description: Control - Article choice 4
      Count Code Label
        74 1 title1_p4, cperson7
        87
            2 title2_p4, cperson8
            3 title3_p4, cperson9
        74
            4 title4_p4, cperson10
        88
        73 5 title5_p4, cperson11
        97 6 title6_p4, cperson12
        7
           8 Skipped
      2000 9 Not Asked
Name: feeling1
Description: Feel in situation - Your son or daughter gets engaged to a
Democrat
      Count Code Label
      _____
       295 1 Very Unhappy
       256 2 Somewhat Unhappy
           3 Neutral
      1164
       278
       278 4 Somewhat Happy
507 5 Very Happy
0 8 Skipped
           9 Not Asked
        \cap
______
Name: feeling2
```

Description: Feel in situation - Your son or daughter gets engaged to a Republican

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Count Code Label
   288 1 Very Unhappy
293 2 Somewhat Unhappy
137 3 Neutral
289 4 Somewhat Happy
493 5 Very Happy
  1137
             8 Skipped
```

9 Not Asked

Name: feeling3

Description: Feel in situation - Hillary Clinton is nominated for the Nobel

Peace Prize

Count Code Label 498 1 Very Unhappy

273 2 Somewhat Unhappy

743 3 Neutral

460 4 Somewhat Happy 526 5 Very Happy 0 8 Skipped

9 Not Asked \cap

Name: feeling4
Description: Feel in situation - Former President George W. Bush receives an honorary degree from a college in your state

Count	Code	Label	
520	1	Very Unhappy	
267	2	Somewhat Unhappy	
969	3	Neutral	
321	4	Somewhat Happy	
422	5	Very Happy	
1	8	Skipped	
0	9	Not Asked	

feeling5

Description: Feel in situation - Your next door neighbor puts up sign_insert yard sign

> Count Code Label 481 1 Very Unhappy 376 2 Somewhat Unha 2 Somewhat Unhappy 819 3 Neutral 4 Somewhat Happy 252 5 Very Happy 572 8 Skipped 0

> > 9 Not Asked

happy_dem

0

Description: Democratic Party wins controls of both House Senate: Happiness felt

Count Code Label _____ 1139 1 Not at all 149 2 A little 325 3 Somewhat 297 4 Very 587 5 Extremely 3 8 Skipped 9 Not Asked 0

Name: angry_dem

Description: Democratic Party wins controls of both House Senate: Anger felt

Count Code Label

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1149 1 Not at all
      211 2 A little
      304 3 Somewhat
     234 4 Very
599 5 Extremely
3 8 Skipped
       0
         9 Not Asked
______
       happy_rep
Description: Republican Party wins controls of both House Senate: Happiness
    Count Code Label
     638 5 Extremely
       3 8 Skipped
         9 Not Asked
       0
______
       angry_rep
Description: Republican Party wins controls of both House Senate: Anger felt
    Count Code Label
     3 Somewhat
     336
         4 Very
      2.71
      522 5 Extremely
      1 8 Skipped
       0
         9 Not Asked
______
    therm bo
Description: Thermometer - Barack Obama
    Count Code Label
    _____
       0 998 Skipped
       0 999 Not Asked
______
       therm_rs
Description: Thermometer - Rick Santorum
    Count Code Label
    _____
       0 998 Skipped
       0 999 Not Asked
______
Name: therm_mr
Description: Thermometer - Mitt Romney
    Count Code Label
      0 998 Skipped
       0 999 Not Asked
______
Name:
       therm_jb
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Description: Thermometer - Joe Biden
     Count Code Label
     _____
       0 998 Skipped
       0 999 Not Asked
______
        therm_br
Description: Thermometer - Bill O'Reilly
     Count Code Label
      0 998 Skipped
       0 999 Not Asked
_____
    therm rm
Description: Thermometer - Rachel Maddow
     Count Code Label
     _____
      0 998 Skipped
       0 999 Not Asked
______
Name: therm_rp
Description: Thermometer - Republican Party
     Count Code Label
       0 998 Skipped
       0 999 Not Asked
______
        therm dp
Description: Thermometer - Democratic Party
     Count Code Label
       0 998 Skipped
0 999 Not Asked
______
Name:
     therm_tp
Description: Thermometer - Tea Party
     Count Code Label
     _____
       0 998 Skipped
0 999 Not Asked
______
Name: trait1
Description: Trait describes trait_insert: Open to reason
     Count Code Label
      782 1 Not at all - 1
      346
         2 2
          3 3
      532
      469
          4 4
         5 Extremely well - 5
8 Skipped
9 Not Asked
      367
       4
       0
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Name:
             trait2
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Description: Trait describes trait_insert: Ignorant

