a1c. Thinking of the issues presently confronting Canada, which one do you feel should receive the greatest attention from Canada's leaders? a1d. What other issues do you think are important for Canada right now? TOTAL MENTION

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Aboriginals/Native Issues | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 7\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 3\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| Agriculture/Farming | 4\% | 1\% | 6\% | 30\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 4\% | 4\% | 5\% | 4\% | 4\% |
| Armed Forces/Military | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 3\% | 2\% | 1\% |
| Canadian Dollar | 1\% | 0 | 1\% | 1\% | 0 | 1\% | - | - | 1\% | 0 | 1\% | 0 |
| Crime/Violence | 4\% | 3\% | 5\% | 3\% | 5\% | 2\% | 1\% | 4\% | 4\% | 3\% | 3\% | 4\% |
| Deficit/Debt/Government spending | 17\% | 29\% | 24\% | 11\% | 15\% | 15\% | 14\% | 15\% | 21\% | 16\% | 22\% | 13\% |
| Economy (general) | 10\% | 13\% | 5\% | 6\% | 10\% | 12\% | 11\% | 11\% | 11\% | 8\% | 13\% | 7\% |
| Education/Schools | 28\% | 27\% | 23\% | 24\% | 28\% | 31\% | 29\% | 35\% | 26\% | 22\% | 23\% | 33\% |
| Environment/Pollution | 4\% | 6\% | 4\% | 4\% | 6\% | 3\% | 2\% | 4\% | 5\% | 4\% | 4\% | 5\% |
| Immigration/Refugees | 3\% | 10\% | 2\% | 1\% | 4\% | 1\% | - | 4\% | 3\% | 4\% | 4\% | 3\% |
| Jobs/Unemployment | 12\% | 10\% | 6\% | 8\% | 8\% | 18\% | 25\% | 11\% | 15\% | 9\% | 11\% | 13\% |
| Justice system - Young Offenders Act, death penalty | 3\% | 4\% | 2\% | 2\% | 5\% | 2\% | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | 4\% | 3\% | 4\% |
| Medicare/Healthcare | 59\% | 56\% | 63\% | 54\% | 59\% | 59\% | 65\% | 54\% | 59\% | 66\% | 52\% | 65\% |
| National unity/Quebec's future/Constitution/More recognition for Western Canada | 9\% | 6\% | 10\% | 7\% | 5\% | 18\% | 8\% | 9\% | 10\% | 9\% | 12\% | 7\% |
| Native fishing dispute/rights | 0 | 1\% | - | - | - | - | 2\% | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Poverty/The poor/Welfare/Homeless/Gap between rich and poor | 9\% | 7\% | 6\% | 4\% | 11\% | 12\% | 6\% | 10\% | 9\% | 9\% | 7\% | 11\% |
| Social Services - pensions/daycare/housing | 4\% | 4\% | 1\% | 3\% | 4\% | 3\% | 7\% | 4\% | 4\% | 4\% | 2\% | 5\% |
| Taxes/Tax reform/GST (general) | 20\% | 16\% | 28\% | 26\% | 18\% | 22\% | 15\% | 16\% | 22\% | 22\% | 26\% | 14\% |
| Trade/Free trade/NAFTA/Global trade | 2\% | 7\% | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% | 2\% | - | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| American influence in Canada - economic/ cultural influence | 0 | - | - | 1\% | - | 1\% | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Government/ politics/ political leadership | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 0 | 1\% | 3\% | 2\% | 1\% |
| International/ foreign affairs/ foreign policy | 1\% | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | - | 2\% | 2\% | 0 | 2\% | 1\% |
| Oil \& gas prices | 9\% | 3\% | 9\% | 2\% | 17\% | 2\% | 6\% | 10\% | 9\% | 8\% | 10\% | 8\% |
| Natural resources -water exports, fisheries, forestry, mining, oil \& gas | 1\% | 0 | 1\% | - | 1\% | - | 2\% | 0 | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| World peace/ disarmament/ peacekeeping | 0 | 1\% | 1\% | - | 0 | 0 | - | - | 1\% | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Youth issues/ child abuse/ child poverty | 2\% | 1\% | 4\% | 4\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| Moral issues - pornography, drugs, abortion, gambling, religion | 1\% | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 0 | - | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| Gun control/ laws | 1\% | 0 | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 0 | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| Language issues(English, French)/ Bilingualism | 0 | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 2\% | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Women's issues - pay equity | 0 | 0 | - |  | 0 | 0 | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | 0 |
| Seniors issues - aging population | 1\% | 0 | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | - | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| Transportation/ roads/ highways | 1\% | 1\% | - | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% |
| Business/Industry issues (eg: Brain Drain) | 1\% | 1\% | - | 1\% | 1\% | - | - | 0 | 1\% | 1\% | 0 | 1\% |
| Government subsidies for NHL teams/pro sports | 0 | - | - | - | 1\% | - | - | 1\% | - | - | 0 | 0 |
| Human resources scandal/ Jane Stewart | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | - | - | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| Other | 7\% | 6\% | 6\% | 7\% | 7\% | 9\% | 10\% | 6\% | 8\% | 8\% | 8\% | 7\% |
| None are important | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| (DK/NS) | 3\% | 2\% | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | 5\% | 4\% | 5\% | 2\% | 3\% | 3\% | 4\% |


