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## Tabulations from a Statewide Survey of California Registered Voters about the Death Penalty and Governor Gavin Newsom

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#### Introduction

The statistical tabulations in this volume are based on a *Berkeley IGS Poll* completed by the Institute of Governmental Studies (IGS) at the University of California, Berkeley. The poll was completed online among 4,435 California registered voters in English and Spanish June 4-10, 2019.

The survey was administered by distributing email invitations to stratified random samples of the state's registered voters. Once the questionnaire and email invitations had been finalized, they were translated into the Spanish and reviewed for cultural appropriateness. They were then programmed onto Qualtrics, a survey platform frequently used by the University of California, Berkeley when distributing emails as part of an opinion research study. Each email invited voters to participate in a non-partisan survey conducted by IGS. Voters were provided a link to the IGS website where the survey was housed. Reminder emails were distributed to non-responding voters over a seven-day period. An opt out link was provided at the bottom of each invitation for voters not wishing to participate or not wanting to receive future emails from IGS about the survey.

Samples of registered voters with email addresses were provided to IGS by Political Data, Inc., a leading supplier of registered voter lists in California. The email listings were derived from information included on the state's official voter registration rolls. The statewide sample of registered voters was stratified in an attempt to obtain a proper balance of survey respondents across major segments of the registered voter population by age, gender and race/ethnicity.

To protect the anonymity of survey respondents, voters' email addresses and all other personally identifiable information were purged from the data file and replaced with a unique and anonymous identification number in data processing. At the conclusion of data processing, post-stratification weights were applied to align the sample to the population characteristics of the state's overall registered voter population.

The sampling error associated with the results from the survey are difficult to calculate precisely due to the effects of sample stratification and the post-stratification weighting. Nevertheless, it is likely that the results from the overall registered voter sample are subject to a sampling error of approximately +/- 2.5 percentage points at the 95% confidence level. Results based on subgroups of this population would be subject to larger margins of sampling error.

#### **Survey Questions**

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Gavin Newsom is handling his job as Governor of California?

As you know, California has capital punishment – that is, execution – as a form of punishment for certain crimes. How do you personally feel about capital punishment? Would you be in favor of doing away with the death penalty, or do you feel that the death penalty should be kept as a punishment for serious crimes?

Earlier this year, Governor Gavin Newsom imposed a moratorium on all executions in the state while he is in office, which would spare the lives of the over 700 inmates currently on death row. Do you support or oppose the Governor in taking this action?

The legislature is considering placing a constitutional amendment on the 2020 statewide election ballot to abolish the death penalty in California and replace it with life in prison without the possibility of parole. If you were voting on a constitutional amendment like this and the election were being held today, how would you vote

#### **About the Institute of Governmental Studies**

The Institute of Governmental Studies (IGS) is an interdisciplinary organized research unit that pursues a vigorous program of research, education, publication and public service. A component of the University of California (UC) system's flagship Berkeley campus, it is the oldest organized research unit in the UC system and the oldest public policy research center in the state. The director of the Institute of Governmental Studies is Lisa Garcia Bedolla.

IGS conducts periodic surveys of public opinion in California on matters of politics and public policy through its *Berkeley IGS Poll*. The poll, which is disseminated widely, seeks to provide a broad measure of contemporary public opinion, and to generate data for subsequent scholarly analysis. The director of the *Berkeley IGS Poll* is Mark DiCamillo. For a complete listing of stories issued by the *Berkeley IGS Poll* go to <a href="https://igs.berkeley.edu/igs-poll/berkeley-igs-poll">https://igs.berkeley.edu/igs-poll/berkeley-igs-poll</a>.

Table 5-1
June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q5 - Do you approve or disapprove of the way Gavin Newsom is handling his job as Governor of California?

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		Are	ea.			Reg:	ion ========					No party	Not a		Likely	Likely
		Coastal	Inland	Los Angeles	South	Other	Central	SF Bav	Other	Demo- cratic	Repub- lican	pre- ference/	likely voter in	Likely voter in	Voter in GOP	voter in Dem
	Total		counties	_	Coast	South	Valley	Area	North	Party	Party	other	primary	primary	primary	primary
Unweighted Base	4435	3234	1201	985	881	672	642	1044	211	2199	869	1367	1661	2774	643	2131
Total registered	4435		1275		745	652	763	900	177	1929	1078	1428	2139	2296	722	
voters	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Approve (net)	2515		587	750	381	315	355	623	92	1585	121	809	1094	1422	56	
2012====±===	56.7%	61.0%	46.0%	62.6%	51.2%	48.3%	46.5%	69.2%	51.9%	82.2%	11.3%	56.6%	51.1%	61.9%	7.7%	86.8%
Approve strongly	658		150		92	88	81	180	25	513	6 0.6%	139 9.7%	183 8.5%	475 20.7%	4 0.5%	471 29.9%
	14.8%	16.1%	11.8%	16.0%	12.3%	13.5%	10.6%	20.0%	13.9%	26.6%	U. 6%	9.78	0.5%	20.78		
Approve somewhat	1858		437	558 46.6%	290 38.9%	227 34.8%	274 35.9%	442 49.1%	67 38.0%	1072 55.6%	115 10.7%	670 46.9%	911 42.6%	947 41.2%	52 7.2%	895 56.8%
	41.9%	45.0%	34.3%	46.68	38.9%	34.0%	33.91	49.18		55.0%						
Disapprove (net)	1881		684		358	334	406	265 29.4%	85 48.1%	333 17.3%	955 88.6%	592 41.5%	1018 47.6%	863 37.6%	665 92.1%	197 12.5%
=======================================	42.4%	37.9%	53.7%	36.1%	48.0%	51.2%	53.3%	29.48	40.11	17.36	00.00	41.50	47.05	37.00	32.10	12.5
Disapprove	763	522	242	187	153	127	143	116	36	251	208	305	497	266	129	137
somewhat	17.2%	16.5%	18.9%	15.6%	20.6%	19.5%	18.8%	12.9%	20.3%	13.0%	19.3%	21.3%	23.2%	11.6%	17.9%	8.7%
Disapprove	1117		443		205	206		148	49	82	747	288	521	596		
strongly	25.2%	21.3%	34.7%	20.5%	27.5%	31.7%	34.5%	16.5%	27.8%	4.3%	69.3%	20.1%	24.3%	26.0%	74.2%	3.9%
No answer	39		4		6	3		13	-	11	2	27	28			11
	0.9%	1.1%	0.3%	1.3%	0.8%	0.5%	0.2%	1.4%	0.1%	0.6%	0.1%	1.9%	1.3%	0.5%	0.2%	0.7%

