

Uttarakhand Postpoll 2022-Survey Findings

About the survey: The Post Poll survey was conducted between February 15 and 23, 2022 among 2690 electors at 104 polling stations spread across 26 assembly constituencies of Uttarakhand. The sampling design adopted was multi-stage systematic random sampling. The Assembly Constituencies were randomly selected using the probability proportional to size method. Thereafter, four polling stations within each of the sampled constituencies were selected using the systematic random sampling method. Within each polling station, 40 electors were randomly sampled from the electoral roll using the systematic random sampling method. Of these 40, 26 interviews were targeted. The interviews of electors were conducted face-to-face at their homes after voting had taken place in their area. The findings shown here have been weighted by gender, religion, locality, and caste group based on Census 2011 data and by the actual vote shares secured by the main parties – BJP, Congress, BSP and AAP - in the election.

A6: What type of location is it?

	N	(%)
1: Village	1934	71.9
2: Town (Has less than 1 lakh population and with either a Nagar Panchayat or Nagar Palika)	330	12.3
3: Small City (Has 1 lakh to 9 lakh population and with either a Nagar Palika or Nagar Nigam)	283	10.5
4: Medium City (Has 10 lakh to 19 lakh population and with a Nagar Nigam)	4	.2
5: Big City (Has 20 lakh to 49 lakh population and with a Nagar Nigam)	139	5.2
Total	2690	100.0

Q1: Some people here told us that they could not vote in the assembly elections. Tell me, were you able to vote or not?

	N	(%)
01: Yes, Voted	2575	95.7
02: No, could not vote	115	4.3
Total	2690	100.0

a: (If 1 in Q1) So which party did you vote for in this assembly constituency?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Congress	976	36.3	37.9
	02: BJP or BJP allies	1142	42.4	44.3
	03: Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP)	124	4.6	4.8
	04: AAP	85	3.2	3.3
	06: Samajwadi Party or SP allies	26	1.0	1.0
	07: CPI	20	.7	.8

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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	28: AIMIM	3	.1	.1
	41: Uttarakhand Kranti Dal	74	2.7	2.9
	80: Any other party	91	3.4	3.6
	90: NOTA	21	.8	.8
	98: Did not respond	13	.5	.5
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not voted	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

aa: (If 1 in Q1) Did the respondent answer the vote question secretly or directly?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Secretly (I could not see)	1509	56.1	58.6
	02: Directly told/showed	937	34.8	36.4
	03: Did not reveal at all	129	4.8	5.0
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

ab: How many people were there around the respondent when you asked the vote question?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	00: No One	1306	48.5	50.7
	01: One	600	22.3	23.3
	02: Two	356	13.2	13.8
	03: Three	133	5.0	5.2
	04: Four	180	6.7	7.0
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not voted	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

b: (If 1 in Q1) The party or candidate that you voted for this time - did you really want to vote for it, or did you vote for it because other parties or candidates were bad, or you voted for it because you wanted to defeat some other party or candidate?

	N	(%)	Valid (%)
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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Really wanted to vote for it	2362	87.8	91.7
	02: Because other parties or candidates were bad	106	3.9	4.1
	03: Because wanted to defeat someone else	26	1.0	1.0
	97: Any other reason	30	1.1	1.2
	98: Did not respond	52	1.9	2.0
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

- c: **(If 1 in Q1)** When did you take the final decision about whom to vote for - on the day of voting, a day or two before voting, during the election campaign, after the announcement of candidates or before the campaign began?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: On polling day	161	6.0	6.2
	02: A day or two before voting	123	4.6	4.8
	03: During the election campaign	297	11.1	11.5
	04: After the declaration of candidates	345	12.8	13.4
	05: Before the start of the election campaign	1591	59.2	61.8
	97: Any other answer	22	.8	.9
	98: No response	36	1.3	1.4
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

- d: **(If 1 in Q1)** Did the election officer mark your finger properly with ink?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Saw and found the mark	2304	85.7	89.5
	02: Saw but found no mark	77	2.8	3.0
	03: Could not see the finger	194	7.2	7.5
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

- e: **(If 1 in Q1)** What was the most important issue for you while voting in the assembly elections?

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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Development	1123	41.7	43.6
	02: Functioning of the government	223	8.3	8.7
	03: Change/removal of the government	165	6.1	6.4
	04: Bringing back the government	76	2.8	2.9
	05: Give chance to a new party	28	1.1	1.1
	06: Vote for a particular leader/party/candidate	75	2.8	2.9
	07: Angry with MLA	12	.5	.5
	08: Teaching a lesson to defectors	1	.0	.0
	09: Welfare schemes/ration/money in bank account	34	1.3	1.3
	10: Inflation/rising prices	150	5.6	5.8
	11: Unemployment/recruitment /industries	348	12.9	13.5
	12: Poverty / Hunger / Economic Crisis	46	1.7	1.8
	14: Water related issues	4	.1	.1
	15: Condition of road/bridge	25	.9	1.0
	16: Dirt, sewer, drain, drainage Problem	14	.5	.5
	17: Issues related to education/school/college	28	1.0	1.1
	18: Health/Hospital/Medical Issues	18	.7	.7
	19: Coronavirus related/deaths/vaccine	1	.0	.0
	20: Lockdown related/migrant laborers	1	.0	.0
	21: Farmer issues, crop/seed/manure/price/MSP	16	.6	.6
	25: Stray animal/stray cows menace	1	.0	.0
	26: Damage due to flood, rain	3	.1	.1
	27: Corruption/scam/bribery	8	.3	.3
	29: Atrocities on women/women's safety/injustice	2	.1	.1
	30: Women's upliftment/participation	5	.2	.2
	31: Ram Mandir / Hindutva	5	.2	.2
	32: Answer related to religion/religious honor	5	.2	.2
	33: Atrocities on Muslims	4	.1	.1
	35: Answer related to caste/caste respect/identity	2	.1	.1
	36: Nationalism/China-Pakistan issue/Terrorism	5	.2	.2
	38: Enviroment related	2	.1	.1
	40. Protect state's Identity/culture	2	.1	.1
	41: The issue of drugs, alcohol, intoxication	3	.1	.1
	43: Double engine government	26	1.0	1.0
	44: Government teachers, employees-related	1	.0	.0

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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	97: Any other issue not mentioned above	33	1.2	1.3
	98: Did not respond	82	3.0	3.2
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

f: **(If 1 in Q1)** Did you take anyone's advice while deciding whom to vote for, and if so, whose?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	00: No, did not take advice	2259	84.0	87.7
	01: Spouse (husband/wife)	161	6.0	6.2
	02: Father/brother/uncle	40	1.5	1.6
	03: Mother/sister/aunt	1	.0	.0
	04: Any other family member	47	1.7	1.8
	05: Caste-community leader	7	.2	.3
	06: Friend/neighbor/co-worker	7	.3	.3
	07: Village head/sarpanch	3	.1	.1
	08: Local political leader/activist	4	.1	.1
	09: Took advice but in the end I made my own decision	31	1.1	1.2
	97: Any other answer	1	.0	.0
	98: Did not respond	15	.6	.6
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

g: **(If 2 in Q1)** What was the main reason for not being able to vote in this election?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Was not in the city/village on voting day	43	1.6	37.8
	02: Was sick/ill	32	1.2	27.9
	03: Not interested in voting/ did not feel like voting	7	.3	6.2
	05: Did not have proof of identity	5	.2	4.3
	07: Voting doesn't make a difference	2	.1	1.6