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Count Code Label
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 842 1 Not at all - 1
 415 2 2
       3 3
 533
 269
       4 4
 438 5 Extremely well - 5
  3 8 Skipped
       9 Not Asked
```

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trait3
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Description: Trait describes trait_insert: Compassionate

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Count Code Label
 655 1 Not at all - 1 340 2 2 623 3 3
        4 4
  468
  409 5 Extremely well - 5
   5 8 Skipped
   0 9 Not Asked
```

Name: trait4
Description: Trait describes trait_insert: Hypocritical

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Count Code Label
_____
 403 2 2
 553 3 3
     4 4
 338
 635 5 Extremely well - 5
    8 Skipped
  5
     9 Not Asked
```

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Name: trait5
```

Description: Trait describes trait_insert: Sincere

```
Count Code Label
_____
 614 1 Not at all - 1
 321 2 2
 654 3 3
 9 Not Asked
  0
```

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trait6
```

Description: Trait describes trait insert: Concerned about the long term future of the country

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Count Code Label
                                                    703
                                                                                                                                               1 Not at all - 1 2 2
                                                 248
                                                                                                                                                                                           3 3
                                                 450
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4 8 Skipped
0 9 Not Asked
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Name: trait7

Description: Trait describes trait_insert: Selfish

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Name: trait8
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Description: Trait describes trait_insert: Patriotic

Name: trait9

Description: Trait describes trait_insert: Show respect for those they

disagree with

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Name: covbias1
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Description: Coverage bias - MSNBC

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Name: covbias2
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Description: Coverage bias - Huffington Post

```
Count Code Label
---- --- 1167 1 Liberals
1160 2 Neutral
163 3 Conservatives
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10 8 Skipped 0 9 Not Asked

covbias3

Description: Coverage bias - New York Times

Count Code Label 1068 1 Liberals 1211 2 Neutral 206 3 Conservatives

15 8 Skipped 9 Not Asked \cap

Name: covbias4

Description: Coverage bias - The Daily Show

Count Code Label _____ ____ 1302 1 Liberals 1087 2 Neutral 99 3 Conservatives 12 8 Skipped 0 9 Not Asked

Name: covbias5
Description: Coverage bias - USA Today

Count Code Label 699 1 Liberals 1580 2 Neutral

213 3 Conservatives

8 8 Skipped 0 9 Not Asked

Name: covbias6
Description: Coverage bias - Fox News

Count Code Label 133 1 Liberals 961 2 Neutral 1400 3 Conservatives

6 8 Skipped

9 Not Asked

covbias7

Description: Coverage bias - PBS

Count Code Label 810 1 Liberals 1577 2 Neutral 104 3 Conservatives 9 8 Skipped 0 9 Not Asked

