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Locality

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Respondent No.

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(As given in the Voter list)

National Election Study - 2019 (Pre Poll)
A Lokniti-CSDS Study

- F1. State Name: **ANDHRA PRADESH**
- F2. Parliamentary Constituency (PC) Name: _____
- F3. Assembly Constituency (AC) Name: _____
- F4. Polling Station (PS) Name: _____
- F5. Name of the Respondent: _____
- F6. Address of the Respondent (Give landmark): _____
- F7. Name and roll no. of Field Investigator (fill roll no. in boxes) _____
- F8. Date of interview (dd/mm): _____ F9. Time of starting interview (in am/pm): _____

FI roll no.

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INVESTIGATOR'S INTRODUCTION AND STATEMENT OF INFORMED CONSENT

My name is _____ and I've come from the Centre for the Study of Developing Societies or CSDS, a social science research organization based in Delhi (also give your University's reference). We are conducting a national survey ahead of the upcoming Lok Sabha elections to find out people's opinions on politics, government, economy and society. For this purpose we are interviewing thousands of people across the country. Every person over the age of 18 has an equal chance of being included in this study. You have been selected by chance. There is no risk and also no benefit in participating in this survey and your participation is voluntary. But if you answer our questions, you will help us in understanding how the public feels about issues facing the country today. This survey is an independent study and is not linked to any political party or government agency. Whatever information you provide will be kept strictly confidential. The findings of this survey will be used for TV programmes and writing articles in newspapers. It usually takes about 30 minutes to complete this interview. Please spare some time and help me in successfully completing the survey.

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE FI

- Proceed with the interview only after consent is given by the respondent.
- All questions must be asked & all answers must be encircled (if ques. is close-ended) or noted down (if ques. is open-ended).
- Do not change the wording of any question; ask them as given.
- Do not change the order of questions. Follow the order and ask questions in the same sequence as provided below.
- Coding of responses is to be done in the boxes given on the left hand side. Do not do the coding while interview is on. Do it later.
- While asking a question, do not read out options such as 'No response' (NR), 'Don't know', (DK) 'Can't say' (CS) & 'Not applicable' (NA).
- All italicized instructions in brackets are for you, i.e. the field investigator. They are not to be read out to the respondent.

INTERVIEW BEGINS

Z1. What is your age? (in completed years) _____ 98. No Response/NR (Code 95 for anyone who is 95 years or above)

Z2. Gender: 1. Male 2. Female 3. Other

Z3. Up to what level have you studied? (Record answer & consult codebook) _____ 9. NR

Q1. Thinking about the city/town/village in which you live, during last the 3-4 years has it become more difficult to find a new job or less difficult? 1. More difficult 2. Less difficult 3. Remained same 7. Don't know (DK) 8. NR

Q2. Overall, how would you rate the economic situation of the country at the moment - is it very good, good, so-so, bad or very bad? 1. Very good 2. Good 3. So-so 4. Bad 5. Very bad 7. DK 8. NR

Q3. How regularly do you do the following – daily, sometimes, rarely or never?

	Daily	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	No response
a. Watch news on television?	1	2	3	4	8
b. Listen to news on radio?	1	2	3	4	8
c. Read the newspaper/s?	1	2	3	4	8
d. Read news on internet?	1	2	3	4	8

Q4. In general, do you think things in the country are headed in the right direction or the wrong direction?
 1. Right direction 2. Wrong direction 7. DK/Can't say (CS) 8. NR

Q5. How often do you use the following - many times a day, once or twice a day, some days a week, some days a month, very rarely or never?

	Many times a day	Once or twice a day	Some days a week	Some days a month	Very rarely	Never	No account	NR
a. Facebook	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
b. Twitter	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
c. WhatsApp	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
d. Instagram	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
e. Youtube	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Q6. Which **one** of these four sentences truly describes your current economic condition?
(You must read out ALL 4 statements first and only then take the response; Code 8 for No response)
 1. With our total household income we are able to fulfill all our needs & also end up saving some money.
 2. With our total household income we are able to fulfill all our needs but don't end up saving.
 3. With our total household income we are not able to fulfill all our needs and face some difficulty.
 4. With our total household income we are not able to fulfill our needs and face a lot of difficulty.

