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	Total	Chicago City	Chicago Suburbs	Down-state	High School or Less	Some College	College +	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Dem	Ind	Rep	Yes	No	Non-Christian	Male	Female
Base	1000	200 (A)	500 (B)	300 (C)	217 (D)	302 (E)	475 (F)	319 (G)	258 (H)	359 (I)	462 (J)	147 (K)	292 (L)	175 (M)	550 (N)	259 (O)	487 (P)	513 (Q)
We can only fix the problem by taking in more revenue...	144 14.40%	40 20.00% C	72 14.40%	32 10.67% A	26 11.98%	36 11.92% f	82 17.26% e	71 22.26% hI	36 13.95% gi	32 8.91% Gh	84 18.18% L	20 13.61% K	25 8.56% J	11 6.29% NO	88 16.00% M	44 16.99% M	79 16.22% P	65 12.67% Q
We can fix the problem by cutting waste and inefficiency...	422 42.20%	67 33.50% bC	213 42.60% a	142 47.33% A	101 46.54% f	146 48.34% F	174 36.63% dE	111 34.80% I	96 37.21% I	187 52.09% GH	161 34.85% KL	69 46.94% J	149 51.03% J	79 45.14% o	242 44.00% o	95 36.68% n	206 42.30% P	216 42.11% Q
So large it can only be solved by a combination...	336 33.60%	73 36.50%	166 33.20%	97 32.33%	56 25.81% F	94 31.13% f	184 38.74% De	118 36.99%	95 36.82%	108 30.08%	169 36.58% k	39 26.53% j	101 34.59%	59 33.71%	180 32.73%	92 35.52%	164 33.68% P	172 33.53% Q
(HAVEN'T THOUGHT MUCH ABOUT IT)	34 3.40%	5 2.50%	20 4.00%	9 3.00%	16 7.37% F	11 3.64%	7 1.47% D	10 3.13%	11 4.26%	8 2.23%	19 4.11%	4 2.72%	8 2.74%	10 5.71% n	11 2.00% mo	12 4.63% n	11 2.26% P	23 4.48% Q
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	64 6.40%	15 7.50%	29 5.80%	20 6.67%	18 8.29%	15 4.97%	28 5.89%	9 2.82% Hi	20 7.75% G	24 6.69% g	29 6.28%	15 10.20% L	9 3.08% K	16 9.14%	29 5.27%	16 6.18%	27 5.54% P	37 7.21% Q

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	Age					Race				Income			Employment				Company Type	
	Total	<35	35-50	51-65	66+	White	Black	His-panic	Other	<\$50k	\$50k - \$100k	\$100k+	Full-Time	Part-Time	Retired	Not employd	Private	Gov./ Non-Profit
Base	1000	113 (A)	204 (B)	296 (C)	322 (D)	704 (E)	142 (F)	46 (G)	57 (H)	303 (I)	237 (J)	260 (K)	435 (L)	91 (M)	371 (N)	95 (O)	602 (P)	238 (Q)
We can only fix the problem by taking in more revenue...	144 14.40%	15 13.27%	36 17.65%	45 15.20%	42 13.04%	104 14.77%	24 16.90%	4 8.70%	9 15.79%	35 11.55% k	37 15.61%	49 18.85% i	69 15.86%	12 13.19%	48 12.94%	14 14.74%	95 15.78%	28 11.76%
We can fix the problem by cutting waste and inefficiency...	422 42.20%	44 38.94%	91 44.61%	128 43.24%	131 40.68%	302 42.90%	53 37.32% g	26 56.52% fh	20 35.09% g	135 44.55%	104 43.88%	103 39.62%	178 40.92%	35 38.46%	164 44.20%	41 43.16%	266 44.19% q	87 36.55% p
So large it can only be solved by a combination...	336 33.60%	41 36.28%	66 32.35%	102 34.46%	106 32.92%	254 36.08% gh	41 28.87%	10 21.74% e	13 22.81% e	96 31.68%	79 33.33%	101 38.85%	155 35.63%	41 45.05% No	109 29.38% M	28 29.47% m	193 32.06% Q	101 42.44% P
(HAVEN'T THOUGHT MUCH ABOUT IT)	34 3.40%	5 4.42%	3 1.47% d	6 2.03% d	19 5.90% bc	13 1.85% Fh	10 7.04% E	2 4.35%	4 7.02% e	14 4.62% K	10 4.22% K	1 0.38% IJ	12 2.76%	1 1.10%	20 5.39%	1 1.05%	19 3.16%	7 2.94%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	64 6.40%	8 7.08%	8 3.92%	15 5.07%	24 7.45%	31 4.40% FH	14 9.86% E	4 8.70%	11 19.30% E	23 7.59% jK	7 2.95% i	6 2.31% I	21 4.83% o	2 2.20% no	30 8.09% m	11 11.58% lm	29 4.82%	15 6.30%

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Table 16c: 9. The state of Illinois has a budget deficit of over 6 billion dollars. I'm going to read three statements that people have made about how to fix the deficit, and ask you which one comes closest to your views. If you haven't thought much about this issue, just tell me that.

	Total	Military Household		Belongs to Labor Union	
		Yes (A)	No (B)	Yes (C)	No (D)
Base	1000	645	350	141	747
We can only fix the problem by taking in more revenue...	144 14.40%	92 14.26%	52 14.86%	23 16.31%	105 14.06%
We can fix the problem by cutting waste and inefficiency...	422 42.20%	278 43.10%	142 40.57%	65 46.10%	311 41.63%
So large it can only be solved by a combination...	336 33.60%	215 33.33%	120 34.29%	39 27.66%	261 34.94%
(HAVEN'T THOUGHT MUCH ABOUT IT)	34 3.40%	21 3.26%	13 3.71%	7 4.96%	25 3.35%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	64 6.40%	39 6.05%	23 6.57%	7 4.96%	45 6.02%

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Table 25: 17. Would you favor or oppose raising the state gasoline tax by 10 cents per gallon?

