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MAH	ARASHTRA ASSEMBLY ELECTION STUDY 2009
	POST POLL SURVEY
	DEPARTMENT OF POLITICS AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, UNIVERSITY OF PUNE, PUNE
	UGC SPONCERED RESEARCH PROJECT
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L	CENTRE FOR THE STUDY OF DEVELOPING SOCIETIES, DELHI.
<b>F1</b>	. State Name: MAHARASHTRA
	. P.C. Name:
	. A.C. Name:
	P.S. Name:
	Name of the Respondent:
F6	Address of the respondent ( <i>Give landmark</i> ):
<b>F7</b>	Date of interview (dd/mm/yyyy):
F8	• Time of starting the interview:
F9	Name of the Investigator (Code Roll No.):
<u>INV</u>	YESTIGATOR'S INTRODUCTION AND STATEMENT OF INFORMED CONSENT
My nan	
	ave come from Centre for the Study of Developing Societies (also give your University's ce), a social science research organization in Delhi. We are conducting a national survey
on the	opinion of people on politics and interviewing hundreds of people across the state. The
findings	s of this survey will be used for research articles and writing articles in newspapers.
	rvey is an independent study and is not linked to any political party or government agency. er information you provide will be kept strictly confidential.
question importa	pation in this survey is voluntary and it is entierly up to you to answer or not answer any in that I ask. We hope that you will take part in this survey since your participation is unt. It usually takes 10 to 15 minutes to complete this interview. Please spare some time for rview. and help me in successfully completing the survey.

F10. May I begin the interview now?

1. Respondent agrees to be interviewed

2. Respondent does not agree to be interviewed

	INTE	<u>RVIEW BEGINS</u>		
	Q1.	While talking to people about the people were not able to vote. How		the Assembly , we find that some able to vote or not?
		1. Not able to vote (Go to Q1c)	2. Able to vote	
	Q1a.	•	lip please put a mark in (Supply WHITE dum	ip which looks like the list you saw in front of the same symbol against my ballot and explain procedure) odebook for coding)
	Q1b.	(If Voted) When did you finally ma	,	•
	+	1. On the day of voting	2. A day or two before	
		3. Earlier, during the campaign	4. Even before the car	
_	_	8. Can't say	9. NA	
	Q1c.	(If Not Voted) What was the main re	eason due to which you	could not vote in this election?
	$\dashv$	(Don't read answer catagories)		
		0. Out of station		1. Not well
		<ul><li>2. No interest/did not feel like voting</li><li>4. No identity card/ identity proof</li><li>6. Someone had voted in place of me</li></ul>		<ul><li>3. Prevented /Fear of violence</li><li>5. No good choice</li><li>7.Others (<i>Specify</i>)</li></ul>
_	_	8. Can't say		9. NA
	Q1d.	(If Voted) Did the election officer con	rrectly put the mark on y	your finger? (Please observe marking
	-	on the index finger and record the	answer accordingly)	-
		2. Checked and mark found	1. Checked, but mark	not found
		8. Could not check the mark	9. NA	
	Q2.	Now let us talk about the election	n campaign during this	election. How interested were you
	_	in the election campaign this time	e – a great deal, somew	hat or not at all?
		1. Great deal 2. S	Somewhat 3. N	Not at all 8. Can't say/DK
	Q3.	During elections people lend the	ir support to the party	or the candidate through different
	$\dashv$	ways, like campaigning, doing d	loor to door canvassing	g, organising meetings, distributing
		election material or giving donat	tions, etc. Did you take	e part in any of these or any other
	_	activities?	1. Yes	2. No
	Q4.	Did any candidate, party worker	or canvasser come to y	your house during the campaign to
	⇉	ask for your vote?	No 2. Y	Yes 8. Don't remember
	Q5.	In deciding whom to vote for, wh	nose opinion mattered t	o you most?
	-	(Don't read answer catagories)		
		0. Local Political Leader	1. Husband/wife	2. Other family members
		3. Caste/community leaders	4. Friends/neighbours	5. Co-workers/colleagues
	_	6. No one, I voted on my own	7. Others (Specify)	8. Can't say
	Q6.	Thinking of the just completed el	lection campaign, woul	ld you say that on promises and
		policies there were major different differences at all?	nces between the partie	es, minor differences or no
		1. Major differences	2. Minor differences	
		3. No differences	9. Don't Know / Can'	t Sav

