## **VOTE CERTAINTY**

1. As you may know, a Federal election will happen on October 14th, 2008. How likely would you be to vote in this election?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F - G/H/I

<sup>\*</sup> small base

		REGIO	N TYPE			CATION			INCOME	
	TOTAL	Urban	Rural	<hs< th=""><th>HS</th><th>Post sec</th><th>University</th><th>&lt;\$30K</th><th>\$30K-&lt;\$60K</th><th>\$60K +</th></hs<>	HS	Post sec	University	<\$30K	\$30K-<\$60K	\$60K +
		Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	I
Base: All Respondents	L									
Unweighted Base	1000	806	194	98	181	352	362	178	285	386
Weighted Base	1000	785	215	153*	298	326	211	222	290	337
[1] Absolutely certain	576	466	110	55	173	199	144	103	168	216
	58%	59%	51%	36%	58%	61%	68%	46%	58%	64%
					С	С	CDE		G	G
[2] Very likely	212	156	55	36	60	73	38	48	65	71
	21%	20%	26%	23%	20%	22%	18%	21%	22%	21%
[3] Somewhat likely	68	54	15	11	21	26	10	17	19	20
	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	8%	5%	8%	7%	6%
[4] Not very likely	34	29	5	13	9	5	6	10	15	6
	3%	4%	2%	8% EF	3%	2%	3%	4%	5% I	2%
[5] Not at all likely	94	69	25	32	31	21	10	37	19	23
.,	9%	9%	12%	21% DEF	10% F	7%	5%	17% HI	7%	7%
Don't know/Refused	16	10	6	8	4	2	3	8	4	2
	2%	1%	3%	5% E	1%	1%	1%	3% 	1%	1%
SUMMARY										
Absolutely certain/Very likely [1,2]	788	623	165	91	233	271	183	151	233	287
7 7 7 <u>- 7 - 7 - 7 - 7 - 7</u>	79%	79%	77%	59%	78%	83%	87%	68%	80%	85%
					C	C	CD		G	G
Somewhat Likely [,3]	68	54	15	11	21	26	10	17	19	20
22.1	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	8%	5%	8%	7%	6%
Not very likely/Not at all likely [4,5]	128	98	30	44	40	27	16	46	34	29
	13%	12%	14%	29% DEF	13% F	8%	7%	21% HI	12%	9%



## COMMITMENT TO VOTE

2. How certain are you of which party's candidate you will vote for in the next federal election?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F - G/H/I

\* small base

		REGIO	N TYPE		EDUC	CATION			INCOME	
	TOTAL	Urban	Rural	<hs< th=""><th>HS</th><th>Post sec</th><th>University</th><th>&lt;\$30K</th><th>\$30K-&lt;\$60K</th><th>\$60K +</th></hs<>	HS	Post sec	University	<\$30K	\$30K-<\$60K	\$60K +
		Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	1
Base: Excludes respondents who said Not at a	II likely/Don't knov	v/Refused								
Unweighted Base	915	741	174	78	160	328	342	153	262	364
Weighted Base	890	705	185	114*	263	303	199	177	267	313
I'm absolutely certain - I won't change my mind before voting day	393	315	78	57	116	138	78	80	118	138
	44%	45%	42%	50%	44%	45%	39%	45%	44%	44%
Somewhat certain - I could change my mind before voting day	293	237	56	25	84	101	77	57	90	108
g ==,	33%	34%	30%	22%	32%	33%	39% C	32%	34%	34%
Not at all certain - I'm very likely to change my mind before voting day	190	145	45	30	57	60	43	37	59	65
	21%	21%	24%	27%	22%	20%	22%	21%	22%	21%
Don't know/Refused	14	9	5	2	5	4	1	3	0	2
	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	0	2%	-	1%



### FEDERAL VOTING INTENTION

3A/B. Thinking of how you feel right now, if FEDERAL election were held tomorrow, which of the following parties' candidates would you, yourself, be most likely to support?