Table 5-2 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll Q5 - Do you approve or disapprove of the way Gavin Newsom is handling his job as Governor of California?

								Race/Ethnicity												
		Gend				Age			White	White non- Hispanic- Not a college	White non-		Latino Spanish	Latino English		Asian/				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Hispanic	grad	graduate	Latino	•	dominant	Black	Pac Isle				
Unweighted Base	4435	2107	2328	888	816	668	1133	930	2637	889	1746	1063	214	849	179	433				
Total registered voters	4435 100.0%	2115 100.0%	2320 100.0%	767 100.0%	752 100.0%	670 100.0%	1168 100.0%	1077 100.0%	2445 100.0%		1062 100.0%	1149 100.0%	339 100.0%	811 100.0%	243 100.0%	442 100.0%				
Approve (net)	2515 56.7%	1126 53.2%	1389 59.9%	449 58.6%	458 60.9%	368 54.9%	599 51.3%	641 59.6%	1313 53.7%		685 64.5%	706 61.5%	240 71.0%	466 57.5%	173 71.0%	262 59.3%				
Approve strongly	658 14.8%	309 14.6%	349 15.0%	57 7.4%	95 12.6%	93 13.8%	182 15.6%	231 21.5%	351 14.4%		190 17.9%	223 19.4%	99 29.3%	124 15.3%	35 14.3%	40 9.0%				
Approve somewhat	1858 41.9%	817 38.6%	1040 44.9%	393 51.2%	363 48.3%	275 41.0%	417 35.7%	410 38.1%	961 39.3%		494 46.6%	483 42.0%	141 41.7%	342 42.2%	138 56.7%	222 50.3%				
Disapprove (net)	1881 42.4%	977 46.2%	903 38.9%	300 39.1%	289 38.4%	295 44.0%	565 48.4%	431 40.0%	1118 45.7%		368 34.7%	431 37.5%	96 28.5%	335 41.3%	70 28.7%	171 38.8%				
Disapprove somewhat	763 17.2%	358 16.9%	406 17.5%	184 24.0%	126 16.7%	106 15.7%	195 16.7%	152 14.2%	363 14.9%		152 14.3%	235 20.4%	78 23.0%	157 19.3%	38 15.6%	94 21.3%				
Disapprove strongly	1117 25.2%	620 29.3%	497 21.4%	116 15.1%	163 21.6%	190 28.3%	370 31.7%	279 25.9%			216 20.4%	196 17.1%	19 5.5%	178 21.9%	32 13.0%	77 17.5%				
No answer	39 0.9%	12 0.6%	27 1.2%	18 2.3%	6 0.8%	7 1.1%	4 0.4%	4 0.4%	14 0.6%		9 0.8%	12 1.0%	2 0.5%	10 1.3%	1 0.3%	9 1.9%				

Table 5-3
June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll
Q5 - Do you approve or disapprove of the way Gavin Newsom is handling his job as Governor of California?

