VOTE CERTAINTY

1. As you may know, a Federal election may be called in the near future. How likely would you be to vote in this election?

		REGION						AGE			GENDER		LIKLIHOOD TO VOTE
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female	Absolutely certain
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	
Base: All Respondents													
Unweighted Base	1001	120	100	65	400	251	65	160	405	433	506	495	614
Weighted Base	1001	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	517	541
	541	82	42	30	218	128	40	120	215	201	272	268	541
[1] Absolutely certain	54%	62%	41%	47%	57%	52%	54%	43%	55%	62%	56%	52%	100%
		B			B				G	G			
	187	25	17	20	69	36	20	62	58	68	96	91	0
[2] Very likely	19%	19%	16%	31%	18%	15%	28%	22%	15%	21%	20%	18%	-
				E			E			H			
	98	9	10	3	39	27	8	35	42	21	44	54	0
[3] Somewhat likely	10%	7%	10%	5%	10%	11%	11%	13%	11%	6%	9%	10%	-
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	47	4	9	3	19	13	0	14	19	15	18	29	0
[4] Not very likely	5%	3%	9%	4%	5%	5%	-	5%	5%	5%	4%	6%	-
			F										
	118	7	24	7	36	39	5	49	51	18	51	67	0
[5] Not at all likely	12%	6%	24%	10%	9%	16%	6%	18%	13%	5%	10%	13%	-
			ADF			AD		I	I				
	10	4	0	2	2	2	0	0	8	2	3	7	0
Don't know/Refused	1%	3%	-	3%	1%	1%	1%	-	2%	1%	1%	1%	-
SUMMARY													
	873	121	78	57	345	204	69	230	333	305	430	443	541
LIKELY TO VOTE [1,2,3,4]	87%	92%	76%	87%	90%	83%	93%	82%	85%	94%	89%	86%	100%
		B			BE		B			GH			
	541	82	42	30	218	128	40	120	215	201	272	268	541
Absolutely certain [1]	54%	62%	41%	47%	57%	52%	54%	43%	55%	62%	56%	52%	100%
		B			B				G	G			
	285	35	27	23	108	63	29	97	99	89	140	145	0
Very/Somewhat Likely [2,3]	28%	26%	26%	36%	28%	26%	39%	35%	25%	27%	29%	28%	-
	47	4	9	3	19	13	0	14	19	15	18	29	0
Not very likely [4]	5%	3%	9%	4%	5%	5%	-	5%	5%	5%	4%	6%	-
			F										

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FEDERAL VOTING INTENTION

1A/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					AGE		GENDER		LIKLIHOOD TO VOTE
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female	Absolutely certain
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	
Base: Decided Voters - Leaners Included													
Unweighted Base	860	108	83	54	347	215	53	137	347	373	452	408	563
Weighted Base	835	117	75	56	328	201	58	232	324	275	425	410	497
The Conservative Party	362	59	41	37	151	50	24	77	142	139	200	162	225
	43%	50%	54%	66%	46%	25%	41%	33%	44%	51%	47%	39%	45%
		E	E	DEF	E					G			
The Liberals	203	26	17	10	97	36	16	58	76	66	95	107	113
	24%	22%	23%	18%	30%	18%	28%	25%	24%	24%	22%	26%	23%
					E								
The New Democratic Party	132	23	13	7	51	27	12	54	43	35	60	72	74
	16%	20%	17%	13%	16%	13%	20%	23%	13%	13%	14%	18%	15%
								HI					
The Bloc Quebecois	82	0	0	0	0	82	0	18	39	24	37	45	49
	10%	-	-	-	-	41%	-	8%	12%	9%	9%	11%	10%
						ABCDF							
The Green Party	49	9	4	0	25	5	6	24	16	9	32	18	33
	6%	7%	5%	-	8%	3%	11%	10%	5%	3%	7%	4%	7%
					E		E	I					
Other	7	0	1	2	4	1	0	0	6	1	1	6	3
	1%	-	1%	3%	1%	0	-	-	2%	0	0	2%	1%

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FINAL DATA

POST-BUDGET

1. As you may know, Finance Minister Jim Flaherty delivered the federal budget in the House of Commons on Tuesday. Based on what you've seen, read or heard about the budget, would you say that the budget overall is...