Q7.	•				for. What mattered to
1	•	•	o vote for in the recer	-	•
070	1. Party (Go to )	•	<ol> <li>Candidate (Go to timportant considerat</li> </ol>		8. Can't say (Go to Q8)
Q'a.	(Don't Read Ans		i important considerat	ion in iavour	of the party?
		9	mounted that mounter		
		caste/community su			
			lage/mohalla supported th	•	
			al supporters/voters of the		
			efitted, or expect to benef	it from the party	<i>I</i> .
		s good leadership.			
	-	rogramme of the par			
1					9. NA
Q7b.		- '	most important consi	deration in fa	vour of the candidate?
 1	(Don't Read Ansı	9 .			
	1. People of my	caste/community su	pported that candidate.		
	2. The group or	the faction in the vil	lage/mohalla supported the	ne candidate.	
	3. We have fam	ily ties or good relati	ons with the candidate.		
	4. I/members of	my family have ben	efitted, or expect to benef	it from the cand	idate.
	5. I am impresso	ed by the candidate's	personality.		
	6. The candidate	e is accessible.			
4	7. Other (Specif	fy)		_ 8. Can't say	9. NA
Q8.	•		Lok Sabha elections tral Government in Do		? I mean the u able to cast your vote
 1	1. Yes	2. No	8. Don't ren	nember	
Q8a.	(If Yes) Who did y	ou vote for?		99.	NA
 -	(Consult codebo	ook for coding)			
Q9.	After this election	on who would yo	u prefer as the next C	hief Minister	of Maharashtra?
-	(Do not offer a	iny name & rec	ord exact answer ar	nd consult c	ode book for coding)
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Q10.	What is your opi	inion about the pe	erformance of the Cor	ngress- led Ul	PA Government during
-	the last five mor	nths – would you	ı say that you are sati	sfied or dissa	atisfied with it? (Probe
	further whether '	fully' or 'somewho	at' satisfied or dissatisf	ïed).	
	1. Fully satisfied	i	2. Somewhat satisfie	ed	
	3. Somewhat dis	ssatisfied	4. Fully dissatisfied		8. No opinion/DK
Q11.	Now I would like	ke to know your	opinion about coalitic		nt. While some people
	believe that the circumstances the good. What is yo	ere is no harm in the inere is no alternation our opinion in thi	n coalition governmive to it, and some beling regard?	ent, some believe that coali	elieve that in special ition government is not
	<ol> <li>There is no ha</li> <li>Coalition gov</li> </ol>	arm in it rernment is not good		Acceptable only Can't say/No op	in special circumstances pinion
Q12.	-	-	re- election alliances, onsult code book for a		would you have voted