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Unweighted Base	4435	290	678	1285	1191	976	379	1330	1456	1264	417	546	563	1014	1234	549	2598	677	1133	179	460
Total registered voters	4435 100.0%	358 100.0%	842 100.0%			731 100.0%			892 100.0%		548 100.0%	701 100.0%	616 100.0%	965 100.0%	1046 100.0%	435 100.0%		820 100.0%	1049 100.0%	348 100.0%	
Approve (net)	2515 56.7%	20 5.6%	197 23.4%	802 55.5%	850 81.4%	642 87.9%		806 50.6%	531 59.5%		347 63.4%	420 59.9%	352 57.1%	504 52.2%	585 56.0%	259 59.5%	1361 53.5%	491 59.9%	656 62.6%	201 57.6%	
Approve strongly	658 14.8%	7 1.8%	28 3.3%	194 13.4%	196 18.8%	233 31.9%		196 12.3%	135 15.2%		75 13.7%	116 16.6%		139 14.4%		56 13.0%	369 14.5%	159 19.3%	128 12.2%	31 8.9%	
Approve somewhat	1858 41.9%	13 3.8%	170 20.1%	608 42.0%	654 62.7%	409 56.0%	424 38.3%	610 38.3%	396 44.3%	427 51.2%	272 49.6%	304 43.3%	247 40.0%	365 37.9%		203 46.6%	992 39.0%	333 40.6%	528 50.3%	169 48.7%	191 50.4%
Disapprove (net)	1881 42.4%	338 94.4%	642 76.2%	633 43.8%	179 17.2%	81 11.0%			351 39.3%	261 31.3%	195 35.6%	277 39.5%	259 42.0%	454 47.1%	456 43.6%	173 39.9%		326 39.7%	374 35.7%	140 40.2%	
Disapprove somewhat	763 17.2%	46 12.8%	191 22.6%	330 22.8%	134 12.9%	61 8.3%	217 19.6%	276 17.3%	145 16.3%		102 18.5%	148 21.1%	101 16.4%	174 18.0%	148 14.1%	62 14.2%	416 16.4%	126 15.4%	218 20.8%	72 20.7%	72 19.1%
Disapprove strongly	1117 25.2%	292 81.6%	451 53.6%	303 21.0%	45 4.3%	20 2.7%			205 23.0%	136 16.3%	93 17.0%	129 18.4%	158 25.6%	280 29.0%	308 29.5%	112 25.6%	751 29.5%	199 24.3%	156 14.9%	68 19.6%	
No answer	39 0.9%	-	3 0.4%	11 0.7%	14 1.4%	8 1.0%	7 0.6%	14 0.9%	11 1.2%	5 0.6%	6 1.1%	4 0.6%	6 0.9%	7 0.7%	4 0.4%	3 0.6%	15 0.6%	4 0.4%	18 1.7%	7 2.1%	5 1.4%

Table 5-4
June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q5 - Do you approve or disapprove of the way Gavin Newsom is handling his job as Governor of California?

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		Demo-	Repub-	these	Demo-	Repub-	inde-					Born	another	Home-	Renter/	5 years		20
	Total	crat	lican	terms	cratic	lican	pendent	Yes	No	Yes	No	in US	country	owner	other	or less	years	years
Unweighted Base	4435	2219	708	1494	644	357	490	741	3656	1011	3400	3736	690	2143	2292	2100	1401	480
Total registered	4435	1973	917	1532	578	392	560	825	3573	969	3446	3589	840	1992	2443	1940	1428	505
voters	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Approve (net)	2515	1676	104	733	450	60	221	309	2192	537	1975	1971	541	1033	1482	1142	811	245
*========	56.7%	85.0%	11.3%	47.8%	77.9%	15.4%	39.4%	37.5%	61.3%	55.4%	57.3%	54.9%	64.5%	51.9%	60.6%	58.9%	56.8%	48.5%
Approve strongly	658	540	8	109	87	3	19	82	573	132	525	457	201	264	394	245	216	61
	14.8%	27.4%	0.9%	7.1%	15.1%	0.7%	3.4%	9.9%	16.0%	13.6%	15.2%	12.7%	23.9%	13.2%	16.1%	12.6%	15.1%	12.0%
Approve somewhat	1858	1136	95	624	363	58	202	227	1619	404	1449	1514	340	770	1088	897	595	185
	41.9%	57.6%	10.4%	40.7%	62.8%	14.7%	36.0%	27.6%	45.3%	41.8%	42.1%	42.2%	40.6%	38.7%	44.5%	46.2%	41.7%	36.5%
Disapprove (net)	1881	285	811	777	111	328	337	511	1349	428	1441	1586	292	949	931	781	608	259
	42.4%	14.4%	88.4%	50.7%	19.3%	83.8%	60.1%	62.0%	37.8%	44.2%	41.8%	44.2%	34.7%	47.7%	38.1%	40.2%	42.6%	51.2%
Disapprove	763	223	163	376	89	104	183	162	599	188	573	609	153	379	384	306	251	104
somewhat	17.2%	11.3%	17.8%	24.5%	15.4%	26.4%	32.6%	19.6%	16.8%	19.4%	16.6%	17.0%	18.2%	19.0%	15.7%	15.8%	17.6%	20.6%
Disapprove	1117	62	647	401	22	225	154	349	750	241	867	977	139	570	547	475	357	154
strongly	25.2%	3.1%	70.6%	26.2%	3.8%	57.4%	27.5%	42.4%	21.0%	24.8%	25.2%	27.2%	16.5%	28.6%	22.4%	24.5%	25.0%	30.6%
No answer	39	12	3	22	16	3	3	5	32	4	30	33	7	9	31	17	9	1
	0.9%	0.6%	0.3%	1.5%	2.8%	0.8%	0.5%	0.6%	0.9%	0.4%	0.9%	0.9%	0.8%	0.4%	1.3%	0.9%	0.7%	0.3%

Table 58-1 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q17 - How do you personally feel about capital punishment? Would you be in favor of doing away with the death penalty, or do you feel that the death penalty should be kept as a punishment for serious crimes?

