



# SelectPoll™ User Manual

This manual applies to both SelectPoll Stand Alone and SelectPoll Add-On.

For installation instructions, see the SelectPoll Installation Manual.

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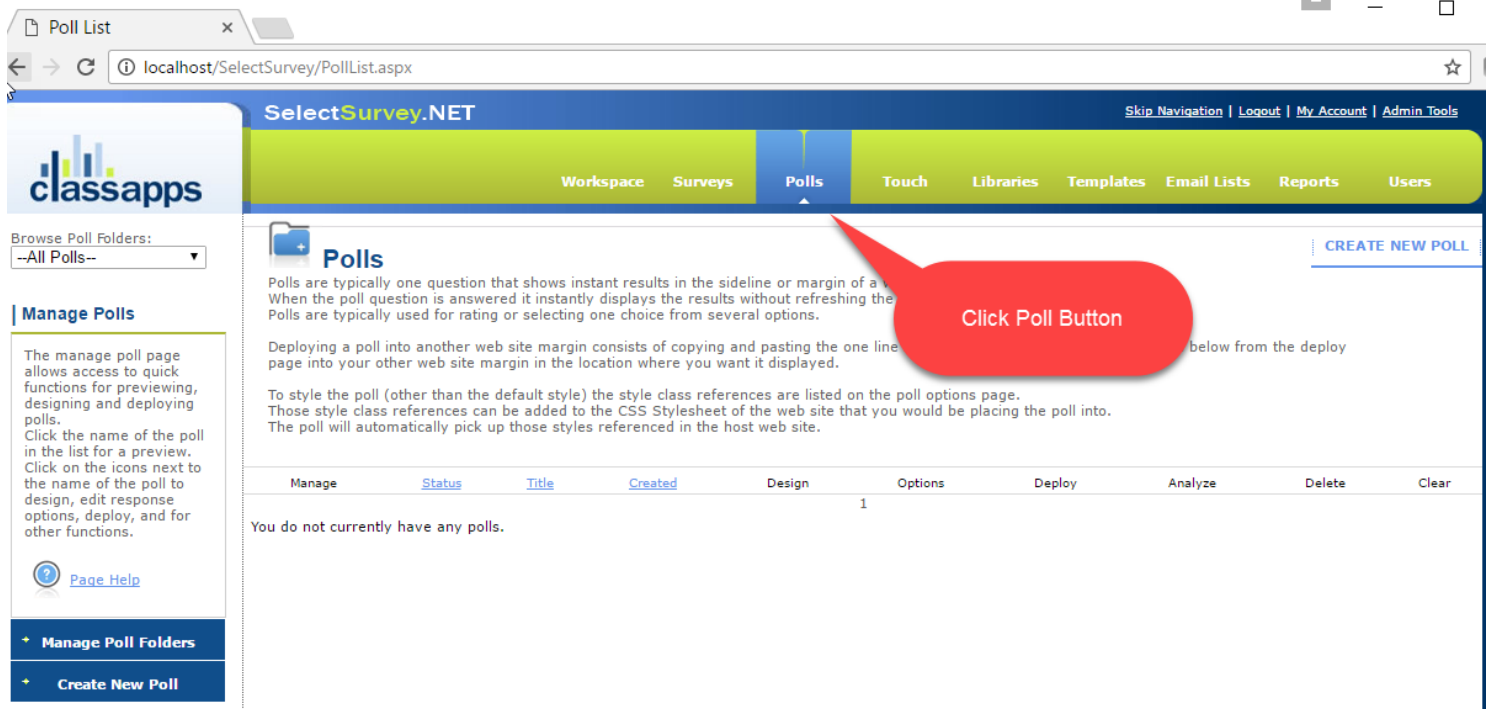
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## Create a Poll

To create a poll, login to SelectSurvey.NET or SelectPoll and click the "Poll" button.



localhost/SelectSurvey/PollList.aspx

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**Manage Polls**

The manage poll page allows access to quick functions for previewing, designing and deploying polls. Click the name of the poll in the list for a preview. Click on the icons next to the name of the poll to design, edit response options, deploy, and for other functions.

