

NBC News/Marist Poll  
May 2014  
Georgia Questionnaire

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<Marist Poll Introduction> Are you 18 years of age or older?

Do you consider your permanent home address to be in Georgia?

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GENDER GUESS

May 2014: Registered voters: n=2196, MOE +/- 2.1%; Residents: n=2608, MOE +/- 1.9%

Have I reached you on your cell phone or on your regular home phone?

REGISTERED VOTERS		May 2014
Regular home phone		63
Cell		37
Total		100
RESIDENTS		May 2014
Regular home phone		61
Cell		39
Total		100

May 2014: Residents: n=2608, MOE +/- 1.9%

Are you registered to vote at your current address in Georgia?

RESIDENTS		May 2014
Yes		84
No		16
Total		100

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Do you approve or disapprove of the job Barack Obama is doing as president?

REGISTERED VOTERS		May 2014
Approve		41
Disapprove		50
Unsure		8
Total		100
RESIDENTS		May 2014
Approve		41
Disapprove		49
Unsure		10
Total		100

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All in all, do you think things in the nation are generally headed in the right direction, or do you feel things are off on the wrong track?

REGISTERED VOTERS		May 2014
Right direction		32
Wrong track		59
Unsure		8
Total		100
RESIDENTS		May 2014
Right direction		32
Wrong track		59
Unsure		9
Total		100

May 2014: Georgia Likely Republican Primary Voters including Absentee and Early Voters: n=533, MOE +/- 4.2%; Potential Republican electorate: n=1035, MOE +/- 3.0%

If the May 20th Republican primary in Georgia were held today, whom would you support if the candidates are (including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate):

LIKELY REPUBLICAN PRIMARY VOTERS		May 2014
David Perdue		23
Jack Kingston		18
Karen Handel		14
Paul Broun		11
Phil Gingrey		11
Derrick Grayson		1
Art Gardner		<1
Other		1
Undecided		22
Total		100
POTENTIAL REPUBLICAN ELECTORATE		May 2014
David Perdue		23
Jack Kingston		17
Karen Handel		13
Paul Broun		10
Phil Gingrey		9
Derrick Grayson		1
Art Gardner		1
Other		1
Undecided		25
Total		100

May 2014: Georgia Likely Republican Primary Voters with a Candidate Preference including Absentee and Early Voters: n=348, MOE +/- 5.3%; Potential Republican Electorate with a Candidate Preference: n=644, MOE +/- 3.9%

Would you say you strongly support <candidate> somewhat support <candidate>, or do you think you might vote differently on Primary Day?

LIKELY REPUBLICAN PRIMARY VOTERS	May 2014
Strongly support	39
Somewhat support	34
Might vote differently	22
Unsure	5
Total	100
POTENTIAL REPUBLICAN ELECTORATE	May 2014
Strongly support	35
Somewhat support	37
Might vote differently	23
Unsure	4
Total	100

May 2014: Georgia Likely Republican Primary Voters with a Candidate Preference: n=328, MOE +/- 5.4%; Potential Republican Electorate with a Candidate Preference: n=614, MOE +/- 4.0%

Who is your second choice for the Republican primary in Georgia?

LIKELY REPUBLICAN PRIMARY VOTERS	May 2014
David Perdue	23
Karen Handel	13
Phil Gingrey	13
Jack Kingston	13
Paul Broun	8
Derrick Grayson	2
Art Gardner	2
Other	<1
Undecided	25
Total	100
POTENTIAL REPUBLICAN ELECTORATE	May 2014
David Perdue	22
Jack Kingston	12
Phil Gingrey	12
Karen Handel	12
Paul Broun	10
Derrick Grayson	3
Art Gardner	3
Other	<1
Undecided	25
Total	100

**May 2014: Registered voters split-sample: n=1066, MOE +/- 3.0%**

**If November's election for U.S. Senate in Georgia were held today, whom would you support if the candidates are (including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate):**

REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Jack Kingston, the Republican	43
Michelle Nunn, the Democrat	43
Other	1
Undecided	13
Total	100

**May 2014: Registered voters split-sample: n=1066, MOE +/- 3.0%**

**If November's election for U.S. Senate in Georgia were held today, whom would you support if the candidates are (including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate):**

REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
David Perdue, the Republican	45
Michelle Nunn, the Democrat	41
Other	1
Undecided	13
Total	100

**May 2014: Registered voters split-sample: n=1066, MOE +/- 3.0%**

**If November's election for U.S. Senate in Georgia were held today, whom would you support if the candidates are (including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate):**

REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Karen Handel, the Republican	39
Michelle Nunn, the Democrat	42
Other	1
Undecided	18
Total	100

**May 2014: Registered voters split-sample: n=1131, MOE +/- 2.9%**

**If November's election for U.S. Senate in Georgia were held today, whom would you support if the candidates are (including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate):**

REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Paul Broun, the Republican	43
Michelle Nunn, the Democrat	42
Other	1
Undecided	14
Total	100

**May 2014: Registered voters split-sample: n=1131, MOE +/- 2.9%**

**If November's election for U.S. Senate in Georgia were held today, whom would you support if the candidates are (including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate):**

REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Phil Gingrey, the Republican	42
Michelle Nunn, the Democrat	44
Other	1
Undecided	13
Total	100

