Update Survey Response

Updates a specified survey response. One or more question answers or the response status may be changed in a single call.

Endpoint

POST v5/survey/{survey_id}/surveyresponse/{response_id}

Requires authentication

Path Parameters

Identifies the survey and the specific response to update.

survey_id

string

required

The ID of the survey the response belongs to.

response_id

string

required

The ID of the survey response to update.

Query Parameters

status

string

The status to set on the response. Accepted values: `Complete` , `Partial` , `Disqualified` .

data

object

required

Keyed object of question answers to update. Each key is either the question's numeric **ID** or its **shortname** — both are interchangeable. **At least one data parameter is required.**

+▶ child attributes

+▶ supported question types

Response

Returns the updated response object.

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result_ok

boolean

Whether the request succeeded.

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data

object

The updated survey response object. See Get Survey Response for the full list of response fields.

+ ▶ child attributes

Examples

REQUEST (CURL)

```
curl -X POST "https://api.alchemer.com/v5/survey/1234567/surveyresponse/94?api_token
=YOUR_API_TOKEN&api_token_secret=YOUR_API_TOKEN_SECRET&data[2][value]=John"
```

RESPONSE

```
{
  "result_ok": true,
  "data": {
    "id": "94",
    "contact_id": "",
    "status": "Complete",
    "is_test_data": "0",
    "date_submitted": "2026-03-25 16:53:09 EDT",
    "date_updated": "2026-03-25 18:15:34",
    "date_started": "2026-03-25 16:53:09 EDT",
    "session_id": "1774471989_69c44b350d8135.54354437",
    "language": "English",
    "link_id": null,
    "url_variables": [],
    "ip_address": "204.132.224.66",
    "referer": null,
    "user_agent": "SurveyGizmo REST API",
    "response_time": null,
    "data_quality": [],
    "longitude": "-105.01560211182",
    "latitude": "39.907299041748",
    "country": "United States",
    "city": "Denver",
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  "region": "CO",
  "postal": "80234",
  "dma": "751",
  "survey_data": {
    "2": {
      "id": 2,
      "type": "TEXTBOX",
      "question": "First Name",
      "section_id": 1,
      "answer": "John",
      "shown": true
    },
    "3": {
      "id": 3,
      "type": "TEXTBOX",
      "question": "Last Name",
      "section_id": 1,
      "answer": null,
      "shown": false
    },
    "4": {
      "id": 4,
      "type": "TEXTBOX",
      "question": "Department",
      "section_id": 1,
      "answer": null,
      "shown": false
    }
  }
}
```