Q7. The Lok Sabha election is being held in a few weeks time. How likely is it that you will vote in it - very likely, somewhat likely, less likely or not at all likely?
 1. Very likely 2. Somewhat likely 3. Less likely
 4. Not at all likely 7. DK 8. NR

Q8. If Lok Sabha elections are held tomorrow, which party will you vote for? Please mark your vote on this slip which has the names and symbols of the important parties. After you have done so, fold it and put it in this box.
(Instruction for the FI - if the respondent gives his/her choice openly then note it down here immediately. Otherwise note down the answer after opening the dummy ballot box later. Having done that consult party codes for coding).

995. Undecided 996. Refused to answer

Q8a. *(If answered / used ballot in Q8)* The party you just voted for, have you voted for this party in all previous elections, most previous elections, only in some elections or will you be voting for it for the first time?
 1. All elections 2. Most elections 3. Some elections 4. Will be voting for it for first time
 7. Don't remember 8. NR 9. Not applicable (NA)

Q8b. *(If answered / used ballot in Q8)* How certain are you that you would vote for this same party on Voting Day, that is, when Lok Sabha elections actually take place after a few weeks - are you very certain, somewhat certain, very less certain or not certain at all?
 1. Very certain 2. Somewhat certain 3. Very less certain
 4. Not certain at all 7. DK/CS 8. NR 9. NA

Q8c. *(If very less certain or not certain at all in Q8b)* So when will you finally make up your mind about who to vote for?
 01. When candidates are declared 02. After campaigning 03. On the day of voting or a day or two before it
 04. A few days/week before voting 05. When my village/mohalla takes a final decision
 06. When my caste/community leaders decide 07. When my family members decide
 08. Other answer *(note it down)* _____ 97. DK 98. NR 99. NA

Q9. People have different considerations when they go out to vote. What will be the most important consideration for you when you vote in the upcoming Lok Sabha election – the local Candidate, the Party or the Prime Ministerial candidate?
 1. Candidate 2. Party 3. PM candidate
 4. Other *(note down)* _____ 7. CS/DK 8. NR

Q10. After the upcoming Lok Sabha election who would you prefer as the next Prime Minister of India? *(Do not offer any name, record exact answer & consult PM codes for coding)* _____ 98. NR

Q11. Can you tell me which party did you vote for in the 2014 Lok Sabha election held five years ago? *(Note down answer aand consult party codes in Codebook for coding)* _____ 998. NR 999. Didn't vote

Q12. What will be the **most important issue** for you while voting in the coming Lok Sabha election? *(Note down answer and consult codebook for coding)* _____
 _____ 96. CS/DK 98. NR

Q13. Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the performance of the BJP-led NDA government at the Centre over the last five years? *(Probe further whether 'fully' or 'somewhat' satisfied or dissatisfied).*
 1. Fully satisfied 2. Somewhat satisfied 3. Somewhat dissatisfied 4. Fully dissatisfied 8. NR