qpk1_treat Description: PK1 assignment

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Count Code Label
       1219 1 Picture
       1281 2 No picture
         0 8 Skipped
         0
            9 Not Asked
______
Name: qpk2_treat
Description: PK2 assignment
      Count Code Label
       1248 1 Picture
       1252 2 No picture
         0 8 Skipped
         0
            9 Not Asked
Name: qpkl_force
Description: Job or office held by person shown in picture/John Boehner -
Forced to pick
      Count Code Label
        83 1 U.S. Secretary of Defense
        208 2 Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives
            3 Chief Justice of the United States
       110
             4 Chairman of the Republican National Committee
             8 Skipped
       1834
           9 Not Asked
______
          qpk1
Description: Job or office held by person shown in picture/John Boehner
      Count Code Label
        1 U.S. Secretary of Defense
       2 Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives
             3 Chief Justice of the United States
             4 Chairman of the Republican National Committee
        74
            5 Don't know
        666
        16 8 Skipped
           9 Not Asked
______
Name: qpk2_force
Description: Job or office held by Stephen Breyer - Forced to pick
      Count Code Label
        433 1 Governor of South Dakota
             2 U.S. Secretary of Agriculture
        446
            3 Prime Minister of Canada
       170
            4 United States Supreme Court Justice
       199
       114 8 Skipped
       1138 9 Not Asked
______
          qpk2
Description: Job or office held by Stephen Breyer
      Count Code Label
        104 1 Governor of South Dakota
```

145 2 U.S. Secretary of Agriculture

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            3 Prime Minister of Canada
           4 United States Supreme Court Justice
      1359 5 Don't know
       46 8 Skipped
        0 9 Not Asked
______
Name: qpk3_force
Description: Job or office held by Ben Bernanke - Forced to pick
     Count Code Label
       165 1 Treasury Secretary
       160 2 Chairman of the Federal Reserve
           3 U.S. Secretary of Homeland Security
       4 Chairman of the U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff
       41
          8 Skipped
9 Not Asked
      1938
______
Name: qpk3
Description: Job or office held by Ben Bernanke
     Count Code Label
      _____
       290 1 Treasury Secretary
      1404 2 Chairman of the Federal Reserve
       110
           3 U.S. Secretary of Homeland Security
       60 4 Chairman of
561 5 Don't know
75 8 Skipped
            4 Chairman of the U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff
          9 Not Asked
        Ω
______
Name: qpk7
Description: Unemployment rate since the 2010 midterm elections, qpk7 insert
     Count Code Label
      _____
       690 1 Gone Up
675 2 Remained the same
847 3 Gone Down
242 4 Can't Say
       46 8 Skipped
        0 9 Not Asked
______
Name: qpk8
Description: Budget deficit since the 2010 midterm elections, qpk7_insert
     Count Code Label
      _____
      1576 1 Gone Up
           2 Remained the same
       441
           3 Gone Down
       160
       284 4 Can't Say
       39 8 Skipped
        0
            9 Not Asked
______
```

preschoice_lean

Description: Vote choice if presidential election held today - Lean

Count Code Label _____

128 1 Obama, the Democrat 127 2 Romney, the Republican

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50
        8 Skipped
2195
        9 Not Asked
```

Name: preschoice Description: Vote choice if presidential election held today

```
Count Code Label
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1137 1 Barack Obama\$phrase1q2 1057 2 Mitt Romney\$phrase2q2

305 3 Not Sure 8 Skipped 0 9 Not Asked

Name: preschoice_party
Description: preschoice - Party ID indicator

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Count Code Label
_____
```

0 -9 Not Asked 0 -8 Skipped 1197 1 Party shown 1303 2 No party shown

Name: eventsinterest
Description: Interest in current events

```
Count Code Label
_____
```

1216 1 Almost Daily 717 2 Some of the time 3 Only now and then

4 Hardly at all 1 8 Skipped 0 9 Not Asked

Name: ideo_self
Description: Ideology - Self

Count Code Label

162 1 Extremely liberal

349 2 Liberal

212 3 Slightly liberal

546 4 Moderate; middle of the road

5 Slightly conservative

574 6 Conservative

7 Extremely conservative 267

8 Can't Say 134 1 98 Skipped

99 Not Asked

Name: ideo_self_dk

Description: Ideology - Self, can't say followup

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Count Code Label
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20 1 Liberal 25 2 Conservative 61 3 Moderate 28 4 Other 0 8 Skipped

2366 9 Not Asked

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______
Name: ideo dem
Description: Ideology - Most Democratic Party supporters
      Count Code Label
        473 1 Extremely liberal
978 2 Liberal
             3 Slightly liberal
        392
        280 4 Moderate; middle of the road
        74 5 Slightly conservative
        64 6 Conservative
        32 7 Extremely conservative
        202
            8 Can't Say
         5 98 Skipped
            99 Not Asked
Name: ideo_rep
Description: Ideology - Most Republican Party supporters
      Count Code Label
      _____
        41 1 Extremely liberal
47 2 Liberal
       46 3 Slightly liberal
181 4 Moderate; middle of the road
317 5 Slightly conservative
1129 6 Conservative
             7 Extremely conservative
        522
            8 Can't Say
        213
         4 98 Skipped
            99 Not Asked
______
      ideo_mr
Description: Ideology - Mitt Romney
      Count Code Label
        48 1 Extremely liberal
49 2 Liberal
        49 3 Slightly liberal
        4 Moderate; middle of the road
        480 5 Slightly conservative
        923 6 Conservative
        405
             7 Extremely conservative
        290
             8 Can't Say
            98 Skipped
         3
            99 Not Asked
______
          ideo_tp
Description: Ideology - Most Tea Party Supporters
      Count Code Label
        62 1 Extremely liberal
         30 2 Liberal
             3 Slightly liberal
4 Moderate; middle of the road
        33
        191
             5 Slightly conservative
        120
            6 Conservative
7 Extremely conservative
        499
       1261
            8 Can't Say
        301
```