|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All Respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| The Progressive Conservatives (PC) | 11\% | 4\% | 16\% | 7\% | 17\% | 5\% | 18\% | 9\% | 11\% | 15\% | 12\% | 11\% |
| The Liberals | 43\% | 37\% | 28\% | 35\% | 55\% | 35\% | 44\% | 46\% | 43\% | 39\% | 42\% | 44\% |
| The New Democratic Party (NDP) | 11\% | 13\% | 8\% | 23\% | 10\% | 6\% | 18\% | 12\% | 12\% | 9\% | 9\% | 13\% |
| The Reform Party | 13\% | 25\% | 36\% | 22\% | 10\% | 3\% | 5\% | 12\% | 11\% | 16\% | 17\% | 9\% |
| The Bloc Quebecois (BQ) | 10\% | - | - | - | - | 41\% | - | 11\% | 11\% | 8\% | 10\% | 10\% |
| Or some other party | 2\% | 6\% | 4\% | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% |
| Would not vote | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 0 | 2\% | 1\% | - | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| Refuse | 1\% | 0 | 1\% | - | 0 | 2\% | 4\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| DK/NS | 8\% | 13\% | 6\% | 9\% | 7\% | 6\% | 10\% | 7\% | 8\% | 8\% | 6\% | 9\% |
| Base: Decided voters | 1355 | 173 | 123 | 107 | 487 | 361 | 104 | 385 | 615 | 349 | 643 | 712 |
| Weighted | 1358 | 169 | 124 | 95 | 525 | 340 | 104 | 466 | 519 | 369 | 676 | 682 |
| The Progressive Conservatives (PC) | 13\% | 5\% | 17\% | 8\% | 18\% | 5\% | 21\% | 10\% | 12\% | 17\% | 13\% | 12\% |
| The Liberals | 47\% | 43\% | 30\% | 39\% | 59\% | 39\% | 51\% | 50\% | 48\% | 44\% | 46\% | 49\% |
| The New Democratic Party (NDP) | 12\% | 16\% | 9\% | 26\% | 11\% | 7\% | 21\% | 13\% | 14\% | 10\% | 9\% | 15\% |
| The Reform Party | 14\% | 29\% | 39\% | 24\% | 11\% | 3\% | 6\% | 13\% | 13\% | 18\% | 18\% | 10\% |
| The Bloc Quebecois (BQ) | 11\% | - | - | - | - | 45\% | - | 12\% | 12\% | 9\% | 11\% | 12\% |
| Or some other party | 2\% | 7\% | 5\% | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% |


|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Right track - strongly | 12\% | 11\% | 8\% | 8\% | 18\% | 9\% | 4\% | 10\% | 14\% | 12\% | 13\% | 12\% |
| Right track - somewhat | 58\% | 60\% | 54\% | 58\% | 60\% | 51\% | 70\% | 66\% | 59\% | 47\% | 60\% | 56\% |
| Wrong track - somewhat | 14\% | 11\% | 18\% | 18\% | 10\% | 19\% | 16\% | 15\% | 13\% | 15\% | 13\% | 15\% |
| Wrong track - strongly | 13\% | 14\% | 16\% | 14\% | 10\% | 18\% | 10\% | 7\% | 13\% | 21\% | 13\% | 14\% |
| (DK/NS) | 2\% | 4\% | 4\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | - | 2\% | 2\% | 4\% | 1\% | 3\% |
| Top2Box (Right Track) | 70\% | 71\% | 62\% | 66\% | 78\% | 60\% | 75\% | 76\% | 73\% | 60\% | 73\% | 68\% |
| Low2Box (Wrong Track) | 28\% | 25\% | 34\% | 32\% | 20\% | 37\% | 25\% | 22\% | 26\% | 36\% | 26\% | 29\% |