small base		REGIO	N TYPE			CATION			INCOME	
	TOTAL	Urban	Rural	<hs< th=""><th>HS</th><th>Post sec</th><th>University</th><th>&lt;\$30K</th><th>\$30K-&lt;\$60K</th><th>\$60K +</th></hs<>	HS	Post sec	University	<\$30K	\$30K-<\$60K	\$60K +
		A	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	I
sase: All Respondents (Leaners Included)										
Unweighted Base	1000	806	194	98	181	352	362	178	285	386
Weighted Base	1000	785	215	153*	298	326	211	222	290	337
The Conservative Party	317	238	79	50	100	111	54	58	92	113
	32%	30%	37%	32%	33%	34% F	26%	26%	32%	34%
The Liberals	240	203	37	28	63	79	64	54	64	89
	24%	26% B	17%	18%	21%	24%	30% CD	24%	22%	26%
The New Democratic Party	106	87	19	10	23	41	33	30	34	35
	11%	11%	9%	7%	8%	13%	15% CD	13%	12%	10%
The Bloc Quebecois	68	54	15	14	24	17	13	20	26	19
	7%	7%	7%	9%	8%	5%	6%	9%	9%	6%
The Green Party	93	74	20	15	27	30	21	22	22	34
	9%	9%	9%	10%	9%	9%	10%	10%	8%	10%
Marijuana Party	3	3	0	0	3	0	1	3	1	0
	0	0	-	-	1%	-	0	1%	0	-
Christian Heritage Party	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
	0	-	1%	-	-	0	-	-	0	-
Other	4	3	2	0	3	1	0	0	3	1
	0	0	1%	-	1%	0	0	0	1%	0
Would not vote/None/Would spoil ballot	23	19	4	8	5	7	3	4	5	7
	2%	2%	2%	5%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Don't Know	83	56	27	25	25	21	9	23	27	18
	8%	7%	12% A	16% EF	8%	7%	4%	10%	9%	5%
Refused	60	48	12	2	26	18	13	9	17	20
	6%	6%	6%	1%	9%	5%		4%	6%	6%
Refused	60 6%	48 6%			26 9% C	18 5%	13 6% C	9 4%	17 6%	



## FEDERAL VOTING INTENTION

3A/B. Thinking of how you feel right now, if FEDERAL election were held tomorrow, which of the following parties' candidates would you, yourself, be most likely to support?

		REGION	N TYPE		EDU	CATION		INCOME			
	TOTAL	Urban	Rural	<hs< th=""><th>HS</th><th>Post sec</th><th>University</th><th>&lt;\$30K</th><th>\$30K-&lt;\$60K</th><th>\$60K +</th></hs<>	HS	Post sec	University	<\$30K	\$30K-<\$60K	\$60K +	
		Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	I	
ase: Decided Voters - Leaners Included											
Unweighted Base	850	688	162	77	146	302	320	153	240	342	
Weighted Base	835	662	173	118*	242	281	186	187	242	292	
The Conservative Party	317	238	79	50	100	111	54	58	92	113	
	38%	36%	46%	42%	41%	40%	29%	31%	38%	39%	
			Α	F	F	F					
The Liberals	240	203	37	28	63	79	64	54	64	89	
	29%	31% B	21%	24%	26%	28%	35%	29%	26%	31%	
The New Democratic Party	106	87	19	10	23	41	33	30	34	35	
The New Belliodiale Laity	13%	13%	11%	9%	9%	15%	18%	16%	14%	12%	
	1070	1070	1170	0,0	070	1070	CD	1070	1170	1270	
The Bloc Quebecois	68	54	15	14	24	17	13	20	26	19	
	8%	8%	8%	12%	10%	6%	7%	11%	11%	7%	
The Green Party	93	74	20	15	27	30	21	22	22	34	
·	11%	11%	11%	13%	11%	11%	11%	12%	9%	12%	
Other	9	6	3	0	5	3	1	3	5	1	
	1%	1%	2%	-	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	0	



## FEDERAL VOTING - SECOND CHOICE

4A/B. Thinking of how you feel right now, if FEDERAL election were held tomorrow, which of the following parties' candidates would you, yourself, be most likely to support next or second?