- Q14. People have different opinions about the development that has taken place in the country in the last 5 years. Some believe it has only been for the rich, others say it has been for all people, and some others say that there has been no development at all. What's your opinion? 1. Only for rich 2. For all people
3. No development at all 7. CS/DK 8. NR
- Q15. Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the performance of the ruling TDP state government in Andhra Pradesh? (*Probe further whether 'fully' or 'somewhat' satisfied or dissatisfied*).
1. Fully satisfied 2. Somewhat satisfied 3. Somewhat dissatisfied 4. Fully dissatisfied 8. NR
- Q16. While voting, some people give more importance to the work done by the State government in Andhra Pradesh while others give more importance to the work done by the Central government in Delhi. While voting in the upcoming Lok Sabha election, what will you **consider** the most – the State government's performance or the Central government's performance? 1. State government 2. Central government
3. Both 4. Neither/Other 7. CS 8. NR
- Q17. Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the work done by the following? (*Probe further whether 'fully' or 'somewhat' satisfied or dissatisfied*).
- | | Fully satisfied | Somewhat satisfied | Somewhat dissatisfied | Fully dissatisfied | NR |
|---|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----|
| a. <input type="checkbox"/> a. Lok Sabha MP from your constituency? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 8 |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/> b. Your current MLA? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 8 |
- Q18. Now I will ask you about some important issues. Please tell me about each issue whether they have increased or decreased during the last 5 years of BJP-NDA's rule at the Centre? (*Code 7 if answer is Can't say/Don't know*)
- | | Increased | Decreased | Remained same | NR |
|--|-----------|-----------|---------------|----|
| a. <input type="checkbox"/> a. Gap between Rich and Poor | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/> b. Corruption | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
| c. <input type="checkbox"/> c. India's image in the world | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
| d. <input type="checkbox"/> d. Employment opportunities | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
| e. <input type="checkbox"/> e. Prices of essential commodities | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
| f. <input type="checkbox"/> f. Welfare programmes for the poor | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
| g. <input type="checkbox"/> g. Harmony between communities | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
- Q19. If we compare the present BJP-led NDA government at the Centre with the earlier Congress-led UPA government, which one of the two has been better in your opinion? 1. NDA 2. UPA 3. Both
4. Neither 7. CS 8. NR
- Q20. Who would you consider most responsible for the problems being faced by farmers – the Central government or your State government? 1. Central govt 2. State govt 3. Both 4. Neither
5. Farmers themselves 7. CS 8. NR
- Q21. During the 2014 Lok Sabha election campaign, Narendra Modi had promised to bring 'acchhe din'. After five years of Modi's government, do you think Modi has succeeded or failed in bringing 'acchhe din'? (*Probe further whether 'fully' or 'somewhat' succeeded or failed*). 1. Fully succeeded 2. Somewhat succeeded
3. Somewhat failed 4. Fully failed 7. CS 8. NR
- Q22. How much do you like the following parties - a lot, somewhat, very little or don't like at all?
- | | Like a lot | Like somewhat | Like very little | Don't like at all | No response |
|---|------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| a. <input type="checkbox"/> a. YSR Congress | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 8 |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/> b. Jana Sena | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 8 |
| c. <input type="checkbox"/> c. TDP | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 8 |
| d. <input type="checkbox"/> d. Congress | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 8 |
- Q23. If you had to choose just between Narendra Modi and Rahul Gandhi as the next Prime Minister of India, who would you choose? 1. Modi 2. Rahul 3. Either would do 4. Neither 7. CS 8. NR
- Q24. Have you heard of the Congress's promise of Minimum Income Guarantee for poor households if it gets elected to power? 2. Heard 1. Not heard

- Q25. People have different opinions about Prime Minister Narendra Modi. Some say he is a clean and honest man who has tried his best to control corruption, others say he is himself corrupt, and some others say that he may be clean and honest but he has done nothing to control corruption. Which one of these do you agree with?
1. Clean and honest leader who has tried his best to control corruption 2. He is himself corrupt
3. May be clean and honest but has done nothing to control corruption. 7. CS 8. NR
- Q26. Have you heard of the controversy surrounding the Rafale aircraft deal? 2. Heard 1. Not heard
- Q26a. (If heard in Q26) Do you believe there has been some wrong doing by the government in the Rafale aircraft deal?
2. Yes 1. No 7. DK /CS 8. NR 9. NA
- Q27. Have you heard of the Nirav Modi scam? 2. Heard 1. Not heard
- Q27a. (If heard in Q27) Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the action taken by the government in the Nirav Modi scam case so far? (Probe further whether 'fully' or 'somewhat') 1. Fully satisfied 2. Somewhat satisfied
3. Somewhat dissatisfied 4. Fully dissatisfied 8. NR 9. NA
- Q28. Should the BJP-led NDA government at the Centre get another chance after the coming Lok Sabha election?
2. Yes 1. No 7. Can't say 8. No response
- Q29. If Vidhan Sabha or State elections are held in Andhra Pradesh tomorrow, which party will you vote for? (Note down the answer and consult party codes for coding) _____ 998. No response
- Q30. Have you heard about India's air strike on terrorist training camps in Pakistan in response to the Pulwama terrorist attack?
2. Heard 1. Not heard
- Q30a. (If heard in Q30) Who do you think should get the credit for India's air strike on terrorist training camps in Pakistan - the Indian Air Force or the Narendra Modi government? 1. Air Force 2. Modi government 3. Both
4. Neither 7. CS 8. NR 9. NA
- Q30b. (If heard in Q30) Do you agree or disagree with the following statement - 'The BJP is trying to take credit for the air strike against Pakistan and gain in elections'? (Probe further whether fully or somewhat agree or disagree)
1. Fully agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. Somewhat disagree 4. Fully disagree 8. NR 9. NA
- Q31. Now I will read out two statements . Please tell me whether you agree with statement 1 or statement 2?
Statement 1: To stop cross border terrorism, India must destroy all terrorist camps in Pakistan, even if it means risking a full scale war.
Statement 2: In order to stop cross border terrorism, India must patiently engage Pakistan in regular dialogue.
1. Agree with first statement 2. Agree with second statement 7. Can't say 8. No response
- Q32. In the last month, have you received any money from the government in your bank account? 2. Yes 1. No
- Q33. People have different opinions about resolving the temple-mosque issue of Ayodhya. Some say it should only be resolved through a Supreme Court verdict. Some others say it should be resolved through mediation between the Hindu and Muslim sides. And there are some others who feel that the Parliament should intervene and enact a law to resolve the matter. What's your opinion? 1. Supreme Court verdict 2. Through mediation 3. Law by Parliament
4. Ordinance (silent option) 5. Other (specify) _____ 8. NR
- Q34. Have you heard about the Citizenship Amendment Bill that was introduced in Parliament by the government recently? 2. Heard 1. Not heard
- Q35. (Ask everyone) The aim of the Citizenship Amendment Bill is to grant Indian citizenship to **non-Muslim** migrants and refugees from Pakistan, Afghanistan and Bangladesh. It does not apply to Muslim refugees from these countries. Do you support or oppose this Bill? (Probe further whether fully or somewhat support or oppose)
1. Fully support 2. Somewhat support 3. Somewhat oppose 4. Fully oppose 8. No response
- Q36. Is there any political party that works **against the interest** of your religious community?
2. Yes 1. No 8. NR
- Q36a. (If yes) Which party? (Consult party codes for coding) _____ 998. NR 999. NA
- Q37. Have you heard about the government's decision to give 10% reservation in government jobs and educational institutions for the economically backward from the General category? 2. Heard 1. Not heard
- Q38. Finally, when you vote in the Lok Sabha election, which **one** of these issues will be **most important** for you while arriving at your final decision about who to vote for - Price rise, Development, Cow protection, Mandir-Masjid, Rafale deal issue, Reservation, India's air strike on Pakistan, Unemployment or the Citizenship Bill? (Repeat the question if necessary. The FI could even show the options to literate respondents)
01. Price rise 02. Development 03. Cow protection 04. Mandir-Masjid 05. Rafale deal
06. Reservation 07. India-Pakistan 08. Unemployment 09. Citizenship Bill
10. Other answer (note down) _____ 98. No response