fa6_1. Thinking of Jean Chretien, would you say you generally approve or
disapprove of his performance as a Prime Minister?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Approve | 60\% | 68\% | 53\% | 59\% | 69\% | 43\% | 64\% | 70\% | 60\% | 48\% | 59\% | 60\% |
| Disapprove | 38\% | 29\% | 44\% | 40\% | 30\% | 53\% | 35\% | 29\% | 38\% | 50\% | 39\% | 37\% |
| (DK/NS) | 2\% | 3\% | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% |

## fa6_2. Thinking of Gilles Duceppe, would you say you generally approve or <br> disapprove of the way he has performed as a leader of the Bloc Quebecois?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Approve | 27\% | 19\% | 12\% | 24\% | 18\% | 53\% | 20\% | 31\% | 25\% | 24\% | 29\% | 25\% |
| Disapprove | 52\% | 54\% | 57\% | 56\% | 61\% | 36\% | 54\% | 49\% | 54\% | 55\% | 56\% | 49\% |
| (DK/NS) | 21\% | 27\% | 31\% | 20\% | 21\% | 11\% | 26\% | 20\% | 21\% | 21\% | 15\% | 26\% |

fa6_3. Thinking of Preston Manning, would you say you generally approve or
disapprove of the way he has performed as a leader of the official opposition
Reform Party?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
|  | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Approve | 42\% | 56\% | 59\% | 41\% | 41\% | 31\% | 47\% | 48\% | 39\% | 41\% | 48\% | 37\% |
| Disapprove | 50\% | 42\% | 36\% | 52\% | 53\% | 55\% | 48\% | 44\% | 52\% | 54\% | 47\% | 53\% |
| (DK/NS) | 8\% | 2\% | 5\% | 7\% | 7\% | 14\% | 5\% | 9\% | 9\% | 5\% | 5\% | 11\% |


|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Approve | 47\% | 47\% | 44\% | 46\% | 48\% | 39\% | 70\% | 46\% | 47\% | 47\% | 48\% | 46\% |
| Disapprove | 31\% | 34\% | 31\% | 37\% | 35\% | 26\% | 20\% | 29\% | 32\% | 33\% | 34\% | 28\% |
| (DK/NS) | 22\% | 19\% | 25\% | 17\% | 18\% | 35\% | 10\% | 25\% | 21\% | 20\% | 18\% | 26\% |

fa6_5. Thinking of Joe Clark, would you say you generally approve or
disapprove of the way he has performed as a leader of the Progressive Conservative
Party?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Approve | 42\% | 41\% | 44\% | 41\% | 41\% | 44\% | 42\% | 43\% | 42\% | 39\% | 41\% | 43\% |
| Disapprove | 44\% | 43\% | 48\% | 46\% | 49\% | 35\% | 48\% | 38\% | 45\% | 51\% | 48\% | 41\% |
| (DK/NS) | 14\% | 16\% | 8\% | 13\% | 11\% | 21\% | 10\% | 19\% | 13\% | 10\% | 12\% | 16\% |

## fa7. Generally speaking, would you say you approve or disapprove of the overall performance of the federal Liberal government?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Strongly approve | 9\% | 8\% | 4\% | 3\% | 16\% | 7\% | 2\% | 10\% | 9\% | 9\% | 10\% | 9\% |
| Moderately approve | 56\% | 57\% | 56\% | 56\% | 57\% | 49\% | 68\% | 61\% | 55\% | 49\% | 54\% | 57\% |
| Moderately disapprove | 19\% | 20\% | 23\% | 24\% | 15\% | 23\% | 16\% | 20\% | 18\% | 20\% | 19\% | 19\% |
| Strongly disapprove | 14\% | 14\% | 15\% | 16\% | 12\% | 18\% | 13\% | 8\% | 15\% | 21\% | 15\% | 13\% |
| (DK/NS) | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| Top2Box (Approve) | 65\% | 65\% | 60\% | 59\% | 72\% | 56\% | 70\% | 71\% | 65\% | 58\% | 64\% | 66\% |
| Low2Box (Disapprove) | 33\% | 34\% | 38\% | 40\% | 27\% | 41\% | 29\% | 27\% | 33\% | 40\% | 35\% | 32\% |