**May 2014: Registered voters: n=2196, MOE +/- 2.1%**

**If November's election for Governor in Georgia were held today, whom would you support if the candidates are (including those who are undecided yet leaning toward a candidate):**

REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Nathan Deal, the Republican	50
Jason Carter, the Democrat	40
Other	1
Undecided	10
Total	100

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**In which year were you born (recoded into age of respondent)?**

REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
18 to 29	19
30 to 44	25
45 to 59	29
60 or older	27
Total	100

  

RESIDENTS	May 2014
18 to 29	22
30 to 44	26
45 to 59	27
60 or older	24
Total	100

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**Are you white, black or African-American, Latino or Hispanic, Asian, or Native American? (If not Latino: Are you Hispanic or Latino background, such as Mexican, Dominican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or some other Spanish background?)**

REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
White	61
African American or Black	29
Latino or Hispanic	6
Other	4
Total	100

  

RESIDENTS	May 2014
White	60
African American or Black	29
Latino or Hispanic	7
Other	4
Total	100

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Which of the following includes your combined family income before taxes:

REGISTERED VOTERS		May 2014
Less than \$15,000 a year		14
\$15,000 to just under \$25,000		13
\$25,000 to just under \$50,000		22
\$50,000 to just under \$75,000		19
\$75,000 to just under \$100,000		12
\$100,000 or more		20
Total		100
RESIDENTS		May 2014
Less than \$15,000 a year		16
\$15,000 to just under \$25,000		14
\$25,000 to just under \$50,000		23
\$50,000 to just under \$75,000		18
\$75,000 to just under \$100,000		11
\$100,000 or more		18
Total		100

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Which county in Georgia do you live in (recoded into region)?

REGISTERED VOTERS		May 2014
North		19
Atlanta Suburbs		26
Atlanta Metro		19
Central		19
Coastal-Southeast		16
Total		100
RESIDENTS		May 2014
North		19
Atlanta Suburbs		25
Atlanta Metro		19
Central		19
Coastal-Southeast		18
Total		100

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**Do you consider yourself a:**

	REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Democrat		33
Republican		31
Independent		34
Other		2
Total		100

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**Do you consider yourself to be a supporter of the Tea Party?**

	REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Yes		26
No		61
Unsure		13
Total		100

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**Do you approve or disapprove of the job Nathan Deal is doing as governor?**

	REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Approve		58
Disapprove		27
Unsure		15
Total		100
	RESIDENTS	May 2014
Approve		55
Disapprove		26
Unsure		19
Total		100

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**Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of David Perdue?**

	REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Favorable		40
Unfavorable		20
Never heard		10
Unsure		30
Total		100
	RESIDENTS	May 2014
Favorable		38
Unfavorable		19
Never heard		13
Unsure		29
Total		100

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Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Jack Kingston?

	REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Favorable		32
Unfavorable		24
Never heard		14
Unsure		30
Total		100
	RESIDENTS	May 2014
Favorable		30
Unfavorable		23
Never heard		18
Unsure		29
Total		100

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Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Karen Handel?

	REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Favorable		29
Unfavorable		21
Never heard		20
Unsure		30
Total		100
	RESIDENTS	May 2014
Favorable		27
Unfavorable		20
Never heard		24
Unsure		30
Total		100

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Overall, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression of Michelle Nunn?

	REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Favorable		41
Unfavorable		22
Never heard		11
Unsure		27
Total		100
	RESIDENTS	May 2014
Favorable		38
Unfavorable		21
Never heard		15
Unsure		26
Total		100



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From what you have heard about the new health care law, do you think it is:

REGISTERED VOTERS		May 2014
Strongly think it is a good idea		29
Not so strongly think it is a good idea		7
Not so strongly think it is a bad idea		5
Strongly think it is a bad idea		47
Do not have an opinion either way		9
Unsure		4
Total		100
RESIDENTS		May 2014
Strongly think it is a good idea		28
Not so strongly think it is a good idea		8
Not so strongly think it is a bad idea		5
Strongly think it is a bad idea		45
Do not have an opinion either way		10
Unsure		4
Total		100

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Politically speaking, do you consider yourself to be very liberal, liberal, moderate, conservative, or very conservative?

REGISTERED VOTERS		May 2014
Very liberal		5
Liberal		14
Moderate		34
Conservative		34
Very conservative		13
Total		100

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Would you describe yourself as a fundamentalist or an evangelical Christian, or would you not describe yourself that way?

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Yes		39
No		61
Total		100
RESIDENTS		May 2014
Yes		39
No		61
Total		100

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**Aside from weddings and funerals, how often would you say you attend religious services:**

	REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
More than once a week		21
Once a week		30
Once or twice a month		17
Once every 2-3 months		5
A few times a year		10
Seldom		8
Never		8
Total		100
	RESIDENTS	May 2014
More than once a week		20
Once a week		29
Once or twice a month		17
Once every 2-3 months		5
A few times a year		11
Seldom		10
Never		9
Total		100

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**What is the highest level of school you completed or the highest degree you received (recoded)?**

	REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Not college graduate		57
College graduate		43
Total		100
	RESIDENTS	May 2014
Not college graduate		61
College graduate		39
Total		100

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**Are you male or female?**

	REGISTERED VOTERS	May 2014
Male		46
Female		54
Total		100
	RESIDENTS	May 2014
Male		48
Female		52
Total		100