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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	08: Lack of development, so sat at home	2	.1	1.6
	11: Name not found in voter list at booth	5	.2	4.4
	12: Fear of getting coronavirus	1	.0	.8
	13: It was taking too long at the booth, so I came back	2	.1	1.9
	14: Voting station was far away	2	.1	1.6
	97: Any other answer	5	.2	4.0
	98: Did not respond	9	.3	7.8
	Total	115	4.3	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	2575	95.7	
Total		2690	100.0	

Q2: Did you do all this during the election campaign?

a: Attended an election meeting/procession/rally

		N	(%)
	01: Yes	425	15.8
	02: No	2240	83.3
	98: No response	25	.9
	Total	2690	100.0

b: Did door-to-door campaigning for a party/candidate

		N	(%)
	01: Yes	262	9.8
	02: No	2396	89.1
	98: No response	31	1.2
	Total	2690	100.0

c: Donated or collected money for a party/candidate

		N	(%)
	01: Yes	61	2.3
	02: No	2605	96.8
	98: No response	24	.9

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d: Distributed pamphlets or put up posters of any party/candidate

	N	(%)
01: Yes	201	7.5
02: No	2451	91.1
98: No response	38	1.4
Total	2690	100.0

e: Watched election related programs on phone, computer or TV

	N	(%)
01: Yes	575	21.4
02: No	2087	77.6
98: No response	28	1.1
Total	2690	100.0

f: Joined a party or a candidate's group on WhatsApp or shared news in their favor

	N	(%)
01: Yes	142	5.3
02: No	2512	93.4
98: No response	35	1.3
Total	2690	100.0

Q3: Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the work done by the current MLA of your area during the last five years?

	N	(%)
01: Fully satisfied	756	28.1
02: Somewhat satisfied	789	29.3
03: Somewhat dissatisfied	433	16.1
04: Fully dissatisfied	626	23.3
98: No response	86	3.2
Total	2690	100.0

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Q4: During the election campaign, did any candidate, campaigner or worker from these parties come to your house to ask for your vote?

a: Congress

	N	(%)
01: Yes	1888	70.2
02: No	757	28.2
98: No response	45	1.7
Total	2690	100.0

b: BJP or allies

	N	(%)
01: Yes	1863	69.2
02: No	779	29.0
98: No response	48	1.8
Total	2690	100.0

c: Aam Aadmi Party

	N	(%)
01: Yes	1221	45.4
02: No	1415	52.6
98: No response	55	2.0
Total	2690	100.0

d: Bahujan Samaj Party

	N	(%)
01: Yes	789	29.3
02: No	1831	68.0
98: No response	70	2.6
Total	2690	100.0

e: Samajwadi Party or its allies

	N	(%)
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01: Yes	494	18.4
02: No	2125	79.0
98: No response	71	2.6
Total	2690	100.0

j: Any other party

	N	(%)
01: Yes	737	27.4
02: No	1885	70.1
98: No response	68	2.5
Total	2690	100.0

Q5: And during the campaign, did these parties contact you through phone call or recorded voice or SMS or WhatsApp?

a: Congress party

	N	(%)
01: Yes	400	14.9
02: No	2254	83.8
98: No response	36	1.3
Total	2690	100.0

b: BJP or allies

	N	(%)
01: Yes	479	17.8
02: No	2180	81.0
98: No response	31	1.1
Total	2690	100.0

c: Aam Aadmi Party

	N	(%)
01: Yes	457	17.0
02: No	2200	81.8
98: No response	33	1.2
Total	2690	100.0

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d: Bahujan Samaj Party

	N	(%)
01: Yes	160	5.9
02: No	2495	92.7
98: No response	35	1.3
Total	2690	100.0

e: Samajwadi Party or its allies

	N	(%)
01: Yes	116	4.3
02: No	2539	94.4
98: No response	35	1.3
Total	2690	100.0

j: Any other party

	N	(%)
01: Yes	125	4.7
02: No	2527	93.9
98: No response	38	1.4
Total	2690	100.0

Q6: After the assembly election results, who would you like to see as the next Chief Minister of Uttarakhand?

	N	(%)
100: Pushkar Singh Dhami	1020	37.9
101: Tirath Singh Rawat	5	.2
102: Trivendra Singh Rawat	23	.9
103: Madan Kaushik	20	.8
104: Anil Baluni	9	.3
105: Satpal Maharaj	28	1.0
106: Vijay Bahuguna	1	.0
119: Any other BJP leader	45	1.7
120: Harish Rawat	603	22.4

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	N	(%)
121: Ganesh Godiyal	2	.1
122: Pritam Singh	68	2.5
123: Yashpal Arya	13	.5
128: Pradeep Tamta	1	.0
129: Kazi Nizamuddin	7	.3
139: Any other Congress leader	28	1.0
140: Colonel Ajay Kothiyal	46	1.7
141: Bhupesh Upadhyay	3	.1
143: Prem Singh Rathore	2	.1
144: Arvind Kejriwal	19	.7
149: Any other AAP leader	1	.0
151: Harak Singh Rawat	4	.1
152: Mayawati	37	1.4
990: Any other leader not mentioned above	72	2.7
995: Anyone can become Chief Minister	446	16.6
998: No response	188	7.0
Total	2690	100.0

Q7: (If 1 in Q1) When deciding about whom to vote for in this election, what did you pay more attention to – the party or the candidate?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Party	1518	56.4	58.9
	02: Candidate	887	33.0	34.4
	03: Took a leader's name	63	2.4	2.5
	04: Both	12	.4	.5
	97: Something else	28	1.1	1.1
	98: Did not respond	67	2.5	2.6
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

Q8a: Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the work of the BJP government of Uttarakhand in the last five years?

	N	(%)
01: Fully satisfied	690	25.6

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	N	(%)
02: Somewhat satisfied	725	27.0
03: Somewhat dissatisfied	438	16.3
04: Fully dissatisfied	758	28.2
98: No response	78	2.9
Total	2690	100.0

Q8b: Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the work of Trivendra Singh Rawat for 4 years as Chief Minister?

	N	(%)
01: Fully satisfied	290	10.8
02: Somewhat satisfied	589	21.9
03: Somewhat dissatisfied	576	21.4
04: Fully dissatisfied	1093	40.6
98: No response	143	5.3
Total	2690	100.0

Q8c: And are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the work of Pushkar Singh Dhami as Chief Minister for the last 6 months?

	N	(%)
01: Fully satisfied	728	27.1
02: Somewhat satisfied	859	31.9
03: Somewhat dissatisfied	335	12.4
04: Fully dissatisfied	558	20.7
98: No response	211	7.8
Total	2690	100.0

Q9: Keeping aside your favorite party in this election, tell me, which party did you like the most or feel closest to around 4 to 5 years ago?