						<b>D</b>				Party	registr	ation	Likel	y voter i	n 2020 pr	imary
		Ar	ea =====±±==	Los		Reg	10n =======			Demo-	Repub-	No party	Not a likely	Likely	Likely	Likely voter in
	Total	Coastal	Inland counties	Angeles	South Coast	Other South	Central Valley	SF Bay Area	Other North	cratic Party	lican Party	ference/ other	_	voter in		Dem primary
Unweighted Base	4435	3234	1201	985	881	672	642	1044	211	2199	869	1367	1661	2774	643	2131
Total registered voters	4435 100.0%		1275 100.0%	1197 100.0%	745 100.0%	652 100.0%		900 100.0%	177 100.0%	1929 100.0%	1078 100.0%				722 100.0%	1574 100.0%
Do away with death penalty	1705 38.5%		413 32.4%	496 41.5%	252 33.8%	183 28.1%		434 48.2%	62 35.0%	1029 53.3%	147 13.7%			960 41.8%	90 12.4%	870 55.3%
Keep death penalty for certain crimes	2714 61.2%		857 67.2%	697 58.2%	492 66.1%	464 71.2%		462 51.3%	115 64.7%	890 46.1%	927 86.0%	898 62.8%		1321 57.5%	629 87.1%	692 44.0%
No answer	15 0.3%		5 0.4%		1 0.1%	5 0.7%		5 0.5%	1 0.3%	11 0.5%	3 0.3%			14 0.6%	3 0.5%	11 0.7%

Table 58-2 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q17 - How do you personally feel about capital punishment? Would you be in favor of doing away with the death penalty, or do you feel that the death penalty should be kept as a punishment for serious crimes?

												Race/Eth	nicity			
		Gend	ler			Age			White	White non- Hispanic- Not a college	White non- Hispanic - College		Latino Spanish	Latino English		Asian/
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Hispanic	grad	graduate	Latino		dominant	Black	Pac Isle
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Total registered voters	4435 100.0%	2115 100.0%	2320 100.0%	767 100.0%	752 100.0%	670 100.0%	1168 100.0%	1077 100.0%				1149 100.0%			243 100.0%	
Do away with death penalty	1705 38.5%	765 36.2%	940 40.5%	315 41.1%	308 40.9%	242 36.1%	397 34.0%	443 41.2%				387 33.7%			123 50.6%	
Keep death penalty for certain crimes	2714 61.2%	1345 63.6%	1369 59.0%	451 58.7%	445 59.1%	425 63.5%	765 65.5%	628 58.3%				756 65.8%			120 49.4%	
No answer	15 0.3%	5 0.3%	10 0.4%	1 0.2%	-	3 0.4%	6 0.5%	5 0.5%	7 0.3%	3 0.2%	-	6 0.6%			- *	1 0.2%

Table 58-3 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q17 - How do you personally feel about capital punishment? Would you be in favor of doing away with the death penalty, or do you feel that the death penalty should be kept as a punishment for serious crimes?

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		conser	conser	Mode-	lib-	lib-	or	trade	gra-	edu-	than	-	_	-	_	\$200,000	toge-	vorced/	mar-	lege	lege
	Total	vative	vative	rate	eral	eral	less	school	duate	cation	\$20,000	\$39,999	\$59,999	\$99,999	\$199,999	or more	ther	widowed	ried	grad	grad
Unweighted Base	4435	290	678	1285	1191	976	379	1330	1456	1264	417	546	563	1014	1234	549	2598	677	1133	179	460
Total registered	4435	358	842	1446	1043	731	1108	1594	892	834	548	701	616	965	1046	435	2544	820	1049	348	380
voters	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Do away with death	1705	44	123	436	551	547	335	488	431	450	237	226	232	339	424	201	925	332	445	113	170
penalty	38.5%				52.8%						43.3%		37.6%		40.5%						
Vara dankh manaltur	0714	21.4	71.6	1007	401	100	7.00	1100	450	200	210	472	200	601	601	222	1610	407	600	022	200
Keep death penalty	2714	314		1007	491					382	310	473	382	621	621	233	1610		602	233	
for certain crimes	61.2%	87.8%	85.0%	69.6%	47.0%	24.9%	69.3%	69.2%	51.5%	45.7%	56.5%	67.4%	61.9%	64.4%	59.4%	53.7%	63.3%	59.4%	57.4%	66.9%	55.1%
No answer	15	-	4	3	2	2	5	3	3	3	1	2	3	5	_	_	9	1	2	2	_
	0.3%		0.5%	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	0.5%	*	0.1%	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.7%	

Table 58-4 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q17 - How do you personally feel about capital punishment? Would you be in favor of doing away with the death penalty, or do you feel that the death penalty should be kept as a punishment for serious crimes?

