

I: INTRODUCTION

Kerala state assembly elections were held into three phases on the 22nd April, 29th April and 3rd May, 2006. The elections were conducted for 140 seats. The findings of the Indian Express/CNN-IBN/CSDS survey reported here are based on a post-poll survey conducted in 47 out of 140 assembly constituencies in Kerala where polling was held in three phases of assembly election. The aim of the present post poll was to understand a disposition of the electorates which laid them to cast vote to particular party. Apart from that, it also helps to find and analyze the gap in electorates' opinion after pre poll survey which usually provides a vague picture of the electorates' frame of mind. Besides this, due to large sample size and wide coverage, it was decided to collect information on aspects linked with governance like development, socio-cultural and economic aspects, health, performance of the government and expectation from the next government.

Table -1: Background of the Assembly election in Kerala, 2006

Total Number of Assembly Constituencies(AC)	140
Number of seats for General Category	126
Number of seats reserved for Scheduled Caste	13
Number of seats reserved for Scheduled Tribe	1
Total Number of Voters	21484486
Voter turn out (%)	72

Source: Indian election statistics are available at the Election Commission of India's website: www.eci.gov.in.

Table-2: Election Results

Party	Seats Contested	Seats won	Votes Share (percent)
UDF ¹	76	42	43
LDF ²	135	98	49
Others *	284	0	8

Source: Indian election statistics are available at the Election Commission of India's website: www.eci.gov.in.

Note: Seat contested column did not mention an account of independent candidates contested (376). These independent candidates were not a part of any of the two alliances initially. But later on five seats won by independent candidates were shared between UDF and LDF alliances.

¹ United Democratic Front (UDF) alliance includes INC, MUL, DICK, KCM, JPSAA, CMP (K), KEC (B), RSPK (B), and UDFIND.

² Left Democratic Front (LDF) alliance includes: CPI, CPM, NCP, JD(S), RSP, INL, KEC, KCS, Cong (S) and LDSIND

*Others includes BJP, JD(U), BSP, PDS, FBL, KCJ, Independent, CPIML(L), AIADMK, LJNSP, RJD, Other Parties

Table-3: Survey Frame

Number of assembly constituencies surveyed	47
Number of polling station survey	121
Number of Respondents	2722
Type of Survey	Post poll Survey

Table-4: Sample Profile: Census of India vs. Survey

Variables	Kerala* (percent)	Survey (percent)
Rural	74	85
Urban	26	15
Women	51	52
Scheduled Caste	10	10
Scheduled Tribe	1	4
Hindu	56	61
Muslim	25	16
Christian	19	21
Other**	1	2

*Census 2001, Kerala

** Jains and Sikhs

II: SURVEY DESIGN

Selection of Assembly Constituency (AC):

For the post poll survey, it was decided to cover 47 of the total assembly constituencies, Assembly constituencies were selected randomly using the probability proportionate to size (PPS) method.

Probability Proportionate To Size (PPS)

A list of all assembly constituencies were arranged in ascending order along with total number of electorates per assembly constituency then cumulative population of electorates was calculated. It was decided to conduct a survey in 47 assembly constituencies in the state out of the 140ACs. Thus, to arrive at sampling interval (SI) (or sampling constant), total population of electorates divided by 46 (suppose total electorates of the state was 47, 00000, divided by 47 then sampling interval becomes 100000). After that, a number less than calculated sampling interval is selected randomly i.e. between one and SI, in the column of cumulative population of electorates (suppose, randomly selected number was 10,000). This number is Random Start (RS). Random start is the first Assembly constituency. Calculate the following series: RS; RS+SI, RS+2SI; RS+3SI..., and these numbers of calculated series were matched in the column cumulative population of electorates and thus, lead to random selection of the ACs.

Selection of Polling Stations (PS):

It was predefined to interview respondent from randomly selected four polling stations of each assembly constituency. In order to select the polling station from each AC, a comprehensive list of PS in each AC was prepared and the total number of polling stations were divided by four (a pre determined number from each AC) to arrive at the sampling constant or sampling interval.

First Polling station was selected randomly which ought to be less than sampling constant thereafter, sampling constant was added to the randomly selected PS to arrive at the second PS. This process was repeated for the selection of next polling stations in an assembly constituency. It is how; different polling stations were selected in each assembly constituency.

Selection of respondent:

Thirty respondents were randomly selected from the voter list of each polling station. The reason for sample size was to circumvent clustering and it also has logistic and methodological concerns. For this, a list of voters at each polling station was obtained and the total number of voters (at each PS) was divided by thirty to arrive at sampling

constant¹. Sampling constant was added to the first respondent number to get next respondent and so on till selection of 30 respondent has completed.

For the present household survey a structured interview schedule was used and fieldworkers were cautiously selected. Only those who have acquaintance with the region were selected and given training thereafter as it facilitate in improving interviewer performance and subsequently, of the whole survey.

Table-5: Questionnaire Design

1.	Language Designed	English
2.	Language Translated	--
3.	Language Administered	Malayalam
4.	Number of Variables	102
5.	Themes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respondent's Background • Comparison on performance of previous and present government • Performance of the MLAs • Public opinion about the politics in the state. • Question of Leadership

Table-6 Details of Training Workshop of Investigator:

1.	Date	20 th , April, 2006
2.	Venue	Dept. of Political Science, University of Kerala,
3.	Number of Investigator	94
4.	Resource person(s)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr.K.M.Sajad Ibrahim and J. Prakash Dept. of Political Science, University of Kerala • Prof. G. Gopa Kumar of Kerala University

Table-7: Data Collection and Processing Details

1.	Date of Field work*	Phase I -23 rd April, 2006 Phase II -30 th April , 2006
2.	Date of Data checking	27 th April, 2006
3.	Venue of Checking	Centre for Study of Developing Societies (CSDS)
4.	Date of Data Entry	28 th April, 2006
5.	Venue of Data Entry	Centre for Study of Developing Societies (CSDS)

*For Kerala assembly elections, Post poll survey was held only for first two phases and for the third phase exit-poll was conducted instead of post poll.

¹ If there are 3000 respondents of a polling station, divide 3000 by 30 that will be equal to 100. Thus 100 is the sampling constant for sampling respondents for the survey. The first respondent should be less than 100 drawn from random number table. Thus , if 89th voter is the first respondent selected then keep on adding 100, that is 89+100=189(second respondent), 189+100=289(third respondent) and so on till select 30 respondent

Table-8: Details of Data Dissemination

Electronic Media			
Name	Date	Time	
CNN-IBN	8 th , May, 2006	8.00pm	
Print Media			
Name	Title of Article	Name of Author	Date
The Hindu (Delhi)	How Kerala Voted	Yogendra Yadav	17 th May, 2006

III: DETAILS OF SURVEY TEAM

III. Details of Survey Team

Sanjay Kumar of Centre for the Study of Developing Societies (CSDS), Delhi directed the survey. The fieldwork of the survey was coordinated in Tamil Nadu by Prof. G. Gopa Kumar of Kerala University and supervised by K.M Sajad Ibrahim and J. Prabhash.

The Central Team which designed, coordinated and analyzed the survey comprised Yogendra Yadav, Sanjeer Alam, Banasmita Bora, Praveen Rai, Pallavi Srivastava, Vikas Gautam Himanshu Bhattacharya, K.A.Q.A Hilal, Kanchan Malhotra, Ninu Nair, and Ramajayam of CSDS, and Professor Rajeev L. Karandikar of Cranes Software International Ltd. Bangalore.