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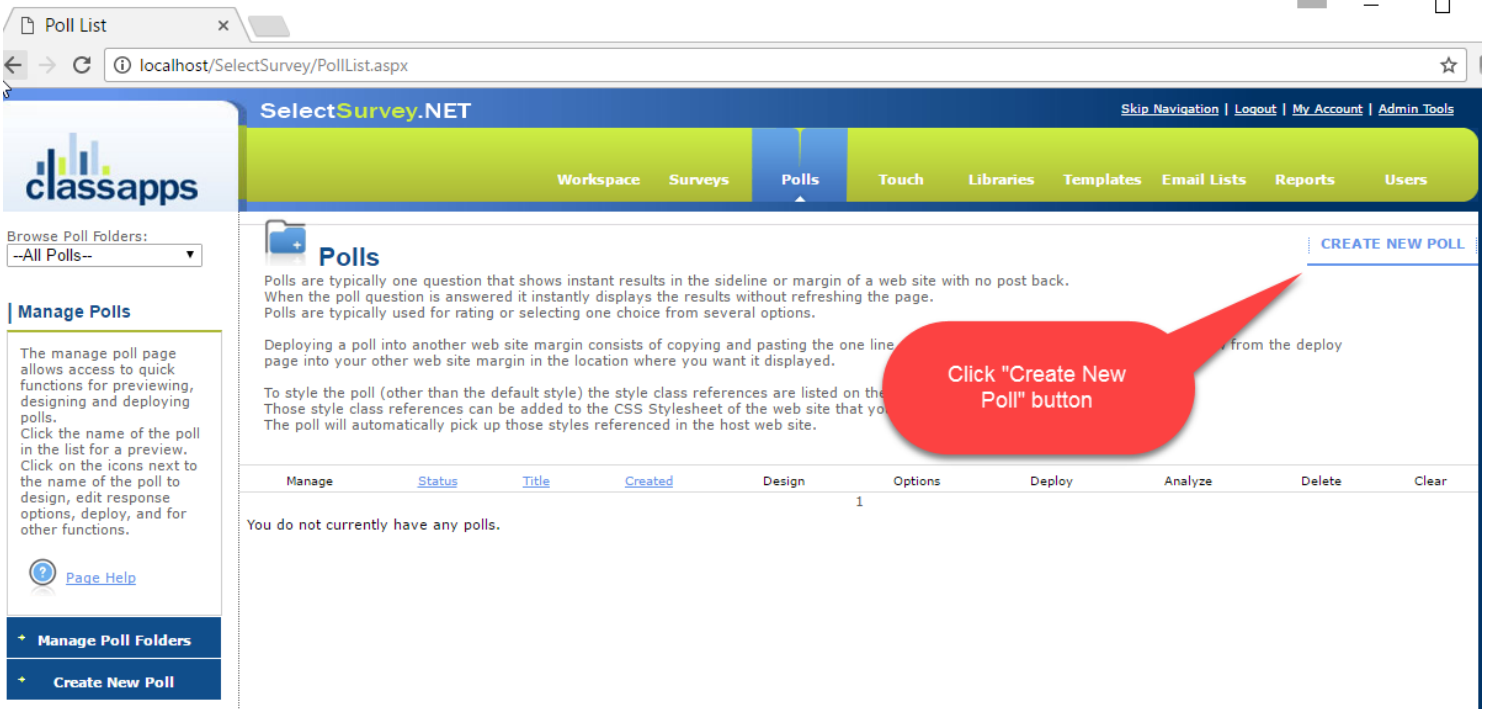
Deploying a poll into another web site margin consists of copying and pasting the one line of code from the poll options page into your other web site margin in the location where you want it displayed.

To style the poll (other than the default style) the style class references are listed on the poll options page. Those style class references can be added to the CSS Stylesheet of the web site that you would be placing the poll into. The poll will automatically pick up those styles referenced in the host web site.

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You do not currently have any polls.

Click "Create New Poll" button.



