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Technical Appendix

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- The results of this opinion poll are based upon a representative sample of 916 eligible Irish voters aged 18 years +.
- As such, the results can be deemed to be accurate to within plus or minus 3.3 percentage points at the 95% confidence level.
- Fieldwork was conducted on an in-home, face-to-face basis over the period 4th – 13th January, 2016.
- The sample was stratified across constituencies at 125 locations in the country with individuals selected for interview by way of Demographic Quotas (age, gender, socio-economic status) in line with Central Statistics Office (CSO) and market research industry population estimates.

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- The subsequent survey results are weighted to reflect the known demographic profile of Irish adults, utilising the most recently published census population estimates from the Central Statistics Office (CSO).
- Party support levels are subsequently realigned in accordance with a technical adjustment factor, designed to smooth the effects of extreme highs and lows in support levels for individual parties as measured at a single point in time, and taking variable election day turnout levels into account.
- All aspects of the survey, including the Party Support adjustment factor, are implemented in accordance with the technical and ethical guidelines set down by the Association of Irish Market Research Organisations (AIMRO) and the European Society of Opinion & Market Research (ESOMAR).



Charted Summary

Sunday Times/Behaviour & Attitudes Government and Party Leader Satisfaction Levels

12th Feb 2011 f/w: 31st Jan - 12th Feb, 2011	24th Aug, 2011 f/w: 16th - 24th Aug, 2011	2nd Oct, 2011 f/w: 20th Sept - 2nd Oct, 2011	18th Oct, 2011 f/w: 16th - 18th Oct, 2011	12th Dec, 2011 f/w: 7th-12th Dec, 2011	20th Feb 2012 f/w: 15th - 20th Feb, 2012	17th Apr, 2012 f/w: 11th - 17th Apr, 2012	23rd May 2012 f/w: 18th - 23rd May, 2012	9th Sept. 2012 f/w: 4th - 9th Sept 2012	13th Nov 2012 f/w: 1st-13th Nov 2012	21st Jan 2013 f/w: 15th - 21st Jan, 2013	26th Mar 2013 f/w: 11th - 26th Mar, 2013	24th Jun 2013 f/w: 11th - 24th June 2013	17th Sept 2013 f/w: 10th - 17th Sept 2013	15th Dec 2013 f/w: 3rd - 15th Dec 2013	19th Feb 2014 f/w: 11th - 19th Feb 2014	16th Apr 2014 f/w: 6th - 16th Apr 2014	13th Aug 2014 f/w: 4th - 13th Aug 2014	22nd Oct. f/w: 14th - 22nd Oct. 2014	21st Dec f/w: 9th - 17th Dec 2014	11th Mar f/w: 2nd Mar - 11th Mar 2015	** 11th May f/w: 1st - 11th May 2015	** 15th June f/w: 5th - 15th June 2015	** 14th July f/w: 4th - 14th July 2015	** 12th Aug f/w: 2nd - 12th Aug 2015	** 14th Oct f/w: 5th - 14th Oct 2015	** 11th Nov f/w: 30th Oct - 11th Nov 2015	** 9th Dec f/w: 30th Nov - 9th Dec 2015	** 13th Jan f/w: 4th Jan - 13th Jan 2016
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The Government	5%	42%	34%	36%	26%	26%	29%	31%	24%	26%	22%	25%	24%	24%	35%	31%	28%	27%	29%	29%	35%	30%	28%	29%	30%	33%	28%	35%	33%
Micheál Martin	43%	40%	31%	36%	40%	33%	34%	41%	34%	42%	48%	44%	43%	37%	43%	43%	45%	39%	37%	39%	38%	35%	40%	42%	39%	41%	39%	40%	41%
Enda Kenny	40%	62%	51%	58%	44%	41%	47%	42%	38%	41%	39%	39%	37%	34%	44%	41%	40%	35%	29%	28%	32%	29%	28%	28%	32%	33%	31%	35%	31%
Eamon Gilmore/ Joan Burton	55%	52%	43%	46%	35%	34%	37%	32%	34%	29%	26%	29%	26%	26%	32%	31%	37%	45%*	41%	34%	37%	35%	36%	34%	37%	36%	34%	39%	34%
Gerry Adams	40%	48%	50%	50%	48%	46%	43%	42%	39%	40%	43%	45%	43%	41%	33%	39%	48%	47%	40%	34%	37%	33%	32%	32%	34%	34%	36%	35%	32%
Eamon Ryan	-	34%	30%	30%	30%	25%	29%	29%	27%	27%	30%	29%	30%	30%	30%	31%	33%	37%	33%	33%	33%	32%	32%	29%	33%	33%	33%	35%	32%

