

Checklist for AAPOR TI

Survey: Georgia Pre-election 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.	Likely Voters in Georgia
4. Dates of data collection.	December 14-16, 2020
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.	Data was collected using a list of 20,000 landlines provided by Aristotle Inc. with an online panel provided by Amazon Mturk of n=284.
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=605, with a Credibility Interval (CI) similar to a poll’s margin of error (MOE) of +/- 3.9% percentage points.</p> <p>A screening question was asked if the voter was registered and the voting intention. If the respondent said they were not registered or were not voting, 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, education, race and region based on 2020 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>

1. What is your party affiliation?

Not registered to vote (end)

Democrat

Republican

Independent or other

2. When it comes to voting in the January, 5th runoff elections, which of the following best describes your intention?

I do not plan to vote in the election (end)

I already voted

Voting early either by mail or in person

Voting on election day

Not sure how I will vote

3. In the runoff election for US Senate between Republican David Perdue and Democrat Jon Ossoff, who did you vote for or who do you plan to vote for?

Republican David Perdue (go to 5)

Democrat Jon Ossoff (go to 5)

Undecided

4. Which candidate are you leaning towards at this time?

Democrat Jon Ossoff

Republican David Perdue

5. In the runoff election for US Senate between Democrat Raphael Warnock and Republican Kelly Loeffler, who did you vote for or who do you plan to vote for?

Democrat Raphael Warnock (go to 7)

Republican Kelly Loeffler (go to 7)

Undecided

6. Which candidate are you leaning towards at this time?

Republican Kelly Loeffler

Democrat Raphael Warnock

7. Who did you vote for in the 2020 Presidential election?

Joe Biden

Donald Trump

Someone else

Did not vote

8. What is your gender?

Male

Female

9. 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-American or Pacific Islander

Other or multiple races

10. What is your age range?

18-29 years

30-44 years

45-64 years

65 or more years

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

High school or less

Some college

College graduate

Postgrad or higher

12. Please select the type of area where you live

Urban/city

Suburban

Rural

13. What is your most important issue?

Climate change

Social justice

The economy

Supreme Court

COVID-19 response

Healthcare

Something else

14. What congressional district do you live in?

1st district: Rep. Buddy Carter (R)

2nd district: Rep. Sanford Bishop Jr. (D)

3rd district: Rep. Drew Ferguson IV (R)

4th district: Rep. Henry "Hank" Johnson Jr. (D)

5th district: Vacant

6th district: Rep. Lucy McBath (D)

7th district: Rep. Rob Woodall (R)

8th district: Rep. Austin Scott (R)

9th district: Rep. Doug Collins (R)

10th district: Rep. Jody Hice (R)

11th district: Rep. Barry Loudermilk (R)

12th district: Rep. Rick Allen (R)

13th district: Rep. David Scott (D)

14th district: Vacant