	Region				Education			Ideology			Party Affiliation			Born-Again			Gender	
	Total	Chicago City	Chicago Suburbs	Down-state	High School or Less	Some College	College +	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative	Dem	Ind	Rep	Yes	No	Non-Christ-ian	Male	Female
Base	1000	200 (A)	500 (B)	300 (C)	217 (D)	302 (E)	475 (F)	319 (G)	258 (H)	359 (I)	462 (J)	147 (K)	292 (L)	175 (M)	550 (N)	259 (O)	487 (P)	513 (Q)
Favor	261 26.10%	83 41.50% BC	126 25.20% AC	52 17.33% AB	38 17.51% F	50 16.56% F	173 36.42% DE	116 36.36% I	79 30.62% I	60 16.71% GH	157 33.98% kL	37 25.17% j	52 17.81% J	34 19.43% O	133 24.18% O	90 34.75% MN	147 30.18% Q	114 22.22% P
Oppose	724 72.40%	111 55.50% BC	369 73.80% Ac	244 81.33% Ab	173 79.72% F	249 82.45% F	297 62.53% DE	199 62.38% I	178 68.99% I	294 81.89% GH	296 64.07% kL	109 74.15% j	237 81.16% J	135 77.14% O	413 75.09% O	164 63.32% MN	334 68.58% Q	390 76.02% P
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	15 1.50%	6 3.00%	5 1.00%	4 1.33%	6 2.76%	3 0.99%	5 1.05%	4 1.25%	1 0.39%	5 1.39%	9 1.95%	1 0.68%	3 1.03%	6 3.43% N	4 0.73% M	5 1.93%	6 1.23%	9 1.75%

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Table 25b: 17. Would you favor or oppose raising the state gasoline tax by 10 cents per gallon?

	Age					Race				Income			Employment				Company Type	
	Total	<35	35-50	51-65	66+	White	Black	His-panic	Other	<\$50k	\$50k - \$100k	\$100k+	Full-Time	Part-Time	Retired	Not employd	Private	Gov./ Non-Profit
Base	1000	113 (A)	204 (B)	296 (C)	322 (D)	704 (E)	142 (F)	46 (G)	57 (H)	303 (I)	237 (J)	260 (K)	435 (L)	91 (M)	371 (N)	95 (O)	602 (P)	238 (Q)
Favor	261 26.10%	24 21.24%	51 25.00%	89 30.07%	84 26.09%	203 28.84% F	22 15.49% E	13 28.26%	14 24.56%	64 21.12% K	55 23.21% K	95 36.54% IJ	126 28.97%	24 26.37%	86 23.18%	23 24.21%	171 28.41%	57 23.95%
Oppose	724 72.40%	87 76.99%	150 73.53%	205 69.26%	231 71.74%	493 70.03% f	114 80.28% e	33 71.74%	42 73.68%	234 77.23% K	181 76.37% K	161 61.92% IJ	304 69.89%	66 72.53%	278 74.93%	71 74.74%	424 70.43%	176 73.95%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	15 1.50%	2 1.77%	3 1.47%	2 0.68%	7 2.17%	8 1.14% F	6 4.23% E	0 0.00%	1 1.75%	5 1.65%	1 0.42%	4 1.54%	5 1.15%	1 1.10%	7 1.89%	1 1.05%	7 1.16%	5 2.10%

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Table 25c: 17. Would you favor or oppose raising the state gasoline tax by 10 cents per gallon?

	Total	Military Household		Belongs to Labor Union	
		Yes (A)	No (B)	Yes (C)	No (D)
Base	1000	645 (A)	350 (B)	141 (C)	747 (D)
Favor	261 26.10%	148 22.95% B	113 32.29% A	27 19.15% d	206 27.58% c
Oppose	724 72.40%	488 75.66% B	231 66.00% A	112 79.43% d	530 70.95% c
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	15 1.50%	9 1.40%	6 1.71%	2 1.42%	11 1.47%

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Table 26: 18. Do you favor or oppose expanding the sales tax to cover services like dry cleaning or haircuts, which are not currently taxed?

	Region				Education			Ideology			Party Affiliation			Born-Again			Gender	
	Total	Chicago City	Chicago Suburbs	Down-state	High School or Less	Some College	College +	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative	Dem	Ind	Rep	Yes	No	Non-Christ-ian	Male	Female
Base	1000	200 (A)	500 (B)	300 (C)	217 (D)	302 (E)	475 (F)	319 (G)	258 (H)	359 (I)	462 (J)	147 (K)	292 (L)	175 (M)	550 (N)	259 (O)	487 (P)	513 (Q)
Strongly Favor	207 20.70%	41 20.50%	98 19.60%	68 22.67%	39 17.97%	60 19.87%	108 22.74%	73 22.88%	60 23.26%	68 18.94%	99 21.43%	34 23.13%	67 22.95%	28 16.00%	121 22.00%	57 22.01%	115 23.61% q	92 17.93% p
Somewhat Favor	276 27.60%	52 26.00%	131 26.20%	93 31.00%	54 24.88%	76 25.17%	144 30.32%	96 30.09% h	56 21.71% gi	106 29.53% h	133 28.79%	34 23.13%	81 27.74%	49 28.00%	154 28.00%	67 25.87%	127 26.08%	149 29.04%
Somewhat Oppose	157 15.70%	34 17.00%	81 16.20%	42 14.00%	34 15.67%	45 14.90%	77 16.21%	61 19.12% i	38 14.73%	47 13.09% g	83 17.97% k	15 10.20% j	41 14.04%	34 19.43%	79 14.36%	41 15.83%	79 16.22%	78 15.20%
Strongly Oppose	317 31.70%	64 32.00%	168 33.60%	85 28.33%	76 35.02% f	110 36.42% F	130 27.37% dE	74 23.20% HI	96 37.21% G	126 35.10% G	125 27.06% K	60 40.82% J	95 32.53%	57 32.57%	173 31.45%	83 32.05%	151 31.01%	166 32.36%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	43 4.30%	9 4.50%	22 4.40%	12 4.00%	14 6.45%	11 3.64%	16 3.37%	15 4.70%	8 3.10%	12 3.34%	22 4.76%	4 2.72%	8 2.74%	7 4.00%	23 4.18%	11 4.25%	15 3.08%	28 5.46%
Mean	2.61	2.63	2.67	2.50	2.72	2.70	2.50	2.45	2.68	2.67	2.53	2.71	2.58	2.71	2.58	2.60	2.56	2.66

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Table 26b: 18. Do you favor or oppose expanding the sales tax to cover services like dry cleaning or haircuts, which are not currently taxed?