Q13.	What is your assessment of	the work done by Con	ngress - NCP governme	ent in Maharashtra
	in last five years? would yo	ou say that you are satis	sfied or dissatisfied wi	th it?
	(Probe further whether 'fully	' or 'somewhat' satisfied	d or dissatisfied).	
	1. Fully satisfied	2. Somewhat s	atisfied	
	3. Somewhat dissatisfied	4. Fully dissati		opinion/DK
Q14.	Now compare the recently l	•		
 1	think in this election things like		-	
	decreased or remained the sa		-	-
	1. Increased	2. Same as bef		creased
015	4. Malpractices never take pl	•		1 2 4
Q15.	In an ordinary week, how re	• •	e newspaper - daily/ali	nost everyday, 3-4
	times a week, at least once		1 2 4 1	1 4 2
016	1. Daily/almost everyday	2. At least 3-4 times in a		
Q16.	In an ordinary week, how r 3-4 times a week, at least o		to news on radio - daily	y/almost everyday,
	•		yyaal 2 At laast ongo	a week 4. Never
015	1. Daily/almost everyday	2. At least 3-4 times in a		
Q17.	And what about watching i			
 1	news on TV - daily/almost	everyday, 3-4 times a v	week, at least once a w	eek or never?
	1. Daily/almost everyday	2. At least 3-4 times in a	week 3. At least once	a week 4. Never
Q18.	Have you heard or seen the	advertisement of parti	es/candidates on radio	or on T.V.?
1	1. Yes	2. No	8. Don't remem	ber
Q19.	Now I will ask you about the	•		
1	for electing the State Gover		•	
010-	1. Yes 2. No			n't remember
 1	(If Yes) Who did you vote for			
Q20.	Many outsiders (from other	_		
1	about it. According to some,		_	
	affecting the employment an			
	others who feel that there is think? (do not read the opt		oming to Manarashtra. V	vnat do you
		•		
	1. Effect on employment and but	ssiness opportunities.	2. No effect	
	3. Danger to Marathi culture		4. both 1 and 3	8. DK
Q21.	In your locality / area did y vote for any particular party		uring the election to do	ecide to
	1. Yes	2. No	8. DK	
Q22.	Did any spiritual / religious any Party or Candidate?	s personality or Guru /	Swami in your area de	clare support to
	1. Yes	2.No	8.DK	
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Q23.	Have you or any of y during the lasts two-	•	embers benefited	l from any Gov	ernment Scheme
Q23a.	1. Yes Which?	2.No ( <b>If no, g</b> e	o to Q24)		
Q23b.	(Write down name of (If yes) In order to a		•	•	ny one?
Q23c.	1. Yes 2.No ( <b>If yes to </b> <i>Q23b</i> ) Wh	8. DK ose help did y		read answers)	
Q24.	issues while voting.	hayat Member ble during these How about yo	5. Any 7. Any e election, we rea u? Which issues	alised that people did you consid	
	1.Agrarian issues		2. Security		3. Inflation
Q25.	4. Inadequete amenities i Some political partie In your opinion is th <i>unjustified</i> ).	s use the issue	· ·	guage and cultu	8. Can't say are to organise people. mewhat' justified or
	<ol> <li>Fully justified</li> <li>Somewhat unjustified</li> </ol>		newhat justfied ly unjustified	9 No.	opinion/DK
Q26.	As compared to five y	ears ago, how is	s the economic co	ondition of your l	-
Q27.	4. Worse There is the view that personal gifts such as mohalla/village, how	money/food/li	or a party or car quor from that pa	arty or candidate	e. In your area/locality/
	1. No one	2. Ver	ry few	3. Som	ne
Q28.	4. Many  Do people who receiprovided them or do receive from parties	ve such gifts f they finally vo	ote as they wish		y or candidate that
	1. Feel obliged	2. Vot	te as they wish	8. No o	opinion
Q29.	In this election many independent candida against the party or a	tes. Is it prope as independent	r to contest elec	tions by changi	•
Q30.	1. It is proper What is your opinion would you say that y 'fully' or 'somewhat' s	ou are satisfie	formance of the d or dissatisfied	your MLA dur	ing the last five years further whether
	<ol> <li>Fully satisfied</li> <li>Somewhat dissatisfied</li> </ol>		newhat satisfied ly dissatisfied	8 No.	opinion/DK
Q31.	Should the Congress		-		_
	1. Yes	2. No	8.Can't say		