***Inclusion of Joan Burton as Tánaiste**

**** Face-to-face surveying employed**

Sunday Times/Behaviour & Attitudes Core Party Support Levels

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Fianna Fáil	11%	12%	11%	11%	15%	11%	12%	12%	12%	16%	19%	19%	19%	15%	19%	16%	17%	16%	15%	14%	14%	14%	12%	17%	15%	16%	15%	14%	15%	15%
Fine Gael	26%	35%	26%	27%	22%	23%	22%	24%	23%	23%	17%	19%	19%	19%	21%	22%	18%	20%	18%	17%	17%	19%	19%	15%	18%	19%	18%	18%	20%	20%
Labour	17%	9%	10%	11%	8%	7%	7%	8%	8%	7%	7%	4%	5%	6%	5%	5%	6%	5%	7%	4%	4%	5%	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%	4%
Sinn Féin	10%	10%	12%	14%	15%	18%	14%	17%	13%	12%	13%	13%	13%	14%	11%	16%	16%	15%	22%	17%	20%	19%	17%	16%	15%	15%	16%	17%	16%	14%
Green Party	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Independents/Others	10%	10%	10%	9%	12%	11%	12%	10%	12%	11%	9%	15%	12%	14%	13%	14%	18%	16%	17%	21%	23%	17%	21%	19%	24%	19%	20%	19%	16%	19%
Undecided	25%	22%	28%	27%	27%	30%	30%	28%	30%	29%	33%	27%	29%	30%	28%	24%	24%	25%	19%	24%	22%	24%	25%	28%	23%	26%	23%	26%	27%	27%

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If there was a General Election tomorrow, to which party or independent candidate would you give your first preference vote?

Sunday Times/Behaviour & Attitudes Party Support Levels (Excluding Undecideds - Unadjusted)

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Fianna Fáil	15%	17%	15%	15%	15%	20%	16%	17%	17%	18%	23%	28%	27%	27%	21%	27%	21%	22%	22%	18%	19%	17%	19%	15%	24%	19%	22%	20%	19%	21%	20%
Fine Gael	34%	36%	44%	36%	37%	30%	32%	32%	33%	33%	32%	26%	26%	26%	27%	29%	28%	23%	27%	22%	23%	21%	25%	25%	21%	24%	25%	24%	25%	27%	28%
Labour	23%	19%	12%	14%	15%	11%	10%	10%	11%	11%	10%	10%	6%	7%	8%	7%	7%	7%	7%	9%	5%	5%	7%	7%	6%	7%	5%	7%	7%	7%	5%
Sinn Féin	14%	10%	13%	17%	19%	21%	25%	20%	23%	19%	17%	20%	17%	19%	20%	15%	21%	21%	20%	27%	23%	25%	25%	22%	22%	20%	21%	21%	23%	21%	19%
Green Party	2%	2%	2%	4%	1%	3%	2%	5%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%
Independent / Others	14%	16%	12%	13%	13%	15%	15%	17%	14%	17%	16%	14%	21%	17%	20%	19%	18%	23%	22%	21%	28%	30%	22%	28%	27%	30%	26%	26%	25%	22%	26%

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Party Support Adjustment Factor: Technical Note

- Predicting election results on the basis of poll data is not an exact science. All the evidence shows that support for individual parties can swing dramatically in the period between elections- very often outside the bounds of historic election results.
- What to do in these circumstances? Most polling companies in Britain and Ireland publish their raw survey results as an index of fluctuations in the emotional mood of voters. They also build in an adjustment based on a number of factors. Where we have reports of how people voted in the last general election as well as how they intend to vote in the next one we can use these data to model the likely level of swing from the last election results.
- We then add back in the forecasts of voters who have not voted last time or do not answer that particular question.
- Finally we take into account each individuals stated likelihood of voting in a forthcoming General Election.
- This is the basis of the adjusted voting forecast in Behaviour & Attitudes polls.

Party Support Levels (Excluding Undecided - Adjusted)