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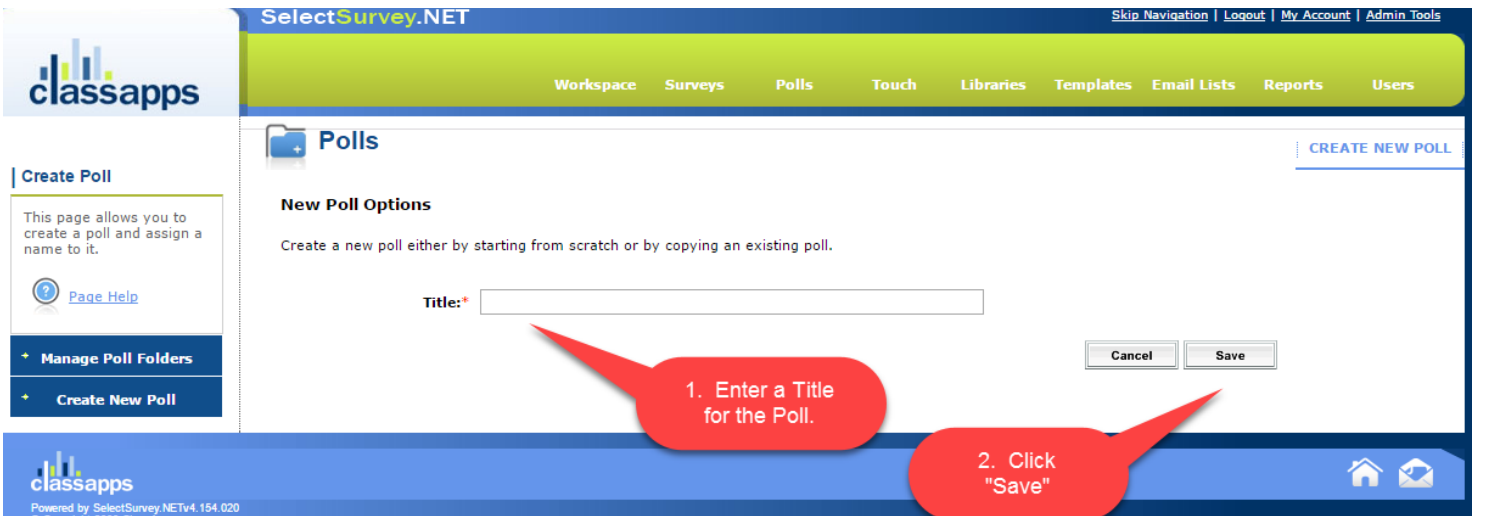
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Enter a title for the Poll, then click "Save".



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**Create Poll**

This page allows you to create a poll and assign a name to it.

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**New Poll Options**

Create a new poll either by starting from scratch or by copying an existing poll.

Title:

Cancel Save

1. Enter a Title for the Poll.

2. Click "Save"

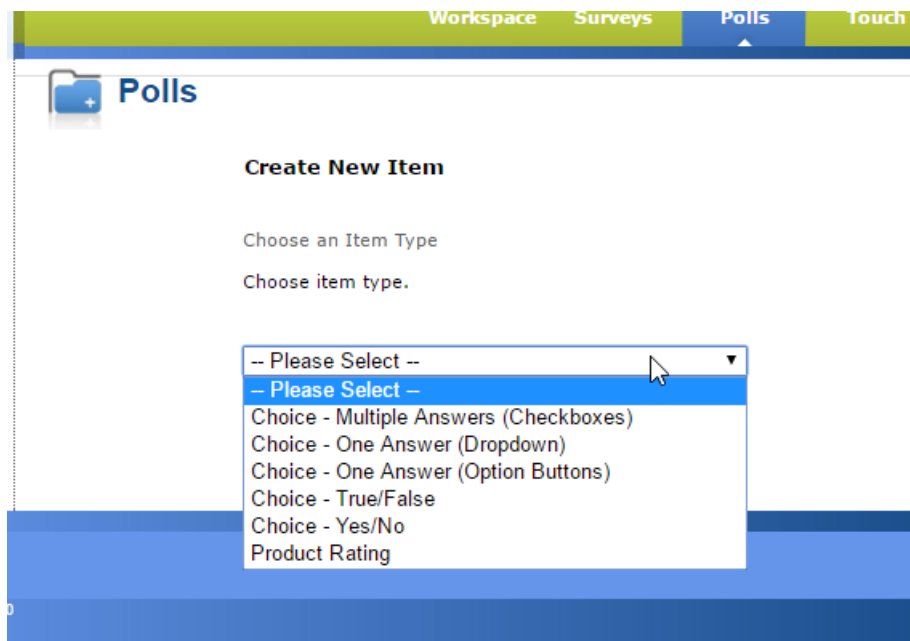
## Inserting Questions on a Poll

Click the "Insert" button to insert a question on the poll.