I: ANNEXURE-1**DETAILS OF SURVEY PROFILE**

Assembly Constituency	Ac. No	PS No	No. of respondent
Manjeshwar	1	35	22
		146	24
		Total	46
Udma	3	15	25
		132	26
		Total	51
Irikkur	6	15	23
		114	25
		138	24
		Total	72
Azhicode	9	14	22
		104	24
		Total	46
Tellicherry	12	5	22
		98	30
		Total	52
Peravoor	15	36	21
		156	24
		Total	45
Nadapuram	18	42	17
Perambra	21	13	25
Calicut-I	24	23	30
Kunnamangalam (SC)	27	29	21
Sultans Battery	30	164	25
Manjeri	33	14	21
		140	25
		Total	46
Tirurangadi	36	62	24
		142	25
		Total	49
Ponnani	39	12	26
Perinthalmanna	42	61	24
		105	28
		Total	52
Ottapalam	45	23	21
		134	21
		Total	42
Malampuzha	48	6	18
		108	28
		Total	46
Kollengode	51	139	18
Chelakara(SC)	54	91	26
Cherpu	57	26	23
		119	25
		Total	48

Kodakara	60	116	20
Irinjalakuda	63	2	34
		37	18
		104	21
		Total	73
Nattika	66	27	20
Vadakkekkara	69	18	23
		86	24
		Total	47
Ernakulam	72	74	21
		108	19
		Total	40
Trippunithura	75	32	23
		170	33
		Total	56
Perumbavoor	77	25	20
		101	21
		Total	41
Kothamangalam	81	10	22
		82	23
		Total	45
Devicolam(SC)	83	27	16
		72	17
		117	24
		162	13
		Total	70
Kanjirappally	87	11	23
		47	20
		83	22
		119	20
		Total	85
Kottayam	90	19	21
		58	19
		97	19
		136	20
		Total	79
Palai	94	20	20
		54	24
		88	24
		122	28
		Total	96
Aroor	97	22	22
		58	20
		94	21
		130	24
		Total	87
Alleppey	100	7	25
		33	17
		59	24
		85	31
		Total	97
Haripad	103	16	20
		57	24

		98	24
		139	25
		Total	93
Aranmula	107	9	22
		32	23
		55	25
		78	19
		Total	89
Ranni	111	4	24
		32	17
		60	20
		88	19
		Total	80
Pathanapuram	114	33	14
		70	13
		107	15
		144	17
		Total	59
Kottarakara	117	19	21
		51	26
		83	26
		115	25
		Total	98
Kunnathur(SC)	120	24	24
		61	30
		98	17
		135	25
		Total	96
Kundara	123	4	22
		36	25
		68	22
		100	24
		Total	93
Chathanoor	126	5	26
		43	26
		81	28
		119	25
		Total	105
Kilimanoor(SC)	129	3	26
		42	27
		81	31
		120	29
		Total	113
132: Nedumangad	132	40	23
		81	24
		122	20
		163	20
		Total	87
Trivandrum West	135	23	25
		54	19
		85	14
		88	1
		116	18

		Total	77
Kovalam	138	19	24
		59	18
		99	27
		139	24
		Total	93

Source: CSDS Data Unit

II: ANNEXURE-2

MARGINAL OF ALL QUESTIONS

Q1: Did someone visit your house a few weeks ago to conduct your interview in connection with an election survey conducted by us?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid No	465	17.1	17.1	17.1
Yes	2203	80.9	80.9	98.0
Do not remember	54	2.0	2.0	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q2: Were you able to vote or not?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid No	325	11.9	11.9	11.9
Yes	2397	88.1	88.1	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q2a: (If yes) Whom did you vote for?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid 01: Congress	541	19.9	19.9	19.9
02: BJP	69	2.5	2.5	22.4
03: JD(U)	4	.1	.1	22.6
04: CPI	276	10.1	10.1	32.7
05: CPI(M)	654	24.0	24.0	56.7
06: BSP	1	.0	.0	56.8
16: NCP	20	.7	.7	57.5
17: PDS	1	.0	.0	57.5
20: UDF	122	4.5	4.5	62.0
21: LDF	78	2.9	2.9	64.9
27: IUML	87	3.2	3.2	68.1
28: INL	22	.8	.8	68.9
31: JD(S)	22	.8	.8	69.7
33: SP	1	.0	.0	69.7
41: RSP	58	2.1	2.1	71.9
44: FBL	1	.0	.0	71.9
47: Independent supported by LDF	26	1.0	1.0	72.9
49: DIC(K)	60	2.2	2.2	75.1
50: JPSS	23	.8	.8	75.9
51: RSPK(B)	1	.0	.0	75.9
52: KCM	101	3.7	3.7	79.6
53: KCJ	40	1.5	1.5	81.1
96: Independents	54	2.0	2.0	83.1
97: Other parties	35	1.3	1.3	84.4
98: DK	100	3.7	3.7	88.1
99: NA	325	11.9	11.9	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q2b: (If voted) Do you remember at what time of the day did you vote?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Between 7 to 9 am	461	16.9	16.9	16.9
Between 9 to 11 am	777	28.5	28.5	45.5
Between 11 to 1 pm	438	16.1	16.1	61.6
Between 1 to 3 pm	428	15.7	15.7	77.3
Between 3 to 5 pm	259	9.5	9.5	86.8
Do not remember	34	1.2	1.2	88.1
NA	325	11.9	11.9	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q2c: (If voted) When did you finally make up your mind about whom to vote for?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	On the day of polling	173	6.4	7.5	7.5
	A day or two before polling	294	10.8	12.7	20.3
	During the campaign	124	4.6	5.4	25.6
	Before the campaign started	1715	63.0	74.4	100.0
	Total	2306	84.7	100.0	
Missing	DK	91	3.3		
	NA	325	11.9		
	Total	416	15.3		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q2d: (If voted) Did the election officer correctly put the mark on your finger?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Mark not found	54	2.0	2.0	2.0
	Mark found	2137	78.5	78.5	80.5
	Could not check	206	7.6	7.6	88.1
	NA	325	11.9	11.9	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q2e: (If not Voted) What was the main reason due to which you could not vote in this election?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Out of station	105	3.9	3.9	3.9
	Not well	101	3.7	3.7	7.6
	No interest	51	1.9	1.9	9.4
	Returned, for lack of identity proof	20	.7	.7	10.2
	Others	13	.5	.5	10.7
	DK	35	1.3	1.3	11.9
	NA	2397	88.1	88.1	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q3: Now i will ask you about the Lok Sabha Election held in 2004. Were you able to cast your vote or not?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid No	361	13.3	13.3	13.3
Yes	2244	82.4	82.4	95.7
Do not remember	117	4.3	4.3	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q3(a): (If yes) Whom did you vote in Lok Sabha Election 2004?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid 01: Congress	747	27.4	27.4	27.4
02: BJP	73	2.7	2.7	30.1
03: JD(U)	4	.1	.1	30.3
04: CPI	233	8.6	8.6	38.8
05: CPI(M)	622	22.9	22.9	61.7
06: BSP	1	.0	.0	61.7
20: UDF	101	3.7	3.7	65.4
21: LDF	94	3.5	3.5	68.9
27: IUML	62	2.3	2.3	71.2
31: JD(S)	24	.9	.9	72.0
41: RSP	54	2.0	2.0	74.0
47: Independent supported by LDF	2	.1	.1	74.1
48: Independent supported by UDF	3	.1	.1	74.2
49: DIC(K)	1	.0	.0	74.2
50: JPSS	1	.0	.0	74.3
52: KCM	74	2.7	2.7	77.0
53: KCJ	13	.5	.5	77.5
96: Independents	27	1.0	1.0	78.5
97: Other parties	11	.4	.4	78.9
98: DK	97	3.6	3.6	82.4
99: NA	478	17.6	17.6	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