Party	identification
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				pendent	in	in	in					Nati	vity			curr	ent addr	ess
				/don't	these	these	these											
				think	terms-	terms-	terms-	Evange	lical	Uni	on		Born	Ten	ure			More
				in	Leans	Leans	Pure	Chris	tian	affili	ation		in					than
		Demo-	Repub-	these	Demo-	Repub-	inde-		======			Born	another	Home-	Renter/	5 years	6-19	20
	Total	crat	lican	terms	cratic	lican	pendent	Yes	No	Yes	No	in US	country	owner	other	or less	years	years
Unweighted Base	4435	2219	708	1494	644	357	490	741	3656	1011	3400	3736	690	2143	2292	2100	1401	480
Total registered	4435	1973				392	560	825	3573	969	3446	3589		1992			1428	505
voters	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
														=		0.0	506	104
Do away with death	1705	1035				61	191	205	1494	381	1319	1376	328	749			506	184
penalty	38.5%	52.5%	11.5%	36.8%	53.5%	15.5%	34.0%	24.8%	41.8%	39.4%	38.3%	38.3%	39.0%	37.6%	39.1%	41.9%	35.4%	36.5%
		000	000	0.55	0.55	221	260	610	0060	504	0110	0001	509	1238	1476	1120	920	321
Keep death penalty	2714	932				331	369	618	2069	584	2118	2201						
for certain crimes	61.2%	47.3%	88.1%	63.0%	46.1%	84.5%	65.8%	74.9%	57.9%	60.3%	61.5%	61.3%	60.7%	62.2%	60.4%	57.8%	64.4%	63.5%
No answer	15	5	3	3	2	_	1	2	9	3	9	12	2	4	11	6	3	_
NO GIISWEL	0.3%					-	_	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%		0.2%			0.2%	
	0.38	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	0.3%		0.2%	♥.2%	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.28	0.34	0.30	0.20	

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Q18 - Earlier this year, Governor Gavin Newsom imposed a moratorium on all executions in the state while he is in office, which would spare the lives of the over 700 inmates currently on death row. Do you support or oppose the Governor in taking this action?

						_				Party	registr			•	n 2020 pri	imary
		Arc				Reg	10n =======					No party			_	Likely
	Total	Coastal	Inland counties	Angeles	South Coast	Other South	Central Valley	SF Bay Area	Other North	Demo- cratic Party	Repub- lican Party	pre- ference/ other	likely voter in primary	voter in	GOP primary	Dem primary
Unweighted Base	4435	3234	1201	985	881	672	642	1044	211	2199	869	1367	1661	2774	643	2131
Total registered voters	4435	3160	1275	1197	745	652	763	900	177	1929	1078	1428	2139	2296	722	1574
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Support (net)	2307	1787	521	736	339	248	343	559	82	1390	166	752	1077	1230	91	1139
	52.0%	56.5%	40.8%	61.4%	45.5%	38.1%	44.9%	62.1%	46.2%	72.0%	15.4%	52.7%	50.4%	53.6%	12.6%	72.4%
Support strongly	1187	919	268	351	178	130	172	318	38	800	53	333	438	749	35	714
	26.8%	29.1%	21.0%	29.3%	23.9%	20.0%	22.5%	35.3%	21.5%	41.5%	4.9%	23.3%	20.5%	32.6%	4.8%	45.4%
Support somewhat	1121	868	253	385	161	118	171	242	44	589	113	419	640	481	56	425
	25.3%	27.5%	19.9%	32.1%	21.7%	18.1%	22.4%	26.8%	24.7%	30.5%	10.4%	29.4%	29.9%	21.0%	7.8%	27.0%
Oppose (net)	2114	1362	751	459	404	402	419	334	95	530	910	674	1059	1055	631	424
	47.7%	43.1%	58.9%	38.4%	54.3%	61.6%	54.9%	37.1%	53.7%	27.5%	84.5%	47.2%	49.5%	45.9%	87.3%	26.9%
Oppose somewhat	861	617	244	217	174	138	129	153	50	337	191	334	489	372	113	259
	19.4%	19.5%	19.1%	18.1%	23.3%	21.2%	16.9%	17.0%	28.1%	17.4%	17.7%	23.4%	22.9%	16.2%	15.7%	16.4%
Oppose strongly	1253	745	507	242	230	264	290	181	45	193	719	340	570	683	517	166
	28.2%	23.6%	39.8%	20.2%	30.9%	40.4%	38.0%	20.1%	25.6%	10.0%	66.7%	23.8%	26.6%	29.7%	71.6%	10.5%
No answer	14 0.3%	11 0.3%	3 0.2%	3 0.2%	2 0.2%	2 0.3%	1 0.2%	7 0.7%	0.1%	10 0.5%	2 0.2%	2 0.2%	3 0.1%	11 0.5%	1 0.1%	11 0.7%

Table 59-2 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q18 - Earlier this year, Governor Gavin Newsom imposed a moratorium on all executions in the state while he is in office, which would spare the lives of the over 700 inmates currently on death row. Do you support or oppose the Governor in taking this action?

