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Poll Bias Score 37 to Dems, or insignificant bias, included in Political Ref's averages

POLL BIAS CALCULATOR

	Party ID	Gender	Education	Region	Racial Demo (enter as -)	Age Demo
Bias Multiplier (Level of Bias Significance)		8	7	8	3	6
Bias by Category	64	-21	-32		0	36
OVERALL 2024 POLL BIAS (+ is Dem, - is GOP bias)	37 SCALE>>>					
	MILD BIAS (0-50)		DEFINITE BIAS, EXCESSIVE (50-100)		SEVERE BIAS (100+)	

Understanding the Overall Poll Bias Score – A perfect bias score as compared to the 2020 exit polls equals a 0 value. A positive score equals a Democratic bias. A negative score equals a Republican bias. The higher the value of the number, the worse the bias. I will adjust polls with this score in mind. Usually the adjustment is straightforward in that I can apply the proper party ID, gender ID, education ID to the party votes provided in the cross tabs. Sometimes pollsters hide the party ID, gender ID or education ID, but I have methods of inferring those. The calculators for inferring these party ID values can be found below. Regional bias usually can't be inferred, although if they provide how each region votes they can.

	Dem 2020 Exit Poll	GOP 2020 Exit Poll	Dem 2024 Poll	GOP 2024 Poll	
Party ID Values	26	39	30	35	0
Party ID Difference	4	-4			
Party ID Bias Score (+ is Dem, - is GOP bias)	8				

	Female 2020 Exit Poll	Male 2020 Exit Poll	Female 2024 Poll	Male 2024 Poll
Gender ID Values	52	48	49	48
Gender ID Bias	-3	0		

Final Gender ID Bias (+ is Dem, - is GOP bias) **-3**

	College Degree or + 2020 Exit Poll	No College Degree or + 2020 Exit Poll	College Degree or + 2024 Poll	No College Degree or + 2024 Poll
Education Values	41	59	39	61

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Education Bias Final Score (+ is Dem, - is GOP bias) **-4**

	Northeast 2020 Exit Poll	South 2020 Exit Poll	Midwest 2020 Exit Poll	West 2020 Exit Poll	North-east 2024 Poll	South 2024 Poll	Midwest 2024 Poll	West 2024 Poll
Regional Values (national polls only)								
Regional Bias (National Polls Only)	0	0	0	0	0			

Regional Bias Score (+ is Dem, - is GOP bias) **0**

	White 2020 Exit Poll	Black 2020 Exit Poll	Other 2020 Exit Poll	Latino 2020 Exit Poll	White 2024 Exit Poll	Black 2024 Exit Poll	Other 2024 Exit Poll	Latino 2024 Exit Poll
Racial ID percentage	74	2	5	19	69	4	7	18
Racial Polling Sample Bias	-5	2	2	-1				

Racial Bias Score (+ is Dem, - is GOP bias) **6**

	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65	18-24	25-34	35-49
Age ID	8	14	21	26	31	6	14	25
Age Bias	-2	0	4	2	-6			
Age Bias Score	-2							
Points earned	-0	0	0	0				

PARTY ID CALCULATOR

Inferred (Most Likely) Party ID Assumed by Pollster

Dem	Ind	GOP
26	39	34

	% Dem for Harris	% Dem for Trump	% Ind for Harris	% Ind for Trump	% GOP for Trump	% GOP for Harris
Party Vote:	0.94	0.06	0.51	0.47	0.94	0.06
Points earned	24.44	1.56	19.89	18.33	31.96	2.04

Assumed Party ID (Experiment until result matches poll result)

Dem	Ind	GOP
26	39	34

	Harris	Trump
Vote Totals	46.37	51.85

GENDER ID CALCULATOR

Gender ID based on Gender Vote

Women	Men
54	46

	% Women for Harris	% Women for Trump	% Men for Harris	% Men for Trump
Gender Vote	0.59	0.37	0.41	0.54
Points earned	31.86	19.98	18.86	24.84

	Women	Men
Assumed Gender ID (Experiment until result matches poll result)	54	46

	Harris	Trump
Vote Totals	50.72	44.82

EDUCATION ID CALCULATOR TO DETERMINE ADJUSTED POLL RESULT

Education ID based on education Vote	College Degree or +Degree	No College Degree

	% White College or + for Harris	% White College or + for Trump	% White No Degree for Harris	% White No Degree for Trump	<i>Inferred</i> % Non-white College or + for Harris	<i>Inferred</i> % Non-White College or + for Trump	<i>Inferred</i> % Non-White No Degree for Harris	<i>Inferred</i> % Non-White No Degree for Trump
Education Vote	0.58	0.41	0.4	0.59	0.7	0.23	0.67	0.2
Points earned	20.88	14.76	18	26.55	2.8	0.92	9.38	2.8