**Q4: Now let us talk about the election campaign during this election.
How much interested were you in the election campaign this time?**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not at all	462	17.0	17.0	17.0
	Somewhat	1586	58.3	58.3	75.2
	Great deal	584	21.5	21.5	96.7
	DK	90	3.3	3.3	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q5(a): Did you attend election meeting?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	2140	78.6	78.6	78.6
	Yes	582	21.4	21.4	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q5(b): Did you helpe organised meetings

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	2480	91.1	91.1	91.1
	Yes	242	8.9	8.9	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q5(c): Did you join processions?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	2353	86.4	86.4	86.4
	Yes	369	13.6	13.6	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q5(d): Did you participate in door to door canvassing?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	2418	88.8	88.8	88.8
	Yes	304	11.2	11.2	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q5(e): Did you contribute or collect money?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	2080	76.4	76.4	76.4
	Yes	642	23.6	23.6	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q5(f): Did you distribute election leaflets

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	2429	89.2	89.2	89.2
	Yes	293	10.8	10.8	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q6: Did any candidate, party worker or canvasser come to your house during the campaign to ask for your vote?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	207	7.6	7.6	7.6
	Yes	2458	90.3	90.3	97.9
	DK	57	2.1	2.1	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q7: Which was the most important issue in elections which you took into consideration while deciding whom to vote for?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid 01: Developmental Issues	365	13.4	13.4	13.4
02: Liberalization policies of the govt	71	2.6	2.6	16.0
03: Party affiliations	961	35.3	35.3	51.3
04: Image of the candidate	274	10.1	10.1	61.4
05: Caste consideration	25	.9	.9	62.3
06: Law & order situation	45	1.7	1.7	64.0
07: Work done by MLA in my area	153	5.6	5.6	69.6
08: Religious consideration	12	.4	.4	70.0
09: Lack of united opposition	17	.6	.6	70.6
10: Smart city	15	.6	.6	71.2
11: Self financing colleges	12	.4	.4	71.6
12: Salary revision of employees	6	.2	.2	71.9
13: Narendran Commision report	8	.3	.3	72.2
97: Any other issues	192	7.1	7.1	79.2
98: DK	387	14.2	14.2	93.4
99: NA	179	6.6	6.6	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q8: What is your assessment of the work done by the UDF government in Kerala during the last 5 years?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Fully satisfied	445	16.3	16.3	16.3
Somewhat satisfied	1012	37.2	37.2	53.5
Somewhat dissatisfied	416	15.3	15.3	68.8
Fully dissatisfied	621	22.8	22.8	91.6
No opinion	228	8.4	8.4	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q9: Who would you prefer as the next Chief Minister of Kerala?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid 01: K. Karunakaran	33	1.2	1.2	1.2
02: A.K. Antony	115	4.2	4.2	5.4
03: Oommen Chandy	839	30.8	30.8	36.3
04: V.S. Achuthanandan	1067	39.2	39.2	75.5
05: Pinarayi Vijayan	80	2.9	2.9	78.4
06: Paloli Mohammed Kutty	40	1.5	1.5	79.9
07: M.A. Baby	7	.3	.3	80.1
08: S. Ramachandran Pillai	5	.2	.2	80.3
09: Kodyeri Balakrishnan	2	.1	.1	80.4
10: O. Rajagopalan	20	.7	.7	81.1
11: Ramesh Chennithala	6	.2	.2	81.3
12: V.M. Sudheeran	8	.3	.3	81.6
20: Any one from UDF	39	1.4	1.4	83.1
21: Any one from LDF	45	1.7	1.7	84.7
97: Others	63	2.3	2.3	87.0
98: DK	158	5.8	5.8	92.8
99: NA	195	7.2	7.2	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q10: While deciding to vote, what would be the most important consideration for you?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Candidate	694	25.5	25.5	25.5
Party	1692	62.2	62.2	87.7
Caste-community	34	1.2	1.2	88.9
Something else	93	3.4	3.4	92.3
No opinion	209	7.7	7.7	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q11: Thinking of how you have voted in previous elections, how would you describe yourself?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid LDF supporter	1052	38.6	38.6	38.6
UDF supporter	937	34.4	34.4	73.1
BJP supporter	79	2.9	2.9	76.0
Not committed to any side	401	14.7	14.7	90.7
DK	253	9.3	9.3	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q12: After this election which party or alliance would you like to form the govt in Kerala?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid 01: Congress	152	5.6	5.6	5.6
02: BJP	45	1.7	1.7	7.2
03: JD(U)	4	.1	.1	7.4
04: CPI	29	1.1	1.1	8.4
05: CPI(M)	106	3.9	3.9	12.3
06: BSP	2	.1	.1	12.4
15: Trinamul Congress	1	.0	.0	12.5
20: UDF	891	32.7	32.7	45.2
21: LDF	1136	41.7	41.7	86.9
27: IUML	1	.0	.0	87.0
28: INL	1	.0	.0	87.0
31: JD(S)	2	.1	.1	87.1
41: RSP	1	.0	.0	87.1
42: CPI(M)(L)	3	.1	.1	87.2
44: FBL	2	.1	.1	87.3
47: Independent supported by LDF	23	.8	.8	88.1
48: Independent supported by UDF	26	1.0	1.0	89.1
49: DIC(K)	2	.1	.1	89.2
51: RSPK(B)	1	.0	.0	89.2
96: Independents	1	.0	.0	89.2
97: Other parties	50	1.8	1.8	91.1
98: DK	63	2.3	2.3	93.4
99: NA	180	6.6	6.6	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q13: Do you feel close to any party?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	1379	50.7	50.7	50.7
	Yes	1343	49.3	49.3	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q13(a): (If yes) Which party?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	01: Congress	270	9.9	9.9	9.9
	02: BJP	64	2.4	2.4	12.3
	03: JD(U)	6	.2	.2	12.5
	04: CPI	93	3.4	3.4	15.9
	05: CPI(M)	348	12.8	12.8	28.7
	06: BSP	3	.1	.1	28.8
	15: Trinamul Congress	1	.0	.0	28.8
	20: UDF	182	6.7	6.7	35.5
	21: LDF	240	8.8	8.8	44.3
	27: IUML	31	1.1	1.1	45.5
	31: JD(S)	1	.0	.0	45.5
	41: RSP	4	.1	.1	45.7
	47: Independent supported by LDF	14	.5	.5	46.2
	48: Independent supported by UDF	15	.6	.6	46.7
	49: DIC(K)	6	.2	.2	47.0
	52: KCM	10	.4	.4	47.3
	97: Other parties	25	.9	.9	48.2
	98: DK	30	1.1	1.1	49.3
	99: NA	1379	50.7	50.7	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q14: Is there any party you will never vote?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	2085	76.6	76.6	76.6
	Yes	637	23.4	23.4	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q14(a): (If yes) Which party?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid 01: Congress	57	2.1	2.1	2.1
02: BJP	344	12.6	12.6	14.7
03: JD(U)	5	.2	.2	14.9
04: CPI	13	.5	.5	15.4
05: CPI(M)	54	2.0	2.0	17.4
20: UDF	29	1.1	1.1	18.4
21: LDF	43	1.6	1.6	20.0
27: IUML	27	1.0	1.0	21.0
28: INL	3	.1	.1	21.1
41: RSP	1	.0	.0	21.2
97: Other parties	23	.8	.8	22.0
98: DK	38	1.4	1.4	23.4
99: NA	2085	76.6	76.6	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q15: Now I will ask you about the assembly election held recently in your village/locality. Do you think that elections conducted fairly?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Unfairly	95	3.5	3.5	3.5
Somewhat fairly	229	8.4	8.4	11.9
Fairly	2192	80.5	80.5	92.4
DK	206	7.6	7.6	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q16: Have you heard about the Smart City project?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid No	994	36.5	36.5	36.5
Yes	1579	58.0	58.0	94.5
DK	149	5.5	5.5	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q16(a): (If yes) What is the Smart City project?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Correct	892	32.8	32.8	32.8
	Incorrect	374	13.7	13.7	46.5
	No opinion	313	11.5	11.5	58.0
	NA	1143	42.0	42.0	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q16(b): (If yes) Have you heard about the judgement of High Court on the Smart City project?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	432	15.9	15.9	15.9
	Yes	928	34.1	34.1	50.0
	DK	219	8.0	8.0	58.0
	NA	1143	42.0	42.0	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q16(c): (If yes) Are you in favour of or opposed to the Smart City project?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	In favour	830	30.5	30.5	30.5
	Against it	306	11.2	11.2	41.7
	No opinion	443	16.3	16.3	58.0
	NA	1143	42.0	42.0	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q17(a): 1: Marriages must take place within ones own caste-community;2: There is nothing wrong if boys and girls of different caste-community marry