		REGIO	N TYPE		EDU	ICATION		INCOME			
	TOTAL	Urban	Rural	<hs< th=""><th>HS</th><th>Post sec</th><th>University</th><th>&lt;\$30K</th><th>\$30K-&lt;\$60K</th><th>\$60K +</th></hs<>	HS	Post sec	University	<\$30K	\$30K-<\$60K	\$60K +	
		Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	I	
ase: Mentioned a major federal party in Que	estion #1 (Leaners I	ncluded)									
Unweighted Base	841	683	158	77	144	297	318	152	238	338	
Weighted Base	825	656	169	118*	238	276	185	186	239	289	
The Conservative Party	119	92	27	17	34	38	30	33	40	41	
•	14%	14%	16%	14%	14%	14%	16%	18%	17%	14%	
The Liberals	169	135	34	27	47	55	40	39	49	66	
	20%	21%	20%	23%	20%	20%	22%	21%	20%	23%	
The New Democratic Party	177	142	35	10	59	60	44	34	57	58	
•	21%	22%	21%	9%	25%	22%	24%	18%	24%	20%	
TI DI O I I I I	05	00		40	С	C	C				
The Bloc Quebecois	35 4%	29 4%	6 4%	10 8%	11 5%	8 3%	6 3%	11 6%	14 6%	6 2%	
	4%	4%	4%	6% E	5%	3%	3%	6% 	6% 	2%	
The Green Party	141	112	29	19	28	58	36	33	35	57	
•	17%	17%	17%	16%	12%	21% D	19%	18%	15%	20%	
Other party	90	72	18	17	31	29	11	16	27	27	
	11%	11%	10%	15% F	13% F	11%	6%	9%	11%	9%	
Would not vote/None/Would spoil ballot	48	38	10	13	9	15	11	11	12	13	
·	6%	6%	6%	11% D	4%	5%	6%	6%	5%	5%	
Don't Know	25	19	6	2	10	9	3	6	4	10	
	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	
Refused	21	18	4	3	8	4	4	3	1	11	
	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	4% H	



## MEDIA - NEVER VOTE

5. And, thinking of the major political parties and leaders at the federal level, which one would you never consider voting for in the next federal election?

		REGIO	N TYPE		EDUC	CATION		INCOME			
	TOTAL	Urban	Rural	<hs< th=""><th>HS</th><th>Post sec</th><th>University</th><th>&lt;\$30K</th><th>\$30K-&lt;\$60K</th><th>\$60K +</th></hs<>	HS	Post sec	University	<\$30K	\$30K-<\$60K	\$60K +	
		А	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	ı	
Base: All respondents											
Unweighted Base	1000	806	194	98	181	352	362	178	285	386	
Weighted Base	1000	785	215	153*	298	326	211	222	290	337	
Stephane Dion and the Liberal Party	276	208	68	37	81	109	47	55	84	97	
	28%	26%	32%	24%	27%	33% F	22%	25%	29%	29%	
Stephen Harper and the Conservative Party	312	257	55	42	93	92	79	74	91	106	
	31%	33%	26%	28%	31%	28%	37% E	33%	32%	31%	
Jack Layton and the NDP	225	175	49	35	66	75	49	47	66	85	
,	22%	22%	23%	23%	22%	23%	23%	21%	23%	25%	
Gilles Duceppe and the Bloc Quebecois	54	48	6	12	12	19	12	13	19	18	
	5%	6%	3%	8%	4%	6%	6%	6%	7%	5%	
Don't know/Refused	133	96	36	27	46	32	23	34	30	32	
	13%	12%	17%	18% E	15%	10%	11%	15%	10%	9%	