												Race/Eth	-			
		Genc				Age			White	White non- Hispanic- Not a college	White non-		Latino Spanish	Latino		Asian/
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	Hispanic	grad	graduate	Latino	•	dominant	Black	Pac Isle
Unweighted Base	4435	2107	2328	888	816	668	1133	930	2637	889	1746	1063	214	849	179	433
Total registered voters	4435 100.0%	2115 100.0%	2320 100.0%	767 100.0%	752 100.0%	670 100.0%	1168 100.0%	1077 100.0%	2445 100.0%		1062 100.0%	1149 100.0%			243 100.0%	
Support (net)	2307 52.0%	1038 49.1%	1270 54.7%	479 62.4%	399 53.0%	335 50.0%	498 42.6%	597 55.5%	1189 48.6%			640 55.7%		418 51.6%	169 69.6%	
Support strongly	1187 26.8%	531 25.1%	656 28.3%	196 25.5%	189 25.1%	173 25.8%	279 23.9%	349 32.4%	731 29.9%			264 22.9%		162 20.0%	95 38.9%	
Support somewhat	1121 25.3%	507 24.0%	614 26.5%	283 36.8%	210 27.9%	162 24.2%	218 18.7%	248 23.0%	458 18.7%			376 32.7%			75 30.7%	
Oppose (net)	2114 47.7%	1072 50.7%	1042 44.9%	288 37.5%	352 46.8%	332 49.6%	664 56.9%	477 44.3%	1252 51.2%			504 43.8%		388 47.9%	74 30.4%	
Oppose somewhat	861 19.4%	380 18.0%	481 20.7%	152 19.9%	178 23.6%	147 22.0%	236 20.2%	148 13.7%	433 17.7%			259 22.5%			36 14.6%	
Oppose strongly	1253 28.2%	692 32.7%	561 24.2%	135 17.6%	175 23.2%	185 27.6%	428 36.7%	329 30.6%	819 33.5%			245 21.3%			38 15.7%	
No answer	14 0.3%	6 0.3%	8 0.3%	1 0.2%	2 0.2%	3 0.4%	6 0.5%	2 0.2%	5 0.2%		4 0.4%	6 0.5%	_		-	_

Table 59-3 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q18 - Earlier this year, Governor Gavin Newsom imposed a moratorium on all executions in the state while he is in office, which would spare the lives of the over 700 inmates currently on death row. Do you support or oppose the Governor in taking this action?

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			Some-		Some-		High	col-	Col-	gra-								rated/	Single		Ethnic
		Very	what conser	Mode-	what lib-	Very lib-	school	lege/ trade	lege gra-	duate edu-	Less than	\$20,000	\$40,000	\$60,000	\$100,000	\$200,000	living	di- vorced/	/never		col- lege
	Total		vative		eral	eral						\$39,999	\$59,999	\$99,999	\$199,999			widowed		grad	grad
Unweighted Base	4435	290	678	1285	1191	976	379	1330	1456	1264	417	546	563	1014	1234	549	2598	677	1133	179	460
Total registered	4435	358	842	1446	1043	731	1108	1594	892	834	548	701	616	965	1046	435	2544	820	1049	348	380
voters	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Support (net)	2307	54	205	666	728	646	538	713	518	534	361	361	329	445	509	231	1228	428	648	191	222
52225252252	52.0%	15.0%	24.4%	46.0%	69.8%	88.4%	48.5%	44.8%	58.1%	64.0%	66.0%	51.5%	53.4%	46.2%	48.7%	53.1%	48.3%	52.1%	61.8%	54.8%	58.6%
Support strongly	1187	26	66	250	381	461	212	338	308	327	175	145	168	237	290	144	633	260	292	56	110
	26.8%	7.3%	7.8%	17.3%	36.5%	63.1%	19.2%	21.2%	34.6%	39.1%	32.0%	20.7%	27.2%	24.6%	27.8%	33.1%	24.9%	31.7%	27.8%	16.0%	29.1%
Support somewhat	1121	28	139	416	348	185	325	376	210	207	186	216	162	208	219	87	594	168	356	135	112
	25.3%	7.7%	16.5%	28.7%	33.3%	25.3%	29.4%	23.6%	23.5%	24.9%	33.9%	30.8%	26.3%	21.6%	20.9%	19.9%	23.4%	20.4%	34.0%	38.8%	29.5%
Oppose (net)	2114	304	637	779	309	82	566	877	372	297	185	338	282	517	536	204	1308	393	398	155	157
=======================================	47.7%	84.9%	75.6%	53.9%	29.6%	11.2%	51.1%	55.0%	41.7%	35.5%	33.8%	48.3%	45.7%	53.6%	51.3%	46.9%	51.4%	47.9%	37.9%	44.5%	41.3%
Oppose somewhat	861	62	165	366	206	62	223	327	169	141	77	170	128	178	201	94	478	161	220	74	82
	19.4%	17.3%	19.6%	25.3%	19.8%	8.4%	20.2%	20.5%	19.0%	17.0%	14.0%	24.2%	20.8%	18.4%	19.3%	21.7%	18.8%	19.6%	21.0%	21.3%	21.6%
Oppose strongly	1253	242	472	412	103	20	343	550	203	155	108	169	154	339	334	110	829	232	178	81	75
	28.2%	67.6%	56.0%	28.5%	9.9%	2.8%	30.9%	34.5%	22.7%	18.6%	19.7%	24.0%	24.9%	35.1%	32.0%	25.2%	32.6%	28.3%	17.0%	23.1%	19.7%
No answer	14	_	_	2	6	3	4	4	2	4	1	2	5	3	-	-	8	_	3	2	1
	0.3%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.6%	0.4%	0.4%	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.2%	0.3%	0.8%	0.3%	*		0.3%		0.3%	0.7%	0.2%

Table 59-4 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q18 - Earlier this year, Governor Gavin Newsom imposed a moratorium on all executions in the state while he is in office, which would spare the lives of the over 700 inmates currently on death row. Do you support or oppose the Governor in taking this action?