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Agree with first	1493	54.8	56.9	56.9
	Agree with second	1131	41.6	43.1	100.0
	Total	2624	96.4	100.0	
Missing	Could not understand	13	.5		
	No opinion	85	3.1		
	Total	98	3.6		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q17(b): 1: Women should go out to work; 2: Women should not go out to work

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Agree with first	2063	75.8	78.1	78.1
	Agree with second	579	21.3	21.9	100.0
	Total	2642	97.1	100.0	
Missing	Could not understand	15	.6		
	No opinion	65	2.4		
	Total	80	2.9		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q17(c): 1: Outsiders must learn and accept Malayali language and culture; 2: There should be space in Kerala for different lang. people

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Agree with first	654	24.0	27.2	27.2
	Agree with second	1750	64.3	72.8	100.0
	Total	2404	88.3	100.0	
Missing	Could not understand	128	4.7		
	No opinion	190	7.0		
	Total	318	11.7		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q17(d): Anyone can become rich with hard work and luck; 2: The poor have very little chance of becoming rich

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Agree with first	1634	60.0	64.3	64.3
	Agree with second	906	33.3	35.7	100.0
	Total	2540	93.3	100.0	
Missing	Could not understand	56	2.1		
	No opinion	126	4.6		
	Total	182	6.7		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q18: During the past 5 years has your financial situation improved, worsened or remained the same?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Improved	801	29.4	29.4	29.4
	Worsened	705	25.9	25.9	55.3
	Remained same	1119	41.1	41.1	96.4
	DK	97	3.6	3.6	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q19: What is your opinion about the financial condition in which you are placed today?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Fully satisfied	463	17.0	17.0	17.0
	Somewhat satisfied	1238	45.5	45.5	62.5
	Somewhat unsatisfied	496	18.2	18.2	80.7
	Fully unsatisfied	420	15.4	15.4	96.1
	No opinion	105	3.9	3.9	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q20: What do you think will be the economic condition of your household in the coming few years has become better?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Much better	185	6.8	6.8	6.8
	Better	1486	54.6	54.6	61.4
	Same	636	23.4	23.4	84.8
	Worse	107	3.9	3.9	88.7
	Much worse	10	.4	.4	89.1
	No opinion	298	10.9	10.9	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q21(a): 1: Trade unions are necessary to protect the rights of the workers;2: There is too much trade unionism in Kerala

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Agree with first	1563	57.4	67.1	67.1
	Agree with second	765	28.1	32.9	100.0
	Total	2328	85.5	100.0	
Missing	Could not understand	134	4.9		
	No opinion	260	9.6		
	Total	394	14.5		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q21(b): 1: Govt. should impose a ceiling on income and wealth;2: There should be no ceiling on income & wealth

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Agree with first	1262	46.4	55.0	55.0
	Agree with second	1034	38.0	45.0	100.0
	Total	2296	84.3	100.0	
Missing	Could not understand	147	5.4		
	No opinion	279	10.2		
	Total	426	15.7		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q21(c): 1: Foreign companies should be allowed to come; 2: Foreign companies should not be allowed

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Agree with first	1268	46.6	55.3	55.3
	Agree with second	1023	37.6	44.7	100.0
	Total	2291	84.2	100.0	
Missing	Could not understand	127	4.7		
	No opinion	304	11.2		
	Total	431	15.8		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q21(d): 1: All major industries should remain in the public sector with the Govt.; 2: There is nothing wrong in privatisation