|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Approve | 46\% | 60\% | 63\% | 51\% | 45\% | 34\% | 40\% | 54\% | 42\% | 42\% | 52\% | 40\% |
| Disapprove | 46\% | 34\% | 32\% | 44\% | 49\% | 51\% | 53\% | 37\% | 49\% | 52\% | 42\% | 50\% |
| (DK/NS) | 8\% | 6\% | 5\% | 5\% | 6\% | 15\% | 7\% | 9\% | 8\% | 6\% | 5\% | 10\% |

fa9 2. Generally speaking, would you say that you approve or disapprove of the overall performance of the Bloc Quebecois as an official opposition?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Approve | 24\% | 12\% | 5\% | 15\% | 14\% | 57\% | 21\% | 27\% | 25\% | 20\% | 24\% | 25\% |
| Disapprove | 65\% | 73\% | 78\% | 76\% | 76\% | 36\% | 65\% | 62\% | 65\% | 70\% | 69\% | 61\% |
| (DK/NS) | 10\% | 14\% | 17\% | 9\% | 10\% | 7\% | 13\% | 11\% | 10\% | 10\% | 7\% | 13\% |

## fa9_3. Generally speaking, would you say that you approve or disapprove of

the overall performance of the Progressive Conservatives as an official opposition?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Approve | 48\% | 47\% | 51\% | 40\% | 50\% | 44\% | 60\% | 51\% | 50\% | 44\% | 47\% | 50\% |
| Disapprove | 40\% | 42\% | 34\% | 49\% | 44\% | 38\% | 30\% | 35\% | 39\% | 48\% | 44\% | 37\% |
| (DK/NS) | 11\% | 11\% | 16\% | 11\% | 6\% | 18\% | 9\% | 14\% | 11\% | 8\% | 10\% | 13\% |

fa9_4. Generally speaking, would you say that you approve or disapprove of
the overall performance of the New Democratic Party as an official opposition?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Approve | 48\% | 43\% | 48\% | 55\% | 46\% | 46\% | 66\% | 48\% | 52\% | 42\% | 48\% | 48\% |
| Disapprove | 40\% | 51\% | 38\% | 37\% | 45\% | 32\% | 28\% | 38\% | 37\% | 47\% | 42\% | 38\% |
| (DK/NS) | 12\% | 7\% | 14\% | 8\% | 9\% | 22\% | 6\% | 14\% | 11\% | 12\% | 10\% | 14\% |

fa10. In your view, has Mr. Chretien and the Liberal Party done a very good, good,
fair, poor, or very poor job of ....
RATING OF...
TOP2BOX SUMMARY TABLE (\% AGREE)

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| MANAGING CANADA'S ECONOMY | 44\% | 33\% | 35\% | 38\% | 56\% | 37\% | 39\% | 45\% | 45\% | 40\% | 48\% | 40\% |
| BEING FAIR TO ALL REGIONS OF THE COUNTRY | 23\% | 10\% | 14\% | 14\% | 34\% | 20\% | 25\% | 25\% | 23\% | 21\% | 24\% | 23\% |
| SPENDING TAXPAYERS' MONEY WISELY | 16\% | 9\% | 14\% | 8\% | 21\% | 14\% | 16\% | 15\% | 17\% | 15\% | 15\% | 17\% |
| HELPING THOSE MOST IN NEED | 18\% | 12\% | 19\% | 13\% | 24\% | 15\% | 12\% | 23\% | 16\% | 16\% | 20\% | 16\% |
| PROVIDING HONEST AND <br> TRUSTWORTHY GOVERNMENT | 26\% | 24\% | 18\% | 24\% | 30\% | 21\% | 30\% | 28\% | 25\% | 23\% | 25\% | 26\% |
| KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH THE CONCERNS OF AVERAGE CANADIANS | 23\% | 21\% | 21\% | 16\% | 28\% | 17\% | 23\% | 28\% | 21\% | 18\% | 22\% | 23\% |
| REPRESENTING CANADA IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS | 51\% | 46\% | 53\% | 48\% | 57\% | 46\% | 55\% | 52\% | 54\% | 46\% | 52\% | 50\% |
| MANAGING THE DAY-TO-DAY AFFAIRS OF CANADA'S GOVERNMENT | 39\% | 34\% | 36\% | 35\% | 49\% | 29\% | 41\% | 45\% | 39\% | 32\% | 41\% | 37\% |
| REPRESENTING THE INTERESTS OF PEOPLE FROM YOUR PROVINCE | 26\% | 7\% | 13\% | 9\% | 43\% | 21\% | 22\% | 31\% | 25\% | 22\% | 27\% | 25\% |
| KEEPING CANADA TOGETHER | 50\% | 51\% | 49\% | 49\% | 63\% | 29\% | 59\% | 54\% | 50\% | 46\% | 50\% | 50\% |
| PROVIDING A VISION FOR THE FUTURE | 30\% | 22\% | 25\% | 23\% | 37\% | 28\% | 33\% | 33\% | 29\% | 28\% | 31\% | 29\% |
| PROVIDING POLICIES THAT ARE CLOSE TO YOUR OWN PERSONAL VALUES | 26\% | 24\% | 20\% | 19\% | 34\% | 19\% | 25\% | 28\% | 27\% | 22\% | 27\% | 25\% |
| PRESERVING OUR SYSTEM OF HEALTH CARE | 14\% | 11\% | 17\% | 7\% | 20\% | 10\% | 13\% | 17\% | 12\% | 13\% | 16\% | 13\% |
| PROVIDING LEADERSHIP THAT IS RIGHT FOR THE TIMES | 39\% | 34\% | 35\% | 30\% | 49\% | 30\% | 43\% | 45\% | 40\% | 30\% | 41\% | 37\% |