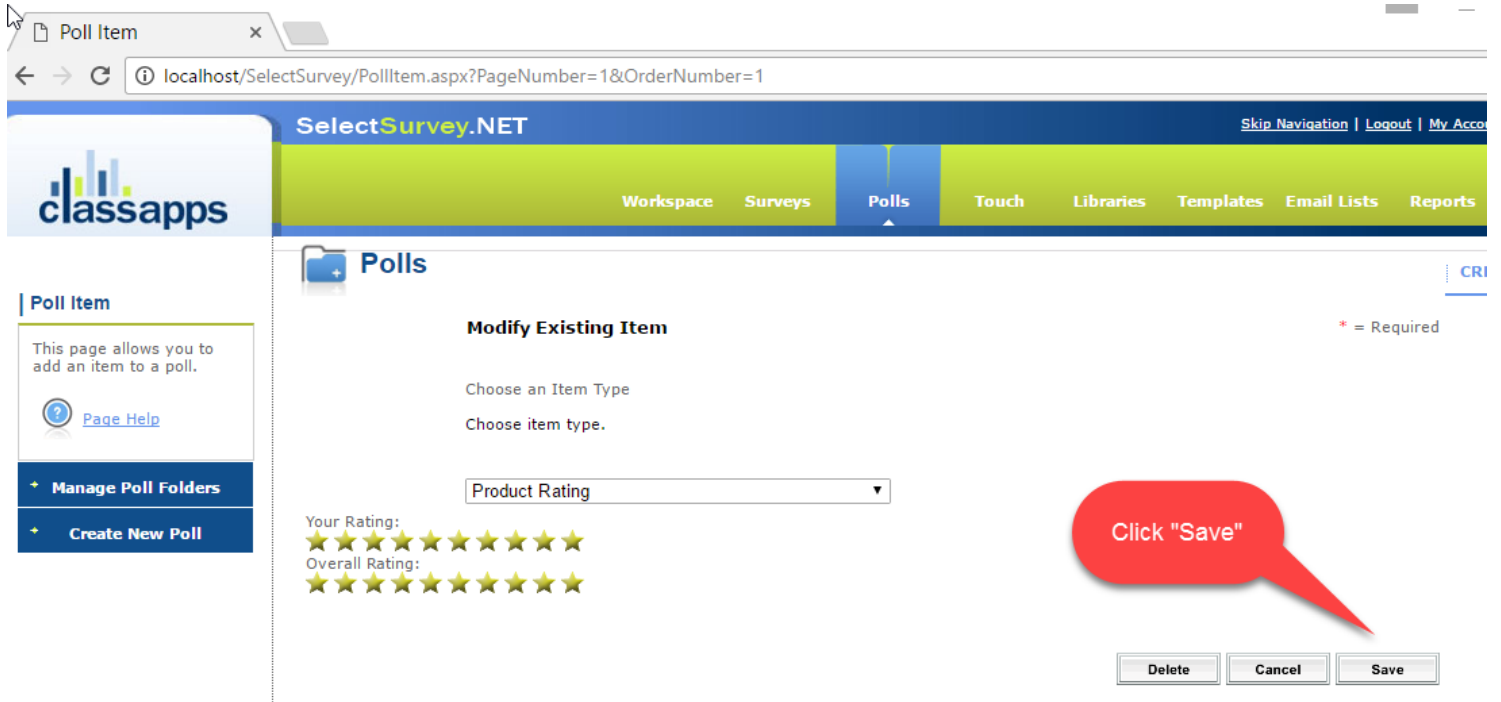


## Product Rating Question

Select "Product Rating" from the drop down box.



Click "Save"



localhost/SelectSurvey/PollItem.aspx?PageNumber=1&OrderNumber=1

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**Modify Existing Item** \* = Required

Choose an Item Type

Choose item type.

Product Rating

Your Rating:  
★★★★★★★★★★★★

Overall Rating:  
★★★★★★★★★★★★

Click "Save"

Delete Cancel Save

After clicking "Save", Click "Launch" on the following page to launch the poll.