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Agree with first	1067	39.2	46.5	46.5
	Agree with second	1227	45.1	53.5	100.0
	Total	2294	84.3	100.0	
Missing	Could not understand	146	5.4		
	No opinion	282	10.4		
	Total	428	15.7		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q22: Have you heard the name of Karunakarans DIC(K) party?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	496	18.2	18.2	18.2
	Yes	2107	77.4	77.4	95.6
	DK	119	4.4	4.4	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q22(a): (If yes) Have you heard about the alliance of Karunakarans DIC(K) party with UDF?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	176	6.5	6.5	6.5
	Yes	1856	68.2	68.2	74.7
	DK	75	2.8	2.8	77.4
	NA	615	22.6	22.6	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q22(b): (If yes) Do you think that UDF should keep an alliance with Karunakarans DIC(K) party or should get rid of it?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Should have alliance	511	18.8	24.3	24.3
	Should get rid of it	924	33.9	43.9	68.1
	DK	672	24.7	31.9	100.0
	Total	2107	77.4	100.0	
Missing	NA	615	22.6		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q23(a): Who is a better leader?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	V S Achuthanandan	1783	65.5	65.5	65.5
	Pinarayi Vijayan	210	7.7	7.7	73.2
	Paloli Mohammed Kutty	155	5.7	5.7	78.9
	No difference	266	9.8	9.8	88.7
	No opinion	308	11.3	11.3	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q23(b): Who is better for development?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	V S Achuthanandan	1278	47.0	47.0	47.0
	Pinarayi Vijayan	443	16.3	16.3	63.2
	Paloli Mohammed Kutty	163	6.0	6.0	69.2
	No difference	421	15.5	15.5	84.7
	No opinion	417	15.3	15.3	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q23(c): Who cares for the needs of the poor?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	V S Achuthanandan	1668	61.3	61.3	61.3
	Pinarayi Vijayan	164	6.0	6.0	67.3
	Paloli Mohammed Kutty	125	4.6	4.6	71.9
	No difference	397	14.6	14.6	86.5
	No opinion	368	13.5	13.5	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q23(d): Who is more honest?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	V S Achuthanandan	1514	55.6	55.6	55.6
	Pinarayi Vijayan	139	5.1	5.1	60.7
	Paloli Mohammed Kutty	157	5.8	5.8	66.5
	No difference	462	17.0	17.0	83.5
	No opinion	450	16.5	16.5	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q24: Overall who among the following LDF leaders is more reliable and trustworthy?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	V S Achuthanandan	1640	60.2	60.2	60.2
	Pinarayi Vijayan	141	5.2	5.2	65.4
	Paloli Mohammed Kutty	162	6.0	6.0	71.4
	No difference	361	13.3	13.3	84.6
	No opinion	418	15.4	15.4	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q25(a): Who is a better leader?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Oommen Chandy	1304	47.9	47.9	47.9
	A K Antony	679	24.9	24.9	72.9
	K Karunakaran	208	7.6	7.6	80.5
	No difference	274	10.1	10.1	90.6
	No opinion	257	9.4	9.4	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q25(b): Who is better for development?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Oommen Chandy	1383	50.8	50.8	50.8
	A K Antony	516	19.0	19.0	69.8
	K Karunakaran	156	5.7	5.7	75.5
	No difference	324	11.9	11.9	87.4
	No opinion	343	12.6	12.6	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q25(c): Who cares for the needs of the poor?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Oommen Chandy	1081	39.7	39.7	39.7
	A K Antony	718	26.4	26.4	66.1
	K Karunakaran	158	5.8	5.8	71.9
	No difference	392	14.4	14.4	86.3
	No opinion	373	13.7	13.7	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q25(d): Who is more honest?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Oommen Chandy	891	32.7	32.7	32.7
	A K Antony	874	32.1	32.1	64.8
	K Karunakaran	105	3.9	3.9	68.7
	No difference	431	15.8	15.8	84.5
	No opinion	421	15.5	15.5	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q26: Overall who among the following UDF leaders is more reliable and trustworthy?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Oommen Chandy	935	34.3	34.3	34.3
	A K Antony	915	33.6	33.6	68.0
	K Karunakaran	124	4.6	4.6	72.5
	No difference	390	14.3	14.3	86.8
	No opinion	358	13.2	13.2	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q27: With whom do you feel free to discuss politics openly-with anyone?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Anyone	393	14.4	14.4	14.4
	People you know well	410	15.1	15.1	29.5
	Close friends and family	790	29.0	29.0	58.5
	No one	1028	37.8	37.8	96.3
	No opinion	101	3.7	3.7	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q28: What is your opinion about change of government in Kerala every 5 years?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Could not understand	100	3.7	3.7	3.7
	Beneficial for development	1445	53.1	53.1	56.8
	Brings instability	852	31.3	31.3	88.1
	DK	325	11.9	11.9	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q29: Have you heard about factionalism and infighting among UDF leaders?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	731	26.9	26.9	26.9
	Yes	1815	66.7	66.7	93.5
	DK	176	6.5	6.5	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q29(a): (If yes) To what extent it influenced your voting decision?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not at all	1111	40.8	61.2	61.2
	Somewhat	328	12.0	18.1	79.3
	Great deal	206	7.6	11.3	90.6
	DK	170	6.2	9.4	100.0
	Total	1815	66.7	100.0	
Missing	NA	907	33.3		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q30: Have you heard about factionalism and infighting among LDF leaders?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	754	27.7	27.7	27.7
	Yes	1739	63.9	63.9	91.6
	DK	229	8.4	8.4	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q30(a): (If yes) To what extent it influenced your voting decision?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not at all	1188	43.6	68.3	68.3
	Somewhat	271	10.0	15.6	83.9
	Great deal	136	5.0	7.8	91.7
	DK	144	5.3	8.3	100.0
	Total	1739	63.9	100.0	
Missing	NA	983	36.1		
Total		2722	100.0		

Q31: What is your opinion about the present UDF Government in Kerala?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Could not understand	40	1.5	1.5	1.5
Bad govt. should be changed	801	29.4	29.4	30.9
Good govt. should not be changed	936	34.4	34.4	65.3
Performance OK, but should be changed	730	26.8	26.8	92.1
DK	215	7.9	7.9	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q32: In Kerala if there was no alliance and all parties were contesting separately, which party would you have voted for?

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid 01: Congress	700	25.7	25.7	25.7
02: BJP	90	3.3	3.3	29.0
03: JD(U)	5	.2	.2	29.2
04: CPI	137	5.0	5.0	34.2
05: CPI(M)	872	32.0	32.0	66.3
06: BSP	1	.0	.0	66.3
18: TMC	1	.0	.0	66.3
20: UDF	179	6.6	6.6	72.9
21: LDF	176	6.5	6.5	79.4
27: IUML	75	2.8	2.8	82.1
28: INL	1	.0	.0	82.2
31: JD(S)	1	.0	.0	82.2
33: SP	2	.1	.1	82.3
41: RSP	5	.2	.2	82.5
44: FBL	1	.0	.0	82.5
47: Independent supported by LDF	6	.2	.2	82.7
48: Independent supported by UDF	6	.2	.2	83.0
49: DIC(K)	9	.3	.3	83.3
50: JPSS	3	.1	.1	83.4
52: KCM	29	1.1	1.1	84.5
53: KCJ	5	.2	.2	84.6
96: Independents	5	.2	.2	84.8
97: Other parties	84	3.1	3.1	87.9
98: DK	81	3.0	3.0	90.9
99: NA	248	9.1	9.1	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Q34: Do you believe in God?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	43	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Yes	2611	95.9	95.9	97.5
	DK	68	2.5	2.5	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

Background

B1: Age

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Upto 25 yrs	417	15.3	15.3	15.3
	26-35 yrs	651	23.9	23.9	39.3
	36-45 yrs	582	21.4	21.4	60.7
	46-55 yrs	470	17.3	17.3	77.9
	Above 55 yrs	600	22.0	22.1	100.0
	Total	2720	99.9	100.0	
Missing	System	2	.1		
Total		2722	100.0		

B2: Gender

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Male	1319	48.5	48.5	48.5
	Female	1403	51.5	51.5	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B3: What is your marital status?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Married	2128	78.2	78.2	78.2
	Unmarried	437	16.1	16.1	94.2
	Living with someone but unmarried	10	.4	.4	94.6
	Divorced/seperated	29	1.1	1.1	95.7
	Widowed	96	3.5	3.5	99.2
	NA	22	.8	.8	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B4: Education (Respondent)

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Non literate	166	6.1	6.1	6.1
Below primary	321	11.8	11.8	17.9
Primary pass/Middle fail	467	17.2	17.2	35.0
Middle pass/Matric fail	415	15.2	15.2	50.3
Matric	638	23.4	23.4	73.7
Intermediate/College no degree	331	12.2	12.2	85.9
Graduate or equivalent	283	10.4	10.4	96.3
Post Graduate	62	2.3	2.3	98.6
Professional degree and Higher Research	24	.9	.9	99.4
NA	15	.6	.6	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B4a(1): Education (Father)

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Non literate	865	31.8	31.8	31.8
Below primary	566	20.8	20.8	52.6
Primary pass/Middle fail	497	18.3	18.3	70.8
Middle pass/Matric fail	248	9.1	9.1	79.9
Matric	278	10.2	10.2	90.2
Intermediate/College no degree	91	3.3	3.3	93.5
Graduate or equivalent	51	1.9	1.9	95.4
Post Graduate	21	.8	.8	96.1
Professional degree and Higher Research	19	.7	.7	96.8
NA	86	3.2	3.2	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B4a(2): Education (Mother)

