## Ballot Crosstabs: (Party, Ideology, Region) Beacon Poll of Tennessee Registered Voters July 27 to August 1, 2025 MOE +/- 2.77%

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Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a... ? \*  $\,$ 

		Pa	rty			Grand [	Division		Ideology Grouped			
	Total	Republic an A		Independ ent/Othe r C	Total	East Tennesse e D	Middle Tennesse e E	West Tennesse e F	Total	Conserva tive G	Moderate /Other H	Liberal I
Sample Size	1,200	672	336	192	1,200	444	492	264	1,200	573	331	296
<b>Democrat</b> Column %	28%	0%	100% AC		28%	21%	29% D	38% DE	28%	6%	30% G	69% GH
<b>Independent</b> Column %	15%	0%	0%	94% AB	15%	18% E	13%	14%	15%	7%	33% GI	10%
<b>Republican</b> Column %	56%	100% BC	0%	0%	56%	60% F	57% F	47%	56%	87% HI	34% I	21%
Something else: Column %	1%	0%	0%	6% AB	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	3% G	1%

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2024 Ballot \*

		Pa	rty			Grand I	Division		Ideology Grouped			
	Total	Republic an A	Democra t B	Independ ent/Othe r C	Total	East Tennesse e D	Tennesse e	Tennesse e	Total	Conserva tive G		Liberal I
Sample Size	1,134	655	321	159	1,134	412	470	252	1,134	549	295	291
<b>Donald Trump</b> Column %	63%	94% BC	9%	47% B	63%	70% F	64% F	52%	63%	91% HI	51% I	23%
<b>Kamala Harris</b> Column %	33%	5%	86% AC		33%	25%	33% D		33%	7%	39% G	74% GH
<b>Other</b> Column %	4%	1%	5% A		4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	1%	10% GI	2%

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How likely are you to vote in Tennessee's gubernatorial primary election next August? \*

		Pa	rty			Grand I	Division		Ideology Grouped			
	Total	Republic an A	Democra t B	Independ ent/Othe r C	Total	East Tennesse e D	Middle Tennesse e E	West Tennesse e F	Total	Conserva tive G	Moderate /Other H	Liberal I
Sample Size	1,200	672	336	192	1,200	444	492	264	1,200	573	331	296
<b>Very likely</b> Column %	66%	72% BC	65% C	50%	66%	63%	69% D	66%	66%	74% H	49%	71% H
Somewhat likely Column %	18%	18%	17%	22%	18%	16%	18%	23% D	18%	17%	21%	17%
<b>Not very likely</b> Column %	6%	4%	10% A	7%	6%	9% F	6%	4%	6%	3%	14% GI	5%
Not at all likely Column %	2%	1%	3%	6% AB	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	4% G	2%
<b>I'm not sure</b> Column %	7%	4%	6%	15% AB	7%	10% EF	5%	5%	7%	4%	12% GI	5%

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Which party's primary election are you most likely to vote in? Would you choose either the Republican or Democratic primary? [Base: Likely primary voter]

		Pa	rty			Grand [	Division		Ideology Grouped			
	Total	Republic an A		Independ ent/Othe r C	Total	East Tennesse e D	Middle Tennesse e E	West Tennesse e F	Total	Conserva tive G	Moderate /Other H	Liberal I
Sample Size	1,018	604	276	138	1,018	350	430	237	1,018	523	232	263
<b>Republican primary</b> Column %	62%	95% BC	5%	27% B	62%	70% EF	63% F	47%	62%	88% HI	46% I	23%
<b>Democratic primary</b> Column %	28%	1%	88% AC	27% A	28%	20%	28% D	40% DE	28%	6%	29% G	71% GH
I'm not sure which primary I would choose Column %	9%	3%	7% A	40% AB	9%	8%	8%	11%	9%	5%	23% GI	6%
I would not vote in either primary Column %	1%	1%	0%	5% AB	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	2%	0%

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Significant difference within groups: ABCDEFGHI

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		Pai	rty			Grand [	Division		Ideology Grouped				
	Total	Republic an A	Democra t B	Independ ent/Othe r C	Total	East Tennesse e D	Middle Tennesse e E	West Tennesse e F	Total	Conserva tive G	Moderate /Other H	Liberal I	
Sample Size	623	571	14	38	623	243	271	109	623	459	105	60	
Senator Marsha Blackburn Column %		68% C	92% C		66%	61%	69%	72% D	66%	74% HI	45%	46%	
Congressman John Rose Column %		14%	3%	28% AB	14%	18% E	11%	14%	14%	9%	32% G	28% G	
<b>Undecided</b> Column %		19%	4%	34% AB	19%	21%	20%	14%	19%	17%	23%	26%	

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	Total	Republic an A	Democra t B	Independ ent/Othe r C	Total	East Tennesse e D	Middle Tennesse e E	West Tennesse e F	Total	Conserva tive G		Liberal I	
Sample Size	1,173	657	330	186	1,173	429	488	256	1,173	565	317	291	
Senator Marsha Blackburn (Republican) Column %	51%	81% BC	6%	22% B	51%	53%	52%	46%	51%	80% HI	29% I	17%	
Democratic nominee Column %	32%	4%	83% AC		32%	25%	33% D	41% DE	32%	8%	36% G	73% GH	
<b>Undecided</b> Column %	17%	15%	11%	38% AB	17%	22% EF	15%	13%	17%	11%	34% GI	10%	

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2026 Ballot Rose: Using the same hypothetical scenario for the 2026 general election for governor of Tennessee, suppose the candidates were instead Congressman John Rose, the Republican nominee, and a Democratic nominee. For whom would you vote? [ROTATE] \*

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	Total	Republic an A	Democra t B	Independ ent/Othe r C	Total	East Tennesse e D	Middle Tennesse e E	West Tennesse e F	Total	Conserva tive G	Moderate /Other H	Liberal I	
Sample Size	1,167	651	331	185	1,167	430	486	250	1,167	562	319	285	
Congressman John Rose (Republican) Column %	49%	81% BC	3%	21% B	49%	52% F	50%	43%	49%	77% HI	27% I	20%	
Democratic nominee Column %	30%	1%	88% AC		30%	25%	30%	40% DE	30%	7%	35% G	71% GH	
<b>Undecided</b> Column %	21%	18% B	10%	49% AB	21%	23%	20%	18%	21%	16% I	38% GI	9%	

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