Transparency Initiative

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 Iowa who said they were very likely to vote.**
4. Dates of data collection.	**December 7-10, 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 many 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 811,316 registered voters with 239,847 landlines, and a random sample of 17,000 drawn. Voters with only cellphones were not included. The online sample was of 359 registered voters supplied by MTurk and Dynata**
6. The name of the sample supplier, if the sampling frame and/or the sample itself was provided by a third party.	**Aristotle, LLC** **Dynata** **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 and Dynata use 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**

10. Sample sizes (by sampling frame if more than on 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.	**The sample consisted of registered voters, n=1043, with a Credibility Interval (CI) similar to a poll's margin of error (MOE) of +/- 3.0 percentage points.** **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**.
11. A description of how the weights were calculated, including the variables used and the sources of weighting parameters, if weighted estimates are reported.	**The data was weighted based on 2016 voter model of congressional district, gender, age, education, party affiliation.. 2018 vote magnitude was used but new voters were included based on their actual sample (5.9%) and was based on Aristotle Voter turnout modeling**
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.	N/A
13. Contact for obtaining more information about the study.	**emersonpolling@emerson.edu**

Survey Instrument (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 Kim Reynolds is doing as governor?
Approve
Disapprove
Neutral or no opinion

5.Are you going to vote in the Democratic Caucus?
Yes (go to 6)
No (go to 17)
Unsure (go to 17)

6. Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support? (randomized)
Cory Booker
Joe Biden (go to 8)
Bernie Sanders (go to 9)
Elizabeth Warren (go to 10)
Pete Buttigieg (go to 11)
Michael Bloomberg
Andrew Yang (go to 13)
Amy Klobuchar (go to 12)
Deval Patrick
Julian Castro

Tulsi Gabbard
Tom Steyer
Michael Bennet
John Delaney
Marianne Williamson
Someone Else (go to 14)

7. Which of the following candidates would be your second choice?
Joe Biden (go to 14)
Bernie Sanders (go to 14)
Elizabeth Warren (go to 14)
Pete Buttigieg (go to 14)
Amy Klobuchar (go to 14)
Andrew Yang (go to 14)
None of these candidates/Not sure (go to 14)

8. Which of the following candidates would be your second choice?
Bernie Sanders (go to 14)
Elizabeth Warren (go to 14)
Pete Buttigieg (go to 14)
Amy Klobuchar (go to 14)
Andrew Yang (go to 14)
None of these candidates/Not sure (go to 14)

9. Which of the following candidates would be your second choice?
Joe Biden (go to 14)
Elizabeth Warren (go to 14)
Pete Buttigieg (go to 14)
Amy Klobuchar (go to 14)
Andrew Yang (go to 14)
None of these candidates/Not sure (go to 14)

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Elizabeth Warren (go to 14)
Pete Buttigieg (go to 14)
Andrew Yang (go to 14)
None of these candidates/Not sure (go to 14)

13. Which of the following candidates would be your second choice?
Joe Biden
Bernie Sanders
Elizabeth Warren
Pete Buttigieg
Amy Klobuchar
None of these candidates/Not sure

14. Which candidate has the best healthcare policy?
Bernie Sanders
Joe Biden
Elizabeth Warren
Pete Buttigieg
Amy Klobuchar
Andrew Yang

Someone else

15. Which candidate has the best higher education plan?
Bernie Sanders
Joe Biden
Elizabeth Warren
Pete Buttigieg
Amy Klobuchar
Andrew Yang
Someone else

16. Who did you vote for in the Democratic Caucus in 2016?
Hillary Clinton
Bernie Sanders
Someone Else
Did not vote in this primary

17. Now, here is 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 Joe Biden?
Donald Trump
Joe Biden
Unsure

18. What about Donald Trump or Bernie Sanders?
Donald Trump
Bernie Sanders
Unsure

19. What about Donald Trump or Elizabeth Warren?
Donald Trump
Elizabeth Warren
Unsure

20. What about Donald Trump or Pete Buttigieg?
Donald Trump
Pete Buttigieg
Unsure

21. Who did you vote for in the 2016 election?
Donald Trump
Hillary Clinton
Someone else
Did not vote

22. 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

23. What is your age range?
18-29 years
30-49 years
50-64 years
65 or more years

24. What is the highest level of education you have attained?
High school or less
Some college
College graduate
Postgrad or higher

25. Which of the following political ideologies do you most identify as?
Very Liberal
Somewhat Liberal
Moderate
Somewhat Conservative
Very Conservative

26. 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
Social issues
Health care
Immigration
Gun control

Impeachment
Foreign policy and terrorism
The environment
Education

27. Do you support or oppose impeaching President Trump?
Support
Oppose
Unsure

28. Do you have a union member in your household?
Yes
No

29. Which of the following health care policies are you most supportive of?
Medicare for All
Public Option
Keep as is
Something Else
Unsure

30. Which of the following is your main source of health insurance or coverage?
Plan through you or your spouse's employer?
Plan you purchased yourself
Medicare or medicaid
Somewhere else
Plan through your parents
Don't know

31. What district do you live in?
https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/c/c1/Iowa_Congressional_Districts%2C_113th_Congress.tif/lossless-page1-800px-Iowa_Congressional_Districts%2C_113th_Congress.tif.png
1st District: Rep. Abby Finkenaeur
2nd District: Rep. Dave Loebsack
3rd District: Rep. Cindy Axne
4th District: Rep. Steve King

Survey Instrument (IVR)

1. To start, can you please tell me your gender?
Press 1 for Male
Press 2 for Female

2. What is your party affiliation?
Press 1 for Democrat
Press 2 for Republican
Press 3 for Independent/other
Press 4 if you are 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 Kim Reynolds is doing as Governor?
Press 1 for approve
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5.Are you going to vote in the Democratic Caucus?
Press 1 for Yes (go to 6)
Press 2 for No (go to 18)
Press 3 for Unsure (go to 18)

6. (IVR). Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support?
Press 1 for Cory Booker (go to 8)
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Press 3 for Bernie Sanders (go to 10)
Press 4 for Elizabeth Warren (go to 11)
Press 5 for Pete Buttigieg (go to 12)
Press 6 for Michael Bloomberg (go to 8)
Press 7 for Andrew Yang (go to 14)
Press 8 to hear more candidate names (go to 7)
Press 9 to repeat answer choices

7. Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support? (IVR only)
Press 1 for Amy Klobuchar (go to 13)
Press 2 for Deval Patrick (go to 8)
Press 3 for Julian Castro (go to 8)
Press 4 for Tulsi Gabbard (go to 8)
Press 5 for Tom Steyer (go to 8)
Press 6 for Michael Bennet (go to 8)
Press 7 for John Delaney (go to 8)
Press 8 for Marianne Williamson
Press 9 for someone else
Press 0 to repeat answer choices

8. Which of the following candidates would be your second choice?
Press 1 for Joe Biden (go to 15)
Press 2 for Bernie Sanders (go to 15)
Press 3 for Elizabeth Warren (go to 15)
Press 4 for Pete Buttigieg (go to 15)
Press 5 for Amy Klobuchar (go to 15)
Press 6 for Andrew Yang (go to 15)
Press 7 for None of these candidates/Not sure (go to 15)

9. Which of the following candidates would be your second choice?
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Press 1 for Donald Trump
Press 2 for Pete Buttigieg
Press 3 for Unsure

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Press 2 for Plan you purchased yourself
Press 3 for Medicare or medicaid
Press 4 for Somewhere else
Press 5 for Plan through your parents
Press 6 for Don't know