	Age				Race				Income			Employment			Company Type			
	Total	<35	35-50	51-65	66+	White	Black	His-panic	Other	<\$50k	\$50k - \$100k	\$100k+	Full-Time	Part-Time	Retired	Not employ	Private	Gov./ Non-Profit
Base	1000	113 (A)	204 (B)	296 (C)	322 (D)	704 (E)	142 (F)	46 (G)	57 (H)	303 (I)	237 (J)	260 (K)	435 (L)	91 (M)	371 (N)	95 (O)	602 (P)	238 (Q)
Strongly Favor	207 20.70%	25 22.12%	48 23.53%	59 19.93%	67 20.81%	151 21.45%	23 16.20%	17 36.96%	11 19.30%	60 19.80%	49 20.68%	65 25.00%	100 22.99%	17 18.68%	67 18.06%	22 23.16%	126 20.93%	46 19.33%
Somewhat Favor	276 27.60%	35 30.97%	62 30.39%	81 27.36%	74 22.98%	199 28.27%	31 21.83%	12 26.09%	16 28.07%	78 25.74%	68 28.69%	74 28.46%	127 29.20%	32 35.16%	90 24.26%	25 26.32%	153 25.42%	80 33.61%
Somewhat Oppose	157 15.70%	30 26.55%	31 15.20%	36 12.16%	50 15.53%	109 15.48%	28 19.72%	3 6.52%	9 15.79%	56 18.48%	43 18.14%	38 14.62%	57 13.10%	17 18.68%	60 16.17%	20 21.05%	85 14.12%	44 18.49%
Strongly Oppose	317 31.70%	22 19.47%	58 28.43%	109 36.82%	107 33.23%	216 30.68%	53 37.32%	11 23.91%	18 31.58%	97 32.01%	70 29.54%	75 28.85%	139 31.95%	23 25.27%	129 34.77%	25 26.32%	213 35.38%	62 26.05%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	43 4.30%	1 0.88%	5 2.45%	11 3.72%	24 7.45%	29 4.12%	7 4.93%	3 6.52%	3 5.26%	12 3.96%	7 2.95%	8 3.08%	12 2.76%	2 2.20%	25 6.74%	3 3.16%	25 4.15%	6 2.52%
Mean	2.61	2.44	2.50	2.68	2.66	2.58	2.82	2.19	2.63	2.65	2.58	2.49	2.56	2.52	2.73	2.52	2.67	2.53

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Table 26c: 18. Do you favor or oppose expanding the sales tax to cover services like dry cleaning or haircuts, which are not currently taxed?

	Total	Military Household		Belongs to Labor Union	
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Base	1000	645	350	141	747
Strongly Favor	207 20.70%	134 20.78%	73 20.86%	31 21.99%	153 20.48%
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Somewhat Oppose	157 15.70%	99 15.35%	58 16.57%	26 18.44%	107 14.32%
Strongly Oppose	317 31.70%	208 32.25%	107 30.57%	41 29.08%	248 33.20%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	43 4.30%	29 4.50%	13 3.71%	7 4.96%	31 4.15%
Mean	2.61	2.62	2.59	2.57	2.63

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Table 27: 19. Do you favor or oppose a proposal expanding legalized gambling in the state?

	Region				Education			Ideology			Party Affiliation			Born-Again			Gender	
	Total	Chicago City	Chicago Suburbs	Down-state	High School or Less	Some College	College +	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative	Dem	Ind	Rep	Yes	No	Non-Chris-tian	Male	Female
Base	1000	200 (A)	500 (B)	300 (C)	217 (D)	302 (E)	475 (F)	319 (G)	258 (H)	359 (I)	462 (J)	147 (K)	292 (L)	175 (M)	550 (N)	259 (O)	487 (P)	513 (Q)
Strongly Favor	296 29.60%	67 33.50% c	157 31.40% c	72 24.00% ab	64 29.49%	100 33.11%	131 27.58%	89 27.90%	90 34.88%	99 27.58%	139 30.09%	43 29.25%	86 29.45%	32 18.29% NO	170 30.91% M	90 34.75% M	168 34.50% Q	128 24.95% P
Somewhat Favor	238 23.80%	43 21.50%	121 24.20%	74 24.67%	45 20.74%	68 22.52%	125 26.32%	84 26.33%	61 23.64%	81 22.56%	111 24.03%	37 25.17%	61 20.89%	34 19.43%	141 25.64%	61 23.55%	115 23.61%	123 23.98%
Somewhat Oppose	132 13.20%	26 13.00%	65 13.00%	41 13.67%	26 11.98%	40 13.25%	64 13.47%	51 15.99%	32 12.40%	46 12.81%	68 14.72%	21 14.29%	35 11.99%	21 12.00%	68 12.36%	39 15.06%	53 10.88% q	79 15.40% p
Strongly Oppose	288 28.80%	54 27.00%	136 27.20%	98 32.67%	68 31.34%	83 27.48%	135 28.42%	79 24.76% I	62 24.03% I	125 34.82% GH	124 26.84% l	40 27.21%	100 34.25% j	82 46.86% NO	144 26.18% M	59 22.78% M	132 27.10%	156 30.41%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	46 4.60%	10 5.00%	21 4.20%	15 5.00%	14 6.45%	11 3.64%	20 4.21%	16 5.02% i	13 5.04%	8 2.23% g	20 4.33%	6 4.08%	10 3.42%	6 3.43%	27 4.91%	10 3.86%	19 3.90%	27 5.26%
Mean	2.43	2.35	2.38	2.58	2.48	2.36	2.45	2.40	2.27	2.56	2.40	2.41	2.53	2.91	2.36	2.27	2.32	2.54

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Table 27b: 19. Do you favor or oppose a proposal expanding legalized gambling in the state?

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Strongly Favor	296 29.60%	37 32.74%	69 33.82% d	93 31.42%	80 24.84% b	202 28.69%	47 33.10%	16 34.78%	16 28.07%	88 29.04%	72 30.38%	86 33.08%	152 34.94% N	26 28.57%	88 23.72% L	28 29.47%	184 30.56%	66 27.73%
Somewhat Favor	238 23.80%	32 28.32% d	56 27.45% d	77 26.01% d	58 18.01% abc	175 24.86% f	24 16.90% eH	7 15.22% h	20 35.09% Fg	66 21.78%	62 26.16%	66 25.38%	114 26.21%	21 23.08%	77 20.75%	24 25.26%	146 24.25%	57 23.95%
Somewhat Oppose	132 13.20%	21 18.58% b	21 10.29% a	34 11.49%	46 14.29%	94 13.35%	15 10.56%	7 15.22%	8 14.04%	41 13.53%	28 11.81%	34 13.08%	46 10.57%	16 17.58%	55 14.82%	14 14.74%	74 12.29%	35 14.71%
Strongly Oppose	288 28.80%	20 17.70% cD	54 26.47% d	80 27.03% ad	118 36.65% Abc	202 28.69% h	51 35.92% H	15 32.61% h	9 15.79% eFg	96 31.68%	67 28.27%	66 25.38%	104 23.91% N	27 29.67%	128 34.50% L	27 28.42%	172 28.57%	70 29.41%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	46 4.60%	3 2.65%	4 1.96% d	12 4.05%	20 6.21% b	31 4.40%	5 3.52%	1 2.17%	4 7.02%	12 3.96%	8 3.38%	8 3.08%	19 4.37%	1 1.10% n	23 6.20% m	2 2.11%	26 4.32%	10 4.20%
Mean	2.43	2.22	2.30	2.36	2.67	2.44	2.51	2.47	2.19	2.50	2.39	2.32	2.25	2.49	2.64	2.43	2.41	2.48

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Table 27c: 19. Do you favor or oppose a proposal expanding legalized gambling in the state?