98 Skipped 0 99 Not Asked

ideo_ows

Description: Ideology - People active in the 'Occupy Wall Street' movement

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Count Code Label
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1092 1 Extremely liberal

437 2 Liberal

114 3 Slightly liberal

4 Moderate; middle of the road

77 5 Slightly conservative

62 6 Conservative

7 Extremely conservative 62

380 8 Can't Say 98 Skipped 0 99 Not Asked

ideo_bo

Description: Ideology - Barack Obama

Count Code Label

907 1 Extremely liberal

460 2 Liberal

3 Slightly liberal 328

4 Moderate; middle of the road 5 Slightly conservative 403

96

6 Conservative 62

7 Extremely conservative 35

8 Can't Say 206

98 Skipped

0 99 Not Asked

Name: likescale_sdem

Description: Like/dislike - Supporters of Democratic Party

Count Code Label

140 997 Don't know

21 998 Skipped

0 999 Not Asked

likescale_srep

Description: Like/dislike - Supporters of Republican Party

Count Code Label

141 997 Don't know

23 998 Skipped

0 999 Not Asked

likescale_bo

Description: Like/dislike - President Obama

Count Code Label

77 997 Don't know

25 998 Skipped

0 999 Not Asked

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Description: Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Democratic Party supporters Count Code Label _____ 183 997 Don't know 16 998 Skipped 0 999 Not Asked ______ Name: rep_likescale_srep Description: Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Republican Party supporters

> Count Code Label _____ 172 997 Don't know 17 998 Skipped 0 999 Not Asked

Name: rep_likescale_bo
Description: Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about President Obama

Count Code Label 126 997 Don't know 18 998 Skipped 0 999 Not Asked

Name: rep_likescale_mr

Description: Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Mitt Romney

Count Code Label

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176 997 Don't know
       16 998 Skipped
        0 999 Not Asked
______
Name: rep_likescale_sp
Description: Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Sarah Palin
     Count Code Label
       178 997 Don't know
       15 998 Skipped
        0 999 Not Asked
______
     rep_likescale_hc
Description: Like/dislike - How Republicans feel about Hillary Clinton
     Count Code Label
       160 997 Don't know
       14 998 Skipped
        0 999 Not Asked
______
Name: dem_likescale_sdem
Description: Like/dislike - How Democrats feel about Democratic Party
supporters
     Count Code Label
       182 997 Don't know
       16 998 Skipped
        0 999 Not Asked
______
        dem_likescale_srep
Description: Like/dislike - How Democrats feel about Republican Party
supporters
     Count Code Label
       189 997 Don't know
       18 998 Skipped
        0 999 Not Asked
______
         dem_likescale_bo
Description: Like/dislike - How Democrats feel about President Obama
     Count Code Label
       159 997 Don't know
       16 998 Skipped
        0 999 Not Asked
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         dem_likescale_mr
Description: Like/dislike - How Democrats feel about Mitt Romney
     Count Code Label
       194 997 Don't know
       14 998 Skipped
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0 999 Not Asked

