

2023: SAMPLE RESULTS

Report on influence of voting

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1. The purpose of this survey is to generate some raw data for Research and Technology. This is a research survey being conducted by Professor Chapman in a Research and Technology course at Kean University. You are invited to participate in this research project because you are a student in this class. Your participation in this research study is voluntary. You may choose not to participate. If you decide to participate in this research survey, you may withdraw at any time. If you decide not to participate in this study or if you withdrawal from participating at any time, you will not be penalized. The procedure involves completing an online survey that will take approximately 5 minutes. Your responses will be kept as confidential as possible. I will not use your name or email address in presenting the results. The survey questions will be about your attitudes toward voting in Presidential elections. The results of this study will be used for classroom instructional purposes only. No student names will be disclosed in discussing the data. The survey is purely a method of generating current data for analyzing results and writing discussions in Research and Technology papers. If you have any questions about the research study, please contact bchapman@kean.edu. Clicking on the "agree" button below indicates that: • you have ready the above information • you voluntarily agree to participate • you are at least 18 years of age If you do not wish to participate in the research study, please decline participation by clicking on the "disagree" button.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Disagree		1	3%
2	Agree		29	97%
	Total		30	



Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	2
Mean	1.97
Variance	0.03
Standard Deviation	0.18
Total Responses	30

2. What is your gender?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Male		14	47%
2	Female		16	53%
	Total		30	





Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	2
Mean	1.53
Variance	0.26
Standard Deviation	0.51
Total Responses	30

3. The following best describes my major area of study:

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Business		11	38%
2	Education		0	0%
3	Sciences		0	0%
4	Arts		12	41%
5	Humanities and Social Sciences		6	21%
Total			29	






Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.07
Variance	2.85
Standard Deviation	1.69
Total Responses	29

4. The following best describes my age range:

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	18-20		17	57%
2	21-23		6	20%
3	23-25		3	10%
4	25+		4	13%
Total			30	






Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	4
Mean	1.80
Variance	1.20
Standard Deviation	1.10
Total Responses	30

5. I usually get information about politics and candidates from social media.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		1	3%
2	Disagree		2	7%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		12	40%
4	Agree		11	37%
5	Strongly Agree		4	13%
Total			30	






Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.50
Variance	0.88
Standard Deviation	0.94
Total Responses	30

6. I usually get information about elections and politics from online news sources.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		2	7%
2	Disagree		4	13%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		9	30%
4	Agree		12	40%
5	Strongly Agree		3	10%
	Total		30	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.33
Variance	1.13
Standard Deviation	1.06
Total Responses	30

7. I read the newspaper to find out about Presidential candidates and elections.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		6	21%
2	Disagree		12	41%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		7	24%
4	Agree		2	7%
5	Strongly Agree		2	7%
Total			29	






Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	2.38
Variance	1.24
Standard Deviation	1.12
Total Responses	29

8. I usually vote the way my parents or family members vote.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		2	7%
2	Disagree		4	13%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		8	27%
4	Agree		13	43%
5	Strongly Agree		3	10%
	Total		30	


Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.37
Variance	1.14
Standard Deviation	1.07
Total Responses	30

9. Most people vote for the candidate that has an endorsement from a celebrity they like.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		2	7%
2	Disagree		7	23%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		9	30%
4	Agree		11	37%
5	Strongly Agree		1	3%
	Total		30	





Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.07
Variance	1.03
Standard Deviation	1.01
Total Responses	30

10. Most people are persuaded to vote for a candidate based on what their friends say about the candidate.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		5	17%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		11	37%
4	Agree		13	43%
5	Strongly Agree		1	3%
	Total		30	





Statistic	Value
Min Value	2
Max Value	5
Mean	3.33
Variance	0.64
Standard Deviation	0.80
Total Responses	30

11. If my favorite musician supported a candidate, I would be more likely to vote for that candidate.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		6	20%
2	Disagree		13	43%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		8	27%
4	Agree		3	10%
5	Strongly Agree		0	0%
	Total		30	




Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	4
Mean	2.27
Variance	0.82
Standard Deviation	0.91
Total Responses	30

12. If my favorite movie star supported a candidate, I would too.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		5	17%
2	Disagree		17	57%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		5	17%
4	Agree		3	10%
5	Strongly Agree		0	0%
Total			30	






Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	4
Mean	2.20
Variance	0.72
Standard Deviation	0.85
Total Responses	30

13. The non-partisan (not affiliated with an political party) Rock the Vote effort to get young adults over 18 to register and vote in the Presidential campaign in 2004 and 2008 was a good idea.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		14	50%
4	Agree		9	32%
5	Strongly Agree		5	18%
	Total		28	





Statistic	Value
Min Value	3
Max Value	5
Mean	3.68
Variance	0.60
Standard Deviation	0.77
Total Responses	28

14. Celebrity driven campaigns to spread awareness of elections and candidates is good for democracy.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		1	3%
2	Disagree		3	10%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		10	33%
4	Agree		12	40%
5	Strongly Agree		4	13%
Total			30	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.50
Variance	0.95
Standard Deviation	0.97
Total Responses	30

15. Every person's vote matters.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		1	3%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		3	10%
4	Agree		11	37%
5	Strongly Agree		15	50%
	Total		30	


Statistic	Value
Min Value	2
Max Value	5
Mean	4.33
Variance	0.64
Standard Deviation	0.80
Total Responses	30

16. One single vote has very little impact on the outcome of any given election.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		2	7%
2	Disagree		9	30%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		4	13%
4	Agree		11	37%
5	Strongly Agree		4	13%
	Total		30	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.20
Variance	1.48
Standard Deviation	1.21
Total Responses	30

17. I have encouraged others to be politically active in the past.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Not At All		17	57%
2	Occasionally		9	30%
3	Frequently		4	13%
Total			30	




Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	3
Mean	1.57
Variance	0.53
Standard Deviation	0.73
Total Responses	30

18. I will encourage friends or family members to vote during the next Presidential election.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Definitely will not		1	3%
2	Probably will not		4	13%
3	Don't know		9	30%
4	Probably will		13	43%
5	Definitely will		3	10%
Total			30	






Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.43
Variance	0.94
Standard Deviation	0.97
Total Responses	30

19. I think voting in Presidential elections is important.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		0	0%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		5	17%
4	Agree		14	48%
5	Strongly Agree		10	34%
	Total		29	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	3
Max Value	5
Mean	4.17
Variance	0.50
Standard Deviation	0.71
Total Responses	29

20. Most people are very informed about issues and candidates when they vote for President.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		3	10%
2	Disagree		5	17%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		10	33%
4	Agree		11	37%
5	Strongly Agree		1	3%
Total			30	





Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.07
Variance	1.10
Standard Deviation	1.05
Total Responses	30

21. The majority of Americans vote in Presidential elections.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	True		21	70%
2	False		9	30%
	Total		30	






Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	2
Mean	1.30
Variance	0.22
Standard Deviation	0.47
Total Responses	30

22. Social media is a good way to get information about political issues and elections.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		0	0%
2	Disagree		4	13%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		8	27%
4	Agree		14	47%
5	Strongly Agree		4	13%
	Total		30	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	2
Max Value	5
Mean	3.60
Variance	0.80
Standard Deviation	0.89
Total Responses	30

23. Social media is a good way to share political views with others.

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		1	3%
2	Disagree		3	10%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		5	17%
4	Agree		17	57%
5	Strongly Agree		4	13%
Total			30	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.67
Variance	0.92
Standard Deviation	0.96
Total Responses	30

