

Checklist for AAPOR TI

Survey: Texas Poll

TI Disclosure Elements	Answers
1. Who sponsored the TI Research and who conducted it. If different from the sponsor, the original sources of funding will also be disclosed.	Emerson College
2. The exact wording and presentation of questions and response options whose results are reported. This includes preceding interviewer or respondent instructions and any preceding questions that might reasonably be expected to influence responses to the reported results.	See Below
3. A definition of the population under study and its geographic location.	Registered Voters in the U.S.
4. Dates of data collection.	August 1-3, 2019
5. A description of the sampling frame(s) and its coverage of the target population, including mention of any segment of the target population that is not covered by the design. This may include, for example, exclusion of Alaska and Hawaii in U.S. surveys; exclusion of specific provinces or rural areas in international surveys; and exclusion of non-panel members in panel surveys. If possible the estimated size of non-covered segments will be provided. If a size estimate cannot be provided, this will be explained. If no frame or list was utilized, this will be indicated.	Aristotle voter file of 17,420,070 registered voters with landlines, and a random sample of 25,000 drawn. Voters with only cellphones were not included. The online sample was of 374 registered voters supplied by MTurk
6. The name of the sample supplier, if the sampling frame and/or the sample itself was provided by a third party.	Aristotle, LLC MTurk
7. The methods used to recruit the panel or participants, if the sample was drawn from a pre-recruited panel or pool of respondents.	MTurk uses opt in panels and not online ads to recruit participants
8. A description of the sample design, giving a clear indication of the method by which the respondents were selected, recruited, intercepted or otherwise contacted or encountered, along with any eligibility requirements and/or oversampling. If quotas were used, the variables defining the quotas will be reported. If a within-household selection procedure was used, this will be described. The description of the sampling frame and sample design will include sufficient detail to determine whether the respondents were selected using probability or non-probability methods.	See #5
9. Method(s) and mode(s) used to administer the survey (e.g., CATI, CAPI, ACASI, IVR, mail survey, web survey) and the language(s) offered.	IVR and Online

<p>10. Sample sizes (by sampling frame if more than one was used) and a discussion of the precision of the findings. For probability samples, the estimates of sampling error will be reported, and the discussion will state whether or not the reported margins of sampling error or statistical analyses have been adjusted for the design effect due to weighting, clustering, or other factors. Disclosure requirements for non-probability samples are different because the precision of estimates from such samples is a model-based measure (rather than the average deviation from the population value over all possible samples). Reports of non-probability samples will only provide measures of precision if they are accompanied by a detailed description of how the underlying model was specified, its assumptions validated and the measure(s) calculated. To avoid confusion, it is best to avoid using the term “margin of error” or “margin of sampling error” in conjunction with non-probability samples.</p>	<p>The sample consisted of registered voters, n=1033, with a Credibility Interval (CI) similar to a poll’s margin of error (MOE) of +/- 3 percentage points.</p> <p>A screening question was asked if the voter was registered. If the respondent said they were not registered, they were eliminated from the sample.</p>
<p>11. A description of how the weights were calculated, including the variables used and the sources of weighting parameters, if weighted estimates are reported.</p>	<p>The data was weighted by gender, age, region and race based on 2016 turnout modeling.</p> <p>2016 vote magnitude was used but new voters were included based on their actual sample (9.2%) and was based on Aristotle Voter turnout modeling</p>
<p>12. If the results reported are based on multiple samples or multiple modes, the preceding items will be disclosed for each. Reviewer: Type NA if not applicable.</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>13. Contact for obtaining more information about the study.</p>	<p>emersonpolling@emerson.edu</p>

Survey (Online)

1. To start, can you please tell me your gender?

Male

Female

2. What is your party registration?

Democrat

Republican

Independent/other

Not registered to vote (end)

3. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as President?

Approve

Disapprove

Neutral or no opinion

4. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Greg Abbott is doing as Governor?