	N	(%)
01: Congress	960	35.7
02: BJP	1148	42.7
03: Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP)	72	2.7

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	N	(%)
04: AAP	64	2.4
06: Samajwadi Party	19	.7
07: CPI	3	.1
28: AIMIM	0	.0
41: Uttarakhand Kranti Dal	54	2.0
80: Any other party	5	.2
85: Independent	16	.6
90: NOTA/No party	129	4.8
98: Did not respond	221	8.2
Total	2690	100.0

Q10: Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the work of the Narendra Modi-led BJP/NDA government at the Center for the last three years?

	N	(%)
01: Fully satisfied	1425	53.0
02: Somewhat satisfied	622	23.1
03: Somewhat dissatisfied	268	10.0
04: Fully dissatisfied	302	11.2
98: No response	72	2.7
Total	2690	100.0

Q11: *(If Voted in Q1)* Think carefully and tell me - how much did these different issues affect your decision about who to vote for in this election – a very great deal, quite a lot, somewhat, very little or not at all?

(i): Issue of deaths due to Covid

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	639	23.8	24.8
	02: Quite a lot	448	16.6	17.4
	03: Somewhat	251	9.3	9.8
	04: Very little	228	8.5	8.9
	05: Not at all	761	28.3	29.5
	98: No response	248	9.2	9.6
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	

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(ii): Issue of development

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	1730	64.3	67.2
	02: Quite a lot	401	14.9	15.6
	03: Somewhat	95	3.6	3.7
	04: Very little	54	2.0	2.1
	05: Not at all	171	6.3	6.6
	98: No response	125	4.6	4.8
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(iii): Issue of protecting one's religious identity or religion

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	605	22.5	23.5
	02: Quite a lot	328	12.2	12.7
	03: Somewhat	292	10.8	11.3
	04: Very little	305	11.3	11.8
	05: Not at all	827	30.8	32.1
	98: No response	218	8.1	8.5
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(iv): Issue of unemployment

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	1765	65.6	68.5
	02: Quite a lot	346	12.9	13.4
	03: Somewhat	93	3.5	3.6
	04: Very little	55	2.0	2.1
	05: Not at all	185	6.9	7.2
	98: No response	131	4.9	5.1
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0

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Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(v): Issue of communalism and hate politics

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	376	14.0	14.6
	02: Quite a lot	199	7.4	7.7
	03: Somewhat	259	9.6	10.1
	04: Very little	371	13.8	14.4
	05: Not at all	1084	40.3	42.1
	98: No response	285	10.6	11.1
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(vi): Issue of your caste identity or caste-based discrimination

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	372	13.8	14.4
	02: Quite a lot	259	9.6	10.0
	03: Somewhat	246	9.1	9.6
	04: Very little	354	13.2	13.7
	05: Not at all	1090	40.5	42.3
	98: No response	254	9.5	9.9
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(vii): Issue of corruption

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	1331	49.5	51.7
	02: Quite a lot	440	16.3	17.1
	03: Somewhat	162	6.0	6.3
	04: Very little	117	4.4	4.6
	05: Not at all	349	13.0	13.6
	98: No response	176	6.5	6.8

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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(viii): Issue of inflation

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	1762	65.5	68.4
	02: Quite a lot	340	12.7	13.2
	03: Somewhat	96	3.6	3.7
	04: Very little	52	1.9	2.0
	05: Not at all	201	7.5	7.8
	98: No response	124	4.6	4.8
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(ix): Issue of food grains or money received from the government

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	362	13.4	14.0
	02: Quite a lot	299	11.1	11.6
	03: Somewhat	270	10.0	10.5
	04: Very little	279	10.4	10.8
	05: Not at all	1122	41.7	43.6
	98: No response	244	9.1	9.5
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(x): Issue of having the same party government at the center and in the state

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	520	19.3	20.2
	02: Quite a lot	294	10.9	11.4
	03: Somewhat	249	9.3	9.7
	04: Very little	295	11.0	11.5

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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	05: Not at all	945	35.1	36.7
	98: No response	271	10.1	10.5
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(xi): Promise of money every month or any other populist promise by the parties

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	174	6.5	6.8
	02: Quite a lot	211	7.8	8.2
	03: Somewhat	224	8.3	8.7
	04: Very little	339	12.6	13.2
	05: Not at all	1314	48.9	51.0
	98: No response	312	11.6	12.1
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(xii): Issue of leaders jumping from one party to another before the election

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	289	10.7	11.2
	02: Quite a lot	268	10.0	10.4
	03: Somewhat	217	8.1	8.4
	04: Very little	285	10.6	11.1
	05: Not at all	1188	44.2	46.1
	98: No response	329	12.2	12.8
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(xiii): Issue of Ram temple construction in Ayodhya

	N	(%)	Valid (%)
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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	741	27.6	28.8
	02: Quite a lot	337	12.5	13.1
	03: Somewhat	192	7.1	7.4
	04: Very little	217	8.1	8.4
	05: Not at all	801	29.8	31.1
	98: No response	287	10.7	11.1
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

Q12: Who do you consider most responsible for the deaths due to Covid in the month of April-May last year?

	N	(%)
01: Government	302	11.2
02: State Government	85	3.2
03: Central Government	187	7.0
04: People, themselves	599	22.3
05: Both Government and People	318	11.8
06: Poor health services	160	5.9
07: Doctors/Health Staff	32	1.2
08: Not getting the vaccine on time	28	1.1
09: Bad Luck	135	5.0
10: Covid itself	335	12.5
11: China	280	10.4
97: Something else	116	4.3
98: No response	113	4.2
Total	2690	100.0

Q13: *(If Voted in Q1)* Think carefully and tell me - how much did these different issues affect your decision about who to vote for in this election – a very great deal, quite a lot, somewhat, very little or not at all?

(ii): Issue of Lakhimpur Kheri incident

	N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	344	12.8
	02: Quite a lot	274	10.2

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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	03: Somewhat	171	6.4	6.6
	04: Very little	163	6.1	6.3
	05: Not at all	815	30.3	31.6
	98: No response	808	30.0	31.4
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(iii): Issue related to the farmers' movement

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	507	18.9	19.7
	02: Quite a lot	305	11.3	11.8
	03: Somewhat	237	8.8	9.2
	04: Very little	202	7.5	7.8
	05: Not at all	767	28.5	29.8
	98: No response	557	20.7	21.6
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(iv): Issue of crop payment

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	468	17.4	18.2
	02: Quite a lot	228	8.5	8.9
	03: Somewhat	234	8.7	9.1
	04: Very little	227	8.4	8.8
	05: Not at all	832	30.9	32.3
	98: No response	586	21.8	22.8
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(viii): Issue of pollution and protection of environment

	N	(%)	Valid (%)
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Valid	01: A very great deal	778	28.9	30.2
	02: Quite a lot	452	16.8	17.5
	03: Somewhat	286	10.6	11.1
	04: Very little	172	6.4	6.7
	05: Not at all	525	19.5	20.4
	98: No response	363	13.5	14.1
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(ix): Issue of protecting your state's culture

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	789	29.3	30.6
	02: Quite a lot	420	15.6	16.3
	03: Somewhat	274	10.2	10.6
	04: Very little	173	6.4	6.7
	05: Not at all	538	20.0	20.9
	98: No response	381	14.2	14.8
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(x): Issue of making Gairsain the only capital

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	440	16.3	17.1
	02: Quite a lot	332	12.3	12.9
	03: Somewhat	222	8.2	8.6
	04: Very little	196	7.3	7.6
	05: Not at all	810	30.1	31.5
	98: No response	576	21.4	22.4
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

(xi): Decision to dissolve Devasthanam Board

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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: A very great deal	165	6.1	6.4
	02: Quite a lot	223	8.3	8.7
	03: Somewhat	148	5.5	5.8
	04: Very little	267	9.9	10.4
	05: Not at all	855	31.8	33.2
	98: No response	917	34.1	35.6
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

Q14: Now I will ask you about some government schemes. Tell me, have you or your family ever benefited from these in the last five years? And if so, from which government - the state government, the central government or both?