	Total	Military Household		Belongs to Labor Union	
		Yes	No	Yes	No
Base	1000	645 (A)	350 (B)	141 (C)	747 (D)
Strongly Favor	296 29.60%	174 26.98% b	120 34.29% a	55 39.01% D	208 27.84% C
Somewhat Favor	238 23.80%	154 23.88%	83 23.71%	24 17.02% d	187 25.03% c
Somewhat Oppose	132 13.20%	90 13.95%	40 11.43%	17 12.06%	99 13.25%
Strongly Oppose	288 28.80%	195 30.23%	93 26.57%	34 24.11%	221 29.59%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	46 4.60%	32 4.96%	14 4.00%	11 7.80%	32 4.28%
Mean	2.43	2.50	2.32	2.23	2.47

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Table 28: 20. Do you favor or oppose applying the state income tax to retirement income, such as pensions and Social Security?

	Region				Education			Ideology			Party Affiliation			Born-Again			Gender	
	Total	Chicago City	Chicago Suburbs	Down-state	High School or Less	Some College	College +	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative	Dem	Ind	Rep	Yes	No	Non-Christ-ian	Male	Female
Base	1000	200 (A)	500 (B)	300 (C)	217 (D)	302 (E)	475 (F)	319 (G)	258 (H)	359 (I)	462 (J)	147 (K)	292 (L)	175 (M)	550 (N)	259 (O)	487 (P)	513 (Q)
Favor	238 23.80%	58 29.00% c	120 24.00%	60 20.00% a	70 32.26% Ef	55 18.21% D	113 23.79% d	91 28.53% i	61 23.64%	73 20.33% g	130 28.14% Kl	24 16.33% J	63 21.58% j	42 24.00%	123 22.36%	67 25.87%	111 22.79%	127 24.76%
Oppose	700 70.00%	129 64.50% c	351 70.20%	220 73.33% a	130 59.91% EF	224 74.17% D	341 71.79% D	211 66.14% i	183 70.93%	267 74.37% g	299 64.72% Kl	120 81.63% Jl	212 72.60% jk	121 69.14%	398 72.36%	174 67.18%	361 74.13% Q	339 66.08% P
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	62 6.20%	13 6.50%	29 5.80%	20 6.67%	17 7.83%	23 7.62%	21 4.42%	17 5.33%	14 5.43%	19 5.29%	33 7.14% k	3 2.04% j	17 5.82%	12 6.86%	29 5.27%	18 6.95%	15 3.08% Q	47 9.16% P

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Table 28b: 20. Do you favor or oppose applying the state income tax to retirement income, such as pensions and Social Security?

	Age				Race				Income			Employment				Company Type		
	Total	<35	35-50	51-65	66+	White	Black	His-panic	Other	<\$50k	\$50k - \$100k	\$100k+	Full-Time	Part-Time	Retired	Not employd	Private	Gov./ Non-Profit
Base	1000	113 (A)	204 (B)	296 (C)	322 (D)	704 (E)	142 (F)	46 (G)	57 (H)	303 (I)	237 (J)	260 (K)	435 (L)	91 (M)	371 (N)	95 (O)	602 (P)	238 (Q)
Favor	238 23.80%	41 36.28% bcD	47 23.04% a	70 23.65% a	71 22.05% A	151 21.45% fG	43 30.28% e	21 45.65% Eh	14 24.56% g	91 30.03% Jk	46 19.41% I	55 21.15% i	105 24.14%	24 26.37%	79 21.29%	27 28.42%	144 23.92%	59 24.79%
Oppose	700 70.00%	67 59.29% bc	148 72.55% a	213 71.96% a	220 68.32%	515 73.15% FG	83 58.45% E	23 50.00% Eh	40 70.18% g	191 63.04% JK	178 75.11% I	195 75.00% I	314 72.18%	64 70.33%	259 69.81%	59 62.11%	430 71.43%	161 67.65%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	62 6.20%	5 4.42%	9 4.41% d	13 4.39% d	31 9.63% bc	38 5.40% F	16 11.27% E	2 4.35%	3 5.26%	21 6.93%	13 5.49%	10 3.85%	16 3.68% No	3 3.30%	33 8.89% L	9 9.47% l	28 4.65%	18 7.56%

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Table 28c: 20. Do you favor or oppose applying the state income tax to retirement income, such as pensions and Social Security?

	Total	Military Household		Belongs to Labor Union	
		Yes (A)	No (B)	Yes (C)	No (D)
Base	1000	645	350	141	747
		(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
Favor	238 23.80%	139 21.55%	98 28.00%	35 24.82%	172 23.03%
		b	a		
Oppose	700 70.00%	471 73.02%	225 64.29%	99 70.21%	531 71.08%
		B	A		
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	62 6.20%	35 5.43%	27 7.71%	7 4.96%	44 5.89%

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Table 29: 20a. Would you favor or oppose applying the state income tax to retirement income if it exempted from taxes the first \$50,000 earned per year?

	Region				Education			Ideology			Party Affiliation			Born-Again			Gender	
	Total	Chicago City	Chicago Suburbs	Down-state	High School or Less	Some College	College +	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative	Dem	Ind	Rep	Yes	No	Non-Chris-tian	Male	Female
Base	700	129 (A)	351 (B)	220 (C)	130 (D)	224 (E)	341 (F)	211 (G)	183 (H)	267 (I)	299 (J)	120 (K)	212 (L)	121 (M)	398 (N)	174 (O)	361 (P)	339 (Q)
Favor	320 45.71%	69 53.49% b	152 43.30% a	99 45.00%	55 42.31%	110 49.11%	154 45.16%	109 51.66% I	96 52.46% I	103 38.58% GH	150 50.17%	48 40.00%	93 43.87%	52 42.98%	187 46.98%	78 44.83%	170 47.09%	150 44.25%
Oppose	336 48.00%	55 42.64%	173 49.29%	108 49.09%	64 49.23%	99 44.20%	170 49.85%	93 44.08% i	73 39.89% I	146 54.68% gH	131 43.81%	65 54.17%	106 50.00%	59 48.76%	189 47.49%	86 49.43%	173 47.92%	163 48.08%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	44 6.29%	5 3.88%	26 7.41%	13 5.91%	11 8.46%	15 6.70%	17 4.99%	9 4.27%	14 7.65%	18 6.74%	18 6.02%	7 5.83%	13 6.13%	10 8.26%	22 5.53%	10 5.75%	18 4.99%	26 7.67%

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Table 29b: 20a. Would you favor or oppose applying the state income tax to retirement income if it exempted from taxes the first \$50,000 earned per year?

