Stockton Polling Institute Cannabis

At your own home or apartment, how often do you smell marijuana coming from neighboring homes or apartments? Would you say often, sometimes, rarely or never?

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|-----------|------|-------|
| 1 | Often | 14% | 73 |
| 2 | Sometimes | 15% | 79 |
| 3 | Rarely | 21% | 113 |
| 4 | Never | 49% | 261 |
| 5 | Not sure | 0% | 1 |
| 6 | Refuse | 0% | 2 |
| | Total | 100% | 529 |

Would you say the smell of marijuana:

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|----------------------------|-----|-------|
| 1 | Bothers you a great deal | 19% | 102 |
| 2 | Bothers you somewhat | 28% | 149 |
| 3 | Does not bother you at all | 52% | 276 |
| 4 | Not sure | 0% | |

| Answer | % | Count |
|-------------------------|-----|-------|
| uana in your own home | 31% | 183 |
| eing used by a neighbor | 16% | 95 |
| s are equally important | 46% | 272 |
| Not sure | 6% | 36 |

Do you consider driving under the influence of marijuana to be very dangerous, somewhat dangerous, or not at all dangerous?

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|--------------------|-----|-------|
| 1 | Very dangerous | 51% | 300 |
| 2 | Somewhat dangerous | 36% | 212 |

Please rate how important it is to you, if at all, to have a roadside test that can determine a person's level of impairment from marijuana:

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|----------------------|------|-------|
| 1 | Very important | 46% | 273 |
| 2 | Somewhat important | 27% | 162 |
| 3 | Not very important | 10% | 61 |
| 4 | Not at all important | 13% | 74 |
| 5 | Not sure | 3% | 19 |
| 6 | Refuse | 1% | 3 |
| | Total | 100% | 592 |

Lastly, have you consumed any marijuana or other cannabis products in the past year?

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|----------|------|-------|
| 1 | Yes | 27% | 157 |
| 2 | No | 72% | 424 |
| 3 | Not sure | 0% | 2 |
| 4 | Refuse | 1% | 9 |
| | Total | 100% | 592 |

Demographics

QAGE - Please select your age group.

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|--------|-----|-------|
| 1 | 18-29 | 18% | 109 |
| 2 | 30-49 | 29% | 172 |

D3 - Which of the following best describes your highest level of education:

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|--------------------------------------|------|-------|
| 1 | Less than a four-year college degree | 55% | 324 |
| 2 | A four-year college degree or more | 43% | 257 |
| 3 | Refuse | 2% | 11 |
| | Total | 100% | 592 |

D5 - Do you consider yourself to be a:

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|----------------|------|-------|
| 1 | Democrat | 26% | 155 |
| 2 | Republican | 23% | 137 |
| 3 | Independent | 27% | 157 |
| 4 | Something else | 13% | 76 |
| 5 | Not sure | 4% | 24 |
| 6 | Refuse | 7% | 44 |
| | Total | 100% | 592 |

D6 - Lastly, what is your gender?

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|----------------------|------|-------|
| 1 | Man | 48% | 284 |
| 2 | Woman | 49% | 292 |
| 3 | Identify another way | 1% | 7 |
| 4 | Refuse | 2% | 9 |
| | Total | 100% | 592 |

Methodology

The poll of New Jersey adult residents was conducted by the Stockton Polling Institute of the William J. Hughes Center for Public Policy from September 16-26, 2023. Stockton University students texted cell phones with invitations to take the survey online and Opinion Services supplemented the dialing portion of the fieldwork, which consisted of cell and landline telephone calls. Overall, 92% of interviews were conducted on cell phones and 8% on landline phones. In terms of mode, 83% were reached via dialing and 17% were reached via text-to-web. A total of 592 New Jersey adult residents were interviewed. Both cell and landline samples consisted of random digit dialing (RDD) sample from MSG. Data are weighted based on U.S. Census Bureau ACS 2021 data for New Jersey on variables of age, race, education level, and sex. The poll's margin of error is +/- 4.0 percentage points at a 95% confidence level. MOE is higher for subsets.