(i): Completely free ration

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	561	20.9
02: Yes Centre	705	26.2
03: Yes, Both	326	12.1
04: Yes, but don't know	230	8.6
05: Not benefited	531	19.7
06: Not eligible	304	11.3
98: No response	32	1.2
Total	2690	100.0

(ii): Subsidised ration under PDS

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	627	23.3
02: Yes Centre	511	19.0
03: Yes, Both	308	11.5
04: Yes, but don't know	306	11.4
05: Not benefited	597	22.2
06: Not eligible	305	11.3
98: No response	36	1.4
Total	2690	100.0

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(iii): Money in bank account under Kisan Samman Nidhi

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	230	8.6
02: Yes Centre	666	24.8
03: Yes, Both	167	6.2
04: Yes, but don't know	222	8.2
05: Not benefited	749	27.8
06: Not eligible	597	22.2
98: No response	60	2.2
Total	2690	100.0

(iv): Money in bank account under any other government scheme

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	168	6.3
02: Yes Centre	282	10.5
03: Yes, Both	121	4.5
04: Yes, but don't know	304	11.3
05: Not benefited	1272	47.3
06: Not eligible	462	17.2
98: No response	80	3.0
Total	2690	100.0

(v): Fertilizers, seed, machinery etc. under any agricultural scheme

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	136	5.1
02: Yes Centre	124	4.6
03: Yes, Both	99	3.7
04: Yes, but don't know	185	6.9
05: Not benefited	1383	51.4
06: Not eligible	695	25.8
98: No response	69	2.6
Total	2690	100.0

(vi): Work/money under MGNREGA

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	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	251	9.3
02: Yes Centre	282	10.5
03: Yes, Both	137	5.1
04: Yes, but don't know	192	7.1
05: Not benefited	1196	44.4
06: Not eligible	564	21.0
98: No response	68	2.5
Total	2690	100.0

(vii): Smart phone or laptop from the government or money to buy it

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	49	1.8
02: Yes Centre	67	2.5
03: Yes, Both	77	2.9
04: Yes, but don't know	125	4.7
05: Not benefited	1626	60.4
06: Not eligible	665	24.7
98: No response	81	3.0
Total	2690	100.0

(viii): Cycle or scooty or bike from the government or money to buy

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	19	.7
02: Yes Centre	50	1.9
03: Yes, Both	76	2.8
04: Yes, but don't know	117	4.4
05: Not benefited	1689	62.8
06: Not eligible	643	23.9
98: No response	94	3.5
Total	2690	100.0

Q15: Think carefully and tell, how important are these characteristics of a candidate to you when casting your vote – a very great deal, quite a lot, somewhat, very little or not at all?

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(i): Candidate is young

	N	(%)
01: A very great deal	1047	38.9
02: Quite a lot	634	23.6
03: Somewhat	328	12.2
04: Very little	211	7.9
05: Not at all	363	13.5
98: No response	106	3.9
Total	2690	100.0

(ii): Candidate's work and performance

	N	(%)
01: A very great deal	1932	71.8
02: Quite a lot	471	17.5
03: Somewhat	91	3.4
04: Very little	49	1.8
05: Not at all	60	2.2
98: No response	87	3.2
Total	2690	100.0

(iii): Candidate being a woman

	N	(%)
01: A very great deal	435	16.2
02: Quite a lot	304	11.3
03: Somewhat	427	15.9
04: Very little	446	16.6
05: Not at all	926	34.4
98: No response	152	5.7
Total	2690	100.0

(iv): Candidate's educational qualification

	N	(%)
01: A very great deal	1695	63.0
02: Quite a lot	549	20.4

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03: Somewhat	151	5.6
04: Very little	81	3.0
05: Not at all	117	4.3
98: No response	96	3.6
Total	2690	100.0

(v): Which party is the candidate from

	N	(%)
01: A very great deal	1088	40.4
02: Quite a lot	433	16.1
03: Somewhat	285	10.6
04: Very little	175	6.5
05: Not at all	595	22.1
98: No response	115	4.3
Total	2690	100.0

(vi): Candidate's religion

	N	(%)
01: A very great deal	422	15.7
02: Quite a lot	231	8.6
03: Somewhat	173	6.4
04: Very little	263	9.8
05: Not at all	1466	54.5
98: No response	134	5.0
Total	2690	100.0

(vii): Candidate's caste

	N	(%)
01: A very great deal	307	11.4
02: Quite a lot	198	7.4
03: Somewhat	218	8.1
04: Very little	281	10.4
05: Not at all	1554	57.8
98: No response	131	4.9
Total	2690	100.0

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(viii): Candidate's personality/image

	N	(%)
01: A very great deal	1468	54.6
02: Quite a lot	571	21.2
03: Somewhat	170	6.3
04: Very little	95	3.5
05: Not at all	275	10.2
98: No response	112	4.2
Total	2690	100.0

(ix): Whether candidate resides in/is a native of the same area as yours

	N	(%)
01: A very great deal	1026	38.1
02: Quite a lot	428	15.9
03: Somewhat	305	11.3
04: Very little	190	7.1
05: Not at all	602	22.4
98: No response	139	5.2
Total	2690	100.0

Q16: Which party would be best to protect the interests of your caste-community?

	N	(%)
01: Congress	806	30.0
02: BJP	1209	45.0
03: Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP)	91	3.4
04: AAP	35	1.3
06: Samajwadi Party	7	.3
07: CPI	3	.1
28: AIMIM	10	.4
41: Uttarakhand Kranti Dal	39	1.4
80: Any other party	2	.1
85: Independent	20	.7
90: NOTA/No party	166	6.2
98: Did not respond	301	11.2

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Total	2690	100.0
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Q17. Now I will read a few sentences. Tell me do you agree or disagree with them?