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid Non literate	912	33.5	33.5	33.5
Below primary	609	22.4	22.4	55.9
Primary pass/Middle fail	468	17.2	17.2	73.1
Middle pass/Matric fail	240	8.8	8.8	81.9
Matric	265	9.7	9.7	91.6
Intermediate/College no degree	64	2.4	2.4	94.0
Graduate or equivalent	48	1.8	1.8	95.7
Post Graduate	19	.7	.7	96.4
Professional degree and Higher Research	6	.2	.2	96.7
NA	91	3.3	3.3	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B5: Occupation (Respondent)

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid 01: Scientists	2	.1	.1	.1
02: Engineers	8	.3	.3	.4
03: Doctors	3	.1	.1	.5
04: Lawyers	2	.1	.1	.6
05: Accountants	14	.5	.5	1.1
06: College/Univ. teachers	12	.4	.4	1.5
07: Writers	3	.1	.1	1.6
08: Modern Artists	4	.1	.1	1.8
09: Other higher professionals	7	.3	.3	2.0
10: Science and engineering technicians	1	.0	.0	2.1
11: Computer operators	10	.4	.4	2.4
12: Alternative doctors	1	.0	.0	2.5
13: Medical technicians	15	.6	.6	3.0
14: School teachers	47	1.7	1.7	4.7
15: Nursery teachers	19	.7	.7	5.4
16: Folk and commercial artists	5	.2	.2	5.6
18: Priests	5	.2	.2	5.8
19: Other lower professionals	8	.3	.3	6.1
20: Elected officials(Central	4	.1	.1	6.2

level)				
21: Elected officials(District level)	3	.1	.1	6.4
22: Managers	12	.4	.4	6.8
23: Officials Class I	9	.3	.3	7.1
24: Officials Class II	17	.6	.6	7.8
25: Class III Employee	39	1.4	1.4	9.2
26: Suprintendants	5	.2	.2	9.4
27: Traditional clerks	3	.1	.1	9.5
28: Class IV Employee	24	.9	.9	10.4
29: Other administrative workers	8	.3	.3	10.7
30: Big businessmen	6	.2	.2	10.9
31: Medium businessmen	37	1.4	1.4	12.2
32: Small businessmen	99	3.6	3.6	15.9
33: Petty shopkeeper	17	.6	.6	16.5
34: Hawkers,vendors	3	.1	.1	16.6
35: Sales executives	15	.6	.6	17.2
36: Salespersons	14	.5	.5	17.7
37: Shop Assistants	39	1.4	1.4	19.1
38: Rentier	1	.0	.0	19.1
39: Other businessmen	11	.4	.4	19.5
40: Waiters	8	.3	.3	19.8
41: Dhobi	4	.1	.1	20.0
42: Barbers, beauticians	3	.1	.1	20.1
43: Ayahs, maids	9	.3	.3	20.4
44: Chowkidars	1	.0	.0	20.5
45: Sweepers	2	.1	.1	20.5
49: Other service workers	14	.5	.5	21.1
50: Mechanics	88	3.2	3.2	24.3
51: Electricians	25	.9	.9	25.2
52: Jewellers	4	.1	.1	25.3
53: Tailors	26	1.0	1.0	26.3
54: Weavers	19	.7	.7	27.0
55: Shoemakers	4	.1	.1	27.1
56: Blacksmiths	9	.3	.3	27.5
57: Carpenters	31	1.1	1.1	28.6
59: Other skilled workers	56	2.1	2.1	30.7

60: Miners	1	.0	.0	30.7
61: Masons	16	.6	.6	31.3
62: Potters	7	.3	.3	31.6
63: Stone-cutter	7	.3	.3	31.8
64: Furniture makers	3	.1	.1	31.9
65: Rickshaw-pullers	5	.2	.2	32.1
66: Unskilled labourers	147	5.4	5.4	37.5
69: Other semi-skilled and unskilled workers	27	1.0	1.0	38.5
70: Owner-cultivators 20+ Acre	11	.4	.4	38.9
72: Owner-cultivators 5-10 Acre	4	.1	.1	39.1
73: Owner-cultivators 1-5 Acre	26	1.0	1.0	40.0
74: Owner-cultivators 0-5 Acre	27	1.0	1.0	41.0
75: Tenant-cultivators 5+ Acre	2	.1	.1	41.1
76: Tenant-cultivators 0-5 Acre	5	.2	.2	41.3
77: Plantation workers	30	1.1	1.1	42.4
78: Agricultural labourers	164	6.0	6.0	48.4
79: Other agricultural workers	61	2.2	2.2	50.6
81: Dairy farming	6	.2	.2	50.8
82: Poultry farming	1	.0	.0	50.9
85: Hunters and trappers	2	.1	.1	51.0
86: Fishermen	53	1.9	1.9	52.9
89: Other breeders and cattle rearers	2	.1	.1	53.0
90: House-wife	855	31.4	31.4	84.4
91: Students not seeking employment	80	2.9	2.9	87.3
92: Employment seekers	31	1.1	1.1	88.5
93: Unemployed workers, non-workers	105	3.9	3.9	92.3
Any other Occupation	51	1.9	1.9	94.2
96: Political	10	.4	.4	94.6

activists				
98: Unclassified	11	.4	.4	95.0
99: NA	137	5.0	5.0	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B5a: Occupation (Father)

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid				
01: Scientists	1	.0	.0	.0
02: Engineers	5	.2	.2	.2
03: Doctors	3	.1	.1	.3
04: Lawyers	1	.0	.0	.4
05: Accountants	9	.3	.3	.7
06: College/Univ. teachers	6	.2	.2	.9
07: Writers	5	.2	.2	1.1
08: Modern Artists	6	.2	.2	1.3
09: Other higher professionals	6	.2	.2	1.5
10: Science and engineering technicians	7	.3	.3	1.8
11: Computer operators	4	.1	.1	1.9
12: Alternative doctors	3	.1	.1	2.1
13: Medical technicians	8	.3	.3	2.4
14: School teachers	16	.6	.6	2.9
15: Nursery teachers	3	.1	.1	3.0
16: Folk and commercial artists	7	.3	.3	3.3
18: Priests	6	.2	.2	3.5
19: Other lower professionals	12	.4	.4	4.0
20: Elected officials(Central level)	2	.1	.1	4.0
21: Elected officials(District level)	4	.1	.1	4.2
22: Managers	7	.3	.3	4.4
23: Officials Class I	6	.2	.2	4.7
24: Officials Class II	11	.4	.4	5.1
25: Class III Employee	32	1.2	1.2	6.2
26: Suprintendants	4	.1	.1	6.4
27: Traditional clerks	4	.1	.1	6.5
28: Class IV Employee	10	.4	.4	6.9
29: Other administrative workers	8	.3	.3	7.2
30: Big businessmen	7	.3	.3	7.5
31: Medium businessmen	41	1.5	1.5	9.0
32: Small businessmen	117	4.3	4.3	13.3
33: Petty shopkeeper	20	.7	.7	14.0
34: Hawkers,vendors	2	.1	.1	14.1
35: Sales executives	7	.3	.3	14.3
36: Salespersons	14	.5	.5	14.8
37: Shop Assistants	16	.6	.6	15.4
39: Other businessmen	12	.4	.4	15.9
40: Waiters	9	.3	.3	16.2
41: Dhobi	2	.1	.1	16.3
42: Barbers, beauticians	5	.2	.2	16.5
43: Ayahs, maids	5	.2	.2	16.6
44: Chowkidars	1	.0	.0	16.7
45: Sweepers	3	.1	.1	16.8
49: Other service workers	13	.5	.5	17.3
50: Mechanics	69	2.5	2.5	19.8
51: Electricians	13	.5	.5	20.3