	TOTAL	REGION						AGE			GENDER		LIKLIHOOD TO VOTE
		BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female	Absolutely certain
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	
Base: All Respondents													
Unweighted Base	1001	120	100	65	400	251	65	160	405	433	506	495	614
Weighted Base	1001	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	517	541
Good and you'd symbolically give it two thumbs up	186	24	21	18	87	29	7	29	63	92	104	83	125
	19%	18%	21%	28%	23%	12%	10%	10%	16%	29%	21%	16%	23%
				EF	EF					GH			
Bad and you'd symbolically give it two thumbs down	160	16	8	11	56	60	8	48	67	44	81	79	110
	16%	12%	8%	17%	15%	25%	11%	17%	17%	13%	17%	15%	20%
						ABD							
Neither good nor bad and you'd symbolically just shrug your shoulders	479	70	56	23	187	111	32	150	181	147	217	262	223
	48%	53%	55%	36%	49%	45%	43%	54%	46%	45%	45%	51%	41%
Don't know/Refused	176	22	16	12	53	45	27	53	81	42	83	92	83
	18%	17%	16%	19%	14%	18%	36%	19%	21%	13%	17%	18%	15%
							ABDE		I				

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POST-BUDGET

2. Based on what you may have seen, read or heard, do you think this budget will...

					REGION				AGE			GENDER		LIKLIHOOD TO VOTE
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female	Absolutely certain
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	
Base: All Respondents													
Unweighted Base	1001	120	100	65	400	251	65	160	405	433	506	495	614
Weighted Base	1001	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	517	541
Personally help you	103	11	9	10	44	20	8	18	41	44	57	45	50
	10%	9%	9%	16%	12%	8%	11%	6%	10%	14%	12%	9%	9%
										G			
Personally hurt you	134	11	13	4	50	49	7	41	60	30	70	64	80
	13%	8%	13%	6%	13%	20%	9%	15%	15%	9%	14%	12%	15%
						ACD			I				
Neither help nor hurt	622	89	69	41	238	140	45	178	229	215	287	335	336
	62%	68%	68%	63%	62%	57%	60%	64%	58%	66%	59%	65%	62%
										H			
Don't know/Refused	142	21	11	10	51	35	14	42	63	35	70	72	75
	14%	16%	11%	15%	13%	14%	19%	15%	16%	11%	15%	14%	14%

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3. Some people say that there is too much spending in the budget and there isn't enough emphasis on deficit reduction. Other people say that there is too much emphasis on deficit reduction and not enough spending. While others say the budget has struck just the right balance. 3. Which is closest to your point of view?

	TOTAL	REGION						AGE			GENDER		LIKLIHOOD TO VOTE
		BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female	Absolutely certain
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	
Base: All Respondents													
Unweighted Base	1001	120	100	65	400	251	65	160	405	433	506	495	614
Weighted Base	1001	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	517	541
Too much spending	317	53	42	17	95	91	18	94	124	99	148	169	165
	32%	40%	41%	26%	25%	37%	24%	34%	32%	30%	31%	33%	30%
		D	D			D							
Too much emphasis on deficit reduction	224	23	14	10	95	67	15	63	95	62	92	131	120
	22%	17%	14%	15%	25%	28%	20%	23%	24%	19%	19%	25%	22%
						B							
Just the right balance	307	36	34	28	139	49	22	71	111	122	179	128	162
	31%	27%	33%	43%	36%	20%	29%	26%	28%	38%	37%	25%	30%
			E	E	E					GH	K		
Don't know/Refused	154	21	12	10	54	37	20	51	61	41	65	89	94
	15%	16%	11%	16%	14%	15%	27%	18%	16%	13%	13%	17%	17%
							BD						

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4. If the government loses a vote on the budget, it will trigger an election. Do you think the opposition parties should vote...

		REGION						AGE			GENDER		LIKLIHOOD TO VOTE
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female	Absolutely certain
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	
Base: All Respondents													
Unweighted Base	1001	120	100	65	400	251	65	160	405	433	506	495	614
Weighted Base	1001	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	517	541
For the budget to avoid an election	503	73	59	38	206	99	29	116	195	187	255	248	278
	50%	55%	58%	58%	54%	40%	38%	41%	50%	58%	53%	48%	51%
		E	EF	E	E					GH			
Against the budget and trigger an election	403	46	35	19	148	121	35	137	150	116	193	210	223
	40%	35%	34%	29%	38%	50%	47%	49%	38%	36%	40%	41%	41%
						ABCD		HI					
Don't know/Refused	95	13	8	8	30	25	11	27	47	21	37	58	39
	10%	10%	8%	13%	8%	10%	15%	10%	12%	7%	8%	11%	7%
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