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Name: dem likescale sp
Description: Like/dislike - How Democrats feel about Sarah Palin
      Count Code Label
      _____
       180 997 Don't know
13 998 Skipped
0 999 Not Asked
_____
Name: dem_likescale_hc
Description: Like/dislike - How Democrats feel about Hillary Clinton
      Count Code Label
       168 997 Don't know
13 998 Skipped
0 999 Not Asked
______
Name: birthyr
Description: Birth Year
      Count Code Label
      ----
        0 9998 Skipped
        0 9999 Not Asked
______
Name: gender
Description: Gender
      Count Code Label
      1155 1 Male
      1345 2 Female
0 8 Skipped
         0
            9 Not Asked
______
Name: pid7
Description: 7 point Party ID
      Count Code Label
       585 1 Strong Democrat
       301 2 Not very strong Democrat
       223 3 Lean Democrat
       316 4 Independent
246 5 Lean Republican
268 6 Not very strong
481 7 Strong Republica
            6 Not very strong Republican
        181 7 Strong Republican
79 8 Not sure
        0 98 Skipped
           99 Not Asked
______
      pid3
Description: 3 point party ID
      Count Code Label
       887 1 Democrat
750 2 Republican
709 3 Independent
20 4 Other
```

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134
     5 Not sure
 0 8 Skipped
     9 Not Asked
```

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Name: race
Description: Race
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Count Code Label
_____
1877 1 White
 258 2 Black
 215
      3 Hispanic
  31
      4 Asian
```

12 5 Native American

6 Mixed 64 40

7 Other 8 Middle Eastern

98 Skipped 0 99 Not Asked 0

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Name: educ
Description: Education
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Count Code Label
  104 1 No HS
866 2 High school graduate
607 3 Some college
207 4 2-year
460 5 4-year
   256 6 Post-grad
     0
            8 Skipped
             9 Not Asked
      0
```

marstat Description: Marital Status

```
Count Code Label
 1338 1 Married
40 2 Separated
278 3 Divorced
  117 4 Widowed
  604 5 Single
```

122 6 Domestic partnership

8 Skipped 1 9 Not Asked

```
employ
```

Description: Employment Status

```
Count Code Label
 929 1 Full-time
 267
      2 Part-time
  17
       3 Temporarily laid off
 205
        4 Unemployed
 511
        5 Retired
 172
        6 Permanently disabled
        7 Homemaker
 211
      8 Student
9 Other
 143
  45
      98 Skipped
```

0 99 Not Asked

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______
Name: pew_bornagain
Description: Born Again (Pew version)
      Count Code Label
      774 1 Yes
1726 2 No
0 8 Skipped
            9 Not Asked
______
     pew_religimp
Description: Importance of religion (Pew version)
      Count Code Label
      1076 1 Very important 601 2 Somewhat import
       601
             2 Somewhat important
       340
            3 Not too important
            4 Not at all important
       483
             8 Skipped
         0
             9 Not Asked
______
Name: pew_churatd
Description: Church attendance (Pew version)
      Count Code Label
       273 1 More than once a week
       457 2 Once a week
165 3 Once or twice a month
298 4 A few times a year
       550 5 Seldom
       704 6 Never
        53 7 Don't know 8 Skipped
         0
            9 Not Asked
______
        pew_prayer
Description: Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)
      Count Code Label
      _____
       825 1 Several times a day
       379 2 Once a day
300 3 A few times a week
58 4 Once a week
            5 A few times a month
       160
            6 Seldom
       313
            7 Never
       393
            8 Don't know
        72
           98 Skipped
           99 Not Asked
______
         religpew
Description: Pew religion
      Count Code Label
```

1024 1 Protestant 472 2 Roman Catholic 59

3 Mormon

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9
             4 Eastern or Greek Orthodox
         65
             5 Jewish
         9
             6 Muslim
         20
             7 Buddhist
             8 Hindu
         2
        126
             9 Atheist
            10 Agnostic
        135
        420
             11 Nothing in particular
            12 Something else
        158
            98 Skipped
         1
             99 Not Asked
______
      religpew_protestant
Description: Protestant Church
      Count Code Label
        340 1 Baptist
140 2 Methodist
             3 Nondenominational or Independent Church
        219
        125
             4 Lutheran
        70
             5 Presbyterian
         77
            6 Pentecostal
         38
             7 Episcopalian
         45
            8 Church of Christ or Disciples of Christ
         25
             9 Congregational or United Church of Christ
         12
            10 Holiness
         13
            11 Reformed
            12 Adventist
         8
            13 Jehovah's Witness
         12
            90 Something else
        81
         0
            98 Skipped
       1295
            99 Not Asked
______
Name:
      ideo5
Description: Ideology
      Count Code Label
        208 1 Very liberal
421 2 Liberal
        701
            3 Moderate
        607
            4 Conservative
        347 5 Very Conservative
        216 6 Not sure
         Ω
             8 Skipped
             9 Not Asked
______
          newsint
Description: Interest in news and public affairs
      Count Code Label
       1294 1 Most of the time
            2 Some of the time
        290
             3 Only now and then
             4 Hardly at all
        159
         85
             7 Don't know
         0
             8 Skipped
         0
             9 Not Asked
```