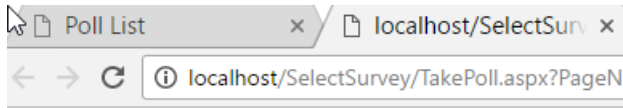


Click "Launch"

Launch Done

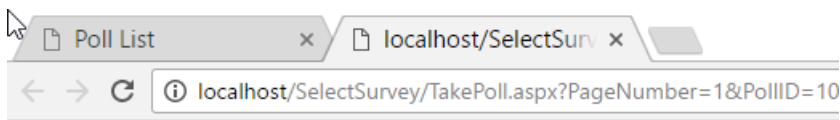
Test the Poll by clicking the link.

For product rating, when you hover over the top row of stars and click it will save your selection, and immediately show the results.



Your Rating: (click star to submit)  
★★★★★★★★★★  
Overall Rating:  
★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

When the star is clicked, it immediately shows the cumulative overall results.



Your Rating:  
★★★★★★★★★ ★  
Overall Rating:  
★★★★★★★★★ ★

## Multiple choice Checkbox

The other question types besides product rating all have text entry.

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### Polls

**This survey has responses. To fully edit this item, you must first delete all of the responses to this poll. Responses can be deleted by clicking the "Clear" icon on the [main survey list page](#).**

**Modify Existing Item** \* = Required

Choose an Item Type

Choose item type.

Question

Enter the question.\* Use this field to enter the text for your question or input prompt.

Enter the question alias. Enter alternate text for use in the reports. If blank, the actual question will be displayed.

Enter the sub-text. Enter informational or additional text to display below the question.

Select color for the bar graph from the drop down box:

Enter the question. Use this field to enter the text for your question or input prompt.

Which candidate will you be voting for?

Enter the question alias. Enter alternate text for use in the reports. If blank, the actual question will

Enter the sub-text. Enter informational or additional text to display below the question.

Select Color for Bar Graph Results

**Options**

Bar Graph Default Color: Green Bar Graph ▼

- Required. Check this question is required.
- Random Order. Check this question should be displayed in random order.

Answer alignment.\* Select Vertical

- Green Bar Graph
- Yellow Bar Graph
- Red Bar Graph
- Pink Bar Graph
- Blue Bar Graph
- Black Bar Graph

Minimum number of responses. Enter the minimum number of responses that must be checked.

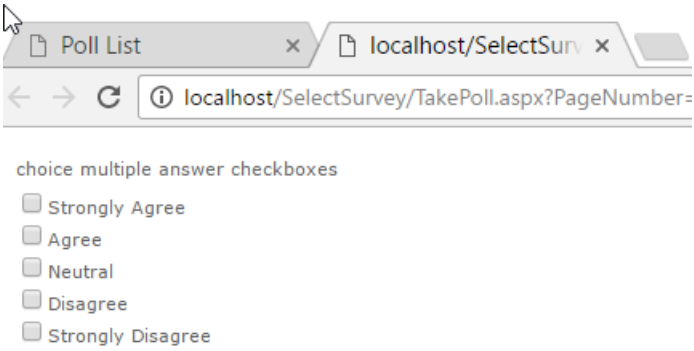
Maximum number of responses. Enter the maximum number of responses that must be checked.

Answers

Select answer choices. Select a group of answers or enter the answers below.

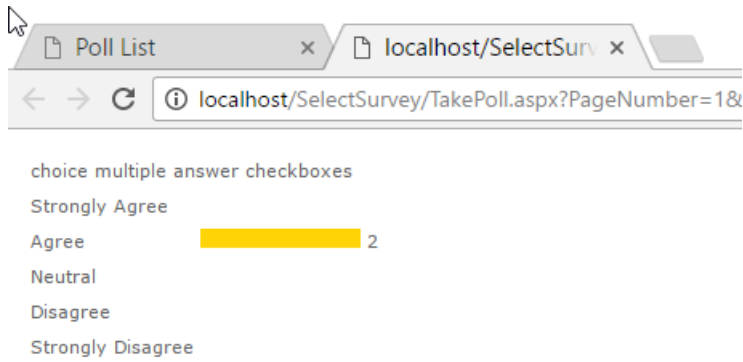
Select answer group (optional) ▼

The poll will look similar to the below:



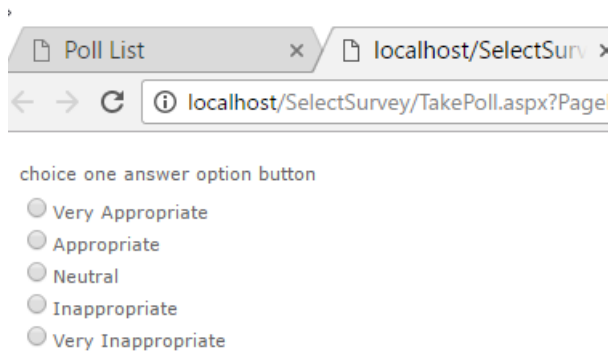
When the respondent makes a selection, immediately the results will show.



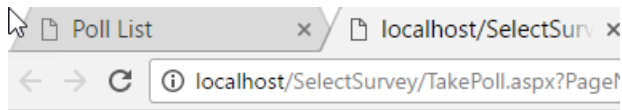


## Choice One Answer Option Buttons Question

Below is an example of how the Choice One Answer Option Button Question type looks when taking the poll,



And after making a selection:

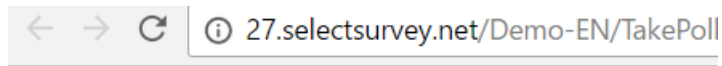


choice one answer option button

Very Appropriate	0
Appropriate	0
Neutral	1
Inappropriate	0
Very Inappropriate	0

Total Response Count: 1

The bar graph color is based on the color you pick on the item page from the “bar graph color” drop down.



What party will you be voting for?

Democrat	2
Republican	0
Libertarian	0
Green	0

Total Response Count: 2

## Choice One Answer Dropdown

Questions that have answer options also have pre-selected answer options, or you can type in your own answers into the boxes.

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Choose item type.

Choice - One Answer (Dropdown)

Question

Enter the question.\* Use this field to enter the text for your question or input prompt.

One answer dropdown.

Enter the question alias. Enter alternate text for use in the reports. If blank, the actual question will be displayed.

Enter the sub-text. Enter informational or additional text to display below the question.

Options

Required. Check this box if an answer to this question is required.

Random Order. Check this box if the answers to this question should be displayed in random order.

Answers

Select answer choices. Select a group of answers or enter the answers below.

Effective - Ineffective

Enter the answers.\* Enter each of the answers in the text boxes below.

1	Very Effective	<input type="radio"/> Default	<input type="text"/>	points
2	Effective	<input type="radio"/> Default	<input type="text"/>	points
3	Neutral	<input type="radio"/> Default	<input type="text"/>	points
4	Ineffective	<input type="radio"/> Default	<input type="text"/>	points
5	Very Ineffective	<input type="radio"/> Default	<input type="text"/>	points

insert new answer

Select the bar graph color from the drop down box:

Enter the question. Use the field to enter the text for your question or input prompt.  
 Which candidate will you be voting for?

Enter the question alias. Enter alternate text for use in the reports. If blank, the actual question will  
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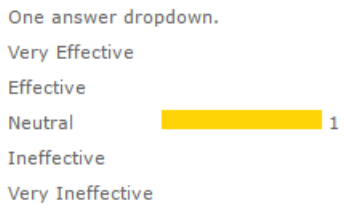
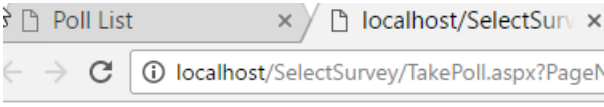
Answer alignment.\* Select a group of answers or enter the answers below.  
 Vertical

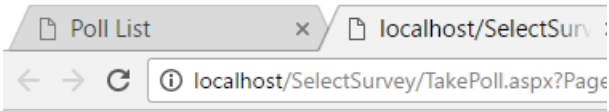
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 Select answer group (optional) ▼

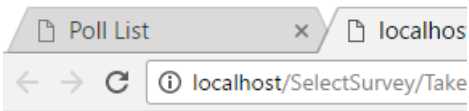




One answer dropdown.

