

## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

## 1. AGREE SUMMARY TABLE (Strongly/Somewhat agree)

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
<b>Base: All Respondents</b>												
Unweighted Base	1000	120	100	65	400	250	65	146	396	453	503	497
Weighted Base	1000	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	516
1) The federal Liberals, under interim leader Bob Rae, are doing a better job than the official opposition NDP under interim leader Nycole Turmel in providing strong opposition to the Harper Conservative Majority	340	46	32	12	139	86	25	95	136	110	183	157
	34%	35%	32%	18%	36%	35%	34%	34%	35%	34%	38%	30%
		C			C	C					K	
2) The next federal NDP leader will never live up to the political success and leadership of Jack Layton	510	64	57	31	193	126	39	160	194	154	247	262
	51%	48%	56%	48%	50%	52%	52%	57%	49%	48%	51%	51%
3) The next NDP Leader must be fluently bilingual	776	97	77	38	279	235	50	238	293	244	367	410
	78%	73%	75%	59%	73%	96%	68%	85%	75%	75%	76%	79%
						ABCDF		HI				
4) The next NDP leader should be from Quebec	270	18	22	6	59	154	11	97	110	63	138	133
	27%	14%	21%	9%	16%	63%	15%	35%	28%	19%	28%	26%
						ABCDF		I	I			
5) The next NDP leader does not have to be a currently elected member of the House of Commons	561	76	54	28	208	146	49	183	214	162	259	302
	56%	58%	53%	43%	54%	60%	66%	66%	55%	50%	54%	59%
						C	C	HI				
6) I am interested in following the current federal NDP leadership race to succeed the late Jack Layton	607	79	60	39	228	147	53	181	223	199	289	319
	61%	60%	59%	60%	60%	60%	72%	65%	57%	61%	60%	62%
7) The federal NDP is doing a good job as the official opposition party to the Stephen Harper government	660	92	62	46	248	166	46	197	258	202	318	342
	66%	69%	61%	71%	65%	68%	62%	70%	66%	62%	66%	66%

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1. AGREE SUMMARY TABLE (Strongly/Somewhat agree)

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
8) The Federal NDP and the Federal Liberal Party should merge to create one large national party under a new, commonly-elected leader, with the aim of creating an effective opposition to the current Harper and future Conservative governments												
	356	32	25	21	141	116	21	121	136	96	178	177
	36%	24%	24%	32%	37%	47%	28%	43%	35%	30%	37%	34%
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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D/E/F - G/H/I - J/K

## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

## 1. DISAGREE SUMMARY TABLE (Somewhat/Strongly disagree)

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
<b>Base: All Respondents</b>												
Unweighted Base	1000	120	100	65	400	250	65	146	396	453	503	497
Weighted Base	1000	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	516
1) The federal Liberals, under interim leader Bob Rae, are doing a better job than the official opposition NDP under interim leader Nycole Turmel in providing strong opposition to the Harper Conservative Majority	489	68	43	39	183	119	37	130	184	171	243	246
	49%	51%	42%	61%	48%	49%	50%	47%	47%	53%	50%	48%
2) The next federal NDP leader will never live up to the political success and leadership of Jack Layton	412	50	38	31	167	96	30	99	170	141	200	212
	41%	38%	37%	48%	44%	39%	41%	36%	43%	43%	41%	41%
3) The next NDP Leader must be fluently bilingual	196	32	22	23	89	7	24	33	86	73	102	94
	20%	24%	21%	36%	23%	3%	32%	12%	22%	23%	21%	18%
		E	E	E	E		E		G	G		
4) The next NDP leader should be from Quebec	667	101	72	56	298	78	63	161	259	244	316	351
	67%	77%	70%	86%	78%	32%	85%	58%	66%	75%	65%	68%
		E	E	E	E		E			GH		
5) The next NDP leader does not have to be a currently elected member of the House of Commons	379	49	38	31	157	84	20	81	155	143	196	183
	38%	37%	37%	48%	41%	34%	27%	29%	39%	44%	41%	35%
				F					G	G		
6) I am interested in following the current federal NDP leadership race to succeed the late Jack Layton	349	48	36	22	138	85	18	86	152	110	178	171
	35%	37%	36%	35%	36%	35%	25%	31%	39%	34%	37%	33%
7) The federal NDP is doing a good job as the official opposition party to the Stephen Harper government	261	35	25	16	104	54	28	69	96	95	128	133
	26%	27%	24%	24%	27%	22%	37%	25%	25%	29%	26%	26%
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## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