- a: The government should protect the interests of the religious minorities of the state, even if it is not liked by the majority religious community

	N	(%)
01: Fully agree	975	36.2
02: Somewhat agree	643	23.9
03: Somewhat disagree	312	11.6
04: Fully disagree	284	10.6
98: No response	477	17.7
Total	2690	100.0

- b: For the development of the state, it is necessary that the party which is in power at the Centre should also be in power in the state

	N	(%)
01: Fully agree	883	32.8
02: Somewhat agree	598	22.2
03: Somewhat disagree	385	14.3
04: Fully disagree	453	16.8
98: No response	371	13.8
Total	2690	100.0

- c: Prime Minister Narendra Modi should remove minister Ajay Mishra Teni from his cabinet due to the Lakhimpur Kheri incident

	N	(%)
01: Fully agree	591	22.0
02: Somewhat agree	366	13.6
03: Somewhat disagree	247	9.2
04: Fully disagree	376	14.0
98: No response	1110	41.3
Total	2690	100.0

- i: Development is being done in the state by ignoring environmental concerns

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	N	(%)
01: Fully agree	745	27.7
02: Somewhat agree	662	24.6
03: Somewhat disagree	319	11.9
04: Fully disagree	345	12.8
98: No response	619	23.0
Total	2690	100.0

Q18: (*If 1. Voted in Q1*) While deciding who to vote for in the assembly elections, whose work did you consider more/give more importance to - the State government or the Modi government?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: State Government	447	16.6	17.4
	02: Modi Government	1010	37.6	39.2
	03: Both	406	15.1	15.8
	04: Legislator's work	396	14.7	15.4
	98: No response	316	11.7	12.3
	Total	2575	95.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	115	4.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

Q19: Now I will ask you about the assessment of some of the works done by the state government. In your opinion, have these things improved or worsened in the last five years?

a: Condition of roads

	N	(%)
01: Improved	1390	51.7
02: Worsened	689	25.6
03: As good as before	248	9.2
04: As bad as before	327	12.2
98: No response	36	1.4
Total	2690	100.0

b: Power supply

	N	(%)
01: Improved	1710	63.6

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02: Worsened	341	12.7
03: As good as before	454	16.9
04: As bad as before	158	5.9
98: No response	27	1.0
Total	2690	100.0

c: Drinking water supply

	N	(%)
01: Improved	1515	56.3
02: Worsened	387	14.4
03: As good as before	439	16.3
04: As bad as before	314	11.7
98: No response	35	1.3
Total	2690	100.0

d: Condition of government schools

	N	(%)
01: Improved	854	31.8
02: Worsened	780	29.0
03: As good as before	399	14.8
04: As bad as before	533	19.8
98: No response	123	4.6
Total	2690	100.0

e: Condition of government hospitals

	N	(%)
01: Improved	646	24.0
02: Worsened	895	33.3
03: As good as before	329	12.2
04: As bad as before	662	24.6
98: No response	158	5.9
Total	2690	100.0

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f: Condition of farmers

	N	(%)
01: Improved	392	14.6
02: Worsened	913	34.0
03: As good as before	278	10.3
04: As bad as before	632	23.5
98: No response	475	17.7
Total	2690	100.0

g: Timely payment of crop

	N	(%)
01: Improved	327	12.2
02: Worsened	682	25.3
03: As good as before	262	9.7
04: As bad as before	621	23.1
98: No response	797	29.6
Total	2690	100.0

Q20: Have these things increased or decreased in your area/district in the last five years?

(i): Crime like theft, dacoity, robbery, murder, rape

	N	(%)
01: Increased a lot	188	7.0
02: Increased somewhat	264	9.8
03: Decreased somewhat	213	7.9
04: Decreased a lot	532	19.8
05: As high as before	74	2.8
06: As low as before	1135	42.2
98: No response	283	10.5
Total	2690	100.0

(ii): Prices of essential commodities

	N	(%)
01: Increased a lot	1863	69.3

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02: Increased somewhat	479	17.8
03: Decreased somewhat	62	2.3
04: Decreased a lot	49	1.8
05: As high as before	36	1.3
06: As low as before	129	4.8
98: No response	71	2.6
Total	2690	100.0

(iii): Unemployment

	N	(%)
01: Increased a lot	1952	72.6
02: Increased somewhat	380	14.1
03: Decreased somewhat	76	2.8
04: Decreased a lot	66	2.5
05: As high as before	39	1.4
06: As low as before	103	3.8
98: No response	74	2.7
Total	2690	100.0

(iv): Tension or animosity between religious communities

	N	(%)
01: Increased a lot	266	9.9
02: Increased somewhat	246	9.2
03: Decreased somewhat	175	6.5
04: Decreased a lot	434	16.1
05: As high as before	179	6.7
06: As low as before	1085	40.3
98: No response	305	11.3
Total	2690	100.0

(v): Caste based tension or animosity

	N	(%)
01: Increased a lot	197	7.3
02: Increased somewhat	234	8.7
03: Decreased somewhat	183	6.8

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04: Decreased a lot	416	15.5
05: As high as before	199	7.4
06: As low as before	1146	42.6
98: No response	314	11.7
Total	2690	100.0

(vi): Bribery, dishonesty, corruption

	N	(%)
01: Increased a lot	759	28.2
02: Increased somewhat	456	17.0
03: Decreased somewhat	250	9.3
04: Decreased a lot	260	9.7
05: As high as before	138	5.1
06: As low as before	620	23.1
98: No response	206	7.7
Total	2690	100.0

(vii): Drug abuse, addiction

	N	(%)
01: Increased a lot	606	22.5
02: Increased somewhat	448	16.6
03: Decreased somewhat	197	7.3
04: Decreased a lot	297	11.0
05: As high as before	140	5.2
06: As low as before	684	25.4
98: No response	318	11.8
Total	2690	100.0

Q21: Which party would be best to protect the interests of your religion?

	N	(%)
01: Congress	783	29.1
02: BJP	1285	47.8
03: Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP)	92	3.4

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	N	(%)
04: AAP	35	1.3
06: Samajwadi Party	5	.2
28: AIMIM	10	.4
41: Uttarakhand Kranti Dal	34	1.3
80: Any other party	4	.2
85: Independent	17	.6
90: NOTA/No party	164	6.1
98: Did not respond	261	9.7
Total	2690	100.0

Q22: Now I will ask you about some more government schemes. Tell me, have you or your family ever benefited from these in the last five years? And if so, from which government - the state government, the central government or both?

(i): Free or cheap health treatment/ health insurance

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	239	8.9
02: Yes Centre	395	14.7
03: Yes, Both	125	4.6
04: Yes, but don't know	269	10.0
05: Not benefited	1279	47.5
06: Not eligible	317	11.8
98: No response	67	2.5
Total	2690	100.0

(ii): Money/financial assistance for girl's marriage

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	78	2.9
02: Yes Centre	89	3.3
03: Yes, Both	80	3.0
04: Yes, but don't know	156	5.8
05: Not benefited	1614	60.0
06: Not eligible	592	22.0
98: No response	81	3.0
Total	2690	100.0

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(iii): Help/money to build a house or home or getting ownership of a house

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	78	2.9
02: Yes Centre	90	3.3
03: Yes, Both	101	3.8
04: Yes, but don't know	136	5.0
05: Not benefited	1754	65.2
06: Not eligible	442	16.4
98: No response	90	3.4
Total	2690	100.0

(iv): Help/money for employment or skill development or starting a business

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	34	1.3
02: Yes Centre	68	2.5
03: Yes, Both	72	2.7
04: Yes, but don't know	139	5.2
05: Not benefited	1828	67.9
06: Not eligible	444	16.5
98: No response	105	3.9
Total	2690	100.0