## **BACKGROUND DATA Personal Information Z1.** Now let us talk about this village/ town you live in. How long have you lived here? (If not all life, probe for number of years lived here) 1. Less than 5 years 2. 5 to 10 years 3. More than 10 years 4. Entire life **Z1a.** (*If Not all life*) Where did you come from? Name of State: Name of District: **Z1b.** Where did your ancestors (grandparents) live? Name of State: Name of District:\_\_ What is your age? (In completed years) \_\_\_\_\_ (Recode 95 for age 95 years and above) **Z2. Z3.** Gender: 1. Male 2. Female **74.** What is your marital status? 1. Married (If both husband and wife live together) 2. Married, gauna not performed (Married but not started living together) 4. Divorced 3. Widowed 5. Separated 6. Deserted 7. Never married Up to what level have you studied\_\_\_\_\_\_(Record exactly and consult code book) **Z5. Z5a.** (If R studied and is less than 25 years of age) Are you still continuing your studies? 2. Yes 1. No 9. NA **Z5b.** (If Married) Up to what level has your husband/wife studied? \_\_\_\_\_ (Record $\mathbf{M}$ exactly and consult code book) **Z5c.** Up to what level have your father and your mother studied? Father:\_\_\_\_\_ Mother:\_\_\_\_ **Z6.** What is your main occupation? \_\_\_\_\_\_ (Record exactly and consult code book & if retired, try to ascertain his/her previous occupation) **Z6a.** (If Housewife) Aside from your housework, do you do anything that contributes to the family income? 2. Yes 1. No **Z6b.** (If Yes) What do you mainly do? (Do Not Read Answer Categories) 1. Works in the family farm/field 2. Runs petty shop/ sundry business/ day care centre in the family premises 3. Piecemeal work like rolling papad, incense sticks, making candles, embroidery/tailoring/poultry/spinning and weaving/food processing 4. Helps husband in his business/ profession 7. Any other work (*Specify*) \_\_\_\_\_\_ 9. NA **Z6c.** (*If Married*) What is your husband's/wife's occupation? \_\_\_\_(Record exactly and consult code book & if retired, try to ascertain his/her previous occupation) **Z6d.** What is/has been the main occupation of your father? (Record exactly and consult code book & if retired, try to ascertain his/her previous occupation)

What is /has been the main occupation of your mother? \_\_\_\_\_\_(Record

exactly and consult code book & if retired, try to ascertain his/her previous occupation)

**Z**6e.

	<b>Z7.</b>	What is your Caste/Jati-biradari/Tribe name?(Consult state
		code book, or master list)
*		Any other name by which your caste or subcaste is known?(Not to be coded)
	<b>Z</b> 7a.	And what is your caste group? (Double check and consult SC/ST/OBC list for the state)
		1. Scheduled Caste (SC) 2. Scheduled Tribe (ST)
		3. Other Backward Classes (OBC) 4. Other
	<b>Z8.</b>	What is your religion?
		1. Hindu 2. Muslim 3. Christian 4. Sikh 5. Buddhist/Neo Buddhist
		6. Jain 7. Animism 8. No religion 9. Others ( <i>Specify</i> )
	<b>Z</b> 9.	Generally, which language is spoken in your house?(Consult code
		book for coding)
	Z10.	Do you have a Voter identity card?
		1. Yes I have 2. Photographed, but did not get it 3. Have, but it has mistakes
		4. Do not have 5. Had, but lost it 7. Any other ( <i>Specify</i> )
		Household Information
	<b>N</b> T 4	Household Information
	Note:	Hereafter any reference to household would mean 'normal household' defined as a house where
		family members and relatives live. If R refers to an 'institutional household', for example old
	1	age homes, hostels, religious institutions, etc, ask about household back home.
	Z11.	Area/Locality: 1. Village 2. Town (Below 1 lakh)
		3. City (Above 1 lakh) 4. Metropolitan City (Above 10 lakh)
A C		(If in doubt consult the electoral roll. If not stated on electoral roll, then classify as village)
	<b>Z12.</b>	Total number of family members living in the household: Adults: Children: :
		(If more than 9, Code 9)
	Z13.	Total number of rooms in the house: (Count kitchen as a room but do not include
		bathroom/toilet/passage/verandah or any structure meant for storage of grains or keeping ani-
		mals. If more than 9, code 9)
	Z14.	Type of house where R lives (own or rented)
		1. Hut/ jhuggi jhopri (if wall materials used are plastic/polythene/mud /grass/leaves/stones/unburnt brick and
		there is either no roof or it is made up of same materials used for walls)
		2. Kutcha house (If wall materials include wood/bamboo/mud and roof is thatched/wooden/tin/asbestos sheets etc.)
		3. Kutcha-pucca (If walls are made up of pucca materials such as burnt brick but roof is not concrete/cemented)
		4. Mixed houses (If some rooms are pucca and other rooms are kutcha-pucca or kutcha)
		5. Pucca independent house (Both walls and roofs are made up of pucca materials and built on separate plot)
		6. Flats (If more than one house shares the same plot and the building is at least double storied)
	Z15.	Total agricultural land including orchard and plantation owned by household (as on date of
		survey):(Ask in local units, but record in standard acres. If more
		than 99, Code 99)
	Z15a.	Total irrigated land owned (as on date of survey):(Ask in local
		units, but record in standard acres. If more than 99, Code 99)