			Pa	-	tificati													
				Inde- pendent /don't	Inde- pendent	think in these terms- Leans Repub-	/don't think in these terms- Pure inde- pendent			curr	Years living at current address							
			Repub-	think in	terms- Leans Demo- cratic			Evangelical Christian		Union affiliation			Born in another	Tenure  E===================================				More than
		Demo-		these								Born				5 years	6-19	20
	Total	crat	lican	terms				Yes	No	Yes	No	in US	country	owner	other	or less	years	years
Unweighted Base	4435	2219	708	1494	644	357	490	741	3656	1011	3400	3736	690	2143	2292	2100	1401	480
Total registered voters	4435 100.0%	1973 100.0%	917 100.0%	1532 100.0%	578 100.0%	392 100.0%	560 100.0%	825 100.0%	3573 100.0%	969 100.0%	3446 100.0%	3589 100.0%	840 100.0%	1992 100.0%	2443 100.0%	1940 100.0%	1428 100.0%	505 100.0%
Support (net)	2307	1439	145	719	377	79	262	285	2014	491	1808	1813	493	954	1354	1036	722	238
=======================================	52.0%	72.9%	15.8%	47.0%	65.2%	20.1%	46.7%	34.6%	56.4%	50.7%	52.5%	50.5%	58.8%	47.9%	55.4%	53.4%	50.5%	47.1%
Support strongly	1187	806	41	338	207	32	96	133	1051	272	913	968	217	501	686	560	347	121
	26.8%	40.9%	4.5%	22.0%	35.8%	8.3%	17.1%	16.1%	29.4%	28.1%	26.5%	27.0%	25.8%	25.2%	28.1%	28.9%	24.3%	24.0%
Support somewhat	1121	633	104	382	170	46	166	153	963	220	895	844	277	453	668	476	374	117
	25.3%	32.1%	11.3%	24.9%	29.4%	11.8%	29.6%	18.5%	27.0%	22.7%	26.0%	23.5%	32.9%	22.7%	27.3%	24.6%	26.2%	23.1%
Oppose (net)	2114	528	772	806	196	313	297	538	1548	474	1629	1767	344	1031	1083	899	703	266
	47.7%	26.8%	84.1%	52.6%	33.9%	79.9%	53.0%	65.2%	43.3%	48.9%	47.3%	49.2%	41.0%	51.8%	44.3%	46.3%	49.2%	52.6%
Oppose somewhat	861	365	155	341	132	86	123	176	677	198	662	679	182	369	492	404	277	79
	19.4%	18.5%	16.9%	22.3%	22.8%	21.9%	22.0%	21.3%	19.0%	20.4%	19.2%	18.9%	21.6%	18.5%	20.2%	20.9%	19.4%	15.6%
Oppose strongly	1253	163	617	465	64	227	174	362	871	276	966	1088	163	662	590	494	426	187
	28.2%	8.3%	67.2%	30.3%	11.1%	58.0%	31.0%	43.9%	24.4%	28.5%	28.0%	30.3%	19.4%	33.3%	24.2%	25.5%	29.9%	37.0%
No answer	14	5	-	7	5	-	2	2	11	4	9	10	2	7	7	5	3	1
	0.3%	0.3%	*	0.4%	0.8%		0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%

Table 60-1 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q19 - The legislature is considering placing a constitutional amendment on the 2020 statewide election ballot to abolish the death penalty in California and replace it with life in prison without the possibility of parole. If you were voting on a constitutional amendment like this and the election were being held today, how would you vote?

						P				Party	registr	ation	Likely voter in 2020 primary					
	Total	Coastal		_	South Coast	Reg	Central Valley	SF Bay Area	Other North	Demo- cratic Party	Repub- lican Party	No party pre- ference/ other	likely voter in			Likely voter in Dem primary		
Unweighted Base	4435	3234	1201	985	881	672	642	1044	211	2199	869	1367	1661	2774	643	2131		
Total registered voters	4435 100.0%		1275 100.0%		745 100.0%	652 100.0%		900 100.0%	177 100.0%	1929 100.0%	1078 100.0%		2139 100.0%	2296 100.0%	-	_		
YES to abolish the death penalty in California	2051 46.3%		498 39.1%		300 40.2%	241 37.0%	319 41.8%	518 57.5%	81 45.9%	1238 64.2%	171 15.9%	642 45.0%	929 43.4%	1123 48.9%				
NO to keep the death penalty	2337 52.7%				437 58.7%	403 61.9%	441 57.7%	367 40.8%	95 53.4%	666 34.5%	901 83.6%	770 53.9%	1194 55.8%	1143 49.8%				
No answer	47 1.1%		9 0.7%		8 1.1%	7 1.1%	3 0.4%	16 1.7%	1 0.7%	25 1.3%	5 0.5%		17 0.8%	30 1.3%				

Table 60-2 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q19 - The legislature is considering placing a constitutional amendment on the 2020 statewide election ballot to abolish the death penalty in California and replace it with life in prison without the possibility of parole. If you were voting on a constitutional amendment like this and the election were being held today, how would you vote?

