About the Survey*: The Post Poll Survey was conducted between March 28 and May 1, 2021 among 4223 voters at 200 polling stations spread across 40 constituencies of West Bengal. 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 voters were randomly sampled from the electoral roll using the systematic random sampling method. Of these 40, 25 interviews were targeted. The total number of interviews fell short of the target due to challenges/slowdown in fieldwork on account of a surge in Covid-19 cases during the latter phases of voting. The interviews of electors were conducted face-to-face at their homes after voting had taken place in their area. The overall findings shown here have been weighted by gender, religion, locality, and caste group based on Census 2011 data and by the vote shares secured by the main parties/alliances - Trinamool Congress, BJP+ and the Sanyukta Morcha (Left-Congress-ISF alliance) - in the election.*

Q1: Some people here told us that they could not vote in the just held Vidhan Sabha elections. How about you - were you able to vote or not?

	N	(%)
1: Yes, Voted	4100	97.1
2: No, Could not vote	111	2.6
8: No response	12	.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

a: (***If answer is '1. Voted' in Q1***) So which party or candidate did you vote for from this assembly constituency?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Indian National Congress (INC)	161	3.8	3.9
	02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	1547	36.6	37.7
	03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1965	46.5	47.9
	04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	158	3.7	3.8
	05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	25	.6	.6
	06: All India Forward Bloc (AIFB)	24	.6	.6
	07: Revolutionary Socialist Party (RSP)	7	.2	.2
	09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	8	.2	.2
	11: Indian Secular Front (ISF)	34	.8	.8

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	46	1.1	1.1
	16: Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP)	6	.1	.1
	19: All Jharkhand Students Union Party (AJSUP)	20	.5	.5
	80: Independent	57	1.4	1.4
	90: NOTA/No party	21	.5	.5
	98: Don't want to reveal/No response (NR)	20	.5	.5
	Total	**4100**	**97.1**	**100.0**
Missing	99: Not applicable	123	2.9	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

b: (**If answer is '1. Voted' in Q1**) Would you say that the party/candidate you voted for was the one you really wanted to vote for, or you decided to vote for it just to ensure the defeat of another party/candidate?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Voted for one I wanted to vote	3157	74.8	77.0
	2: Voted to defeat someone else	437	10.4	10.7
	3: Bit of both	244	5.8	6.0
	4: Other reason	133	3.1	3.2
	8: No response	128	3.0	3.1
	Total	**4100**	**97.1**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not applicable	123	2.9	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

c: (**If answer is '1 Voted' in Q1**) When did you finally make up your mind about whom to vote for?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: On the day of voting	616	14.6	15.0
	2: A day or two before voting	375	8.9	9.1

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	3: During the campaign	495	11.7	12.1
	4: After announcement of candidates	536	12.7	13.1
	5: Before the campaign started	1880	44.5	45.9
	6: Others	63	1.5	1.5
	8: No response	134	3.2	3.3
	Total	**4100**	**97.1**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not applicable	123	2.9	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

d: (***If answer is '1. Voted' in Q1***) Did the election officer correctly put the mark on your finger?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Checked and mark found	3995	94.6	97.4
	2: Checked, but mark not found	59	1.4	1.4
	8: Could not check the mark	46	1.1	1.1
	Total	**4100**	**97.1**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not applicable	123	2.9	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

e: (***If answer is '1. Voted' in Q1***) What was the most important issue for you while voting in this assembly election?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Development	1332	31.5	32.5
	02: Government's work/performance	170	4.0	4.1
	03: State Government's welfare schemes	65	1.5	1.6
	04: Central government's welfare schemes or their non-implementation	14	.3	.3
	05: Asol Poriborton/removing/defeating/opposing	198	4.7	4.8

	N	(%)	Valid (%)
TMC or Mamata Banerjee			
06: Stability/bringing/supporting TMC or Mamata government back	33	.8	.8
07: Vote for Mamata Banerjee (specifically)	76	1.8	1.9
08: Vote for TMC - party/state leader/candidate	18	.4	.4
09: Vote for Narendra Modi	17	.4	.4
10: Vote for BJP - party/state leader/candidate	17	.4	.4
11: Vote for Left/Congress - party/leader/candidate	5	.1	.1
12: Vote for other party/leader/candidate	5	.1	.1
13: Dissatisfied with MLA	22	.5	.5
14: Satisfied with MLA	19	.4	.5
15: Inflation/price rise/LPG prices	86	2.0	2.1
16: Unemployment/jobs/recruitment/lack of industries	376	8.9	9.2
17: Poverty/hunger/financial problem	48	1.1	1.2
18: Electricity/water	149	3.5	3.6
19: Condition of roads/bridges	92	2.2	2.2
20: Education/school/college related	30	.7	.7
21: Health/hospital/dispensary/treatment related	23	.5	.6
22: Farmer-related woes – farm, crops, seeds, crop price etc.	14	.3	.3
23: Damage caused by floods, rain	1	.0	.0
24: Matter related to Cyclone relief and rehabilitation	3	.1	.1
25: Corruption/scams/bribes	69	1.6	1.7
26: Hooliganism/goondagardi of party cadres/extortion/cut money/interference	2	.1	.1
27: Law and order/crime related	8	.2	.2
28: Women's safety or a specific women's issue	28	.7	.7
29: Hindutva/Hindu pride/Ram/anti-Muslim or migrant sentiment	14	.3	.4

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	30: Safety and security of Muslims/Muslim unity	11	.2	.3
	32: Vote against BJP/concerned about BJP's rise	29	.7	.7
	33: Communalism/secularism issue	14	.3	.3
	34: In support of CAA-NRC	1	.0	.0
	35: Against CAA-NRC	18	.4	.4
	36: Coronavirus/lockdown/migrant crisis related	1	.0	.0
	37: Gorkhaland/Gorkha hills related	3	.1	.1
	97: Some other issue not mentioned above	157	3.7	3.8
	98: Can't say/No response	932	22.1	22.7
	Total	**4100**	**97.1**	**100.0**
Missing	99: Won't vote	123	2.9	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

f: (**If answer is '1. Voted' in Q1**) While deciding who to vote for, did you take anybody's advice or consult someone?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Yes	610	14.4	14.9
	2: No	3277	77.6	79.9
	8: No response	213	5.1	5.2
	Total	**4100**	**97.1**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not applicable	123	2.9	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

g: (**If answer is '1. Voted' in Q1f**) Whose opinion/suggestion mattered to you the most?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Local political leaders	66	1.6	10.8

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	02: Husband/ Wife	244	5.8	39.9
	03: Brother/father/uncle etc.	50	1.2	8.2
	04: Sister/Mother/Aunt etc.	2	.0	.3
	05: Other family members	75	1.8	12.3
	06: Caste/community leaders	5	.1	.8
	07: Friends/Neighbors/Colleagues	38	.9	6.2
	08: Pradhan/sarpanch	1	.0	.1
	09: Took advice, but voted on my own	39	.9	6.3
	10: Other	3	.1	.4
	98: No response	89	2.1	14.5
	Total	**610**	**14.4**	**100.0**
Missing	99: Not applicable	3613	85.6	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

h: (***If answer is '2. Not Voted' in Q1***) What was the main reason due to which you could not/did not vote in this election?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Was out of station	17	.4	15.5
	02: Not well	29	.7	25.7
	03: No interest in voting	7	.2	6.0
	04: Prevented/threat/fear of violence	5	.1	4.7
	05: No ID proof	2	.1	2.2
	07: Voting doesn't make a difference	1	.0	.7
	11: Name not found in voter list	1	.0	1.0
	12: Fear of Coronavirus	10	.2	9.3
	14: Weather/heat	2	.1	2.0
	15: Other reason	3	.1	3.1
	98: No response	33	.8	29.8

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	Total	111	2.6	100.0
Missing	99: Not applicable	4112	97.4	
Total		4223	100.0	

Q2.   During the election campaign, did you do the following things?

a: Attended an election meeting, rally or procession?