## 1. DISAGREE SUMMARY TABLE (Somewhat/Strongly disagree)

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
8) The Federal NDP and the Federal Liberal Party should merge to create one large national party under a new, commonly-elected leader, with the aim of creating an effective opposition to the current Harper and future Conservative governments												
	594	96	70	41	224	116	47	145	235	212	284	310
	59%	73%	69%	63%	58%	47%	64%	52%	60%	65%	59%	60%
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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B/C/D/E/F - G/H/I - J/K

## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements: 1) The federal Liberals, under interim leader Bob Rae, are doing a better job than the official opposition NDP under interim leader Nycole Turmel in providing strong opposition to the Harper Conservative Majority?

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
<b>Base: All Respondents</b>												
Unweighted Base	1000	120	100	65	400	250	65	146	396	453	503	497
Weighted Base	1000	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	516
Strongly agree	75	10	6	1	34	15	9	18	27	30	50	25
	8%	8%	6%	1%	9%	6%	12%	7%	7%	9%	10%	5%
							C				K	
Somewhat agree	265	36	26	11	104	71	16	77	109	80	133	132
	27%	28%	26%	17%	27%	29%	22%	27%	28%	25%	27%	26%
Somewhat disagree	308	45	32	23	117	72	20	100	117	87	142	166
	31%	34%	31%	35%	31%	29%	27%	36%	30%	27%	29%	32%
Strongly disagree	181	23	12	17	66	47	17	30	67	83	101	80
	18%	17%	11%	26%	17%	19%	23%	11%	17%	26%	21%	16%
				B						GH		
Don't know/Refused	170	18	26	14	61	39	12	54	72	44	57	113
	17%	13%	26%	21%	16%	16%	16%	19%	18%	13%	12%	22%
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<b>TOPBOX &amp; LOWBOX SUMMARY</b>												
Agree (Top2Box)	340	46	32	12	139	86	25	95	136	110	183	157
	34%	35%	32%	18%	36%	35%	34%	34%	35%	34%	38%	30%
		C			C	C					K	
Disagree (Low2Box)	489	68	43	39	183	119	37	130	184	171	243	246
	49%	51%	42%	61%	48%	49%	50%	47%	47%	53%	50%	48%

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

## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements: 2) The next federal NDP leader will never live up to the political success and leadership of Jack Layton ?

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
<b>Base: All Respondents</b>												
Unweighted Base	1000	120	100	65	400	250	65	146	396	453	503	497
Weighted Base	1000	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	516
Strongly agree	217	31	24	15	87	44	17	57	99	61	106	111
	22%	23%	24%	23%	23%	18%	22%	20%	25%	19%	22%	22%
Somewhat agree	293	33	33	16	106	83	22	103	95	93	141	151
	29%	25%	32%	25%	28%	34%	30%	37%	24%	29%	29%	29%
Somewhat disagree	268	30	28	20	107	65	18	75	114	79	118	150
	27%	22%	28%	31%	28%	27%	24%	27%	29%	24%	24%	29%
Strongly disagree	144	20	10	11	61	31	12	25	56	62	82	62
	14%	15%	9%	17%	16%	13%	17%	9%	14%	19%	17%	12%
Don't know/Refused	78	19	7	3	23	22	5	20	29	29	36	41
	8%	14%	7%	4%	6%	9%	7%	7%	7%	9%	7%	8%
<b>TOPBOX &amp; LOWBOX SUMMARY</b>												
Agree (Top2Box)	510	64	57	31	193	126	39	160	194	154	247	262
	51%	48%	56%	48%	50%	52%	52%	57%	49%	48%	51%	51%
Disagree (Low2Box)	412	50	38	31	167	96	30	99	170	141	200	212
	41%	38%	37%	48%	44%	39%	41%	36%	43%	43%	41%	41%

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

## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements: 3) The next NDP Leader must be fluently bilingual ?