(v): Government scheme for visiting/travelling to religious places

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	37	1.4
02: Yes Centre	52	1.9
03: Yes, Both	76	2.8
04: Yes, but don't know	156	5.8
05: Not benefited	1848	68.7
06: Not eligible	416	15.5
98: No response	106	3.9
Total	2690	100.0

(vi): Electricity and water at free or cheap rates

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	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	53	2.0
02: Yes Centre	56	2.1
03: Yes, Both	73	2.7
04: Yes, but don't know	141	5.3
05: Not benefited	1858	69.1
06: Not eligible	410	15.3
98: No response	98	3.6
Total	2690	100.0

(vii): Bill waiver or loan waiver

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	24	.9
02: Yes Centre	55	2.0
03: Yes, Both	70	2.6
04: Yes, but don't know	117	4.4
05: Not benefited	1873	69.6
06: Not eligible	443	16.5
98: No response	108	4.0
Total	2690	100.0

(viii): Received money regularly for the upliftment of girls, daughters

	N	(%)
01: Yes, State	62	2.3
02: Yes Centre	61	2.3
03: Yes, Both	73	2.7
04: Yes, but don't know	136	5.1
05: Not benefited	1747	65.0
06: Not eligible	494	18.4
98: No response	116	4.3
Total	2690	100.0

Q23: In the last five years, has your household got an LPG cylinder under the Ujjwala scheme?

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	N	(%)
01: Yes	897	33.3
02: No	1464	54.4
03: Not eligible	256	9.5
98: Did not respond	73	2.7
Total	2690	100.0

a: *(If 1 in Q23)* Are you still getting the LPG cylinder filled that you got under the Ujjwala scheme or have you stopped re-filling it?

	N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Still getting it filled for use	798	29.7
	02: Stopped re-filling it	88	3.3
	98: No response	10	.4
	Total	897	33.3
Missing	99: Not Applicable	1793	66.7
Total	2690	100.0	

Q24: Which party would be best for the development of the State?

	N	(%)
01: Congress	916	34.1
02: BJP	1258	46.7
03: Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP)	80	3.0
04: AAP	78	2.9
06: Samajwadi Party	7	.3
28: AIMIM	1	.0
41: Uttarakhand Kranti Dal	48	1.8
80: Any other party	12	.5
85: Independent	17	.6
90: NOTA/No party	85	3.2
98: Did not respond	187	7.0
Total	2690	100.0

Q25: Were you in support or against the farmers' movement regarding the three agricultural laws?

	N	(%)
01: Fully supported	655	24.4

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02: Somewhat supported	523	19.4
03: Somewhat opposed	174	6.5
04: Fully opposed	361	13.4
98: No response	977	36.3
Total	2690	100.0

Q26: Do you consider the decision of the Modi government to withdraw three agricultural laws as a right step or a wrong one?

	N	(%)
01: Fully right	753	28.0
02: Somewhat right	374	13.9
03: Somewhat wrong	131	4.9
04: Fully wrong	141	5.2
05: Out of compulsion, had no choice	369	13.7
98: No response	923	34.3
Total	2690	100.0

Q27: (*If 14. Farmer in B3*) Overall, are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the rates of crops fixed by the government?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Fully satisfied	37	1.4	11.4
	02: Somewhat satisfied	66	2.5	20.3
	03: Somewhat dissatisfied	40	1.5	12.4
	04: Fully dissatisfied	47	1.8	14.5
	98: No response	136	5.0	41.5
	Total	327	12.2	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	2363	87.8	
Total		2690	100.0	

Q28: Did you ever participate in any dharna, march, protest, procession, rally, or program associated with the farmer's movement when it was taking place? And if so, did you do so many times, a few times or just once or twice?

	N	(%)
01: Yes, many times	82	3.1
02: Yes, a few times	43	1.6
03: Yes, once or twice	79	2.9

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04: No, didn't participate at all	2156	80.1
98: Did not respond	330	12.3
Total	2690	100.0

Q29: Whenever a tension/conflict arises between developmental work and environmental protection, in your opinion, which of the two should be given priority – the developmental work or the environment?

	N	(%)
01: Developmental work	442	16.4
02: Environment	404	15.0
03: Both	1601	59.5
98: Did not respond	242	9.0
Total	2690	100.0

Q32: In your opinion, Uttarakhand stands to benefit more and lose less from the Char Dham project, or it stands to benefit less and lose more because of the project?

	N	(%)
01: More benefit and less harm	1532	57.0
02: Less benefit and more harm	434	16.1
03: None of these	284	10.6
98: Did not respond	439	16.3
Total	2690	100.0

Q33: Keeping in mind the development in Uttarakhand in the last five years, which one of these regions has received more attention?

a: Mountain or plains

	N	(%)
01: Mountains	760	28.3
02: Plains	718	26.7
03: Both	591	22.0
04: Neither	286	10.6
98: No response	335	12.4
Total	2690	100.0

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b: Garhwal or Kumaon

	N	(%)
01: Garhwal	631	23.5
02: Kumaon	239	8.9
03: Both	831	30.9
04: Neither	435	16.2
98: No response	553	20.6
Total	2690	100.0

Q34: Some people are demanding that for the development of Uttarakhand, summer capital Gairsain should be made the only capital of the State. Do you consider this demand to be right or wrong?

	N	(%)
01: Fully right	568	21.1
02: Somewhat right	400	14.9
03: Somewhat wrong	222	8.2
04: Fully wrong	842	31.3
98: No response	575	21.4
99: Not asked	83	3.1
Total	2690	100.0

Q40: Should the BJP government of Uttarakhand get another chance?

	N	(%)
01: Yes	1292	48.0
02: No	775	28.8
03: Can't say/equivocal answer	500	18.6
98: Did not respond	122	4.6
Total	2690	100.0

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION

B1: Gender

	N	(%)
1: Female	1285	47.8
2: Male	1403	52.1
3: Other	2	.1
Total	2690	100.0

B2: What is your age?

	N	(%)
1: Up to 25 years	325	12.1
2: 26-35 years	691	25.7
3: 36-45 years	598	22.2
4: 46-55 years	421	15.6
5: 56 years and above	654	24.3
Total	2690	100.0

B3: What is your main occupation? What work do you do?

	N	(%)
01: Higher professionals	39	1.4
02: Lower professionals	92	3.4
03: Government Managerial job	11	.4
04: Government Class I-II Administrative job	18	.7
05: Government Class III-IV Clerical job	41	1.5
06: Government Class IV jobs	44	1.6
07: Big and middle level businessman	37	1.4
08: Small-level businessman	178	6.6
09: Minor/temporary business	58	2.2
10: Service	52	1.9
11: Skilled worker	93	3.4
12: Semi-skilled	25	.9
13: Labourer	137	5.1
14: Farmer cultivator	335	12.5
15: Agricultural/plantation labourers - landless farm labourers	130	4.8
16: Dairy/Poultry/Animal Husbandry work	14	.5

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	N	(%)
17: Fisherman	1	.0
19: Any other work	9	.4
20: Student	162	6.0
21: Housewife/Housewife	756	28.1
22: Elderly, stay at home	283	10.5
23: Unemployed or looking for employment	130	4.8
98: Did not tell	42	1.6
Total	2690	100.0

a: *(If answer is 1 to 13 OR 16 to 98 in B3)* Is there anyone in your household who is engaged in farming or any activity related to agriculture?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Yes	1178	43.8	52.8
	02: No	1041	38.7	46.7
	98: Did not respond	11	.4	.5
	Total	2230	82.9	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	460	17.1	
Total		2690	100.0	

B4: How educated are you - I mean up to what class/level have you studied?