	N	(%)
1: Yes	920	21.8
2: No	3260	77.2
8: No response	43	1.0
Total	4223	100.0

b: Did door to door canvassing?

	N	(%)
1: Yes	478	11.3
2: No	3701	87.6
8: No response	44	1.0
Total	4223	100.0

c: Donated or collect money?

	N	(%)
1: Yes	200	4.7
2: No	3953	93.6
8: No response	71	1.7
Total	4223	100.0

d: Watched election-related programmes or events on TV, phone or computer?

	N	(%)
1: Yes	1417	33.5
2: No	2752	65.2
8: No response	55	1.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

e: Joined any party or candidate's group on platforms like WhatsApp or shared news in their favour?

	N	(%)
1: Yes	294	7.0
2: No	3843	91.0
8: No response	86	2.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q3.   During the election campaign, did any candidate or canvasser from the following parties/ alliances come to your house to ask your vote?

a: Sanyukta Morcha - Congress/Left/ISF, any of them

	N	(%)
1: Yes	1841	43.6
2: No	2310	54.7
8: No opinion	73	1.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

b: BJP

	N	(%)
1: Yes	2293	54.3

	N	(%)
2: No	1862	44.1
8: No opinion	68	1.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

     c: Trinamool Congress

	N	(%)
1: Yes	2666	63.1
2: No	1509	35.7
8: No opinion	47	1.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

     d: Other party or candidate

	N	(%)
1: Yes	556	13.2
2: No	3432	81.3
8: No opinion	235	5.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q4.   During the election campaign, did the following parties contact you via phone, voice message, SMS or WhatsApp?

     a: Sanyukta Morcha - Congress/Left/ISF, any of them

	N	(%)
1: Yes	195	4.6
2: No	3907	92.5
8: No opinion	121	2.9
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

b: BJP

	N	(%)
1: Yes	624	14.8
2: No	3479	82.4
8: No opinion	120	2.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

c: Trinamool Congress

	N	(%)
1: Yes	1093	25.9
2: No	3026	71.6
8: No opinion	105	2.5
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

d: Any other party or candidate

	N	(%)
1: Yes	94	2.2
2: No	3944	93.4
8: No opinion	184	4.4
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q5:   After the assembly elections, who do you want to see as the next Chief Minister of West Bengal?

	N	(%)
01: Mamata Banerjee	1783	42.2
02: Abhishek Banerjee	77	1.8
03: Sougata Roy	79	1.9

	N	(%)
04: Madan Mitra	9	.2
05: Firhad Hakim	6	.1
07: Bratya Basu	3	.1
08: Subrata Mukherjee	5	.1
09: Mahua Moitra	1	.0
10: Any other leader from Trinamool Congress	75	1.8
20: Suvendu Adhikari	109	2.6
21: Dilip Ghosh	210	5.0
22: Mukul Roy	30	.7
23: Babul Supriyo	24	.6
24: Locket Chatterjee	18	.4
25: Rupa Ganguly	5	.1
26: Rajib Banerjee	1	.0
27: Mithun Chakraborty	36	.9
29: Any other leader from BJP	333	7.9
30: Sujan Chakraborty	11	.3
31: Mohammad Salim	13	.3
32: Surjya Kanta Mishra	7	.2
33: Gautam Deb	3	.1
34: Biman Bose	10	.2
36: Tanmoy Bhattacharyya	1	.0
38: Any other leader from Left parties	43	1.0
40: Adhir Ranjan Chowdhury	20	.5
41: Abdul Mannan	2	.0
42: Nepal Mahato	17	.4
43: Any other leader from Congress	20	.5
50: Abbas Siddiqui	16	.4
51: Sourav Ganguly	63	1.5

		N	(%)
	90: Any other leader <u>not from</u> TMC/BJP/Left/Cong	18	.4
	95: Anyone can be CM, no particular preference	133	3.1
	98: No response/Can't say	1045	24.7
Total		**4223**	**100.0**

Q6:   While deciding who to vote for in the assembly elections, what did you give more consideration/importance to - party or local candidate?

		N	**(%)**	**Valid (%)**
Valid	1: Party	2364	56.0	57.7
	2: Candidate	822	19.5	20.1
	3: CM candidate *(spontaneous answer)*	85	2.0	2.1
	4: Mamata Banerjee *(spontaneous answer)*	401	9.5	9.8
	5: Narendra Modi *(spontaneous answer)*	133	3.2	3.2
	7: Something else *(spontaneous answer)*	38	.9	.9
	8: No response	257	6.1	6.3
	Total	**4100**	**97.1**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not applicable	123	2.9	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

Q7:   Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the work done by the Trinamool Congress-led government in West Bengal during the last five years?

	N	**(%)**
1: Fully satisfied	1622	38.4
2: Somewhat satisfied	1271	30.1
3: Somewhat dissatisfied	382	9.1
4: Fully dissatisfied	667	15.8
8: No response	281	6.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q8: Who did you vote for in the Lok Sabha election held in 2019? I mean the Member of Parliament elections that were held for electing the Central Government in Delhi?

	N	(%)
01: Indian National Congress (INC)	116	2.7
02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	803	19.0
03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1487	35.2
04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	115	2.7
05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	11	.3
06: All India Forward Bloc (AIFB)	6	.2
07: Revolutionary Socialist Party (RSP)	0	.0
08: Communist Party of India Marxist-Leninist Liberation (CPIML)	2	.1
09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	5	.1
10: All India Majlis-e-Ittehadul Muslimeen (AIMIM)	1	.0
12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	1	.0
23: Left Front/Left parties *(only if someone said so instead of taking party name)*	3	.1
90: NOTA/No party	3	.1
95: Supporter of no particular party	2	.1
98: Don't want to reveal/NR	1325	31.4
99: Did not vote back then/wasn't eligible	342	8.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q9: And looking at how you (or your family if you are a first time voter) have voted during the last few Vidhan Sabha or state-level elections, how would you describe yourself?

	N	(%)
1: Congress	137	3.2
2: BJP	645	15.3
3: Trinamool Congress	1453	34.4
4: Left Front (CPM/CPI/AIFB/RSP)	253	6.0
5: Someone else	30	.7

	N	(%)
6: No one in particular	962	22.8
8: No response	743	17.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q10: Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the work done by the BJP/NDA-led government at the Centre so far?