|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
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|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Should lead Liberal Party | 35\% | 42\% | 36\% | 36\% | 42\% | 21\% | 34\% | 44\% | 36\% | 25\% | 34\% | 37\% |
| Should step aside for someone else | 61\% | 52\% | 62\% | 58\% | 55\% | 76\% | 63\% | 53\% | 61\% | 72\% | 65\% | 58\% |
| (DK/NS) | 3\% | 6\% | 2\% | 6\% | 3\% | 2\% | 3\% | 3\% | 4\% | 3\% | 2\% | 5\% |

fa12 Now, let's suppose that Jean Chretien does NOT step aside and decides
to lead the Liberal Party in the next federal election. Of the
following options, which ONE would you be more likely to vote for?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Jean Chrétien and the Liberal Party | 39\% | 36\% | 25\% | 28\% | 54\% | 26\% | 42\% | 42\% | 42\% | 32\% | 37\% | 41\% |
| Joe Clark and the Progressive Conservative Party | 13\% | 6\% | 20\% | 11\% | 17\% | 8\% | 18\% | 12\% | 12\% | 19\% | 14\% | 13\% |
| Preston Manning and the Reform Party | 16\% | 33\% | 42\% | 26\% | 12\% | 4\% | 9\% | 16\% | 14\% | 19\% | 21\% | 12\% |
| Alexa McDonough and the New Democratic Party | 12\% | 15\% | 8\% | 26\% | 10\% | 7\% | 21\% | 12\% | 13\% | 11\% | 9\% | 15\% |
| Gilles Duceppe and the Bloc Québecois | 11\% | - | - | - | - | 43\% | - | 12\% | 12\% | 9\% | 11\% | 11\% |
| None/Would not vote | 4\% | 3\% | 4\% | 4\% | 3\% | 4\% | 4\% | 2\% | 3\% | 5\% | 3\% | 4\% |
| (DK/NS) | 5\% | 7\% | 1\% | 5\% | 3\% | 7\% | 7\% | 5\% | 4\% | 5\% | 4\% | 6\% |

## fa13. If you heard that Minister of Finance Paul Martin had decided NOT to <br> run in the next federal election, would this make you more likely, <br> less likely, or no more or less likely to vote for the Liberal Party <br> in the next federal election?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| More likely | 11\% | 7\% | 6\% | 8\% | 11\% | 14\% | 13\% | 10\% | 10\% | 14\% | 10\% | 12\% |
| Less likely | 23\% | 25\% | 17\% | 19\% | 24\% | 25\% | 17\% | 19\% | 21\% | 29\% | 27\% | 19\% |
| No more or less likely | 65\% | 68\% | 76\% | 70\% | 63\% | 59\% | 69\% | 69\% | 68\% | 56\% | 62\% | 67\% |
| (DK/NS) | 1\% | - | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% |