Name: faminc2

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Description: What was your family's annual income last year?
        Count Code Label
        _____
          69 12 $150,000 - $199,999
              13 $200,000 - $249,999
          25
              14 $250,000 - $349,999
15 $350,000 - $499,999
16 $500,000 or more
          16
              98 Skipped
           3
        2378 99 Not Asked
______
Name: faminc
Description: Family income
       Count Code Label
         4 $30,000 - $39,999
         263
         235 5 $40,000 - $49,999
         221
               6 $50,000 - $59,999
         7 $60,000 - $69,999
              8 $70,000 - $79,999
         173
         175
               9 $80,000 - $99,999
              10 $100,000 - $119,999
11 $120,000 - $149,999
         124
          97
               12 $150,000 - $199,999
13 $200,000 - $249,999
14 $250,000 - $349,999
15 $350,000 - $499,999
          69
```

Name: votereq

25 16 6

3

3 0

Description: Voter Registration Status

99 Not Asked

16 \$500,000 or more

31 \$150,000 or more 326 97 Prefer not to say 98 Skipped

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Count Code Label
2259 1 Yes
 219 2 No
```

22 3 Don't know 0 8 Skipped 9 Not Asked

inputstate

Description: State of Residence

```
Count Code Label
  37 1 Alabama
   3 2 Alaska
      4 Arizona
5 Arkansas
  63
  30
       6 California
  240
  54
       8 Colorado
9 Connecticut
  34
      10 Delaware
   7
  6 11 District of Columbia
      12 Florida
 178
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- 59 13 Georgia
- 7 15 Hawaii
- 14 16 Idaho
- 17 Illinois 115
- 58 18 Indiana
- 19 Iowa 32
- 18 20 Kansas
- 38 21 Kentucky
- 30 22 Louisiana
- 23 Maine 20
- 44 24 Maryland
- 46 25 Massachusetts
- 80 26 Michigan
- 36 27 Minnesota
- 13 28 Mississippi
- 50 29 Missouri
- 30 Montana 10
- 15 31 Nebraska
- 27 32 Nevada
- 17 33 New Hampshire
- 82 34 New Jersey
- 19 35 New Mexico
- 115 36 New York
- 80 37 North Carolina
- 5 38 North Dakota
- 113 39 Ohio
- 29 40 Oklahoma
- 42 41 Oregon
- 132 42 Pennsylvania
- 10 44 Rhode Island
- 45 South Carolina 29
- 46 South Dakota 3
- 47 Tennessee 47
- 170 48 Texas
- 32 49 Utah
- 4 50 Vermont
- 76 51 Virginia
- 53 Washington 71
- 18 54 West Virginia
- 37 55 Wisconsin
- 5 56 Wyoming
- 0 60 American Samoa
- 64 Federated States of Micronesia 0
- 0 66 Guam
- 0 68 Marshall Islands
- 0 69 Northern Mariana Islands
- 0 70 Palau
- 0 72 Puerto Rico
- 74 U.S. Minor Outlying Islands 0
- 0 78 Virgin Islands
- 81 Alberta 0
- 82 British Columbia 0
- 83 Manitoba 0
- 84 New Brunswick 0
- 85 Newfoundland 0
- 86 Northwest Territories 0
- 0 87 Nova Scotia
- 0 88 Nunavut
- 89 Ontario 0
- 90 Prince Edward Island 0
- 0 91 Quebec
- 92 Saskatchewan 0
- 0 93 Yukon Territory 99 Not in the U.S. or Canada
- 0 998 Skipped

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0 999 Not Asked