	N	(%)
01: Non-literate (Can't read or write at all)	482	17.9
02: Less than Primary	96	3.6
03: Primary pass (Class 5)	309	11.5
04: Middle pass (Class 8)	364	13.5
05: Matriculation pass (Class 10)	365	13.6
06: Studying in Class 11 or 12 or junior college	43	1.6
07: Intermediate pass (Class 12)	430	16.0
08: Diploma (after Class X or XII)	30	1.1
09: Graduate/pursuing it/in college	388	14.4
10: Post Graduate/pursuing it	153	5.7
11: Higher degree (MPhil, PhD)	7	.3
12: Professional courses/degree/pursuing it (Law, engg. etc)	12	.4
98: No response	10	.4
Total	2690	100.0

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B5: How often do you do these activities - almost every day, at least once a week, a few times a month, very rarely or never?

a: Watch news on television

	N	(%)
01: Every day	1086	40.4
02: Once a week	379	14.1
03: Few times a month	65	2.4
04: Rarely	536	19.9
05: Never	590	21.9
98: No response	34	1.3
Total	2690	100.0

b: Read a newspaper or get it read out

	N	(%)
01: Every day	432	16.1
02: Once a week	255	9.5
03: Few times a month	79	2.9
04: Rarely	359	13.3
05: Never	1518	56.4
98: No response	47	1.8
Total	2690	100.0

c: Listen to the radio

	N	(%)
01: Every day	78	2.9
02: Once a week	66	2.5
03: Few times a month	26	1.0
04: Rarely	88	3.3
05: Never	2334	86.8
98: No response	98	3.6
Total	2690	100.0

d: Read news on internet websites

	N	(%)
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	N	(%)
01: Every day	596	22.1
02: Once a week	250	9.3
03: Few times a month	67	2.5
04: Rarely	225	8.4
05: Never	1478	54.9
98: No response	75	2.8
Total	2690	100.0

B6: How much do you use these social media -many times a day, once or twice a day, a few days a week, a few days a month, rarely or never?

a: Facebook

	N	(%)
01: Many times a day	591	22.0
02: Once-twice a day	338	12.6
03: Few days a week	88	3.3
04: Few days a month	50	1.9
05: Rarely	115	4.3
06: Never	1456	54.1
98: No response	52	1.9
Total	2690	100.0

b: Twitter

	N	(%)
01: Many times a day	100	3.7
02: Once-twice a day	56	2.1
03: Few days a week	54	2.0
04: Few days a month	34	1.3
05: Rarely	100	3.7
06: Never	2275	84.6
98: No response	71	2.6
Total	2690	100.0

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c: WhatsApp

	N	(%)
01: Many times a day	886	32.9
02: Once-twice a day	329	12.2
03: Few days a week	53	2.0
04: Few days a month	30	1.1
05: Rarely	63	2.4
06: Never	1279	47.5
98: No response	48	1.8
Total	2690	100.0

d: Instagram

	N	(%)
01: Many times a day	287	10.7
02: Once-twice a day	153	5.7
03: Few days a week	80	3.0
04: Few days a month	56	2.1
05: Rarely	97	3.6
06: Never	1946	72.3
98: No response	71	2.6
Total	2690	100.0

e: YouTube

	N	(%)
01: Many times a day	621	23.1
02: Once-twice a day	366	13.6
03: Few days a week	133	4.9
04: Few days a month	57	2.1
05: Rarely	87	3.2
06: Never	1370	50.9
98: No response	57	2.1
Total	2690	100.0

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B7: Are you married?

	N	(%)
01: Yes	2187	81.3
02: Yes, but Widowed/Widower	13	.5
03: Yes, but Separated	87	3.2
04: Yes but Divorced	2	.1
05: No, unmarried/single	373	13.9
98: Did not answer	28	1.0
Total	2690	100.0

B8: What is your religion?

	N	(%)
01: Hindu	2246	83.5
02: Muslim	367	13.7
03: Christian	3	.1
04: Sikh	61	2.3
06: Jain	3	.1
08: No Religion	1	.0
09: Others	9	.3
Total	2690	100.0

a: (If 2. Muslim in B8) Are you Shia or Sunni?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Shia	14	.5	3.7
	02: Sunni	306	11.4	83.4
	03: Other	10	.4	2.6
	4: Don't know	12	.5	3.4
	98: Did not respond	25	.9	6.9
	Total	367	13.7	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	2323	86.3	
Total		2690	100.0	

b: (If 4. Sikh in B8) Are you Amritdhari, Keshdhari or Sahajdhari?

	N	(%)	Valid (%)
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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Amritdhari	13	.5	21.1
	02: Keshdhari	16	.6	26.6
	03: Sahajdhari	2	.1	3.6
	04: Patit	5	.2	8.5
	05: Other	10	.4	16.5
	06: Don't know	4	.2	6.7
	98: Did not respond	10	.4	17.0
	Total	61	2.3	100.0
Missing	99: Not Applicable	2629	97.7	
Total		2690	100.0	

B9: How much do you do these religious activities - every day, weekly, monthly, only during festivals, very little or never?

a: Doing Puja /Paath/ Namaaz/ Prayer

	N	(%)
01: Every day	1572	58.4
02: Weekly	427	15.9
03: Monthly	133	5.0
04: Only festivals	193	7.2
05: Rarely	235	8.7
06: Never	110	4.1
98: No response	20	.7
Total	2690	100.0

b: Visiting Temple/Mosque/Church/Gurdwara

	N	(%)
01: Every day	417	15.5
02: Weekly	577	21.5
03: Monthly	420	15.6
04: Only festivals	673	25.0
05: Rarely	344	12.8
06: Never	233	8.7
98: No response	26	1.0
Total	2690	100.0

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c: Watching religious channels on TV

	N	(%)
01: Every day	346	12.9
02: Weekly	233	8.7
03: Monthly	119	4.4
04: Only festivals	160	6.0
05: Rarely	516	19.2
06: Never	1247	46.4
98: No response	68	2.5
Total	2690	100.0

d: Reading any religious book

	N	(%)
01: Every day	292	10.9
02: Weekly	151	5.6
03: Monthly	127	4.7
04: Only festivals	222	8.3
05: Rarely	425	15.8
06: Never	1374	51.1
98: No response	99	3.7
Total	2690	100.0

e: Fasting for religious purposes

	N	(%)
01: Every day	135	5.0
02: Weekly	240	8.9
03: Monthly	278	10.3
04: Only festivals	1091	40.6
05: Rarely	324	12.1
06: Never	568	21.1
98: No response	54	2.0
Total	2690	100.0

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B10: What is your caste group – SC, ST, OBC or General?

	N	(%)
01: Scheduled Caste (SC)	541	20.1
02: Scheduled Tribes (ST)	73	2.7
03: Other Backward Classes (OBC)	421	15.6
04: General/Others	1532	56.9
98: No response	124	4.6
Total	2690	100.0

B11: And what is your caste-community (jaati-biradari)?

