

**Table A-4** Descriptions of Variables and Constructed Scales in nes (Continued)

Variable Name	Variable Label	ANES Source Variables and Notes <sup>a</sup>
camp.acts	R Number of Campaign Acts	V085030 V085031 V085032 V085033 V085034 V085035
camp.attent	General Attention to Presidential Campaign News	V085012 V085023
camp.int	Campaign Interest	Constructed from camp.intA and camp.intB
camp.intA	Campaign Interest (Version A)	V083001a
camp.intB	Campaign Interest (Version B)	V083001b
catholic.therm	Feeling Thermometer: Catholics	V085064c
christian.therm	Feeling Thermometer: Christians	V085065g
cindymc.therm	Feeling Thermometer: Cindy McCain	V085063d
cong.approval	R Approve/Disapprove Congress Handling Job	V083035x
cong.care.who	Care Who Wins House Election	V083034
cong.incumb.approval	E2x. Summary: Approve/Disapprove House Incumbent	V085068x
congress.therm	Feeling Thermometer: Congress	V085064w
conservative.therm	Feeling Thermometer: Conservatives	V085064q
contact.GOTV	Anyone Talk to R about Registering or Getting Out to Vote	V085028
contact.partisan	Was R Contacted by Parties/Others?	V085025 V085026
deathpen	R Favor/Oppose Death Penalty	V083163 V083163a
def.spend.dem	Dem Cand Position: Defense Spending	V083114a V083117x
def.spend.imp	Importance of Defense Spending Issue to R	V083113 V083116
def.spend.r	R's Position: Defense Spending	V083112 V083115x
def.spend.rep	Rep Cand Position: Defense Spending	V083114b V083118x
deficit.mil	E6c3x. Summary: Cut Deficit by Reducing Military Spending	V085076x
deficit.other	E6d3x. Summary: Cut Deficit by Cutting Other Programs	V085077x