Approve

Disapprove

Neutral or no opinion

5. Do you approve or disapprove of the job John Cornyn is doing as Senator?

Approve

Disapprove

Neutral or no opinion

6. Which primary are you going to vote in?

Republican Primary (go to 7)

Democratic Primary (go to 8)

Unsure (go to 12)

7. Who would you be most likely to vote for in the Republican primary in 2020?

Donald Trump (go to 14)

Bill Weld (go to 14)

8. Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support? (randomized)

Bernie Sanders

Elizabeth Warren

Joe Biden

Pete Buttigieg

Kamala Harris

Beto O'Rourke

Cory Booker

Steve Bullock

Mike Gravel

Amy Klobuchar

Bill de Blasio

Kirsten Gillibrand

Michael Bennet

Andrew Yang

Julian Castro

John Delaney

Jay Inslee
Tim Ryan
Tulsi Gabbard
Seth Moulton
Marianne Williamson
Wayne Messam
John Hickenlooper
Joe Sestak
Tom Steyer
Someone Else (go to 10)

9. Will you definitely vote for your candidate or is there at least a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

I will definitely vote for this candidate

There's a chance I could change my mind and vote for someone else

10. Who did you vote for in the Democratic Primary in 2016?

Hillary Clinton

Bernie Sanders

Someone Else

Did not vote in this primary

11. If the primary election for the Democratic US Senate nomination was held today for whom would you vote for?

M.J. Hegar

Royce West

Amanda Edwards

Chris Bell

Someone else

Undecided

12. I am now going to read you a list of general election match ups for President- please indicate who you would vote for at this time. To start- If the Presidential Election were held today, would you vote for Donald Trump or Pete Buttigieg?

Donald Trump

Pete Buttigieg

13. What about Donald Trump or Bernie Sanders?

Donald Trump

Bernie Sanders

14. What about Donald Trump or Kamala Harris?

Donald Trump

Kamala Harris

15. What about Donald Trump or Elizabeth Warren?

Donald Trump

Elizabeth Warren

16. What about Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

Donald Trump

Joe Biden

17. What about Donald Trump or Beto O'Rourke?

Donald Trump

Beto O'Rourke

18. What about Donald Trump or Julian Castro?

Donald Trump

Julian Castro

19. Do you think former Representative Beto O'Rourke should drop out of the Presidential race and instead run for Senate?

Yes

No

Unsure

20. Do you think former San Antonio Mayor Julian Castro should drop out of the Presidential race and instead run for Senate?

Yes

No

Unsure

21. Did you watch some or all of the second Democratic Debates or the news coverage after?

Yes

No (go to 24)

22. Which candidate do you think performed the best in the debates? (Randomized)

Bernie Sanders

Elizabeth Warren

Joe Biden

Pete Buttigieg

Kamala Harris

Beto O'Rourke

Cory Booker

Amy Klobuchar
Bill de Blasio
Kirsten Gillibrand
Michael Bennet
Andrew Yang
Julian Castro
John Delaney
Jay Inslee
Tim Ryan
Tulsi Gabbard
Marianne Williamson
John Hickenlooper
Steve Bullock

23. Which candidate do you think performed the worst in the debates? (Randomized)

Bernie Sanders
Elizabeth Warren
Joe Biden
Pete Buttigieg
Kamala Harris
Beto O'Rourke
Cory Booker
Amy Klobuchar
Bill de Blasio
Kirsten Gillibrand
Michael Bennet
Andrew Yang
Julian Castro
John Delaney
Jay Inslee
Tim Ryan
Tulsi Gabbard
Marianne Williamson
John Hickenlooper
Steve Bullock

24. When it comes to deciding for whom you will vote for president, which one of the following is the single most important issue in deciding for whom you will vote: (randomized)

The economy
Immigration
Gun control
Impeachment

Social issues
Health care
Foreign policy and terrorism
The environment
Education

25. Who did you vote for in the 2016 election?

Donald Trump
Hillary Clinton
Someone else
Did not vote

26. For statistical purposes only, can you please tell me your ethnicity?

Hispanic or Latino of any race
White or Caucasian
Black or African American
Asian
Other or multiple races