52: Jewellers	5	.2	.2	20.5
53: Tailors	12	.4	.4	20.9
54: Weavers	6	.2	.2	21.1
55: Shoemakers	5	.2	.2	21.3
56: Blacksmiths	5	.2	.2	21.5
57: Carpenters	38	1.4	1.4	22.9
59: Other skilled workers	38	1.4	1.4	24.3
60: Miners	2	.1	.1	24.4
61: Masons	15	.6	.6	24.9
62: Potters	2	.1	.1	25.0
63: Stone-cutter	7	.3	.3	25.2
64: Furniture makers	3	.1	.1	25.3
65: Rickshaw-pullers	7	.3	.3	25.6
66: Unskilled labourers	148	5.4	5.4	31.0
69: Other semi-skilled and unskilled workers	22	.8	.8	31.9
70: Owner-cultivators 20+ Acre	39	1.4	1.4	33.3
71: Owner-cultivators 10-20 Acre	1	.0	.0	33.3
72: Owner-cultivators 5-10 Acre	11	.4	.4	33.7
73: Owner-cultivators 1-5 Acre	28	1.0	1.0	34.8
74: Owner-cultivators 0-5 Acre	42	1.5	1.5	36.3
75: Tenant-cultivators 5+ Acre	6	.2	.2	36.5
76: Tenant-cultivators 0-5 Acre	12	.4	.4	37.0
77: Plantation workers	39	1.4	1.4	38.4
78: Agricultural labourers	279	10.2	10.2	48.6
79: Other agricultural workers	121	4.4	4.4	53.1
80: Live-stock farming	3	.1	.1	53.2
81: Dairy farming	1	.0	.0	53.2
82: Poultry farming	1	.0	.0	53.3
83: Shepherds	1	.0	.0	53.3
85: Hunters and trappers	14	.5	.5	53.8
86: Fishermen	62	2.3	2.3	56.1
89: Other breeders and cattle rearers	4	.1	.1	56.2
90: House-wife	12	.4	.4	56.7
92: Employment seekers	2	.1	.1	56.8
93: Unemployed workers, non-workers	54	2.0	2.0	58.7
Any other Occupation	34	1.2	1.2	60.0
96: Political activists	5	.2	.2	60.2
98: Unclassified	20	.7	.7	60.9
99: NA	1064	39.1	39.1	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B6: Caste/Jati-biradari/Tribe

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid 01: Brahmin	26	1.0	1.0	1.0
03: Rajput	2	.1	.1	1.0
04: Kayasthas	1	.0	.0	1.1
05: Vaishya	1	.0	.0	1.1
09: Other upper castes	8	.3	.3	1.4
11: Reddy	7	.3	.3	1.7
12: Kamma	4	.1	.1	1.8
13: Nair	425	15.6	15.6	17.4

14: Marathas	4	.1	.1	17.6
18	1	.0	.0	17.6
19: Other PP	3	.1	.1	17.7
20: Gujjar	6	.2	.2	17.9
21: Yadav	1	.0	.0	18.0
23: Lodh	1	.0	.0	18.0
25: Vokkaliga	2	.1	.1	18.1
26: Lingayat	1	.0	.0	18.1
27: Gaderia	1	.0	.0	18.1
28	2	.1	.1	18.2
29: Other	7	.3	.3	18.5
peasant OBC				
30: Bunkar	1	.0	.0	18.5
31: Darzee	3	.1	.1	18.6
32: Thatihar	3	.1	.1	18.7
33: Lakhhera	4	.1	.1	18.9
34: Badhai	1	.0	.0	18.9
35: Ezhavas	648	23.8	23.8	42.7
40: Kewat	48	1.8	1.8	44.5
41: Dhobi	28	1.0	1.0	45.5
(OBC)				
42: Viswakarma	107	3.9	3.9	49.4
43: Teli	12	.4	.4	49.9
44: Jogi	2	.1	.1	50.0
45: Traders	15	.6	.6	50.5
OBC				
46: Toddy	35	1.3	1.3	51.8
Tappers				
49: Other	14	.5	.5	52.3
service OBC				
50: Jatav	24	.9	.9	53.2
(Leatherwork)				
51:	1	.0	.0	53.2
Balmiki(Scaven				
ging)				
52: Pasi+Pano	1	.0	.0	53.3
53: Rajbanshis	3	.1	.1	53.4
54:	7	.3	.3	53.6
Namasudras				
55: Mala	58	2.1	2.1	55.8
56: Doms	1	.0	.0	55.8
57: Dhobi(Non	2	.1	.1	55.9
OBC)				
58: Lowest SC	1	.0	.0	55.9
59: Other SCs	50	1.8	1.8	57.8
60: Mannan	124	4.6	4.6	62.3
61: Adiyars	2	.1	.1	62.4
63: Paniyar	6	.2	.2	62.6
64: Kurumbar	3	.1	.1	62.7
66:	1	.0	.0	62.7
69: Other STs	270	9.9	9.9	72.7
70: Ashrafs	16	.6	.6	73.3
71: Mughal	1	.0	.0	73.3
75:	3	.1	.1	73.4
Craftsmen+We				
avers				

76: Service Muslim	1	.0	.0	73.4
78: Muslim No Caste	153	5.6	5.6	79.1
79: Other Muslims	1	.0	.0	79.1
81: Khatri Sikh	1	.0	.0	79.1
83: Sikh no caste	3	.1	.1	79.2
85: Upper Christians	272	10.0	10.0	89.2
86: OBC Christians	135	5.0	5.0	94.2
87: Dalit Christians	38	1.4	1.4	95.6
88: Christian no caste	80	2.9	2.9	98.5
90: Parsi	2	.1	.1	98.6
91: Jews	2	.1	.1	98.7
93: Dalit Buddhist	4	.1	.1	98.8
95: Hindu No caste	7	.3	.3	99.1
96	4	.1	.1	99.2
97	1	.0	.0	99.3
98: No religion no caste	2	.1	.1	99.3
99: NA	18	.7	.7	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B6a: Caste group

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	SC	281	10.3	10.4	10.4
	ST	110	4.0	4.1	14.5
	OBC	1384	50.8	51.4	65.9
	Other	920	33.8	34.1	100.0
	Total	2695	99.0	100.0	
Missing	NA	27	1.0		
Total		2722	100.0		

B7: Religion

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Hindu	1666	61.2	61.2	61.2
	Muslim	431	15.8	15.8	77.0
	Christian	581	21.3	21.3	98.4
	Sikh	16	.6	.6	99.0
	Buddhist	14	.5	.5	99.5
	Jain	3	.1	.1	99.6
	Others	11	.4	.4	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B8: How regularly do you read newspaper?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Daily	1542	56.6	56.6	56.6
	Frequently	332	12.2	12.2	68.8
	Occasionally	271	10.0	10.0	78.8
	Rarely	206	7.6	7.6	86.4
	Never	346	12.7	12.7	99.1
	No opinion	25	.9	.9	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B9: How regularly do you listen to news on radio?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Daily	970	35.6	35.6	35.6
	Frequently	449	16.5	16.5	52.1
	Occasionally	329	12.1	12.1	64.2
	Rarely	391	14.4	14.4	78.6
	Never	550	20.2	20.2	98.8
	No opinion	33	1.2	1.2	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B10: How regularly do you watch news on T.V.?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Daily	1712	62.9	62.9	62.9
	Frequently	358	13.2	13.2	76.0
	Occasionally	201	7.4	7.4	83.4
	Rarely	153	5.6	5.6	89.1
	Never	261	9.6	9.6	98.6
	No opinion	37	1.4	1.4	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B11: How often do you offer prayer/puja/namaj?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Daily	2091	76.8	76.8	76.8
	Weekly	345	12.7	12.7	89.5
	Only on festivals	168	6.2	6.2	95.7
	Never	71	2.6	2.6	98.3
	No opinion	47	1.7	1.7	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B12: Locality