	Age				Race				Income			Employment				Company Type		
	Total	<35	35-50	51-65	66+	White	Black	His-panic	Other	<\$50k	\$50k - \$100k	\$100k+	Full-Time	Part-Time	Retired	Not employd	Private	Gov./ Non-Profit
Base	700	67 (A)	148 (B)	213 (C)	220 (D)	515 (E)	83 (F)	23 (G)	40 (H)	191 (I)	178 (J)	195 (K)	314 (L)	64 (M)	259 (N)	59 (O)	430 (P)	161 (Q)
Favor	320 45.71%	33 49.25%	75 50.68%	104 48.83%	92 41.82%	253 49.13% fh	29 34.94% e	14 60.87%	12 30.00% e	93 48.69%	99 55.62% k	81 41.54% j	153 48.73%	36 56.25% n	108 41.70% m	23 38.98%	202 46.98%	78 48.45%
Oppose	336 48.00%	30 44.78%	67 45.27%	99 46.48%	107 48.64%	230 44.66% fh	48 57.83% e	8 34.78%	25 62.50% e	82 42.93% k	70 39.33% k	107 54.87% ij	149 47.45%	27 42.19%	128 49.42%	29 49.15%	208 48.37%	73 45.34%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	44 6.29%	4 5.97%	6 4.05% d	10 4.69%	21 9.55% b	32 6.21%	6 7.23%	1 4.35%	3 7.50%	16 8.38% k	9 5.06%	7 3.59% i	12 3.82% no	1 1.56% no	23 8.88% lm	7 11.86% lm	20 4.65%	10 6.21%

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Table 29c: 20a. Would you favor or oppose applying the state income tax to retirement income if it exempted from taxes the first \$50,000 earned per year?

	Total	Military Household		Belongs to Labor Union	
		Yes (A)	No (B)	Yes (C)	No (D)
Base	700	471	225	99	531
Favor	320 45.71%	207 43.95%	113 50.22%	46 46.46%	248 46.70%
Oppose	336 48.00%	231 49.04%	102 45.33%	48 48.48%	252 47.46%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	44 6.29%	33 7.01%	10 4.44%	5 5.05%	31 5.84%

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Table 30: 21. Do you favor or oppose a proposal to restore the temporary state income tax increase, raising it from 3.75 percent to 5 percent?

	Region				Education			Ideology			Party Affiliation			Born-Again			Gender	
	Total	Chicago City	Chicago Suburbs	Down-state	High School or Less	Some College	College +	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative	Dem	Ind	Rep	Yes	No	Non-Chris-tian	Male	Female
Base	1000	200 (A)	500 (B)	300 (C)	217 (D)	302 (E)	475 (F)	319 (G)	258 (H)	359 (I)	462 (J)	147 (K)	292 (L)	175 (M)	550 (N)	259 (O)	487 (P)	513 (Q)
Strongly Favor	157 15.70%	42 21.00% C	81 16.20%	34 11.33% A	40 18.43% e	35 11.59% df	82 17.26% e	73 22.88% I	47 18.22% I	31 8.64% GH	101 21.86% kL	20 13.61% j	25 8.56% J	24 13.71%	81 14.73%	51 19.69%	87 17.86%	70 13.65%
Somewhat Favor	189 18.90%	47 23.50%	92 18.40%	50 16.67%	29 13.36% F	47 15.56% F	111 23.37% DE	87 27.27% HI	41 15.89% G	52 14.48% G	108 23.38% kl	21 14.29% j	47 16.10% j	27 15.43%	105 19.09%	53 20.46%	82 16.84%	107 20.86%
Somewhat Oppose	185 18.50%	39 19.50%	89 17.80%	57 19.00%	38 17.51%	57 18.87%	89 18.74%	59 18.50%	49 18.99%	69 19.22%	82 17.75%	28 19.05%	59 20.21%	40 22.86%	94 17.09%	48 18.53%	79 16.22%	106 20.66%
Strongly Oppose	435 43.50%	67 33.50% BC	222 44.40% A	146 48.67% A	96 44.24%	150 49.67% F	187 39.37% E	93 29.15% HI	114 44.19% GI	198 55.15% GH	157 33.98% KL	75 51.02% J	154 52.74% J	76 43.43%	255 46.36% o	99 38.22% n	227 46.61%	208 40.55%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	34 3.40%	5 2.50%	16 3.20%	13 4.33%	14 6.45% F	13 4.30% F	6 1.26% DE	7 2.19%	7 2.71%	9 2.51%	14 3.03%	3 2.04%	7 2.40%	8 4.57%	15 2.73%	8 3.09%	12 2.46%	22 4.29%
Mean	2.93	2.67	2.93	3.10	2.94	3.11	2.81	2.55	2.92	3.24	2.66	3.10	3.20	3.01	2.98	2.78	2.94	2.92

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Table 30b: 21. Do you favor or oppose a proposal to restore the temporary state income tax increase, raising it from 3.75 percent to 5 percent?

	Age				Race				Income			Employment				Company Type		
	Total	<35	35-50	51-65	66+	White	Black	His-panic	Other	<\$50k	\$50k - \$100k	\$100k+	Full-Time	Part-Time	Retired	Not employ	Private	Gov./ Non-Profit
Base	1000	113 (A)	204 (B)	296 (C)	322 (D)	704 (E)	142 (F)	46 (G)	57 (H)	303 (I)	237 (J)	260 (K)	435 (L)	91 (M)	371 (N)	95 (O)	602 (P)	238 (Q)
Strongly Favor	157 15.70%	10 8.85% cd	33 16.18%	53 17.91% a	54 16.77% a	111 15.77%	26 18.31%	10 21.74%	7 12.28%	48 15.84%	38 16.03%	45 17.31%	73 16.78% m	6 6.59% lno	63 16.98% m	15 15.79% m	101 16.78%	35 14.71%
Somewhat Favor	189 18.90%	17 15.04%	38 18.63%	67 22.64%	59 18.32%	146 20.74%	21 14.79%	6 13.04%	9 15.79%	52 17.16%	48 20.25%	55 21.15%	80 18.39%	19 20.88%	67 18.06%	22 23.16%	105 17.44%	49 20.59%
Somewhat Oppose	185 18.50%	39 34.51% BCD	37 18.14% A	36 12.16% A	57 17.70% A	123 17.47% g	25 17.61%	14 30.43% e	13 22.81%	54 17.82%	40 16.88%	44 16.92%	74 17.01% M	27 29.67% Lno	67 18.06% m	16 16.84% m	116 19.27%	42 17.65%
Strongly Oppose	435 43.50%	43 38.05%	91 44.61%	131 44.26%	139 43.17%	307 43.61%	62 43.66%	15 32.61%	25 43.86%	133 43.89%	107 45.15%	116 44.62%	198 45.52%	37 40.66%	159 42.86%	36 37.89%	266 44.19%	103 43.28%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	34 3.40%	4 3.54%	5 2.45%	9 3.04%	13 4.04%	17 2.41% f	8 5.63% e	1 2.17%	3 5.26%	16 5.28% jk	4 1.69% ik	0 0.00% lj	10 2.30% o	2 2.20%	15 4.04%	6 6.32% l	14 2.33%	9 3.78%
Mean	2.93	3.06	2.93	2.85	2.91	2.91	2.92	2.76	3.04	2.95	2.93	2.89	2.93	3.07	2.90	2.82	2.93	2.93