-- None --  
-- None --  
Very Effective  
Effective  
Neutral  
Ineffective  
Very Ineffective

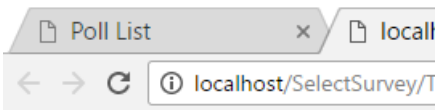
## True False Question Type



True false

--None--  
--None--  
True  
False

## Yes No Question Type



yes no

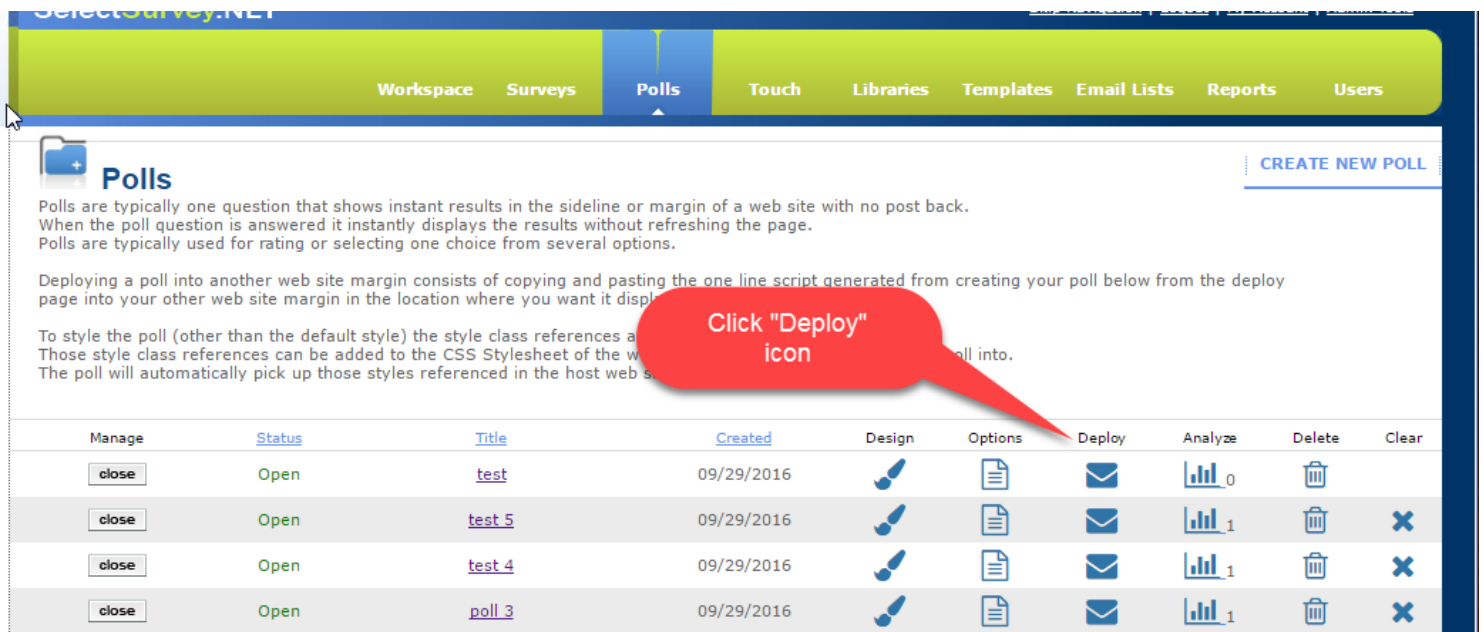
--None--  
--None--  
Yes  
No

## How to Deploy a Poll

After you click "Launch" and test the poll locally, you can deploy the poll to another web site.

The whole point in having a poll, is that it is a tiny script, that you can paste into any web site. Clicking the poll instantly shows the overall results without a page post back. That is why it is perfect for the side lines or inline in any web site.

First click the "deploy" icon to the right of the name of the Poll in the list on the Poll page.



