Scottish Public Opinion Monitor

Topline results

Technical details:

- This presents the topline results from Scotland
- Results are based on a survey of 1,003 respondents (adults aged 18+) conducted by telephone
- Fieldwork dates: 4th February 9th February 2013
- Data are weight by: age, sex and working status using census data; tenure using SHS data; and public-private sector employment using Scottish Government Quarterly Public Sector Employment series data
- Where results do not sum to 100%, this may be due to computer rounding, multiple responses, or the exclusion of "don't know" categories
- Results are based on all respondents (1,003) unless otherwise stated

Voting intention

In elections for the Scottish Parliament you have two votes. Your first vote is for a member to represent the constituency. If there were elections to the Scottish Parliament tomorrow, how would you use your first vote?

Which party are you most inclined to support?

	Certain to vote &			
	All giving a voting intention	giving a voting intention	Oct 12 Certain to vote	Oct-Feb % point change
Base	888	602		
	%	%	%	
Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party	13	12	13	-1
Scottish Labour	35	33	35	-2
Scottish Liberal Democrat	8	7	8	-1
Scottish National Party (SNP)	38	41	40	+ 1
Others	7	7	4	+ 3

And, how likely would you be to vote in an immediate <u>Scottish Parliamentary election</u>, on a scale of 1 to 10, where 10 means you would be absolutely certain to vote and 1 that you would be absolutely certain NOT to vote?

	%
10 (Absolutely certain to vote)	65
9	5
8	8
7	6
6	3
5	6
4	1
3	1
2	1
1 (Absolutely certain not to vote)	3
Don't know	1
Refused	Χ

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