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Table 30c: 21. Do you favor or oppose a proposal to restore the temporary state income tax increase, raising it from 3.75 percent to 5 percent?

	Total	Military Household		Belongs to Labor Union	
		Yes (A)	No (B)	Yes (C)	No (D)
Base	1000	645	350	141	747
Strongly Favor	157 15.70%	101 15.66%	56 16.00%	27 19.15%	115 15.39%
Somewhat Favor	189 18.90%	117 18.14%	71 20.29%	22 15.60%	142 19.01%
Somewhat Oppose	185 18.50%	113 17.52%	70 20.00%	25 17.73%	140 18.74%
Strongly Oppose	435 43.50%	290 44.96%	143 40.86%	64 45.39%	328 43.91%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	34 3.40%	24 3.72%	10 2.86%	3 2.13%	22 2.95%
Mean	2.93	2.95	2.88	2.91	2.94

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Table 31: 21a. Would you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the income tax rate to 4 and one-half percent instead of the 5 percent in the previous tax rate?

	Region			Education			Ideology			Party Affiliation			Born-Again			Gender		
	Total	Chicago City	Chicago Suburbs	Down-state	High School or Less	Some College	College +	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative	Dem	Ind	Rep	Yes	No	Non-Chris-tian	Male	Female
Base	620	106 (A)	311 (B)	203 (C)	134 (D)	207 (E)	276 (F)	152 (G)	163 (H)	267 (I)	239 (J)	103 (K)	213 (L)	116 (M)	349 (N)	147 (O)	306 (P)	314 (Q)
Strongly Favor	59 9.52%	8 7.55%	32 10.29%	19 9.36%	18 13.43%	19 9.18%	22 7.97%	23 15.13% hi	12 7.36% g	22 8.24% g	27 11.30%	8 7.77%	21 9.86%	16 13.79% n	24 6.88% mo	18 12.24% n	36 11.76%	23 7.32%
Somewhat Favor	128 20.65%	17 16.04%	63 20.26%	48 23.65%	21 15.67%	46 22.22%	61 22.10%	38 25.00%	37 22.70%	48 17.98%	57 23.85%	15 14.56%	47 22.07%	28 24.14%	76 21.78%	24 16.33%	62 20.26%	66 21.02%
Somewhat Oppose	124 20.00%	26 24.53%	60 19.29%	38 18.72%	25 18.66%	41 19.81%	56 20.29%	35 23.03%	33 20.25%	50 18.73%	58 24.27%	16 15.53%	39 18.31%	22 18.97%	65 18.62%	34 23.13%	54 17.65%	70 22.29%
Strongly Oppose	270 43.55%	49 46.23%	139 44.69%	82 40.39%	59 44.03%	90 43.48%	121 43.84%	49 32.24% I	65 39.88% i	136 50.94% Gh	78 32.64% KL	57 55.34% J	97 45.54% J	41 35.34% n	162 46.42% m	64 43.54%	144 47.06%	126 40.13%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	39 6.29%	6 5.66%	17 5.47%	16 7.88%	11 8.21%	11 5.31%	16 5.80%	7 4.61%	16 9.82% i	11 4.12% h	19 7.95%	7 6.80%	9 4.23%	9 7.76%	22 6.30%	7 4.76%	10 3.27% Q	29 9.24% P
Mean	3.04	3.16	3.04	2.98	3.02	3.03	3.06	2.76	3.03	3.17	2.85	3.27	3.04	2.82	3.12	3.03	3.03	3.05

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Table 31b: 21a. Would you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the income tax rate to 4 and one-half percent instead of the 5 percent in the previous tax rate?

	Age				Race				Income			Employment			Company Type			
	Total	<35	35-50	51-65	66+	White	Black	His-panic	Other	<\$50k	\$50k - \$100k	\$100k+	Full-Time	Part-Time	Retired	Not employd	Private	Gov./ Non-Profit
Base	620	82 (A)	128 (B)	167 (C)	196 (D)	430 (E)	87 (F)	29 (G)	38 (H)	187 (I)	147 (J)	160 (K)	272 (L)	64 (M)	226 (N)	52 (O)	382 (P)	145 (Q)
Strongly Favor	59 9.52%	5 6.10%	12 9.38%	21 12.57%	15 7.65%	37 8.60% f	15 17.24% e	2 6.90%	4 10.53%	17 9.09%	16 10.88%	16 10.00%	25 9.19%	3 4.69%	23 10.18%	7 13.46%	36 9.42%	11 7.59%
Somewhat Favor	128 20.65%	18 21.95%	30 23.44%	35 20.96%	41 20.92%	99 23.02%	12 13.79%	9 31.03%	6 15.79%	34 18.18%	33 22.45%	38 23.75%	62 22.79%	17 26.56% o	43 19.03%	6 11.54% m	87 22.77%	30 20.69%
Somewhat Oppose	124 20.00%	31 37.80% bcd	29 22.66% a	26 15.57% A	29 14.80% A	82 19.07%	20 22.99%	7 24.14%	8 21.05%	49 26.20%	26 17.69%	31 19.37%	56 20.59% m	22 34.38% lN	34 15.04% M	10 19.23%	77 20.16%	30 20.69%
Strongly Oppose	270 43.55%	25 30.49% cd	52 40.63%	79 47.31% a	90 45.92% a	183 42.56%	37 42.53%	10 34.48%	18 47.37%	77 41.18%	67 45.58%	68 42.50%	117 43.01%	21 32.81%	105 46.46%	24 46.15%	163 42.67%	66 45.52%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	39 6.29%	3 3.66%	5 3.91% d	6 3.59% d	21 10.71% bc	29 6.74%	3 3.45%	1 3.45%	2 5.26%	10 5.35%	5 3.40%	7 4.37%	12 4.41% n	1 1.56% n	21 9.29% lm	5 9.62%	19 4.97%	8 5.52%
Mean	3.04	2.96	2.98	3.01	3.11	3.02	2.94	2.89	3.11	3.05	3.01	2.99	3.02	2.97	3.08	3.09	3.01	3.10

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Table 31c: 21a. Would you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the income tax rate to 4 and one-half percent instead of the 5 percent in the previous tax rate?

