

**2025 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL
W169 SCIENCE QUESTIONNAIRE
FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE
APRIL 28 – MAY 4, 2025**

Note: The questions presented below are part of a larger survey conducted on the American Trends Panel. For all questions, the 98 ("don't know" in phone mode) and 99 (refusal in phone mode and no answer in web mode) codes are combined in the data for analytical purposes.

PN = Programming note

TXT:

CODEBOOK FOR ATP SAMPLE VARIABLES TO BE USED IN SURVEY PROGRAMMING LOGIC

X_FORM

1 Form 1

2 Form 2

Note: Flag to randomly assign panelists to one of two forms (Form 1, Form 2) and weight within form
ATP source: Randomly assigned for each survey.

-----**MAIN QUESTIONNAIRE BEGINS HERE**-----
-----**OTHER QUESTIONS PREVIOUSLY RELEASED.**
-----**BAT: ENV2****ASK ALL:****[PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]****[PN: IF WEB:]** Do you favor or oppose expanding each of the following sources of energy in our country?**[PN: IF CATI: READ FOR FIRST ITEM:]** Do you favor or oppose expanding each of the following sources of energy in our country? First, **(INSERT ITEM)? (READ LIST IF NECESSARY)****[PN: IF CATI: READ FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS:]** What about **(INSERT ITEM)? (READ AS NECESSARY: Do you favor or oppose (INSERT ITEM)?)****BATTERY ITEMS:**

- a More offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters
- b More nuclear power plants to generate electricity
- c More coal mining
- d More solar panel "farms"
- e More hydraulic **[PN: IF CATI: (PRONO: high-DRAW-lick)]** fracturing, sometimes called "fracking," for oil and natural gas
- f **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** More wind turbine "farms"
- g **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** More offshore wind turbine "farms"

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

- 1 Favor
- 2 Oppose
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

QUE: FAVNUCOE**ASK IF FORM 1 AND FAVOR MORE NUCLEAR POWER (X_FORM=1 AND ENV2_b=1):**

What is the main reason you favor more nuclear power plants to generate electricity?

[PN: PROGRAM OPEN END TEXT BOX WITH NO CHARACTER LIMIT]98 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Don't know99 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused**QUE: OPPNUCOE****ASK IF FORM 1 AND OPPOSE MORE NUCLEAR POWER (X_FORM=1 AND ENV2_b=2):**

What is the main reason you oppose more nuclear power plants to generate electricity?

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