fa14. Now, some people think the federal Liberals deserve to be re-elected because, overall, they have been doing what's right for the country.
Other people say the Liberals don't deserve to be re-elected because one of the other major federal parties could do a better job of
managing the country. Which of these two broad points of view is closest to your own?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
| Base: All respondents | 1501 | 200 | 135 | 120 | 526 | 400 | 120 | 416 | 690 | 388 | 701 | 800 |
| Weighted | 1501 | 196 | 135 | 105 | 566 | 377 | 122 | 506 | 580 | 409 | 736 | 765 |
| Deserve to be re-elected | 56\% | 55\% | 42\% | 48\% | 66\% | 49\% | 56\% | 60\% | 59\% | 48\% | 55\% | 57\% |
| Do not deserve to be re-elected | 39\% | 41\% | 51\% | 50\% | 29\% | 46\% | 42\% | 37\% | 36\% | 46\% | 41\% | 38\% |
| (DK/NS) | 4\% | 5\% | 7\% | 2\% | 4\% | 5\% | 2\% | 3\% | 5\% | 6\% | 3\% | 5\% |

fa15. And which party do you think could do a better job of managing the
country?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Base: Respondents mentioned that the Liberals do not deserve to be re-elected | 593 | 86 | 70 | 60 | 148 | 182 | 47 | 158 | 250 | 180 | 291 | 302 |
| Weighted | 590 | 80 | 69 | 52 | 167 | 171 | 51 | 188 | 209 | 189 | 302 | 288 |
| Progressive Conservatives (PC) | 24\% | 8\% | 22\% | 14\% | 35\% | 21\% | 35\% | 18\% | 24\% | 30\% | 25\% | 23\% |
| Liberals | 2\% | - | - | 2\% | 3\% | 1\% | 2\% | 4\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| New Democratic Party (NDP) | 18\% | 19\% | 7\% | 21\% | 19\% | 15\% | 41\% | 24\% | 20\% | 12\% | 12\% | 25\% |
| Reform Party | 30\% | 59\% | 56\% | 38\% | 32\% | 7\% | 7\% | 26\% | 28\% | 34\% | 40\% | 19\% |
| Bloc Québécois (BQ) | 11\% | - | - | - | 1\% | 38\% | - | 15\% | 14\% | 4\% | 9\% | 14\% |
| Green Party | 0 | 2\% | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1\% | - | 0 | 0 |
| National Action Party | 0 | 1\% | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0 | - | 0 |
| United Alternative | 0 | - | - | - | - | 1\% | - | - | - | 1\% | 0 | - |
| Canadian Conservative Reform Alliance Party/ CCRAP | 1\% | 1\% | 3\% | 2\% | 1\% | - | 3\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| Canadian Alliance | 0 | - | 3\% | - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 1\% | 0 | 0 |
| Any new party | 0 | - | - | - | - | 1\% | - | - | 0 | - | - | 0 |
| Other | 0 | 1\% | 1\% | - | 1\% | - | - | - | 1\% | 1\% | 0 | 1\% |
| None | 6\% | 5\% | 4\% | 9\% | 3\% | 10\% | 2\% | 6\% | 6\% | 5\% | 6\% | 5\% |
| (DK/NS) | 7\% | 4\% | 4\% | 14\% | 5\% | 7\% | 11\% | 7\% | 3\% | 9\% | 5\% | 9\% |

fa16. And do you feel the federal Liberals deserve to be re-elected because
they are doing a good job of managing the country, or because there
is really no other party to choose from?

|  |  | Region |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  | Gender |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | BC | Alberta | Sask/ Man | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | 18 to 34 | 35 to 54 | 55+ | Male | Female |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Base: Respondents mentioned that the Liberals deserve to be re-elected | 839 | 104 | 55 | 56 | 357 | 197 | 70 | 245 | 408 | 185 | 386 | 453 |
| Weighted | 845 | 107 | 57 | 51 | 376 | 186 | 69 | 304 | 344 | 196 | 408 | 437 |
| Doing a good job of managing the country | 48\% | 44\% | 50\% | 39\% | 51\% | 44\% | 58\% | 56\% | 48\% | 37\% | 46\% | 50\% |
| Really no other party to choose from | 51\% | 54\% | 48\% | 60\% | 48\% | 56\% | 40\% | 44\% | 51\% | 61\% | 53\% | 49\% |
| (DK/NS) | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% | - | 3\% | 0 | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 1\% |