	N	(%)
1: Fully satisfied	958	22.7
2: Somewhat satisfied	1221	28.9
3: Somewhat dissatisfied	363	8.6
4: Fully dissatisfied	1057	25.0
8: No response	624	14.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q11: Now I will ask you about the assessment of the work done by the Mamata Banerjee government in the state in the last five years. Do you think that the following have improved or deteriorated?

a: Condition of roads

	N	(%)
1: Improved	3056	72.4
2: Deteriorated	775	18.4
3: Remained same *(if someone said so)*	341	8.1
8: No Response	51	1.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

b: Supply of electricity

	N	(%)

	N	(%)
1: Improved	3323	78.7
2: Deteriorated	424	10.0
3: Remained same	426	10.1
8: No Response	50	1.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

c: Supply of drinking water

	N	(%)
1: Improved	2314	54.8
2: Deteriorated	1260	29.8
3: Remained same	606	14.4
8: No Response	43	1.0
Total	4223	100.0

d: Condition of government schools

	N	(%)
1: Improved	2050	48.5
2: Deteriorated	1115	26.4
3: Remained same	893	21.1
8: No Response	166	3.9
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

e: Medical facilities in government hospitals

	N	(%)
1: Improved	2044	48.4
2: Deteriorated	1131	26.8

	N	(%)
3: Remained same	878	20.8
8: No Response	171	4.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

f: Law & order situation

	N	(%)
1: Improved	1712	40.5
2: Deteriorated	1045	24.7
3: Remained same	1087	25.7
8: No Response	379	9.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

g: Public bus/public transportation services

	N	(%)
1: Improved	1964	46.5
2: Deteriorated	963	22.8
3: Remained same	980	23.2
8: No Response	316	7.5
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

h: Job opportunities

	N	(%)
1: Improved	905	21.4
2: Deteriorated	2172	51.4
3: Remained same	885	21.0
8: No Response	261	6.2

	N	(%)
Total	4223	100.0

      i: Condition of farmers

	N	(%)
1: Improved	1249	29.6
2: Deteriorated	1583	37.5
3: Remained same	937	22.2
8: No Response	454	10.7
Total	4223	100.0

      j: Women's security

	N	(%)
1: Improved	1998	47.3
2: Deteriorated	1005	23.8
3: Remained same	1019	24.1
8: No Response	201	4.8
Total	4223	100.0

Q12:   Do you agree or disagree with this statement – 'Even if it is not liked by the majority community, the government must protect the interests of the minority community'

	N	(%)
1: Fully agree	1490	35.3
2: Somewhat agree	986	23.3
3: Somewhat disagree	225	5.3
4: Fully disagree	511	12.1
8: No response	1011	23.9
Total	4223	100.0

Q13.   In your opinion, which party will be best for the following?

a: Running the administration/government of West Bengal

	N	(%)
01: Indian National Congress (INC)	89	2.1
02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	1185	28.1
03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1951	46.2
04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	184	4.4
05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	7	.2
08: Communist Party of India Marxist-Leninist Liberation (CPIML)	4	.1
09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	6	.1
11: Indian Secular Front (ISF)	8	.2
12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	3	.1
13: Gorkha National Liberation Front (GNLF)	0	.0
19: All Jharkhand Students Union Party (AJSUP)	4	.1
23: Left Front/Left parties *(only if someone said so instead of taking party name)*	4	.1
24: Sanyukta Morcha or Cong-Left-ISF	5	.1
90: No party	63	1.5
95: Supporter of no particular party	44	1.0
98: Don't want to reveal/NR	658	15.6
99: No answer	8	.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

b: For people like you

	N	(%)
01: Indian National Congress (INC)	96	2.3
02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	1162	27.5
03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1923	45.5

	N	(%)
04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	178	4.2
05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	6	.1
06: All India Forward Bloc (AIFB)	1	.0
09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	6	.1
11: Indian Secular Front (ISF)	9	.2
12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	3	.1
19: All Jharkhand Students Union Party (AJSUP)	4	.1
23: Left Front/Left parties *(only if someone said so instead of taking party name)*	3	.1
24: Sanyukta Morcha or Cong-Left-ISF	4	.1
80: Independent	3	.1
90: No party	70	1.7
95: Supporter of no particular party	46	1.1
98: Don't want to reveal/NR	702	16.6
99: No answer	7	.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

c: For protecting Bengali culture?

	N	(%)
01: Indian National Congress (INC)	85	2.0
02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	1092	25.9
03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1942	46.0
04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	221	5.2
05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	8	.2
06: All India Forward Bloc (AIFB)	1	.0
08: Communist Party of India Marxist-Leninist Liberation (CPIML)	1	.0
09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	7	.2
11: Indian Secular Front (ISF)	7	.2
12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	3	.1

	N	(%)
19: All Jharkhand Students Union Party (AJSUP)	2	.1
23: Left Front/Left parties *(only if someone said so instead of taking party name)*	3	.1
24: Sanyukta Morcha or Cong-Left-ISF	4	.1
80: Independent	1	.0
90: No party	79	1.9
95: Supporter of no particular party	41	1.0
98: Don't want to reveal/NR	719	17.0
99: No answer	7	.2
Total	4223	100.0

    d: For the development of West Bengal

	N	(%)
01: Indian National Congress (INC)	83	2.0
02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	1149	27.2
03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1987	47.1
04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	180	4.3
05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	5	.1
06: All India Forward Bloc (AIFB)	1	.0
09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	6	.1
11: Indian Secular Front (ISF)	9	.2
12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	3	.1
19: All Jharkhand Students Union Party (AJSUP)	1	.0
22: Communist Party of Revolutionary Marxists (CPRM)	1	.0
23: Left Front/Left parties *(only if someone said so instead of taking party name)*	4	.1
24: Sanyukta Morcha or Cong-Left-ISF	4	.1
70: Other parties not mentioned above	1	.0
90: No party	73	1.7
95: Supporter of no particular party	38	.9

	N	(%)
98: Don't want to reveal/NR	674	16.0
99: No answer	6	.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

e: For controlling price rise

	N	(%)
01: Indian National Congress (INC)	90	2.1
02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	1049	24.8
03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1771	41.9
04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	231	5.5
05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	5	.1
06: All India Forward Bloc (AIFB)	0	.0
08: Communist Party of India Marxist-Leninist Liberation (CPIML)	3	.1
09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	6	.1
11: Indian Secular Front (ISF)	8	.2
12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	3	.1
23: Left Front/Left parties *(only if someone said so instead of taking party name)*	4	.1
24: Sanyukta Morcha or Cong-Left-ISF	5	.1
80: Independent	1	.0
90: No party	85	2.0
95: Supporter of no particular party	39	.9
98: Don't want to reveal/NR	914	21.7
99: No answer	9	.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

f: For increasing job opportunities in West Bengal

	N	(%)

	N	(%)
01: Indian National Congress (INC)	80	1.9
02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	1138	27.0
03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1750	41.4
04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	241	5.7
05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	5	.1
09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	6	.1
11: Indian Secular Front (ISF)	8	.2
12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	3	.1
18: Jharkhand Disom Party (JDP)	0	.0
19: All Jharkhand Students Union Party (AJSUP)	1	.0
23: Left Front/Left parties *(only if someone said so instead of taking party name)*	4	.1
24: Sanyukta Morcha or Cong-Left-ISF	4	.1
70: Other parties not mentioned above	1	.0
80: Independent	1	.0
90: No party	72	1.7
95: Supporter of no particular party	38	.9
98: Don't want to reveal/NR	862	20.4
99: No answer	9	.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

g: For resolving Hindu-Muslim conflicts in West Bengal

	N	(%)
01: Indian National Congress (INC)	88	2.1
02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	1057	25.0
03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1809	42.8
04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	215	5.1
05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	5	.1
07: Revolutionary Socialist Party (RSP)	1	.0

	N	(%)
09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	5	.1
11: Indian Secular Front (ISF)	9	.2
12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	3	.1
19: All Jharkhand Students Union Party (AJSUP)	1	.0
23: Left Front/Left parties *(only if someone said so instead of taking party name)*	4	.1
24: Sanyukta Morcha or Cong-Left-ISF	6	.2
70: Other parties not mentioned above	0	.0
90: No party	84	2.0
95: Supporter of no particular party	38	.9
98: Don't want to reveal/NR	892	21.1
99: No answer	6	.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

h: For protecting the interests of your religion

	N	(%)
01: Indian National Congress (INC)	88	2.1
02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	1149	27.2
03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1766	41.8
04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	177	4.2
05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	5	.1
06: All India Forward Bloc (AIFB)	0	.0
09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	5	.1
10: All India Majlis-e-Ittehadul Muslimeen (AIMIM)	0	.0
11: Indian Secular Front (ISF)	9	.2
12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	3	.1
19: All Jharkhand Students Union Party (AJSUP)	2	.0
22: Communist Party of Revolutionary Marxists (CPRM)	1	.0
23: Left Front/Left parties *(only if someone said so instead of taking party name)*	4	.1