								Race/Ethnicity											
		Geno	der			Age			White	White non- Hispanic- Not a college	White non-Hispanic -College		Latino Spanish	Latino English					
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-64	65+	non- Hispanic	grad	graduate	Latino	-	dominant	Black	Asian/ Pac Isle			
Unweighted Base	4435	2107	2328	888	816	668	1133	930	2637	889	1746	1063	214	849	179	433			
Total registered voters	4435 100.0%	2115 100.0%	2320 100.0%	767 100.0%	752 100.0%	670 100.0%	1168 100.0%	1077 100.0%	2445 100.0%			1149 100.0%	339 100.0%	811 100.0%	243 100.0%				
YES to abolish the death penalty in California	2051 46.3%	920 43.5%	1131 48.8%	386 50.3%	353 47.0%	309 46.1%	475 40.7%	528 49.0%	1113 45.5%			550 47.9%	215 63.5%	335 41.4%	148 60.8%				
NO to keep the death penalty	2337 52.7%	1177 55.6%	1160 50.0%	376 48.9%	395 52.5%	356 53.1%	679 58.2%	532 49.4%	1309 53.5%			585 50.9%	119 35.1%	466 57.5%	95 39.1%				
No answer	47 1.1%	18 0.9%	29 1.2%	6 0.8%	4 0.6%	5 0.8%	13 1.2%	18 1.6%	23 1.0%	12 0.9%		14 1.3%	5 1.4%	10 1.2%	- *	8 1.7%			

Table 60-3 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q19 - The legislature is considering placing a constitutional amendment on the 2020 statewide election ballot to abolish the death penalty in California and replace it with life in prison without the possibility of parole. If you were voting on a constitutional amendment like this and the election were being held today, how would you vote?

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		======	======================================						Col-	Post			Inc	ome	Mar- ried/	Sepa- rated/	Single	Ethnic non-	Ethnic		
:	Total		what conser vative		what lib- eral	Very lib- eral	High school or less	trade	lege gra-	duate edu-	Less than \$20,000	-	-	-	\$100,000 - \$199,999 	\$200,000	living toge-		/never		col- lege grad
Unweighted Base	4435	290	678	1285	1191	976	379	1330	1456	1264	417	546	563	1014	1234	549	2598	677	1133	179	460
Total registered voters 10	4435 00.0%	358 100.0%	842 100.0%	1446 100.0%		731 100.0%				834 100.0%	548 100.0%	701 100.0%		965 100.0%	1046 100.0%		2544 100.0%				380 100.0%
YES to abolish the death penalty in California	2051 46.3%	61 17.1%	180 21.4%	593 41.0%	617 59.1%	595 81.4%			484 54.2%		294 53.6%	313 44.6%		392 40.7%		233 53.5%					
-	2337 52.7%	296 82.6%	656 77.9%	843 58.3%	417 40.0%	122 16.7%	626 56.5%		401 44.9%	317 38.0%	253 46.1%	381 54.4%	320 51.9%	561 58.1%	558 53.4%	201 46.1%					
No answer	47 1.1%	1 0.3%	7 0.8%	11 0.7%	10 0.9%	14 1.9%			8 0.9%	_	2 0.3%	7 1.0%	9 1.5%	12 1.2%		2 0.4%	26 1.0%		9 0.9%	8 2.4%	1 0.2%

Table 60-4 June 2019 UC Berkeley IGS Poll

Q19 - The legislature is considering placing a constitutional amendment on the 2020 statewide election ballot to abolish the death penalty in California and replace it with life in prison without the possibility of parole. If you were voting on a constitutional amendment like this and the election were being held today, how would you vote?

			Pa	rty iden	tification	on													
	Inde- Inde- Inde- pendent pendent /don't /don't Inde- think think pendent in in Nativity															Years living at current address			
		Demo-	Repub-	/don't think in these	these terms- Leans Demo-	these terms- Leans Repub-	these terms- Pure inde-	Evangelical Christian		Union affiliation		Born in Born another		Tenure		5 vears	6-19	More than 20	
	Total	crat	lican	terms	cratic	lican	pendent	Yes	No	Yes	No	in US	country	owner		or less		years	
Unweighted Base	4435	2219	708	1494	644	357	490	741	3656	1011	3400	3736	690	2143	2292	2100	1401	480	
Total registered voters	4435 100.0%	1973 100.0%				392 100.0%	560 100.0%	825 100.0%	3573 100.0%	969 100.0%	3446 100.0%	3589 100.0%	840 100.0%	1992 100.0%		1940 100.0%	1428 100.0%	505 100.0%	
YES to abolish the death penalty in California	2051 46.3%	1248 63.3%	129 14.1%		350 60.5%	84 21.4%	237 42.2%	273 33.1%	1772 49.6%	438 45.3%	1607 46.6%	1616 45.0%	434 51.7%	879 44.1%	1173 48.0%	930 48.0%	625 43.7%	220 43.4%	
NO to keep the death penalty	2337 52.7%	704 35.7%	783 85.3%		219 37.9%	306 78.0%	318 56.7%	548 66.5%	1762 49.3%	523 54.0%	1802 52.3%	1938 54.0%	396 47.1%	1090 54.7%	1246 51.0%	990 51.1%	794 55.6%	284 56.2%	
No answer	47 1.1%	21 1.0%	5 0.6%		9 1.5%	2 0.6%	6 1.1%	4 0.4%	39 1.1%	7 0.7%	36 1.0%	35 1.0%	10 1.2%	22 1.1%	24 1.0%	19 1.0%	9 0.6%	2 0.3%	