

Table 1: Provincial Party Support

Thinking of how you feel right now, if a provincial election were held tomorrow, which of the following parties' candidates would you, yourself be most likely to support? Well, which party would you say you are leaning towards?

<i>DECIDED VOTERS ONLY</i>	TOTAL	AGE			EDUCATION			GENDER		HOUSEHOLD INCOME		
		18-34	35-54	55+	<=HS	Post Sec	Univ.	Male	Female	<\$30K	\$30-60K	\$60K+
Base: Weighted	912	335	326	247	296	329	283	449	463	169	321	347
Base: Unweighted	911	277	427	202	296	325	285	465	446	155	312	367
<i>Percent (%)</i>												
The Progressive Conservatives	41	29	43	57	41	43	39	48	34	23	40	50
The Liberals	41	48	41	31	39	43	40	38	44	48	40	37
The New Democratic Party (NDP)	13	15	12	10	12	11	15	11	15	17	16	9
Some other party	5	8	4	2	8	3	6	3	7	12	4	4

Table 2: Right Track/Wrong Track

Overall, would you say that the provincial government of Mike Harris and the Progressive Conservatives has Ontario on the right track or the wrong track?

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Base: Weighted	1000	372	348	276	342	358	295	484	516	186	352	365
Base: Unweighted	1000	308	462	224	343	353	298	501	499	172	347	387
<i>Percent (%)</i>												
Strongly right track	27	21	28	33	26	29	25	33	20	17	23	36
Somewhat right track	38	37	38	38	38	38	36	41	35	31	41	37
Somewhat wrong track	13	19	12	7	15	12	12	11	16	19	13	10
Strongly wrong track	20	21	20	20	18	18	26	14	26	29	22	16
Don't know	2	2	2	2	3	3	1	1	3	4	2	1
Total Right Track (Strongly/Somewhat)	64	58	66	71	64	67	61	74	55	48	64	73
Total Wrong Track (Strongly/Somewhat)	34	40	33	26	33	30	38	25	42	48	34	26

Table 3: Does the Harris Government Deserve to be Re-elected?

Some people say that the Harris government has accomplished a lot of good in the province – they have stayed true to their word and deserve to be re-elected. Other people say they Harris government has done all it can do and it is time for another provincial political party to take over and run the province. Which statement is closest to your point of view?

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Deserve to be re-elected	49	45	50	55	48	51	49	56	43	39	47	57
Time for another party to take over	45	50	46	38	46	45	46	38	52	58	47	39
(DK/NS)	5	5	4	7	6	4	5	6	5	4	5	4

Table 4: The Provincial Policy Agenda

Thinking of the issues presently confronting Ontario, which one do you feel should receive the greatest attention from Ontario's leaders?

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Medicare/Health care	49	41	50	58	46	45	57	48	50	41	48	51
Education/Schools	40	47	39	35	32	37	53	37	44	32	37	48
Jobs/Unemployment	26	26	27	24	25	29	23	25	26	34	27	20
Taxes / Tax reform /GST – general	14	12	14	16	15	14	13	15	13	11	15	15
Economy – general / Recession	12	11	15	9	11	10	15	13	10	9	9	16
Social Services – Pensions/Daycare/Housing	11	11	11	10	7	11	15	9	12	10	12	9
Poverty/The poor/Welfare/Homeless	10	11	10	7	10	11	8	5	13	15	8	9
Deficit/Government spending	7	5	9	8	7	6	8	10	5	6	5	10
Environment/Pollution	7	8	6	6	4	7	9	7	7	8	5	8