# HISTORICAL VOTE

6. Thinking back to the last FEDERAL election held in January 2006, do you remember if you voted?

		REGION	N TYPE		EDU	CATION	INCOME			
	TOTAL	Urban	Rural	<hs< th=""><th>HS</th><th>Post sec</th><th>University</th><th>&lt;\$30K</th><th>\$30K-&lt;\$60K</th><th>\$60K +</th></hs<>	HS	Post sec	University	<\$30K	\$30K-<\$60K	\$60K +
		Α	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н	I
Base: All Respondents										
Unweighted Base	1000	806	194	98	181	352	362	178	285	386
Weighted Base	1000	785	215	153*	298	326	211	222	290	337
Yes	770	612	158	98	216	267	183	138	241	284
	77%	78%	73%	64%	72%	82%	87%	62%	83%	84%
						CD	CD		G	G
No	223	166	58	56	78	56	28	84	48	48
	22%	21%	27%	36%	26%	17%	13%	38%	17%	14%
				EF	EF			HI		
Don't know/Refused	7	7	0	0	4	3	0	0	1	6
	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	-	-	0	2%

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## HISTORICAL VOTE

7. And do you remember for sure which party you voted for in the last FEDERAL election?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F - G/H/I \* small base

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		REGIO	N TYPE		EDUC	CATION		INCOME			
	TOTAL	Urban	Rural	<hs< th=""><th>HS</th><th>Post sec</th><th>University</th><th>&lt;\$30K</th><th>\$30K-&lt;\$60K</th><th>\$60K +</th></hs<>	HS	Post sec	University	<\$30K	\$30K-<\$60K	\$60K +	
		А	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	ı	
Base: Remember voting in last federal election	n										
Unweighted Base	825	670	155	67	139	297	318	125	240	340	
Weighted Base	770	612	158	98*	216	267	183	138	241	284	
Yes, remember	676	535	141	84	178	240	169	123	200	260	
	88%	87%	89%	86%	82%	90%	92%	89%	83%	92%	
						D	D			Н	
No, do not remember	90	74	16	13	36	26	15	15	38	24	
	12%	12%	10%	14%	17%	10%	8%	11%	16%	8%	
					F				1		
Don't know/Refused	4	4	1	0	2	1	0	0	3	0	
	1%	1%	0		1%	0			1%		



### HISTORICAL VOTE

8A. And which party's candidate did you support in the FEDERAL election in January 2006? 8B. Which party's candidate do you think you supported in the FEDERAL election in January 2006?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E/F - G/H/I \* small base

		REGION	N TYPE	EDUCATION				INCOME			
	TOTAL	Urban	Rural	<hs< th=""><th>HS</th><th>Post sec</th><th>University</th><th>&lt;\$30K</th><th>\$30K-&lt;\$60K</th><th>\$60K +</th></hs<>	HS	Post sec	University	<\$30K	\$30K-<\$60K	\$60K +	
		A	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н	I	
ase: All Respondents											
Unweighted Base	1000	806	194	98	181	352	362	178	285	386	
Weighted Base	1000	785	215	153*	298	326	211	222	290	337	
The Conservative Party	311	236	75	45	100	107	57	58	92	108	
	31%	30%	35%	29%	34%	33%	27%	26%	32%	32%	
The Liberals	256	213	43	27	65	90	69	60	72	92	
	26%	27%	20%	18%	22%	28%	33% CD	27%	25%	27%	
The New Democratic Party	89	72	16	9	21	32	26	23	27	35	
•	9%	9%	8%	6%	7%	10%	12%	10%	9%	10%	
The Bloc Quebecois	72	55	17	15	24	20	13	23	24	21	
	7%	7%	8%	10%	8%	6%	6%	10%	8%	6%	
The Green Party	46	33	12	10	14	13	9	13	8	16	
	5%	4%	6%	6%	5%	4%	4%	6%	3%	5%	
Some other party (Specify)	12	8	3	1	3	5	2	5	5	2	
	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	
Don't Know	95	72	23	24	35	21	11	19	34	23	
	10%	9%	11%	16% EF	12% F	6%	5%	9%	12%	7%	
Refused	120	95	25	21	37	38	22	21	27	40	
	12%	12%	12%	14%	12%	12%	11%	9%	9%	12%	