	Total	Military Household		Belongs to Labor Union	
		Yes (A)	No (B)	Yes (C)	No (D)
Base	620	403	213	89	468
Strongly Favor	59 9.52%	40 9.93%	19 8.92%	11 12.36%	39 8.33%
Somewhat Favor	128 20.65%	85 21.09%	42 19.72%	17 19.10%	104 22.22%
Somewhat Oppose	124 20.00%	77 19.11%	44 20.66%	18 20.22%	91 19.44%
Strongly Oppose	270 43.55%	175 43.42%	95 44.60%	34 38.20%	209 44.66%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	39 6.29%	26 6.45%	13 6.10%	9 10.11%	25 5.34%
Mean	3.04	3.03	3.08	2.94	3.06

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Table 32: 22. Do you favor or oppose a proposal to impose an extra 3 percent state tax on all income above \$1 million a year?

	Region				Education			Ideology			Party Affiliation			Born-Again			Gender	
	Total	Chicago City	Chicago Suburbs	Down-state	High School or Less	Some College	College +	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative	Dem	Ind	Rep	Yes	No	Non-Chris-tian	Male	Female
Base	1000	200 (A)	500 (B)	300 (C)	217 (D)	302 (E)	475 (F)	319 (G)	258 (H)	359 (I)	462 (J)	147 (K)	292 (L)	175 (M)	550 (N)	259 (O)	487 (P)	513 (Q)
Strongly Favor	595 59.50%	113 56.50%	305 61.00%	177 59.00%	126 58.06%	193 63.91%	275 57.89%	253 79.31% HI	153 59.30% GI	153 42.62% GH	338 73.16% kL	93 63.27% jL	115 39.38% JK	92 52.57% n	341 62.00% m	154 59.46%	290 59.55%	305 59.45%
Somewhat Favor	160 16.00%	31 15.50%	79 15.80%	50 16.67%	35 16.13%	38 12.58% f	87 18.32% e	37 11.60% I	42 16.28%	73 20.33% G	61 13.20% L	13 8.84% L	70 23.97% JK	35 20.00%	84 15.27%	40 15.44%	69 14.17%	91 17.74%
Somewhat Oppose	68 6.80%	15 7.50%	38 7.60%	15 5.00%	16 7.37%	22 7.28%	30 6.32%	11 3.45% I	15 5.81% i	38 10.58% Gh	19 4.11% L	11 7.48%	29 9.93% J	16 9.14%	33 6.00%	18 6.95%	29 5.95%	39 7.60%
Strongly Oppose	145 14.50%	35 17.50%	61 12.20%	49 16.33%	31 14.29%	38 12.58%	73 15.37%	14 4.39% HI	33 12.79% GI	89 24.79% GH	34 7.36% KL	26 17.69% J	69 23.63% J	26 14.86%	74 13.45%	42 16.22%	89 18.28% Q	56 10.92% P
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	32 3.20%	6 3.00%	17 3.40%	9 3.00%	9 4.15%	11 3.64%	10 2.11%	4 1.25% H	15 5.81% GI	6 1.67% H	10 2.16%	4 2.72%	9 3.08%	6 3.43%	18 3.27%	5 1.93%	10 2.05% q	22 4.29% p
Mean	1.76	1.86	1.70	1.78	1.77	1.67	1.79	1.32	1.70	2.18	1.44	1.79	2.18	1.86	1.70	1.80	1.83	1.69

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Table 32b: 22. Do you favor or oppose a proposal to impose an extra 3 percent state tax on all income above \$1 million a year?

	Age				Race				Income			Employment			Company Type			
	Total	<35	35-50	51-65	66+	White	Black	His-panic	Other	<\$50k	\$50k - \$100k	\$100k+	Full-Time	Part-Time	Retired	Not employd	Private	Gov./ Non-Profit
Base	1000	113 (A)	204 (B)	296 (C)	322 (D)	704 (E)	142 (F)	46 (G)	57 (H)	303 (I)	237 (J)	260 (K)	435 (L)	91 (M)	371 (N)	95 (O)	602 (P)	238 (Q)
Strongly Favor	595 59.50%	59 52.21% b	132 64.71% a	184 62.16%	192 59.63%	427 60.65% g	91 64.08% g	21 45.65% ef	32 56.14%	203 67.00% K	149 62.87%	144 55.38% I	271 62.30%	56 61.54%	216 58.22%	49 51.58%	359 59.63%	153 64.29%
Somewhat Favor	160 16.00%	20 17.70%	31 15.20%	43 14.53%	52 16.15%	117 16.62%	18 12.68%	8 17.39%	8 14.04%	47 15.51%	37 15.61%	44 16.92%	65 14.94%	16 17.58%	62 16.71%	14 14.74%	94 15.61%	39 16.39%
Somewhat Oppose	68 6.80%	12 10.62% c	11 5.39%	14 4.73% a	20 6.21%	42 5.97%	11 7.75%	5 10.87%	5 8.77%	13 4.29% k	19 8.02%	25 9.62% i	27 6.21%	9 9.89%	25 6.74%	7 7.37%	37 6.15%	21 8.82%
Strongly Oppose	145 14.50%	18 15.93%	26 12.75%	48 16.22%	45 13.98%	102 14.49%	13 9.15% G	11 23.91% F	9 15.79%	31 10.23% k	27 11.39%	43 16.54% i	64 14.71%	9 9.89%	52 14.02%	18 18.95%	97 16.11% Q	20 8.40% P
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	32 3.20%	4 3.54%	4 1.96%	7 2.36%	13 4.04%	16 2.27% F	9 6.34% E	1 2.17%	3 5.26%	9 2.97%	5 2.11%	4 1.54%	8 1.84% nO	1 1.10% o	16 4.31% l	7 7.37% Im	15 2.49%	5 2.10%
Mean	1.76	1.90	1.66	1.74	1.73	1.74	1.59	2.13	1.83	1.56	1.67	1.87	1.73	1.68	1.75	1.93	1.78	1.61

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Table 32c: 22. Do you favor or oppose a proposal to impose an extra 3 percent state tax on all income above \$1 million a year?