	N	(%)
001: Brahmin	340	12.6
002: Bhumihar	24	.9
003: Rajput, Thakur	910	33.8
004: Kayastha, Srivastava	2	.1
005: Vaishya, Bania	43	1.6
006: Khatri	27	1.0
019: Other Upper Castes	44	1.6
020: Jat	25	.9
021: Gujjar	31	1.2
022: Yadav	5	.2
023: Kurmi	6	.2
028: Koyeri, Maurya, Kushwaha, Saini	24	.9
029: Gaderia	7	.3
030: Kevat, Kashyap, Mallah, Nishad	16	.6
031: Bhandari Naik	1	.0
032: Lohar	1	.0
033: Kumhar/Kumbhar	21	.8
038: Sunar	4	.2
039: Rajbhar	3	.1
040: Mali	3	.1
042: Nae	1	.0
046: OBC Bania	1	.0
048: Koli/Kharvi	1	.0
049: OBC Mahar	1	.0

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	N	(%)
053: Prajapat (OBC)	4	.1
059: Other OBCs	46	1.7
060: Chamar, Jatav, Ravidas	124	4.6
061: Balmiki	43	1.6
062: Pasi	52	1.9
063: Paswan, Dusadh	13	.5
064: Mahar	20	.7
069: Other Dalits	258	9.6
071: Kunbi	1	.0
079: Scheduled Tribes	17	.6
080: Upper Caste Muslims	106	3.9
081: Muslim OBC/Pasmanda Muslim	216	8.0
089: Other Muslim	10	.4
090: Jatt Sikh	8	.3
091: Khatri/Arora Sikh	3	.1
092: Other High Sikhs	21	.8
094: Other O-B-C Sikhs	18	.7
095: Ahluwalia Sikh	1	.0
096: Dalit Sikh Ramdasia	8	.3
110: Upper caste Christian	1	.0
111: OBC Christian	1	.0
121: Jain	2	.1
122: Other religions	1	.0
129: Does not believe in caste	43	1.6
998: Unsure / Refused to state /Did not reply	133	5.0
Total	2690	100.0

B12: Does your house have a ration card and if yes, which one?

	N	(%)
01: No, don't have a card	282	10.5
02: APL	864	32.1
03: State Food Scheme/SFY	79	2.9
04: BPL	1271	47.2
05: Eligible Household	5	.2
06: Priority Household/PHH	3	.1

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	N	(%)
07: Antyodaya/ AAY	71	2.6
08: Annapurna/ ANP	1	.0
09: Card was there but lost	22	.8
97: Others	29	1.1
98: Not Answered	64	2.4
Total	2690	100.0

B13a: (If 2/3/4/5/6 in A6) What type of house does the respondent live in?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: House/Flat/ Bungalow	109	4.1	14.4
	02: House/Flat with 5 or more rooms	46	1.7	6.1
	03: House/ Flat with 4 rooms	121	4.5	16.0
	04: House/ Flat with 3 rooms	180	6.7	23.9
	05: House with 2 rooms	237	8.8	31.4
	06: House with 1 room	49	1.8	6.5
	07: Kuccha house	4	.2	.5
	08: Slum/Jhuggi-Jhopdi cluster	9	.3	1.2
	Total	756	28.1	100.0
Missing	99: N.A.	1934	71.9	
Total		2690	100.0	

B13b: (If 1. Village in A6) What type of house does the respondent live in?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Pucca (both wall and roof are made of pucca material)	1148	42.7	59.3
	02: Pucca-kuccha (either wall or roof is made of pucca material, but others of kuccha material)	622	23.1	32.2
	03: Kuccha (both wall and roof are made of kuccha material other than material mentioned in Category 4)	147	5.5	7.6
	04: Hut (both wall and roof are made of grass, leaves, mud, un-brunt brick or bamboo)	17	.6	.9
	Total	1934	71.9	100.0
Missing	99: N.A.	756	28.1	
Total		2690	100.0	

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B14: Do you have a mobile phone of your and if yes what type – a simple phone or smart phone with a touch screen?

	N	(%)
01: No, I don't have any phone	451	16.7
02: Ordinary phone	891	33.1
03: Smartphone	1278	47.5
04: Both types	48	1.8
98: No response	23	.9
Total	2690	100.0

B15: Does your household or any member of your household have/own these items?

a: Car/jeep/van

	N	(%)
1: Yes	381	14.2
2: No	2309	85.8
Total	2690	100.0

b: Scooter / motorcycle/ moped

	N	(%)
1: Yes	1337	49.7
2: No	1353	50.3
Total	2690	100.0

c: Air conditioner

	N	(%)
1: Yes	237	8.8
2: No	2453	91.2
Total	2690	100.0

d: Computer/laptop/IPad

	N	(%)
1: Yes	471	17.5
2: No	2219	82.5

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	N	(%)
Total	2690	100.0

e: Electric fan/cooler

	N	(%)
1: Yes	2026	75.3
2: No	664	24.7
Total	2690	100.0

f: Washing machine

	N	(%)
1: Yes	860	32.0
2: No	1830	68.0
Total	2690	100.0

g: Fridge

	N	(%)
1: Yes	1457	54.2
2: No	1233	45.8
Total	2690	100.0

h: Television

	N	(%)
1: Yes	2176	80.9
2: No	514	19.1
Total	2690	100.0

i: Bank account

	N	(%)
1: Yes	2518	93.6
2: No	172	6.4
Total	2690	100.0

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j: Credit card

	N	(%)
1: Yes	304	11.3
2: No	2386	88.7
Total	2690	100.0

k: LPG gas

	N	(%)
1: Yes	2279	84.7
2: No	411	15.3
Total	2690	100.0

l: Internet connection at home (excluding the one on mobile phone)

	N	(%)
1: Yes	233	8.7
2: No	2457	91.3
Total	2690	100.0

m: Toilet inside the house (or just next to the house that is exclusively your house's)

	N	(%)
1: Yes	2166	80.5
2: No	524	19.5
Total	2690	100.0

n: Pumping set

	N	(%)
1: Yes	397	14.7
2: No	2293	85.3
Total	2690	100.0

o: Tractor

	N	(%)
1: Yes	104	3.9

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	N	(%)
2: No	2586	96.1
Total	2690	100.0

B16: What's your monthly household income these days approximately - please tell me after adding the income of all members?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Up to 1,000	140	5.2	5.9
	02: 1,001 to 2,000	313	11.6	13.1
	03: 2,001 to 3,000	189	7.0	7.9
	04: 3,001 to 5,000	242	9.0	10.2
	05: 5,001 to 7,500	263	9.8	11.0
	06: 7,501 to 10,000	343	12.8	14.4
	07: 10,001 to 15,000	234	8.7	9.8
	08: 15,001 to 20,000	176	6.5	7.4
	09: 20,001 to 30,000	184	6.8	7.7
	10: 30,001 to 50,000	146	5.4	6.1
	11: Over 50,000	158	5.9	6.6
	Total	2388	88.8	100.0
Missing	98: No answer	302	11.2	
Total		2690	100.0	