White College Degree or + White No College Degree Non-White College Degree or + Non-White No Degree

Assumed Education ID (Experiment until result matches poll result)

36	45	4	14
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	Harris	Trump
Vote Totals	51.06	45.03

RACIAL DEMOS CALCULATOR

Racial ID based on Racial Vote

White	Black	Latino	Asian
74	2	2	19

Racial Vote	% White for Harris	% White for Trump	% Black for Harris	% Black for Trump	% Latino for Harris	% Latino for Trump	% Asian for Harris	% Asian for Trump
	0.48	0.51	0.52	0.47	0.52	0.47	0.52	0.47
Points earned	35.52	37.74	1.04	0.94	1.04	0.94	9.88	8.93

Assumed Racial ID

White	Black	Latino	Asian
74	2	2	19

Vote Totals

Harris	Trump
47.48	48.55

AGE ID CALCULATOR

	18-29	30-44	45-64	65 and over
Age ID	0	0	0	0

2020 Exit Poll 2020 Exit Poll 2020 Exit Poll 2020 Exit Poll 2024 P(2024 Po2024 Poll2024 F

Age Vote	% 18-29 for Harris	% 18-29 for Trump	% 30-44 for Harris	% 30-44 for Trump	% 45-64 for Harris	% 45-64 for Trump	% 65+ for Harris	% 65+ for Trump
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Points earned	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

	Dem 2020 Exit Poll	GOP 2020 Exit Poll	Dem 2024 Poll	GOP 2024 Poll	
Party ID Values	26	35	26	35	34
Party ID Difference	0	0			
Party ID Bias Score (+ is Dem, - is GOP bias)	0				

	Female 2020 Exit Poll	Male 2020 Exit Poll	Female 2024 Poll	Male 2024 Poll
Gender ID Values	52	48	52	48
Gender ID Bias	0	0		
Final Gender ID Bias (+ is Dem, - is GOP bias)	0			

	College Degree or + 2020 Exit Poll	No College Degree or + 2020 Exit Poll	College Degree or + 2024 Exit Poll	No College Degree or + 2024 Exit Poll (Enter as a negative number)
Education Values	41	59	41	59
Education Bias	0	0		
Education Bias Final Score (+ is Dem, - is GOP bias)	0			

	Northeast 2020 Exit Poll	South 2020 Exit Poll	Midwest 2020 Exit Poll	West 2020 Exit Poll	North- east 2024 Poll	South 2024 Poll	Midwest 2024 Poll	West 2024 Poll
Regional Values (national polls only)								
Regional Bias (National Polls Only)	0	0	0	0				

Regional Bias Score (+ is Dem, - is GOP bias) **0**

	White 2020 Exit Poll	Black 2020 Exit Poll	Other 2020 Exit Poll	White 2024 Exit Poll	Black 2024 Exit Poll	Other 2024 Exit Poll	Latino 2024 Exit Poll
Racial ID percentage	74	2	21	74	2	21	0
Racial Polling Sample Bias	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Racial Bias Score (+ is GOP, - is Dem bias) **0**

	18-29 Exit Poll	30-44 Exit Poll	45-64 Exit Poll	65+ Exit Poll	18-29 2024 Poll	30-44 2024 Poll	45-64 2024 Poll	65+ Poll
Age ID	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Age Bias	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Age Bias Score **0**

	18-35 Exit Poll	36-44 Exit Poll	45+ Exit Poll	n/a	18-35 2024	36-44 2024	45+ 2024	n/a
Age ID	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Age Bias	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Age Bias Score **0**

	18-35 Exit Poll	36-44 Exit Poll	45+ Exit Poll	n/a	18-35 2024	36-44 2024	45+ 2024	n/a
Age ID	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Age Bias	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Age Bias Score **0**

	18-45 Exit Poll	45-64 Exit Poll	65+ Exit Poll	n/a	18-45	45-64	65+	n/a
Age ID	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Age Bias	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Age Bias Score **0**

	18-34 Exit Poll	35-49 Exit Poll	50-64 Exit Poll	65+ Exit Poll	18-34 2024 poll	35-49 2024 poll	50-64 2024 poll	65+ 2024 poll
Age ID	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Age Bias	0	0	0	0	0			

Age Bias Score **0**

	18-29 Exit Poll	30-39 Exit Poll	40-49 Exit Poll	50-64 Exit Poll	65+ Exit Poll	18-29 Exit Poll	30-39 Exit Poll	40-49 Exit Poll
Age ID	16	13	14	26	31	11	18	20
Age Bias	-5	5	6	-6	0			

Age Bias Score **0**

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50-64 Exit
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