BACKGROUND DATA

		Z4.	What is your main occupation? (<i>Record & consult codebook. If retired, find out previous job. If student/ house wife, note down. If farmer, ask land size owned/ cultivated</i>) _____ 98. NR
		Z4a.	Are you the main earner of your household? 2. Yes 1. No
		Z4b.	(<i>If No in Z4a</i>) What is the occupation of the main earner of your household? (<i>Record exactly and consult codebook</i>) _____ 98. NR 99. NA
		Z5.	Are you married? 2. Yes 1. No 3. Divorced 4. Widowed 5. Separated 8. Did not answer/NR
		Z5a.	(<i>If married/ divorced/ widowed/ separated</i>) Do you have children? 2. Yes 1. No 8. NR 9. NA
		Z5b.	(<i>If have children</i>) Gender of children? 1. Boy 2. Girl 3. Both 8. NR 9. NA
		Z6.	What is your religion? 1. Hindu 2. Muslim 3. Christian 4. Sikh 5. Buddhist/neo-Buddhist 6. Jain 7. Parsi 8. No religion 9. Others (<i>specify</i>) _____
		Z6a.	(<i>If respondent is Muslim</i>) Which sect are you from - Shia or Sunni? 1. Shia 2. Sunni 7. Others (<i>specify</i>) _____ 8. Can't say 9. NA
		Z6b.	Overall, how religious are you - very religious, somewhat religious, not much or not at all? 1. Very religious 2. Somewhat religious 3. Not much 4. Not at all 8. Can't say
		Z7.	What caste group do you belong to - SC, ST, OBC or General? 1. SC 2. ST 3. OBC 4. General
		Z8.	And what is your Caste/Jaati biradari/tribe name? (<i>Record & consult codebook</i>) _____ 998. No response
		Z9.	What kind of mobile phone do you have- a simple phone or a smart phone with a touch screen? 1. Simple phone 2. Smart phone 3. Do not have a phone 8. NR
		Z9a.	(<i>If has a mobile phone</i>) Does your phone have an internet connection? 2. Yes 1. No 8. NR 9. NA
		Z10.	Do you have an Aadhar card? 2. Yes 1. No 8. NR
		Z11.	Which ration card do you have? 1. Above Poverty Line 2. Below Poverty Line 3. Antyodaya 4. Annapurna 5. Do not have 6. Had, but lost it 7. Any other (<i>Specify</i>) _____
		Z12.	Now let us talk about this village/town/city you live in. How long have you lived here? 1. Less than 5 years 2. 5 to 10 years 3. More than 10 years 4. Entire life 8. NR
		Z12a.	(<i>If Not entire life</i>) Where did you come from? (<i>Note down the State's name. If respondent gives district or village/ city name then ask which State it is in. Note down answer even if it is the same State</i>) Name of State: _____ 98. NR 99. NA
		Z13.	Are you pure vegetarian, or are you vegetarian but eat eggs, or are you a meat/fish eater? 1. Pure vegetarian 2. Vegetarian but eat eggs 3. Meat/fish eater (Non-veg) 8. NR
		Z14.	In which language do you mostly speak at home? (<i>Record exactly and consult codebook for coding</i>) _____ 98. No answer
		Z15.	Area/locality: (<i>Check whether house falls in Panchayat or Municipal area before marking</i>) 1. Village 2. Town (50,000-1 lakh) 3. Small City (1-5 lakh) 4. Big City (5-10 lakh) 5. Metropolitan City (Above 10 lakh)
		Z15a.	(<i>If Town/ Small City/ Big City/ Metropolitan</i>) Type of house in which respondent lives? 1. House/Flat/ Bungalow 2. House/Flat with 5 or more rooms 3. House/ Flat with 4 rooms 4. House/ Flat with 3 rooms 5. House with 2rooms 6. House with 1 room 7. kuccha house 8. Slum/Jhuggi/ Jhopadi 9. NA
		Z15b.	(<i>If Village</i>) Type of house in which respondent lives? 1. Pucca (both wall and roof are made of pucca material) 2. Pucca-kuccha (either wall or roof is made of pucca material, but others of kuccha material) 3. Kaccha (both wall and roof are made of kuccha material other than material mentioned in Category 4) 4. Hut (both wall and roof are made of grass, leaves, mud, un-brunt brick or bamboo) 9. NA