27. What is your age range?

18-29 years
30-49 years
50-64 years
65 or more years

28. What is the highest level of education you have attained?

High school or less
Some college
College graduate
Postgrad or higher

29. Which of the following political ideologies do you most identify as?

Very Liberal
Somewhat Liberal
Moderate
Somewhat Conservative
Very Conservative

30. What is your annual household income?

Less than \$50,000
\$50,000 to \$100,000

More than \$100,000

31. What congressional district do you live in? (map)

Survey (IVR)

1. To start, can you please tell me your gender?

Press 1 for Male

Press 2 for Female

2. What is your party registration?

Press 1 for Democrat

Press 2 for Republican

Press 3 for Independent/other

Not registered to vote (end)

3. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as President?

Press 1 for Approve

Press 2 for Disapprove

Press 3 for Neutral or no opinion

4. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Greg Abbott is doing as Governor?

Press 1 for Approve

Press 2 for Disapprove

Press 3 for Neutral or no opinion

5. Do you approve or disapprove of the job John Cornyn is doing as Senator?

Press 1 for Approve

Press 2 for Disapprove

Press 3 for Neutral or no opinion

6. Which primary are you going to vote in?

Press 1 for Republican Primary (go to 7)

Press 2 for Democratic Primary (go to 8)

Press 3 for Unsure (go to 15)

7. Who would you be most likely to vote for in the Republican primary in 2020?

Press 1 for Donald Trump (go to 15)

Press 2 for Bill Weld (go to 15)

8. Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support?

- Press 1 for Bernie Sanders (go to 12)
- Press 2 for Elizabeth Warren (go to 12)
- Press 3 for Joe Biden (go to 12)
- Press 4 for Pete Buttigieg (go to 12)
- Press 5 for Kamala Harris (go to 12)
- Press 6 for Beto O'Rourke (go to 12)
- Press 7 for Cory Booker (go to 12)
- Press 8 to hear more candidate names (go to 9)
- Press 9 to repeat answer choices

9. Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support?

- Press 1 for Steve Bullock (go to 12)
- Press 2 for Mike Gravel (go to 12)
- Press 3 for Amy Klobuchar (go to 12)
- Press 4 for Bill de Blasio (go to 12)
- Press 5 for Kirsten Gillibrand (go to 12)
- Press 6 for Michael Bennet (go to 12)
- Press 7 for Andrew Yang (go to 12)
- Press 8 to hear more candidate names (go to 10)
- Press 9 to repeat answer choices

10. Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support?

- Press 1 for Julian Castro (go to 12)
- Press 2 for John Delaney (go to 12)
- Press 3 for Jay Inslee (go to 12)
- Press 4 for Tim Ryan (go to 12)
- Press 5 for Tulsi Gabbard (go to 12)
- Press 6 for Seth Moulton (go to 12)
- Press 7 for Marianne Williamson (go to 12)
- Press 8 to hear more candidate names (go to 11)
- Press 9 to repeat answer choices

11. Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support?

- Press 1 for Wayne Messam
- Press 2 for John Hickenlooper
- Press 3 for Joe Sestak
- Press 4 for Tom Steyer
- Press 5 for Someone Else (go to 13)

12. Will you definitely vote for your candidate or is there at least a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