	N	(%)
24: Sanyukta Morcha or Cong-Left-ISF	6	.2
70: Other parties not mentioned above	0	.0
80: Independent	2	.1
90: No party	92	2.2
95: Supporter of no particular party	37	.9
98: Don't want to reveal/NR	866	20.5
99: No answer	11	.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

i: For protecting the interests of your caste-community

	N	(%)
01: Indian National Congress (INC)	92	2.2
02: Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	1143	27.1
03: All India Trinamool Congress (AITC/TMC)	1750	41.4
04: Communist Party of India-Marxist (CPI-M)	173	4.1
05: Communist Party of India (CPI)	5	.1
06: All India Forward Bloc (AIFB)	0	.0
08: Communist Party of India Marxist-Leninist Liberation (CPIML)	2	.0
09: Socialist Unity Centre of India Communist (SUCI-C/SUCI)	8	.2
11: Indian Secular Front (ISF)	10	.2
12: Gorkha Janmukti Morcha (GJM/GJMM)	3	.1
19: All Jharkhand Students Union Party (AJSUP)	2	.0
23: Left Front/Left parties *(only if someone said so instead of taking party name)*	4	.1
24: Sanyukta Morcha or Cong-Left-ISF	6	.2
70: Other parties not mentioned above	0	.0
80: Independent	2	.1
90: No party	92	2.2
95: Supporter of no particular party	37	.9

	N	(%)
98: Don't want to reveal/NR	885	20.9
99: No answer	9	.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q14: While deciding who to vote for in the assembly elections, what did you give more importance to – work done by the Mamata Banerjee government in the state or work done by the Narendra Modi government at the Centre?

	N	(%)
1: Mamata government's work	1937	45.9
2: Modi government's work	1130	26.8
3: Both govt's work	546	12.9
4: MLA's work	90	2.1
7: Something else	95	2.2
8: No response	328	7.8
9: Not applicable/Did not vote	97	2.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q15: In your opinion how corrupt is the Trinamool government in West Bengal - very corrupt, somewhat corrupt or not corrupt at all?

	N	(%)
1: Very corrupt	957	22.7
2: Somewhat corrupt	1407	33.3
3: Not at all corrupt	1096	25.9
8: No response	764	18.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q16: Have you heard of the Farmers' protest demanding a repeal/cancellation of 3 agricultural laws passed by the Central government last year?

	N	(%)
1: Heard	2333	55.2
2: Not heard	1890	44.8
Total	4223	100.0

a: (**If heard in Q16**) Some people say that the Central government should cancel/repeal the three laws and sit with farmer representatives and draft new laws, some others say that the government should amend the existing laws to address the farmers' concerns, and some others say that the government should continue with the laws as they are and not accept the farmers' demand. What is your opinion?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Repeal and draft new laws	714	16.9	30.6
	2: Amend the existing laws	486	11.5	20.8
	3: Continue with laws as they are	408	9.7	17.5
	4: Keep them on hold *(spontaneous response)*	76	1.8	3.3
	8: No response	648	15.4	27.8
	Total	**2333**	**55.2**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not applicable	1890	44.8	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

Q17: Who among these two leaders do you like more - Narendra Modi or Mamata Banerjee?

	N	(%)
1: Narendra Modi	1202	28.5
2: Mamata Banerjee	1910	45.2
3: Neither	309	7.3
4: Both	509	12.0
8: No response	293	6.9
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q18: I'll read out the names of a few government schemes and facilities. Please tell me during the last five years have you or a household member benefited from or availed of them?

a: Kanyashree Prakalpa (Financial aid to girls from poor families)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	1436	34.0
2: Not Benefited	2178	51.6
3: Not eligible *(those who said so instead of saying Not benefited)*	585	13.9
8: No response	24	.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

a(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	1382	32.7	96.2
	2: Centre	20	.5	1.4
	3: Bureaucracy	11	.3	.7
	4: Both State and Centre	10	.2	.7
	8: No response	14	.3	1.0
	Total	**1436**	**34.0**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	2787	66.0	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

b: Duare Sarkar (Special camps for making schemes accessible)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	1893	44.8
2: Not Benefited	2169	51.4
3: Not eligible *(those who said so instead of saying Not benefited)*	143	3.4
8: No response	17	.4

	N	(%)
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

b(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	1815	43.0	95.9
	2: Centre	24	.6	1.3
	3: Bureaucracy	10	.2	.5
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	30	.7	1.6
	8: No response	14	.3	.7
	Total	**1893**	**44.8**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	2330	55.2	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

c: Maa scheme (Cooked meal for Rs 5)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	240	5.7
2: Not Benefited	3370	79.8
3: Not eligible (*those who said so instead of saying Not benefited*)	581	13.8
8: No response	32	.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

c(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	216	5.1	89.9
	2: Centre	12	.3	5.2

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	3: Bureaucracy	4	.1	1.7
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	6	.1	2.6
	8: No response	2	.0	.6
	Total	**240**	**5.7**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	3983	94.3	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

d: Swasthya Saathi (Free treatment up to Rs 5 lakh annually)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	2779	65.8
2: Not Benefited	1300	30.8
3: Not eligible (*those who said so instead of saying Not benefited*)	121	2.9
8: No response	22	.5
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

d(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	2625	62.2	94.4
	2: Centre	45	1.1	1.6
	3: Bureaucracy	9	.2	.3
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	64	1.5	2.3
	8: No response	36	.9	1.3
	Total	2779	65.8	100.0
Missing	9: Not Applicable	1444	34.2	
Total		4223	100.0	

e: Shikshashree (Scholarship for SC/ST communities)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	579	13.7
2: Not Benefited	2943	69.7
3: Not eligible *(those who said so instead of saying Not benefited)*	672	15.9
8: No response	29	.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

e(a):   (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	530	12.5	91.6
	2: Centre	20	.5	3.4
	3: Bureaucracy	3	.1	.5
	4: State & Centre *(spontaneous answer)*	17	.4	3.0
	8: No response	8	.2	1.5
	Total	**579**	**13.7**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	3644	86.3	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

f: Rupashree Prakalpa (Financial grant for daughter's marriage)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	667	15.8
2: Not Benefited	2859	67.7
3: Not eligible *(those who said so instead of saying Not benefited)*	663	15.7
8: No response	34	.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

f(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	641	15.2	96.0
	2: Centre	13	.3	1.9
	3: Bureaucracy	7	.2	1.1
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	1	.0	.1
	8: No response	6	.1	.9
	Total	**667**	**15.8**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	3556	84.2	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

g   Sabooj Saathi (Bicycles for high school students)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	2033	48.1
2: Not Benefited	1741	41.2
3: Not eligible (*those who said so instead of saying Not benefited*)	418	9.9
8: No response	31	.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

g(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	1947	46.1	95.8
	2: Centre	22	.5	1.1
	3: Bureaucracy	5	.1	.2
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	29	.7	1.4
	8: No response	30	.7	1.5

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	Total	**2033**	**48.1**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	2190	51.9	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

h: Khadya Saathi? (Free rations)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	3346	79.2
2: Not Benefited	786	18.6
3: Not eligible *(those who said so instead of saying Not benefited)*	76	1.8
8: No response	15	.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

h(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	2889	68.4	86.3
	2: Centre	167	4.0	5.0
	3: Bureaucracy	13	.3	.4
	4: State & Centre *(spontaneous answer)*	223	5.3	6.7
	8: No response	55	1.3	1.6
	Total	**3346**	**79.2**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	877	20.8	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

i: Jai Bangla Prakalpa, Taposili Bandhu or Jai Johar? (Pension schemes)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	414	9.8