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
<b>Base: All Respondents</b>												
Unweighted Base	1000	120	100	65	400	250	65	146	396	453	503	497
Weighted Base	1000	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	516
Strongly agree	500	50	46	21	168	189	27	171	172	157	238	263
	50%	38%	45%	32%	44%	77%	37%	61%	44%	48%	49%	51%
						ABCDF		HI				
Somewhat agree	276	47	31	18	110	47	23	67	121	87	129	147
	28%	36%	30%	27%	29%	19%	31%	24%	31%	27%	27%	28%
		E			E							
Somewhat disagree	89	13	10	6	50	4	6	21	35	31	44	45
	9%	10%	10%	9%	13%	2%	8%	8%	9%	10%	9%	9%
		E	E	E	E		E					
Strongly disagree	107	19	12	17	39	3	18	12	51	42	58	49
	11%	14%	12%	27%	10%	1%	24%	4%	13%	13%	12%	10%
		E	E	BDE	E		DE		G	G		
Don't know/Refused	28	4	4	4	15	2	0	8	13	7	16	12
	3%	3%	4%	6%	4%	1%	-	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%
				E	E							
<b>TOPBOX &amp; LOWBOX SUMMARY</b>												
Agree (Top2Box)	776	97	77	38	279	235	50	238	293	244	367	410
	78%	73%	75%	59%	73%	96%	68%	85%	75%	75%	76%	79%
						ABCDF		HI				
Disagree (Low2Box)	196	32	22	23	89	7	24	33	86	73	102	94
	20%	24%	21%	36%	23%	3%	32%	12%	22%	23%	21%	18%
		E	E	E	E		E		G	G		

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## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements: 4) The next NDP leader should be from Quebec ?

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
<b>Base: All Respondents</b>												
Unweighted Base	1000	120	100	65	400	250	65	146	396	453	503	497
Weighted Base	1000	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	516
Strongly agree	85	1	2	0	18	62	2	22	40	23	48	37
	9%	1%	2%	-	5%	25%	2%	8%	10%	7%	10%	7%
						ABCDF						
Somewhat agree	185	17	20	6	41	92	9	75	70	40	90	95
	19%	13%	20%	9%	11%	38%	13%	27%	18%	12%	19%	18%
						ABCDF		HI				
Somewhat disagree	289	48	23	9	127	63	18	89	115	84	132	156
	29%	36%	23%	14%	33%	26%	25%	32%	29%	26%	27%	30%
		C			C							
Strongly disagree	379	53	48	47	171	15	45	72	145	160	184	195
	38%	40%	47%	72%	45%	6%	61%	26%	37%	49%	38%	38%
		E	E	ABDE	E		ADE		G	GH		
Don't know/Refused	62	13	8	3	26	12	0	22	23	17	30	32
	6%	10%	8%	5%	7%	5%	-	8%	6%	5%	6%	6%
		F	F									
<b>TOPBOX &amp; LOWBOX SUMMARY</b>												
Agree (Top2Box)	270	18	22	6	59	154	11	97	110	63	138	133
	27%	14%	21%	9%	16%	63%	15%	35%	28%	19%	28%	26%
						ABCDF		I	I			
Disagree (Low2Box)	667	101	72	56	298	78	63	161	259	244	316	351
	67%	77%	70%	86%	78%	32%	85%	58%	66%	75%	65%	68%
		E	E	E	E		E			GH		

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## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements: 5) The next NDP leader does not have to be a currently elected member of the House of Commons ?