		Z15b.	Total agricultural land including orchard and plantation under cultiva-	ntion (in las	t 12 months):
			(Ask in local units, but record in standard acres. If m	ore than 99	, Code 99)
		Z16.	Do you or members of your household have the following:	Yes	No
	a.		a. Bicycle	1	0
	b.		<b>b.</b> LPG	1	0
	c.		c. Number of telephones (Landline and mobiles. If more than 9, code 9)		0
	d.		d. Electric fan/cooler	1	0
	e.		e. B/W Television	1	0
	f.		f. Colour Television	1	0
	g.		g. Cable connection	1	0
	h.		h. Number of scooters/motorcycles/mopeds (If more than 9, code 9)		0
	i.		i. Number of cars/jeeps/vans (If more than 9, code 9)		0
	j.		j. Tractor	1	0
	k.		k. Fridge	1	0
		Z17.	(If Rural) Livestock: (Record exact number and total value in Rupees. C	ode only to	tal value. If
			total value more than more than 1,00,000, code 99,999)		·
			Number Total val	ue (In Rupe	ees)
a.			a. Goat /sheep:		
b.			<b>b.</b> Cow/Oxen /buffalo/Camel:		
c			<b>c.</b> Any other:		
		Z18.	Total monthly household income - putting together the income of all monthly house hold?	nembers of	the
	Т		(Record exact amount in Rupees. If more than 1,00,000, code 99,	999.	
L			If respondent reports his/her income in terms of daily/weekly/	seasonal or	annual, ask
			for income in last working day/week/season or year. If daily,	, ask numb	er of days R
			worked last month and multiply with that number; if weekly, m	ultiply by 4	; if seasonal,
			ask the number of months in last season and divide with the	e number a	and if yearly/
			annual, divide by 12.)		
		If Dail	y; Income of last working day <b>X</b> days R worked last month: <b>X</b> _	=	
		If Weel	kly; Income of last working week <b>X</b> 4 : <b>X</b> 4 =	-	
		If Seas	onal; Income of last season ÷ months in last season: =	=	
		If Annu	nal; Income of last Year ÷ 12: ÷ 12 =		

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X1.	Time of completing the Interview:				
X1a.	Total time taken in completing the Inter	rview (Reco	ord in minutes):		
X2.	Were there any other people immediately present who might be listening duringthe interview				
	1. No one 2	2. Children		3. Husband/wife	e
	4. Other adult family members 5	5. Small crow	d		
X3.	In how many questions did the responduestions?	ndent check	with others for	or information	to answe
	1. None 2	2. One or two		3. Three to five	
	4. Five to ten 5	5. More than 1	0		
X4.	While answering the questions on voting	g preference	in the Lok Sabl	ha election, did t	he respo
	use the ballot paper secretly or did she/	he answer o	openly?		
	1. Secretly 2	2. Openly			
X5.	In your opinion did the respondent fee think that she/he was hesitant while ma		•		1c, or do
	1. Felt free 2. Did not	feel free	3. Car	n't say	
X6.	At some stage did you notice somethin under some fear or pressure?	g that made	you feel that t	he respondent w	as answ
	1. Yes 2. No		3. Not sure		
X7.	Overall was the respondent cooperative	e? 1. Yes	, very much	2. Somewhat	3. Not
X8.	Investigator's signature (Sign in box):				
X9.	Name of the Supervisor:				
X10.	Checked by the Supervisor:	1. Yes	2. No		
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X10.	Supervisor's signature (Sign in box):				
	-				