	N	(%)
2: Not Benefited	3228	76.4
3: Not eligible *(those who said so instead of saying Not benefited)*	550	13.0
8: No response	31	.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

i(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	360	8.5	87.0
	2: Centre	39	.9	9.4
	3: Bureaucracy	5	.1	1.1
	4: State & Centre *(spontaneous answer)*	4	.1	1.0
	8: No response	6	.1	1.5
	Total	**414**	**9.8**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	3809	90.2	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

j: Krishak Bandhu (Financial assistance to farmers)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	740	17.5
2: Not Benefited	2905	68.8
3: Not eligible *(those who said so instead of saying Not benefited)*	542	12.8
8: No response	36	.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

j(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	601	14.2	81.3
	2: Centre	31	.7	4.2
	3: Bureaucracy	3	.1	.4
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	19	.5	2.6
	8: No response	85	2.0	11.5
	Total	**740**	**17.5**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	3483	82.5	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

k: Aikyashree (Scholarship for minority students)

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	444	10.5
2: Not Benefited	2871	68.0
3: Not eligible (*those who said so instead of saying Not benefited*)	876	20.7
8: No response	33	.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

k(a):   (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	411	9.7	92.8
	2: Centre	23	.5	5.1
	3: Bureaucracy	3	.1	.7
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	1	.0	.1
	8: No response	6	.1	1.3
	Total	**444**	**10.5**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	3779	89.5	

	N	(%)	Valid (%)
Total	**4223**	**100.0**	

Q19: Do you agree or disagree with this statement - Mamata Banerjee has succeeded in bringing *Asol Poribortan* (real change) in West Bengal?

	N	(%)
1: Fully agree	1317	31.2
2: Somewhat agree	1497	35.4
3: Somewhat disagree	314	7.4
4: Fully disagree	712	16.9
8: No response	383	9.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q20: Have you heard about CAA or Citizenship Amendment Act?

	N	(%)
1: Heard	2658	62.9
2: Not heard	1565	37.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q21: Do you support or oppose CAA under which Hindus, Sikhs, Christians, Jains, Buddhists and Parsis coming from Pakistan, Bangladesh and Afghanistan can get India's citizenship but not Muslims coming from those countries?

	N	(%)
1: Fully support	899	21.3
2: Somewhat support	608	14.4
3: Somewhat oppose	232	5.5
4: Fully oppose	1376	32.6
8: No response	1108	26.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q22: Have you heard about the talk of NRC or National Register of Citizens?

	N	(%)
1: Heard	3444	81.5
2: Not heard	779	18.5
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q23: If NRC is implemented, then every person living in India will have to provide documentary proof of their citizenship to the government. Please tell me do you support or oppose the NRC?

	N	(%)
1: Fully support	1059	25.1
2: Somewhat support	634	15.0
3: Somewhat oppose	241	5.7
4: Fully oppose	1490	35.3
8: No response	799	18.9
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q24: Do you agree or disagree with this statement – 'For West Bengal's development it is necessary that the party ruling at the Centre (in Delhi) should also be ruling in the State'?

	N	(%)
1: Fully agree	1108	26.2
2: Somewhat agree	692	16.4
3: Somewhat disagree	200	4.7
4: Fully disagree	1378	32.6
8: No response	845	20.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q25: Have you or any member of your household got yourself registered/applied for getting benefits under the PM Kisaan Samman Nidhi scheme?

	N	(%)
1: Yes	917	21.7
2: No	2616	62.0
7: Not a farmer household *(those who said so instead of saying No)*	519	12.3
8: No response	171	4.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q26: Do you agree or disagree with this statement – 'The Mamata Banerjee government gives undue favour to Muslims'?

	N	(%)
1: Fully agree	1247	29.5
2: Somewhat agree	1157	27.4
3: Somewhat disagree	205	4.9
4: Fully disagree	935	22.1
8: No response	678	16.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q27: Now I will read out two statements about TMC party in West Bengal. Do you agree or disagree with them?

a: There is a lot of corruption in the TMC

	N	(%)
1: Fully agree	1011	23.9
2: Somewhat agree	1152	27.3
3: Somewhat disagree	529	12.5
4: Fully disagree	733	17.4
8: No response	797	18.9

	N	(%)
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

b: TMC workers and leaders intimidate common people

	N	(%)
1: Fully agree	701	16.6
2: Somewhat agree	913	21.6
3: Somewhat disagree	530	12.5
4: Fully disagree	1126	26.7
8: No response	954	22.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q28.   I'll again read out the names of a few more government schemes and facilities. Please tell me during the last five years have you or a household member benefited from or availed of them?

a: Ujjwala Yojana

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	1596	37.8
2: Not Benefited	2420	57.3
3: Not eligible *(those who said so instead of saying Not benefited)*	175	4.1
8: No response	32	.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

a(a):   (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	322	7.6	20.1
	2: Centre	1221	28.9	76.5

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	3: Bureaucracy	2	.1	.1
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	25	.6	1.6
	8: No response	26	.6	1.7
	Total	**1596**	**37.8**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	2627	62.2	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

b: MNREGA

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	1928	45.7
2: Not Benefited	2070	49.0
3: Not eligible (*those who said so instead of saying Not benefited*)	201	4.8
8: No response	25	.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

b(a):   (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	972	23.0	50.4
	2: Centre	813	19.2	42.1
	3: Bureaucracy	3	.1	.2
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	96	2.3	5.0
	8: No response	45	1.1	2.3
	Total	**1928**	**45.7**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	2295	54.3	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

c: Awaas Yojana

		N	(%)
	1: Benefited	1321	31.3
	2: Not Benefited	2726	64.6
	3: Not eligible *(those who said so instead of saying Not benefited)*	134	3.2
	8: No response	41	1.0
	Total	**4223**	**100.0**

c(a):   (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	603	14.3	45.6
	2: Centre	576	13.6	43.6
	3: Bureaucracy	13	.3	1.0
	4: State & Centre *(spontaneous answer)*	110	2.6	8.3
	8: No response	20	.5	1.5
	Total	**1321**	**31.3**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	2902	68.7	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

d: PDS (subsidized ration)

		N	(%)
	1: Benefited	2269	53.7
	2: Not Benefited	1736	41.1
	3: Not eligible *(those who said so instead of saying Not benefited)*	178	4.2
	8: No response	41	1.0
	Total	**4223**	**100.0**

d(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	1181	28.0	52.1
	2: Centre	744	17.6	32.8
	3: Bureaucracy	12	.3	.5
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	282	6.7	12.4
	8: No response	50	1.2	2.2
	Total	**2269**	**53.7**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	1954	46.3	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

e: Ayushman Bharat

	N	(%)
1: Benefited	219	5.2
2: Not Benefited	3298	78.1
3: Not eligible (*those who said so instead of saying Not benefited*)	663	15.7
8: No response	43	1.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

e(a): (**If benefited**) Who do you give credit to for the scheme - state government, central govt. or the local bureaucracy?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: State	53	1.3	24.3
	2: Centre	134	3.2	61.1
	3: Bureaucracy	4	.1	2.0
	4: State & Centre (*spontaneous answer*)	14	.3	6.5
	8: No response	14	.3	6.2

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	Total	**219**	**5.2**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not Applicable	4004	94.8	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

Q29: Do you agree or disagree with this statement – 'Shifting of Tata's Nano car project from Bengal was a huge loss to the common people of the State?