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
<b>Base: All Respondents</b>												
Unweighted Base	1000	120	100	65	400	250	65	146	396	453	503	497
Weighted Base	1000	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	516
Strongly agree	194	29	14	6	76	48	22	61	64	69	110	84
	19%	22%	14%	9%	20%	20%	30%	22%	16%	21%	23%	16%
							BC				K	
Somewhat agree	367	48	40	22	133	98	27	122	150	93	149	218
	37%	36%	40%	34%	35%	40%	36%	44%	38%	29%	31%	42%
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Somewhat disagree	178	26	8	13	73	47	10	45	78	55	87	91
	18%	20%	8%	20%	19%	19%	14%	16%	20%	17%	18%	18%
		B			B	B						
Strongly disagree	201	23	29	19	84	36	10	36	77	88	109	92
	20%	17%	29%	29%	22%	15%	13%	13%	20%	27%	23%	18%
			EF	E						GH		
Don't know/Refused	60	7	10	6	17	15	5	15	24	19	29	31
	6%	5%	10%	9%	5%	6%	7%	5%	6%	6%	6%	6%
<b>TOPBOX &amp; LOWBOX SUMMARY</b>												
Agree (Top2Box)	561	76	54	28	208	146	49	183	214	162	259	302
	56%	58%	53%	43%	54%	60%	66%	66%	55%	50%	54%	59%
						C	C	HI				
Disagree (Low2Box)	379	49	38	31	157	84	20	81	155	143	196	183
	38%	37%	37%	48%	41%	34%	27%	29%	39%	44%	41%	35%
				F					G	G		

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## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements: 6) I am interested in following the current federal NDP leadership race to succeed the late Jack Layton ?

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
<b>Base: All Respondents</b>												
Unweighted Base	1000	120	100	65	400	250	65	146	396	453	503	497
Weighted Base	1000	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	516
Strongly agree	205	21	19	17	86	41	22	45	88	71	101	104
	20%	16%	18%	25%	22%	17%	29%	16%	22%	22%	21%	20%
							E					
Somewhat agree	402	58	42	23	142	106	32	136	135	128	187	215
	40%	44%	41%	35%	37%	43%	43%	49%	34%	39%	39%	42%
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Somewhat disagree	190	23	17	9	73	57	12	55	79	56	93	98
	19%	17%	16%	14%	19%	23%	16%	20%	20%	17%	19%	19%
Strongly disagree	158	25	20	13	65	28	6	31	74	54	85	73
	16%	19%	19%	20%	17%	12%	9%	11%	19%	17%	18%	14%
Don't know/Refused	44	4	5	3	17	12	2	12	17	15	18	26
	4%	3%	5%	5%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%
<b>TOPBOX &amp; LOWBOX SUMMARY</b>												
Agree (Top2Box)	607	79	60	39	228	147	53	181	223	199	289	319
	61%	60%	59%	60%	60%	60%	72%	65%	57%	61%	60%	62%
Disagree (Low2Box)	349	48	36	22	138	85	18	86	152	110	178	171
	35%	37%	36%	35%	36%	35%	25%	31%	39%	34%	37%	33%

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

## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements: 7) The federal NDP is doing a good job as the official opposition party to the Stephen Harper government ?

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
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<b>Base: All Respondents</b>												
Unweighted Base	1000	120	100	65	400	250	65	146	396	453	503	497
Weighted Base	1000	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	516
Strongly agree	202	25	25	19	66	52	14	72	63	67	101	100
	20%	19%	24%	30%	17%	21%	19%	26%	16%	21%	21%	19%
Somewhat agree	459	66	38	27	182	114	31	125	195	135	217	242
	46%	50%	37%	41%	47%	47%	42%	45%	50%	42%	45%	47%
Somewhat disagree	172	25	18	8	64	42	15	52	66	53	71	101
	17%	19%	18%	13%	17%	17%	20%	19%	17%	16%	15%	20%
Strongly disagree	90	10	7	7	40	12	13	17	31	42	57	32
	9%	8%	7%	11%	10%	5%	17%	6%	8%	13%	12%	6%
Don't know/Refused	79	5	15	3	32	24	1	13	38	28	37	41
	8%	4%	14%	4%	8%	10%	1%	5%	10%	9%	8%	8%
<b>TOPBOX &amp; LOWBOX SUMMARY</b>												
Agree (Top2Box)	660	92	62	46	248	166	46	197	258	202	318	342
	66%	69%	61%	71%	65%	68%	62%	70%	66%	62%	66%	66%
Disagree (Low2Box)	261	35	25	16	104	54	28	69	96	95	128	133
	26%	27%	24%	24%	27%	22%	37%	25%	25%	29%	26%	26%