	Total	Military Household		Belongs to Labor Union	
		Yes (A)	No (B)	Yes (C)	No (D)
Base	1000	645	350	141	747
Strongly Favor	595 59.50%	403 62.48% b	191 54.57% a	88 62.41%	449 60.11%
Somewhat Favor	160 16.00%	97 15.04%	63 18.00%	27 19.15%	116 15.53%
Somewhat Oppose	68 6.80%	37 5.74%	29 8.29%	8 5.67%	53 7.10%
Strongly Oppose	145 14.50%	89 13.80%	55 15.71%	15 10.64%	107 14.32%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	32 3.20%	19 2.95%	12 3.43%	3 2.13%	22 2.95%
Mean	1.76	1.70	1.85	1.64	1.75

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Table 33: 23. Would you favor or oppose a proposal to change the Illinois Constitution to allow a graduated income tax-that is, tax rates would be lower for lower-income taxpayers and higher for upper-income taxpayers?

	Region			Education			Ideology			Party Affiliation			Born-Again			Gender		
	Total	Chicago City	Chicago Suburbs	Down-state	High School or Less	Some College	College +	Liberal	Mod-erate	Conser-vative	Dem	Ind	Rep	Yes	No	Non-Christ-ian	Male	Female
Base	1000	200 (A)	500 (B)	300 (C)	217 (D)	302 (E)	475 (F)	319 (G)	258 (H)	359 (I)	462 (J)	147 (K)	292 (L)	175 (M)	550 (N)	259 (O)	487 (P)	513 (Q)
Strongly Favor	432 43.20%	85 42.50%	225 45.00%	122 40.67%	93 42.86%	139 46.03%	199 41.89%	201 63.01% HI	104 40.31% GI	99 27.58% GH	265 57.36% KL	66 44.90% JL	64 21.92% JK	66 37.71% o	236 42.91%	125 48.26% m	219 44.97%	213 41.52%
Somewhat Favor	233 23.30%	53 26.50%	110 22.00%	70 23.33%	40 18.43% f	69 22.85%	124 26.11% d	68 21.32%	69 26.74%	87 24.23%	104 22.51%	30 20.41%	83 28.42%	52 29.71% o	125 22.73%	53 20.46% m	105 21.56%	128 24.95%
Somewhat Oppose	94 9.40%	16 8.00%	50 10.00%	28 9.33%	25 11.52%	21 6.95%	48 10.11%	19 5.96% hI	27 10.47% g	44 12.26% G	33 7.14% L	8 5.44% L	45 15.41% JK	16 9.14%	52 9.45%	24 9.27%	45 9.24%	49 9.55%
Strongly Oppose	182 18.20%	35 17.50%	84 16.80%	63 21.00%	41 18.89%	56 18.54%	82 17.26%	22 6.90% HI	36 13.95% GI	111 30.92% GH	41 8.87% KL	33 22.45% J	86 29.45% J	31 17.71%	103 18.73%	45 17.37%	100 20.53%	82 15.98%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	59 5.90%	11 5.50%	31 6.20%	17 5.67%	18 8.29%	17 5.63%	22 4.63%	9 2.82% H	22 8.53% G	18 5.01%	19 4.11%	10 6.80%	14 4.79%	10 5.71%	34 6.18%	12 4.63%	18 3.70% Q	41 7.99% P
Mean	2.03	2.01	1.99	2.11	2.07	1.98	2.03	1.55	1.98	2.49	1.66	2.06	2.55	2.07	2.04	1.96	2.06	2.00

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	Age				Race				Income			Employment				Company Type		
	Total	<35	35-50	51-65	66+	White	Black	His-panic	Other	<\$50k	\$50k - \$100k	\$100k+	Full-Time	Part-Time	Retired	Not employd	Private	Gov./ Non-Profit
Base	1000	113 (A)	204 (B)	296 (C)	322 (D)	704 (E)	142 (F)	46 (G)	57 (H)	303 (I)	237 (J)	260 (K)	435 (L)	91 (M)	371 (N)	95 (O)	602 (P)	238 (Q)
Strongly Favor	432 43.20%	51 45.13%	93 45.59%	144 48.65% D	123 38.20% C	297 42.19% F	79 55.63% Eh	18 39.13% (G)	22 38.60% f	151 49.83% K	115 48.52% k	101 38.85% Ij	199 45.75% n	45 49.45% (M)	142 38.27% l	42 44.21% (O)	259 43.02% (P)	105 44.12% (Q)
Somewhat Favor	233 23.30%	33 29.20%	43 21.08%	70 23.65%	81 25.16%	167 23.72%	28 19.72%	14 30.43%	17 29.82%	70 23.10%	62 26.16%	57 21.92%	100 22.99%	25 27.47%	86 23.18%	22 23.16%	142 23.59%	59 24.79%
Somewhat Oppose	94 9.40%	13 11.50%	22 10.78%	23 7.77%	24 7.45%	74 10.51%	9 6.34%	3 6.52%	2 3.51%	24 7.92%	18 7.59%	31 11.92%	44 10.11%	8 8.79%	33 8.89%	9 9.47%	54 8.97%	28 11.76%
Strongly Oppose	182 18.20%	11 9.73% D	35 17.16%	48 16.22%	72 22.36% A	134 19.03% f	15 10.56% e	7 15.22%	10 17.54%	42 13.86% K	34 14.35% k	60 23.08% Ij	75 17.24%	9 9.89% N	84 22.64% Mo	12 12.63% n	121 20.10%	35 14.71%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	59 5.90%	5 4.42%	11 5.39%	11 3.72%	22 6.83%	32 4.55% h	11 7.75%	4 8.70%	6 10.53% e	16 5.28%	8 3.38%	11 4.23%	17 3.91% O	4 4.40%	26 7.01%	10 10.53% L	26 4.32%	11 4.62%
Mean	2.03	1.85	1.99	1.91	2.15	2.07	1.69	1.98	2.00	1.85	1.87	2.20	1.99	1.78	2.17	1.89	2.06	1.97

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	Total	Military Household		Belongs to Labor Union	
		Yes (A)	No (B)	Yes (C)	No (D)
Base	1000	645	350	141	747
Strongly Favor	432 43.20%	277 42.95%	154 44.00%	65 46.10%	317 42.44%
Somewhat Favor	233 23.30%	151 23.41%	80 22.86%	34 24.11%	174 23.29%
Somewhat Oppose	94 9.40%	62 9.61%	32 9.14%	10 7.09%	75 10.04%
Strongly Oppose	182 18.20%	122 18.91%	60 17.14%	23 16.31%	144 19.28%
(OTHER/DON'T KNOW)	59 5.90%	33 5.12%	24 6.86%	9 6.38%	37 4.95%
Mean	2.03	2.05	1.99	1.93	2.06

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