	N	(%)
1: Fully agree	1537	36.4
2: Somewhat agree	1093	25.9
3: Somewhat disagree	144	3.4
4: Fully disagree	223	5.3
8: No response	1226	29.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q30: Did you see the following during this election?

      a: Anyone voting more than once on Voting Day

	N	(%)
1: Saw	48	1.1
2: Didn't see	3836	90.8
3: Didn't see but heard	166	3.9
8: No response	173	4.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

      b: Booth capturing, rigging, etc. on Voting Day

	N	(%)
1: Saw	51	1.2

	N	(%)
2: Didn't see	3819	90.4
3: Didn't see but heard	186	4.4
8: No response	168	4.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

      c: Voters being threatened or prevented from voting on Voting Day

	N	(%)
1: Saw	82	1.9
2: Didn't see	3771	89.3
3: Didn't see but heard	205	4.9
8: No response	165	3.9
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

      d: A clash between party workers of different parties on Voting Day

	N	(%)
1: Saw	138	3.3
2: Didn't see	3627	85.9
3: Didn't see but heard	292	6.9
8: No response	166	3.9
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

      e: A party/candidate distributing food/liquor/money etc. on/before Voting Day

	N	(%)
1: Saw	123	2.9
2: Didn't see	3689	87.3
3: Didn't see but heard	227	5.4

	N	(%)
8: No response	184	4.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q31: Some people say that the rise of the BJP in West Bengal is bad for the state's social fabric and some others say it is good for the state's social fabric. What is your opinion?

	N	(%)
1: Bad	1426	33.8
2: Good	1392	33.0
3: Won't make a difference	752	17.8
8: No response	653	15.5
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q32. During the last one year, have you or a member of your household received any amount of money from any government scheme in the bank account? For example many programmes, such as NREGA wages, student scholarships, pensions, LPG subsidy, some farmer scheme etc. where the government has started to directly transfer money into bank accounts?

	N	(%)
1: Yes, received	2016	47.7
2: No, not received	1762	41.7
7: Don't know	293	6.9
8: No response	153	3.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q33: According to you how free and fair was the current election? Was it – completely fair, somewhat fair, not much fair or not at all fair?

	N	(%)
1: Completely fair	3560	84.3
2: Somewhat fair	425	10.1

	N	(%)
3: Not much fair	100	2.4
4: Not at all fair	22	.5
5: Can't say	48	1.1
8: No response	67	1.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Q34:   Should the Trinamool Congress government of West Bengal get another chance?

	N	(%)
1: Yes	2219	52.5
2: No	1432	33.9
7: Can't say/evasive answer	265	6.3
8: Silent/No response	307	7.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Z1:   Gender

	N	(%)
1: Male	2156	51.0
2: Female	2060	48.8
3: Others	7	.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z2:   Up to what level have you studied?

	N	(%)
01: Non literate	703	16.7
02: Less than primary	365	8.6
03: Primary pass/Middle fail	595	14.1
04: Middle pass Matriculation fail	741	17.5
05: Matriculation pass (Stopped studying after Class X)	607	14.4
06: Intermediate/Went to college but did not complete graduation	597	14.1
07: Graduate (completed)	411	9.7
08: Post Graduate	113	2.7
09: Higher degree/professional degree	18	.4
98: No response	71	1.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z3:   What is your main occupation?

	N	(%)
01: Scientists	11	.3
02: Engineers	10	.2
03: Doctors	8	.2

	N	(%)
04: Lawyers	4	.1
05: Accountants	3	.1
06: College/Univ. Teachers	6	.1
07: Writers	6	.1
08: Modern Artists	3	.1
09: Other higher professionals	6	.1
10: Science and engineering technicians	2	.1
11: Computer operators	7	.2
12: Alternative doctors	2	.1
13: Medical technicians	18	.4
14: School teachers	60	1.4
15: Nursery teachers	32	.8
16: Folk and commercial artists	8	.2
18: Priests	7	.2
19: Other lower professionals	9	.2
20: Elected Officials: Top central/state level	1	.0
22: Managers	32	.8
23: Officials Class I	10	.2
24: Officials Class II	3	.1
25: Class III Employee (Clerical)	35	.8
26: Superintendents	4	.1
27: Traditional clerks	9	.2
28: Class IV Employee	21	.5
29: Other administrative, managerial and clerical workers	21	.5
30: Big businessmen	7	.2
31: Medium businessmen	58	1.4
32: Small businessmen	255	6.0
33: Petty shopkeeper	115	2.7

	N	(%)
34: Hawkers, Vendors	20	.5
35: Sales executives	10	.2
36: Salespersons	17	.4
37: Shop Assistants	22	.5
38: Rentier	4	.1
39: Other businessmen	12	.3
40: Waiters	15	.4
41: Dhobi	1	.0
42: Barbers, beauticians	3	.1
43: Ayahs, maids, domestic servants	6	.1
44: Chowkidars, caretakers	9	.2
45: Sweepers, scavengers	1	.0
49: Other service workers	18	.4
50: Mechanics, machine tool operators, drivers	39	.9
51: Electricians, Plumbers	15	.4
52: Jewelers	16	.4
53: Tailors	47	1.1
54: Weavers	7	.2
56: Blacksmiths	4	.1
57: Carpenters	13	.3
59: Other skilled workers	25	.6
60: Miners	1	.0
61: Masons, bricklayers	46	1.1
62: Potters	5	.1
63: Stone-cutter and carvers	10	.2
64: Furniture, basket, mat makers	5	.1
65: Rickshaw-pullers	5	.1
66: Unskilled labourers	34	.8

	N	(%)
69: Other semi-skilled and unskilled workers	196	4.6
70: Owner-cultivators 20 + Acres	0	.0
71: Owner-cultivators 10-20 Acres	5	.1
72: Owner-cultivators 5-10 Acres	1	.0
73: Owner-cultivators 1-5 Acres	56	1.3
74: Owner-cultivators 0-1 Acre	138	3.3
75: Tenant-cultivators 5+ Acres	11	.3
76: Tenant-cultivators 0-5 Acres	74	1.8
77: Plantation workers	39	.9
78: Agricultural labourers	226	5.4
79: Other agriculture workers	61	1.4
80: Live-stock farming	0	.0
81: Dairy farming	11	.2
82: Poultry farming	5	.1
86: Fishermen	22	.5
89: Other breeders and cattle	7	.2
90: House-wife/husband	1628	38.5
91: Students not seeking employment	302	7.2
92: Employment seekers	50	1.2
93: Unemployed workers, non-workers	66	1.6
95: Any other occupation	25	.6
96: Political activists, missionaries	4	.1
98: Unidentifiable or unclassifiable	54	1.3
99: Not ascertained	56	1.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

a: (***If NOT a farmer/agricultural laborer in Z3***) Is there anyone in your family who is engaged in farming or agricultural activity?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Yes	1594	37.8	45.2
	2: No	1931	45.7	54.7
	8: No response	4	.1	.1
	Total	**3530**	**83.6**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not applicable	693	16.4	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

Z4.   What is your age?

	N	(%)
1: Up to 25 yrs	674	16.0
2: 26-35 yrs	1098	26.0
3: 36-45 yrs	799	18.9
4: 46-55 yrs	734	17.4
5: 56 yrs. and above	918	21.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z5:   Since how long have you been living here?

	N	(%)
1: Less than 1 year	14	.3
2: 1-10 years	318	7.5
3: 11 to 20 years	329	7.8
4: 21 to 30 years	290	6.9
5: 31 to 40 years	224	5.3
6: Above 40 years	218	5.2
7: Since birth	2784	65.9

	N	(%)
8: No response	46	1.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

a: (***If NOT since birth in Z5***) So where did you come from to live here – from some other part of West Bengal itself or from some place outside West Bengal?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Some other part of West Bengal itself	1067	25.3	74.1
	2: Some place outside West Bengal	122	2.9	8.5
	8: No response	250	5.9	17.4
	Total	**1439**	**34.1**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not applicable	2784	65.9	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

Z6: Are you married?