		Z16.	Total agricultural land of your household and including orchards (<i>On the day of survey</i>) _____ (<i>Ask size of landholding in local unit and code in acres, if no response or no land then code it as 00</i>)			
		Z17.	Total no. of family members living in the household? Adults _____ Children _____ (<i>If more than 9, code 9</i>)			
		Z18.	In normal circumstances, what is your monthly household expenditure? (<i>Mark range option depending on answer</i>)			
			01. Upto 1,000	02. 1,001 to 2,000	03. 2,001 to 3,000	04. 3,001 to 5,000
			05. 5,001 to 7,500	06. 7,501 to 10,000	07. 10,001 to 15,000	08. 15,001 to 20,000
			09. 20,001 to 30,000	10. 30,001 to 50,000	11. Over 50,000	98. No answer
		Z19.	Do you or members of your household have the following things?		Yes	No
		a.	a. Car/Jeep/Van			
		b.	b. Scooter/Motorcycle/Moped			
		c.	c. Airconditioner			
		d.	d. Computer/laptop/i-Pad			
		e.	e. Electronic Fan/Cooler			
		f.	f. Washing machine			
		g.	g. Fridge			
		h.	h. Television			
		i.	i. Bank/Post office account			
		j.	j. ATM/Debit/Credit card			
		k.	k. LPG gas			
		l.	l. Internet connection in the house (Excluding mobile phone)			
		m.	m. Toilet inside the house			
		n.	n. Pumping set			
		o.	o. Tractor			
		Z20.	Livestock	Total Number		
		a.	a. Goat /sheep			
		b.	b. Ox /buffalo			
		c.	c. Cow			
		Z21.	What's your monthly household income after putting together the income of all members? (<i>Mark range option depending on answer</i>)			
			01. Upto 1,000	02. 1,001 to 2,000	03. 2,001 to 3,000	04. 3,001 to 5,000
			05. 5,001 to 7,500	06. 7,501 to 10,000	07. 10,001 to 15,000	08. 15,001 to 20,000
			09. 20,001 to 30,000	10. 30,001 to 50,000	11. Over 50,000	98. No answer
		Z22.	Could you give me your mobile/telephone number? We may want to get in touch with you later if we have any queries. Mobile no. _____			
		F10.	Time of finishing interview (in am/pm): _____			
			To be marked by the supervisor later			
		E1.	Checked by supervisor? 2. Yes 1. No			