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

## CANADIAN POLITICS STUDY

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements: 8) The Federal NDP and the Federal Liberal Party should merge to create one large national party under a new, commonly-elected leader, with the aim of creating an effective opposition to the current Harper and future Conservative governments?

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
<b>Base: All Respondents</b>												
Unweighted Base	1000	120	100	65	400	250	65	146	396	453	503	497
Weighted Base	1000	132	102	65	383	244	74	279	392	324	484	516
Strongly agree	152	14	15	10	61	44	8	57	49	43	76	76
	15%	10%	14%	15%	16%	18%	11%	20%	13%	13%	16%	15%
								H				
Somewhat agree	204	18	10	11	80	71	13	64	87	53	102	102
	20%	14%	10%	18%	21%	29%	17%	23%	22%	16%	21%	20%
					B	ABD						
Somewhat disagree	198	26	18	11	72	58	13	65	72	60	88	109
	20%	20%	18%	16%	19%	24%	18%	23%	18%	19%	18%	21%
Strongly disagree	397	70	52	30	152	58	34	80	163	152	196	200
	40%	53%	51%	47%	40%	24%	46%	29%	42%	47%	41%	39%
		DE	E	E	E	E	E		G	G		
Don't know/Refused	50	4	7	3	18	12	6	14	21	16	21	29
	5%	3%	7%	5%	5%	5%	8%	5%	5%	5%	4%	6%
<b>TOPBOX &amp; LOWBOX SUMMARY</b>												
Agree (Top2Box)	356	32	25	21	141	116	21	121	136	96	178	177
	36%	24%	24%	32%	37%	47%	28%	43%	35%	30%	37%	34%
					A	ABDF		I				
Disagree (Low2Box)	594	96	70	41	224	116	47	145	235	212	284	310
	59%	73%	69%	63%	58%	47%	64%	52%	60%	65%	59%	60%
		DE	E		E		E			G		

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

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	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
<b>Base: Decided Voters - Leaners Included</b>												
Unweighted Base	901	112	92	55	371	217	54	137	353	408	463	438
Weighted Base	896	123	93	53	357	210	60	263	345	286	442	454
The Conservative Party	330	54	54	24	139	42	18	58	146	126	177	153
	37%	44%	58%	45%	39%	20%	30%	22%	42%	44%	40%	34%
		E	DEF	E	E				G	G		
The Liberals	191	25	10	8	102	27	20	50	79	61	91	100
	21%	20%	10%	14%	29%	13%	33%	19%	23%	21%	21%	22%
					BE		BE					
The New Democratic Party	276	39	19	17	104	79	18	95	98	82	128	148
	31%	32%	20%	32%	29%	38%	30%	36%	28%	29%	29%	33%
						B						
The Bloc Quebecois	55	0	0	0	0	55	0	33	13	9	19	35
	6%	-	-	-	-	26%	-	13%	4%	3%	4%	8%
						ABCDF		HI				
The Green Party	28	3	10	2	9	2	2	16	5	7	13	15
	3%	3%	11%	4%	2%	1%	4%	6%	1%	2%	3%	3%
			ADE					H				
Other	16	2	0	2	4	7	2	10	5	1	14	2
	2%	2%	-	4%	1%	3%	3%	4%	1%	0	3%	1%
								I			K	

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