	N	(%)
1: Yes	3408	80.7
2: No	643	15.2
3: Divorced	29	.7
4: Widowed	119	2.8
5: Separated	6	.2
8: Did not tell	19	.4
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z7: What is your caste group – are you SC, ST, OBC or General?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: SC	1066	25.2	25.4
	2: ST	240	5.7	5.7

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	3: OBC	892	21.1	21.2
	4: General	2007	47.5	47.7
	Total	**4205**	**99.6**	**100.0**
Missing	9: N.A.	18	.4	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

Z8: And what is your caste community?

	N	(%)
01: Brahmin	211	5.0
02: Baishnab	51	1.2
03: Kayastha	405	9.6
04: Baidya	25	.6
05: Vaishya - Saha	45	1.1
06: Jain	10	.2
07: Other upper castes	126	3.0
08: Dominant Peasant Proprietors	3	.1
09: Yadav	100	2.4
10: Lodh – Mahishya	276	6.5
11: Kurmi, Kudmi – Kudmi-Mahato	39	.9
12: Other peasant OBCs	4	.1
13: Kumhar	28	.7
14: Karmakar, Lohar	27	.6
15: Swarnakar, Sunar	6	.1
16: Other craftsmen and weaver OBCs	66	1.6
17: Nai	2	.1
18: Teli, Sahu	34	.8
19: Other Service OBCs	53	1.3
20: Chamar - Jatav	14	.3

	N	(%)
21: Rajbanshi	118	2.8
22: Namashudra	278	6.6
23: Namashudra-Matua	10	.2
24: Bagdi, Duley	122	2.9
25: Bauri	59	1.4
26: Pod, Poundra	91	2.1
27: Tiyar	3	.1
28: Other SC	235	5.6
29: Oraon	13	.3
30: Santhal	80	1.9
31: Munda	18	.4
32: Other ST	61	1.4
33: Ashraf Muslims	128	3.0
34: Mughal Muslims	22	.5
35: Other Upper caste Muslims	118	2.8
36: Muslim OBCs/Dalits	158	3.7
37: Muslims no caste	155	3.7
38: Other religious minorities	25	.6
39: No caste	102	2.4
98: No response	901	21.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z9: What is your religion?

	N	(%)
1: Hindu	2982	70.6
2: Muslim	1120	26.5
3: Christian	39	.9
4: Sikh	8	.2

	N	(%)
5: Buddhist	14	.3
6: Jain	9	.2
7: Parsi	4	.1
8: No religion	5	.1
9: Others	43	1.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

a: (**If answer is '1. Hindu' in Z9**) Which god/devi-devta do you worship the most?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Durga	279	6.6	9.4
	02: Ram	78	1.9	2.6
	03: Krishna	646	15.3	21.7
	04: Shiv	386	9.1	12.9
	05: Hanuman	93	2.2	3.1
	06: Ganesh	76	1.8	2.5
	07: Lakshmi	528	12.5	17.7
	08: Saraswati	33	.8	1.1
	09: Kali	324	7.7	10.9
	10: Chandi	11	.3	.4
	11: Other	308	7.3	10.3
	98: No response	219	5.2	7.4
	Total	**2982**	**70.6**	**100.0**
Missing	99: Not applicable	1241	29.4	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

Z10: How often do you practice these religious activities – daily, weekly, monthly, during festivals, very rarely or never?

a: Praying (puja/path/namaz/prayer)

	N	**(%)**
1: Daily	2281	54.0
2: Weekly	541	12.8
3: Monthly	110	2.6
4: On festivals	548	13.0
5: Rarely	423	10.0
6: Never	222	5.2
8: No response	97	2.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

b: Visiting temple/mosque/church/ gurudwara etc.

	N	**(%)**
1: Daily	537	12.7
2: Weekly	613	14.5
3: Monthly	263	6.2
4: On festivals	1384	32.8
5: Rarely	836	19.8
6: Never	428	10.1
8: No response	162	3.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

c: Watching religious channels on TV

	N	**(%)**
1: Daily	270	6.4

	N	(%)
2: Weekly	207	4.9
3: Monthly	131	3.1
4: On festivals	306	7.2
5: Rarely	650	15.4
6: Never	1947	46.1
8: No response	713	16.9
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

d: Reading any religious book

	N	(%)
1: Daily	257	6.1
2: Weekly	278	6.6
3: Monthly	152	3.6
4: On festivals	364	8.6
5: Rarely	532	12.6
6: Never	1881	44.5
8: No response	760	18.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

e: Keeping vrat/rozas/fasts

	N	(%)
1: Daily	247	5.8
2: Weekly	244	5.8
3: Monthly	291	6.9
4: On festivals	2004	47.5
5: Rarely	369	8.7
6: Never	781	18.5

	N	(%)
8: No response	286	6.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z11: During the last four-five years, do you think you have become more religious than before, less religious or there has been no change?

	N	(%)
1: More religious	864	20.5
2: Less religious	300	7.1
3: No change/same as before	2344	55.5
4: Never religious/not religious	83	2.0
8: Can't Say	632	15.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z12: In which language do you generally speak at home?

	N	(%)
01: Bengali	3683	87.2
02: English	38	.9
03: Hindi	244	5.8
04: Urdu	8	.2
05: Nepali/Gorkhali/Gurkha	77	1.8
07: Punjabi/ Gurmukhi	2	.0
08: Ol-Chiki/Santhali	63	1.5
10: Bhutiya	2	.1
11: Oraon/Kurukh	7	.2
12: Mundari	5	.1
14: Rajbanshi	14	.3
15: Kamtapuri (variant of Rajbanshi)	1	.0

	N	(%)
16: Kurmali/Kudmali	29	.7
21: Sundarbani (dialect of Bengali)	3	.1
23: Bhojpuri	5	.1
30: Marathi	2	.1
33: Other Indian languages (Kashmiri, Haryanvi etc.) and dialects	12	.3
98: No response	27	.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z13: Which ration card do you have?

	N	(%)
1: Above Poverty Line (APL)	777	18.4
2: Below Poverty Line (BPL)	594	14.1
3: Antyodaya (AAY)	167	3.9
4: Annapurna (PHH and SPHH)	1564	37.0
5: Rajya Khadya Suraksha Yojana (RKSY/RKSY-2)	936	22.2
6: Others	26	.6
7: Had, but lost it	9	.2
8: Do not have a ration card	76	1.8
9: No response	75	1.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z14. How often do you do the following – almost everyday, at least once a week, few times a month, very little or never?

a: Watch news on television

	N	(%)
1: Almost everyday	2121	50.2
2: At least once a week	454	10.7

	N	(%)
3: Few times a month	101	2.4
4: Very little	656	15.5
8: Never	891	21.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

b: Read the newspaper/s

	N	(%)
1: Almost everyday	760	18.0
2: At least once a week	361	8.5
3: Few times a month	137	3.2
4: Very little	528	12.5
8: Never	2438	57.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

c: Listen to the radio

	N	(%)
1: Almost everyday	151	3.6
2: At least once a week	108	2.5
3: Few times a month	53	1.3
4: Very little	245	5.8
8: Never	3666	86.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

d: Use the internet

	N	(%)
1: Almost everyday	853	20.2

	N	(%)
2: At least once a week	266	6.3
3: Few times a month	80	1.9
4: Very little	235	5.6
8: Never	2790	66.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z15:   How often do you use the following - many times a day, once or twice a day, a few days a week, a few days a month, very less or never?