- Press 1 for I will definitely vote for this candidate

Press 2 for There's a chance I could change my mind and vote for someone else

13. Who did you vote for in the Democratic Primary in 2016?

Press 1 for Hillary Clinton

Press 2 for Bernie Sanders

Press 3 for Someone Else

Press 4 if you did not vote in this primary

14. If the primary election for the Democratic US Senate nomination was held today for whom would you vote for?

Press 1 for M.J. Hegar

Press 2 for Royce West

Press 3 for Amanda Edwards

Press 4 for Chris Bell

Press 5 for Someone else

Press 6 for Undecided

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Press 1 for Donald Trump

Press 2 for Pete Buttigieg

16. What about Donald Trump or Bernie Sanders?

Press 1 for Donald Trump

Press 2 for Bernie Sanders

17. What about Donald Trump or Kamala Harris?

Press 1 for Donald Trump

Press 2 for Kamala Harris

18. What about Donald Trump or Elizabeth Warren?

Press 1 for Donald Trump

Press 2 for Elizabeth Warren

19. What about Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

Press 1 for Donald Trump

Press 2 for Joe Biden

20. What about Donald Trump or Beto O'Rourke?

Press 1 for Donald Trump

Press 2 for Beto O'Rourke

21. What about Donald Trump or Julian Castro?

Press 1 for Donald Trump

Press 2 for Julian Castro

22. Do you think former Representative Beto O'Rourke should drop out of the Presidential race and instead run for Senate?

Press 1 for Yes

Press 2 for No

Press 3 for Unsure

23. Do you think former San Antonio Mayor Julian Castro should drop out of the Presidential race and instead run for Senate?

Press 1 for Yes

Press 2 for No

Press 3 for Unsure

24. Did you watch some or all of the second Democratic Debates or the news coverage after?

Press 1 for Yes

Press 2 for No (go to 31)

25. Which candidate do you think performed the best in the debates?

Press 1 for Bernie Sanders (go to 28)

Press 2 for Elizabeth Warren (go to 28)

Press 3 for Joe Biden (go to 28)

Press 4 for Pete Buttigieg (go to 28)

Press 5 for Kamala Harris (go to 28)

Press 6 for Beto O'Rourke (go to 28)

Press 7 for Cory Booker (go to 28)

Press 8 to hear more candidate names (go to 26)

Press 9 to repeat answer choices

26. Which candidate do you think performed the best in the debates?

Press 1 for Amy Klobuchar (go to 28)

Press 2 for Bill de Blasio (go to 28)

Press 3 for Kirsten Gillibrand (go to 28)

Press 4 for Michael Bennet (go to 28)

Press 5 for Andrew Yang (go to 28)

Press 6 for Julian Castro (go to 28)

Press 7 for John Delaney (go to 28)

Press 8 to hear more candidate names (go to 27)

Press 9 to repeat answer choices

27. Which candidate do you think performed the best in the debates?

Press 1 for Jay Inslee

Press 2 for Tim Ryan

Press 3 for Tulsi Gabbard

Press 4 for Marianne Williamson

Press 5 for John Hickenlooper

Press 6 for Steve Bullock

28. Which candidate do you think performed the worst in the debates?

Press 1 for Bernie Sanders (go to 31)

Press 2 for Elizabeth Warren (go to 31)

Press 3 for Joe Biden (go to 31)

Press 4 for Pete Buttigieg (go to 31)

Press 5 for Kamala Harris (go to 31)

Press 6 for Beto O'Rourke (go to 31)

Press 7 for Cory Booker (go to 31)

Press 8 to hear more candidate names (go to 29)

Press 9 to repeat answer choices

29. Which candidate do you think performed the worst in the debates?

Press 1 for Amy Klobuchar (go to 31)

Press 2 for Bill de Blasio (go to 31)

Press 3 for Kirsten Gillibrand (go to 31)

Press 4 for Michael Bennet (go to 31)

Press 5 for Andrew Yang (go to 31)

Press 6 for Julian Castro (go to 31)

Press 7 for John Delaney (go to 31)

Press 8 to hear more candidate names (go to 30)

Press 9 to repeat answer choices

30. Which candidate do you think performed the worst in the debates?

Press 1 for Jay Inslee

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Press 3 for Tulsi Gabbard

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Press 2 for Gun control 3
Press 3 for Impeachment 4
Press 4 for The economy 1
Press 5 for Social issues
Press 6 for Health care
Press 7 for Foreign policy and terrorism
Press 8 for The environment
Press 9 for Education

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Press 2 for Hillary Clinton
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Press 4 for Did not vote

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