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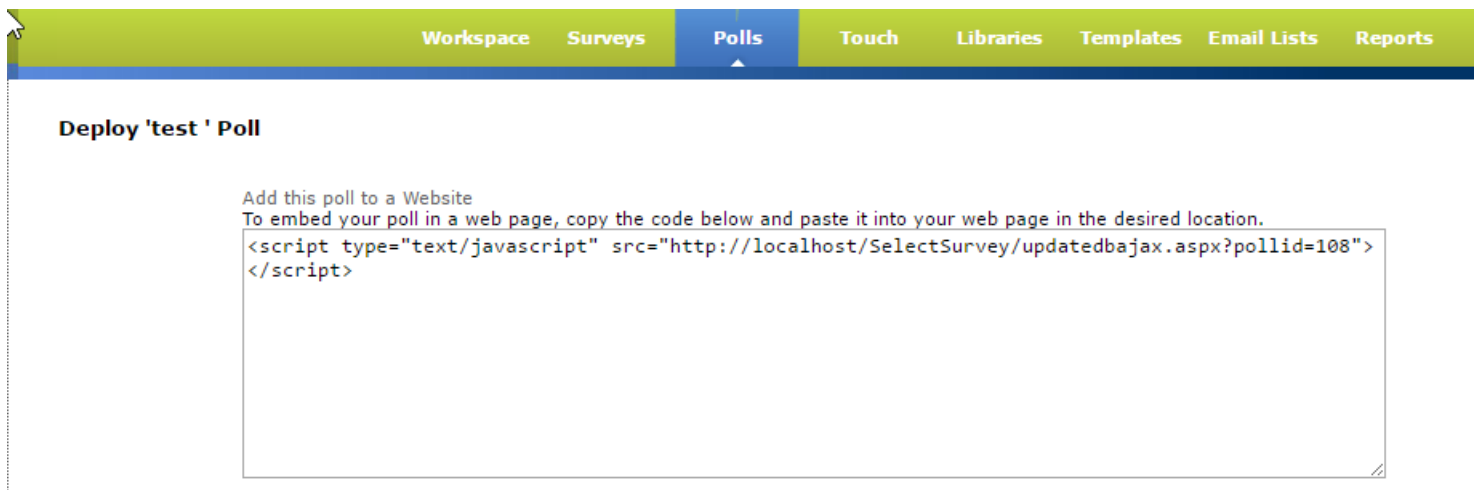
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<input type="button" value="close"/>	Open	<a href="#">test</a>	09/29/2016				0		
<input type="button" value="close"/>	Open	<a href="#">test 5</a>	09/29/2016				1		
<input type="button" value="close"/>	Open	<a href="#">test 4</a>	09/29/2016				1		
<input type="button" value="close"/>	Open	<a href="#">poll 3</a>	09/29/2016				1		

The deploy page contains a box with the tiny script in it. Highlight with your cursor the script and right click "COPY" to copy the text.



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### Deploy 'test ' Poll

Add this poll to a Website  
To embed your poll in a web page, copy the code below and paste it into your web page in the desired location.

```
<script type="text/javascript" src="http://localhost/SelectSurvey/updatedbajax.aspx?pollid=108">
</script>
```



Paste that script into the web site that you are wanting to embed it into. You will probably need access or permission to the web site you are putting the poll into. Save the site page. Test.

## Styling the Poll

You can change the look of the poll by updating the style on the style editor on the poll options page.

- 1) Click "Poll" from the top navigation to go to the Poll List page.
- 2) Click "Options" icon to the right of the poll name.
- 3) Edit the stylesheet (or images) that are referenced.

Since the poll is a dynamic generated html using ajax, to style the poll when it is put in another web site you would need to add the below stylesheet class references to the CSS Stylesheet that is referenced in the web page it is going into. And also set those class names to the styles that you want.

The CSS "polldivclass" for the poll DIV tag.

The CSS "polltextclass" is used for the template for the text in the poll.

The CSS "polltableclass" is used for the table style

The CSS "polltablerowclass" is used for the table row style

The CSS "polltablecellclass" is used for the table cell style

The CSS "pollimageclass" is used for the bar graph in the results display

Poll images are located:

Resources/poll/VotedFull.png

resources/poll/VotedNone.png

resources/Images/Bar.gif

Resources/Images/InvisibleBar.gif

Default Style:

```
<style type="text/css">
```

```
.polltextclass      { font: normal 11px Verdana; color: #666666; }
```

```
.polltableclass     { cellspacing:0px; cellpadding:2px; }
```

```
.pollimageclass     { border:0px; }
```

```
.polltablerowclass { valign:top; }
```





</style>