a: Facebook

	N	(%)
1: Many times a day	1311	31.0
2: Once or twice a day	251	6.0
3: A few days a week	80	1.9
4: A few days a month	28	.7
5: Very less	63	1.5
8: Never	2489	58.9
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

b: Twitter

	N	(%)
1: Many times a day	176	4.2
2: Once or twice a day	106	2.5
3: A few days a week	42	1.0
4: A few days a month	34	.8
5: Very less	76	1.8
8: Never	3789	89.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

c: Whatsapp

	N	(%)
1: Many times a day	1391	32.9
2: Once or twice a day	282	6.7
3: A few days a week	39	.9
4: A few days a month	11	.3
5: Very less	32	.8
8: Never	2467	58.4
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

d: Instagram

	N	(%)
1: Many times a day	319	7.6
2: Once or twice a day	119	2.8
3: A few days a week	35	.8
4: A few days a month	19	.4
5: Very less	87	2.1
8: Never	3644	86.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

e: YouTube

	N	(%)
1: Many times a day	1182	28.0
2: Once or twice a day	314	7.4
3: A few days a week	90	2.1
4: A few days a month	25	.6
5: Very less	53	1.3

	N	(%)
8: Never	2559	60.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

f: Koo

	N	(%)
1: Many times a day	46	1.1
2: Once or twice a day	29	.7
3: A few days a week	11	.3
4: A few days a month	18	.4
5: Very less	37	.9
8: Never	4082	96.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z16: What type of area/locality is this?

	N	(%)
1: Village (less than 50,000 population)	2989	70.8
2: Town (50,000 - less than lakh)	615	14.6
3: Small City (1 lakh - less than 4 lakh)	294	7.0
4: Big City (5 lakh - less than 9 lakh)	142	3.4
5. Metropolis (10 lakh and above)	182	4.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

a: (***If Town/ Small City/ Big City/Metropolis in Z16***) What type of house does the respondent live in?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: House/Flat/ Bungalow	104	2.5	8.7
	2: House/Flat with 5 or more rooms	95	2.2	7.9

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	3: House/ Flat with 4 rooms	186	4.4	15.5
	4: House/ Flat with 3 rooms	379	9.0	31.6
	5: House with 2 rooms	303	7.2	25.3
	6: House with 1 room	82	1.9	6.8
	7: Kuccha house	13	.3	1.1
	8: Slum/Jhuggi/Jhopdi	36	.9	3.0
	Total	**1198**	**28.4**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not applicable	3025	71.6	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

b: (***If Village in Z16***)What type of house does the respondent live in?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Pucca (both wall and roof are made of pucca material)	1354	32.1	39.6
	2: Pucca-kuccha (either wall or roof is made of pucca material, but others of kuccha material)	1116	26.4	32.7
	3: Kaccha (both wall and roof are made of kuccha material other than material mentioned in Category 4)	744	17.6	21.8
	4: Hut (both wall and roof are made of grass, leaves, mud, un-brunt brick or bamboo)	204	4.8	6.0
	Total	**3418**	**80.9**	**100.0**
Missing	9: Not applicable	805	19.1	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

Z18:   What kind of mobile phone do you have- a simple phone or a smartphone with a touch screen or you don't have a mobile phone?

	N	(%)
1: Simple phone	1523	36.1
2: Smartphone	1747	41.4

	N	(%)
3: Both	170	4.0
4: Don't have a phone	685	16.2
8: No answer	97	2.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z19:   Do you or your household have the following?

    a: Car/jeep/van

	N	(%)
1: Yes	202	4.8
2: No	4021	95.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

    b: Scooter / motorcycle/ moped

	N	(%)
1: Yes	1450	34.3
2: No	2773	65.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

    c: Air conditioner

	N	(%)
1: Yes	287	6.8
2: No	3936	93.2
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

d: Computer/laptop/iPad

	N	**(%)**
1: Yes	610	14.4
2: No	3613	85.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

e: Electric fan/cooler

	N	**(%)**
1: Yes	3832	90.7
2: No	391	9.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

f: Washing machine

	N	**(%)**
1: Yes	465	11.0
2: No	3758	89.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

g: Fridge

	N	**(%)**
1: Yes	1611	38.2
2: No	2612	61.8
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

h: Television

	N	**(%)**

	N	(%)
1: Yes	3409	80.7
2: No	814	19.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

i: Bank/post office account

	N	(%)
1: Yes	3827	90.6
2: No	396	9.4
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

j: ATM/Debit/Credit card

	N	(%)
1: Yes	2407	57.0
2: No	1816	43.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

k: LPG Gas? (If yes, ask Cylinder or piped)

	N	(%)
0: Yes, Cylinder	2972	70.4
1: Yes, Piped	548	13.0
2: No	702	16.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

l: Internet connection in the house (excluding on your mobile phone.)

	N	(%)
1: Yes	776	18.4

	N	(%)
2: No	3447	81.6
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

m: Toilet inside the house

	N	(%)
1: Yes	3042	72.0
2: No	1181	28.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

n: Pumping set

	N	(%)
1: Yes	1168	27.7
2: No	3055	72.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

o: Tractor

	N	(%)
1: Yes	89	2.1
2: No	4134	97.9
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

Z21: What's your monthly household income after putting together the income of all members?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Up to Rs 1,000	50	1.2	1.3
	02: 1,001 to 2,000	136	3.2	3.4

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
	03: 2,001 to 3,000	288	6.8	7.2
	04: 3,001 to 5,000	639	15.1	16.0
	05: 5,001 to 7,500	725	17.2	18.2
	06: 7,501 to 10,000	944	22.4	23.6
	07: 10,001 to 15,000	558	13.2	14.0
	08: 15,001 to 20,000	294	7.0	7.4
	09: 20,001 to 30,000	209	5.0	5.2
	10: 30,001 to 50,000	119	2.8	3.0
	11: Over 50,000	31	.7	.8
	Total	**3994**	**94.6**	**100.0**
Missing	99: N.A.	229	5.4	
Total		**4223**	**100.0**	

E1: Were there any other people immediately present who might be listening during the interview?

	N	(%)
1: No one	2365	56.0
2: Husband	420	9.9
3: Other adult male family members	673	15.9
4: Adult female family members	475	11.3
5: Any male from neighborhood	136	3.2
6: Any female from neighborhood	60	1.4
7: Small crowd	80	1.9
8: Any Other	13	.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

E2: In how many questions did the respondent check with others for information to answer the questions?

	N	(%)
1: None	2356	55.8
2: One or two	1317	31.2
3: Three to five	307	7.3
4: Six to ten	120	2.8
5: More than 10	107	2.5
8: No response	17	.4
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

E3: While answering the question on voting preference in the Vidhan Sabha election (Q1a), did the respondent use the ballot paper secretly or did she/he answer openly?

	N	(%)
1: Secretly	2151	50.9
2: Openly	1576	37.3
3: Not voted	496	11.7
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

E4: In your opinion did the respondent feel free while marking the ballot for Q1a or do you think that she/he was hesitant while marking the ballot, or you can't say?

	N	(%)
1: Felt free	2839	67.2
2: Did not feel free	679	16.1
3: Can't say	228	5.4
4: Not voted	477	11.3
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

E5: At some stage did you notice something that made you feel that the respondent was answering under some fear or pressure?

	N	(%)
1: Yes	627	14.8
2: No	3172	75.1
3: Not sure	424	10.1
Total	**4223**	**100.0**

E6: Overall was the respondent cooperative?

	N	(%)
1: Yes, very much	3056	72.4
2: Somewhat	870	20.6
3: Not at all	298	7.0
Total	**4223**	**100.0**