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Village	2306	84.7	84.7	84.7
	Town	304	11.2	11.2	95.9
	City	82	3.0	3.0	98.9
	Metropolitan City	30	1.1	1.1	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B12(a): (If Town/City) Type of house where R lives(Own or rented)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	NA	2306	84.7	84.7	84.7
	House/Flat with 4 or more bedrooms	50	1.8	1.8	86.6
	House/Flats with 3 or 4 bedrooms	112	4.1	4.1	90.7
	House/Flat with 2 bedrooms (with kitchen and bath rooms)	92	3.4	3.4	94.0
	House/Flat with 2 Pucca rooms (With kitchen)	78	2.9	2.9	96.9
	House/Flat with 2 pucca rooms(Without kitchen)	43	1.6	1.6	98.5
	House with 1 pucca room (With kitchen)	5	.2	.2	98.7
	House with 1 pucca room (Without kitchen)	8	.3	.3	99.0
	Mainly kutcha house	18	.7	.7	99.6
	Slum/Jhuggi Jhopri	10	.4	.4	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B12(b): (If Village) Type of house where R lives(Own or rented)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	NA	416	15.3	15.3	15.3
	Pucca	730	26.8	26.8	42.1
	Pucca-Kutcha	858	31.5	31.5	73.6
	Kutcha	532	19.5	19.5	93.2
	Hut	186	6.8	6.8	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B13: Number of rooms in use in the household

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Blank/No rooms	24	.9	.9	.9
	One	88	3.2	3.2	4.1
	Two	550	20.2	20.2	24.3
	Three	781	28.7	28.7	53.0
	Four	661	24.3	24.3	77.3
	Five	316	11.6	11.6	88.9
	Six	178	6.5	6.5	95.4
	Seven	66	2.4	2.4	97.9
	Eight	38	1.4	1.4	99.3
	Nine and above	20	.7	.7	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B14(a): Total number of family members living in the household(Adults)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	44	1.6	1.6	1.6
	1	78	2.9	2.9	4.5
	2	648	23.8	23.8	28.3
	3	615	22.6	22.6	50.9
	4	801	29.4	29.4	80.3
	5	297	10.9	10.9	91.2
	6	140	5.1	5.1	96.4
	7	44	1.6	1.6	98.0
	8	32	1.2	1.2	99.2
	9	23	.8	.8	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B14(b): Total number of family members living in the household(Children)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	833	30.6	30.6	30.6
	1	561	20.6	20.6	51.2
	2	974	35.8	35.8	87.0
	3	200	7.3	7.3	94.3
	4	94	3.5	3.5	97.8
	5	31	1.1	1.1	98.9
	6	17	.6	.6	99.6
	7	7	.3	.3	99.8
	8	4	.1	.1	100.0
	9	1	.0	.0	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(a): Car/Jeep/Van/Tractor

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	2438	89.6	89.6	89.6
	Yes	284	10.4	10.4	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(b): Colour or B/W Television

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	712	26.2	26.2	26.2
	B/W	341	12.5	12.5	38.7
	Colour	1669	61.3	61.3	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(c): Scooter/Motorcycle/Moped

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	2019	74.2	74.2	74.2
	Yes	703	25.8	25.8	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(d): Telephone

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	1320	48.5	48.5	48.5
	Yes	1402	51.5	51.5	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(e): Mobile telephone

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	1924	70.7	70.7	70.7
	Yes	798	29.3	29.3	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(f): Fridge

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	1927	70.8	70.8	70.8
	Yes	795	29.2	29.2	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(g): Air Conditioner

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	2568	94.3	94.3	94.3
	Yes	154	5.7	5.7	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(h): Electric fan/Cooler

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	749	27.5	27.5	27.5
	Yes	1973	72.5	72.5	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(i): Bicycle

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	1774	65.2	65.2	65.2
	Yes	948	34.8	34.8	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(j): Radio/Transistor

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	1138	41.8	41.8	41.8
	Yes	1584	58.2	58.2	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B15(k): Pumping set

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	1657	60.9	60.9	60.9
	Yes	1065	39.1	39.1	100.0
	Total	2722	100.0	100.0	

B16: Total monthly household income

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Upto Rs. 1,000	916	33.7	33.7	33.7
	Rs. 1,001 - Rs. 2,000	521	19.1	19.1	52.8
	Rs. 2,001 - Rs. 3,000	466	17.1	17.1	69.9
	Rs. 3,001 - Rs. 4,000	258	9.5	9.5	79.4
	Rs. 4,001 - Rs. 5,000	198	7.3	7.3	86.7
	Rs. 5,001 - Rs. 10,000	142	5.2	5.2	91.9
	Rs. 10,001 - Rs. 20,000	53	1.9	1.9	93.8
	Rs. 20,001 and above	16	.6	.6	94.4
	NA	152	5.6	5.6	100.0
Total	2722	100.0	100.0		

III: ANNEXURE-3:

Vote Casted to different parties with respect to gender, age, education, locality, religion and caste in Kerala assembly election, Post poll Survey, 2006

	UDF ²	LDF ³	Others ⁴
All	41	50	9
Gender			
Male	38	51	11
Female	43	50	7
Age Groups			
Upto 25 yrs	36	50	14
26-35yrs	39	54	8
36-45yrs	41	52	8
46-55yrs	42	49	10
Above 55 yrs	46	47	7
Education (Respondent)			
Non Literate	35	61	4
Upto Primary	43	50	7
Upto Matric	39	53	8
College and above	42	46	12
Locality			
Rural	40	53	7
Urban	45	38	17
Religion			
Hindu	30	60	10
Muslim	54	39	7
Christian	62	30	8
Others**	56	38	6
Caste/Community			
Upper Caste	36	39	25
Dominant Peasant Proprietors	50	50	
Other Backward Class	40	55	5
Weaver and Craftman OBC	37	50	13
Scheduled Caste	24	68	8
Scheduled Tribe	53	43	4
Muslim	48	43	9
Christian	64	28	8
Others	40	55	5
Nair	41	46	13
Ezhavas	26	66	8
Viswakarma	24	63	13

Source: CSDS Data Unit, Kerala, Election Study, Post-poll – 2006

Note: All figures in percent, Sample Size:2722.

** Those who did not cast vote and hold no opinion are excluded

¹ United Democratic Front (UDF) alliance includes INC, MUL, DICK, KCM, JPSAA, CMP (K), KEC (B), RSPK (B), and UDFIND.

² Left Democratic Front (LDF) alliance includes: CPI, CPM, NCP,JD(S), RSP,INL,KEC,KCS, Cong (S) and LDSIND

³ Others includes BJP,JD(U), BSP,PDS, FBL,KCJ, Independent, CPIML(L),AIADMK,LJNSP,RJD, Other Parties

** Others includes Sikh, Buddhist, Jain, Parsi and Others

Rural¹ includes village, having minimum 5000 population

Urban² includes town (below one lakh), city (above one lakh) and Metropolitan (above 10 lakh)