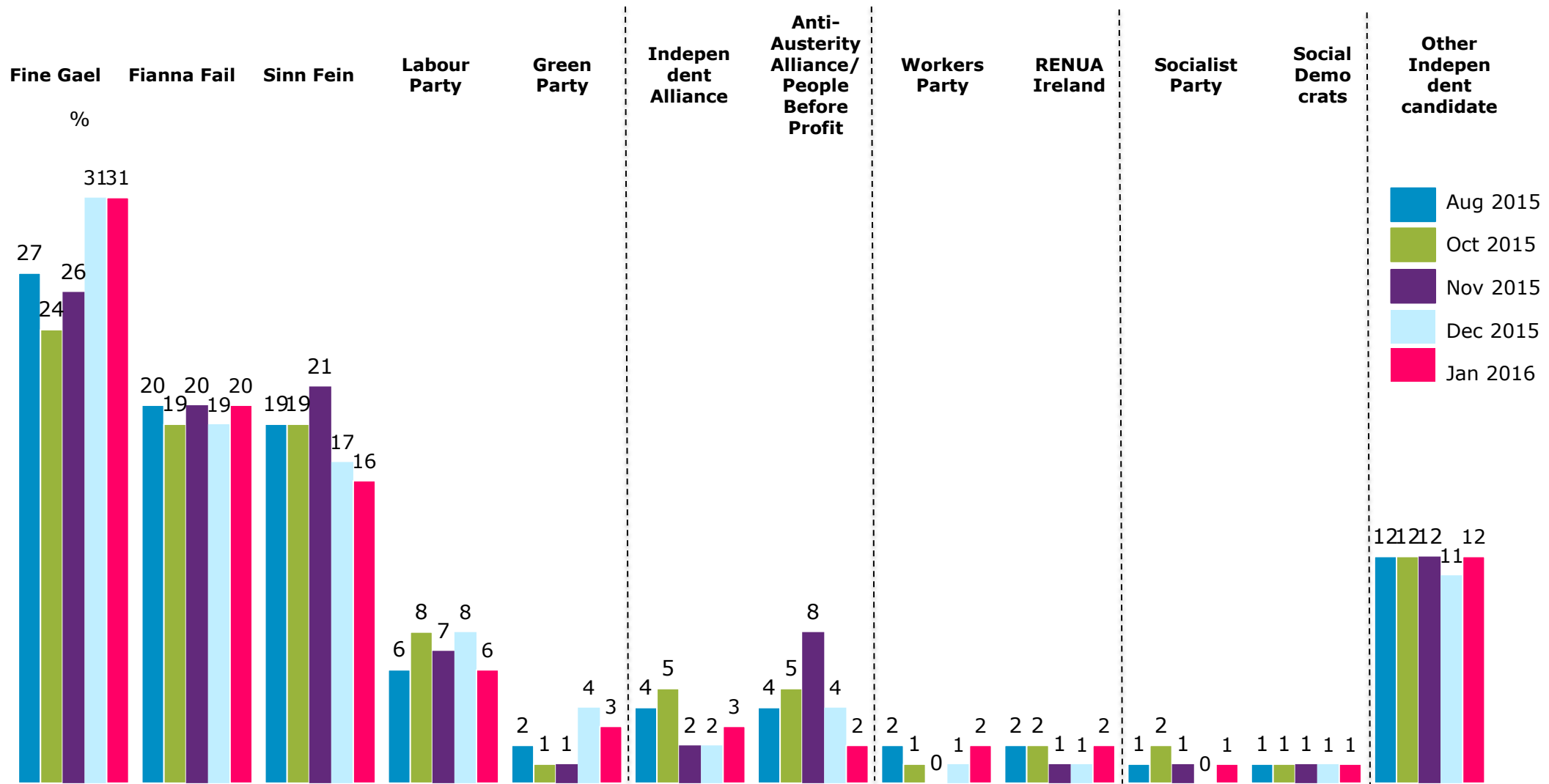
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Fine Gael	34%	35%	29%	33%	33%	33%	31%	30%	26%	27%	27%	25%	30%	30%	21%	26%	24%	25%	24%	27%	27%	24%	24%	27%	24%	26%	31%	31%
Labour	16%	16%	12%	13%	14%	14%	14%	12%	11%	7%	7%	11%	11%	9%	9%	7%	14%	9%	5%	9%	8%	9%	8%	6%	8%	7%	8%	6%
Sinn Féin	14%	17%	19%	20%	16%	17%	18%	14%	19%	15%	16%	18%	15%	18%	20%	21%	19%	19%	22%	19%	20%	19%	17%	19%	19%	21%	17%	16%
Green Party	3%	1%	3%	2%	5%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%
Independents/ Others	17%	16%	18%	16%	18%	18%	19%	19%	18%	25%	23%	23%	21%	21%	26%	24%	22%	25%	29%	23%	26%	26%	31%	26%	28%	25%	21%	24%

* *Face-to-face surveying employed*

- Adjusted figures based on:
 - ❖ All who state they would definitely vote
 - ❖ Weighting of those respondents who give a definite answer as to who they would vote for in a general election and who they voted for in the last election, a quarter of the way between stated voting intention and the result of the last election.
 - ❖ Making no adjustment to stated voting intention of those who do not indicate how they voted in last election.

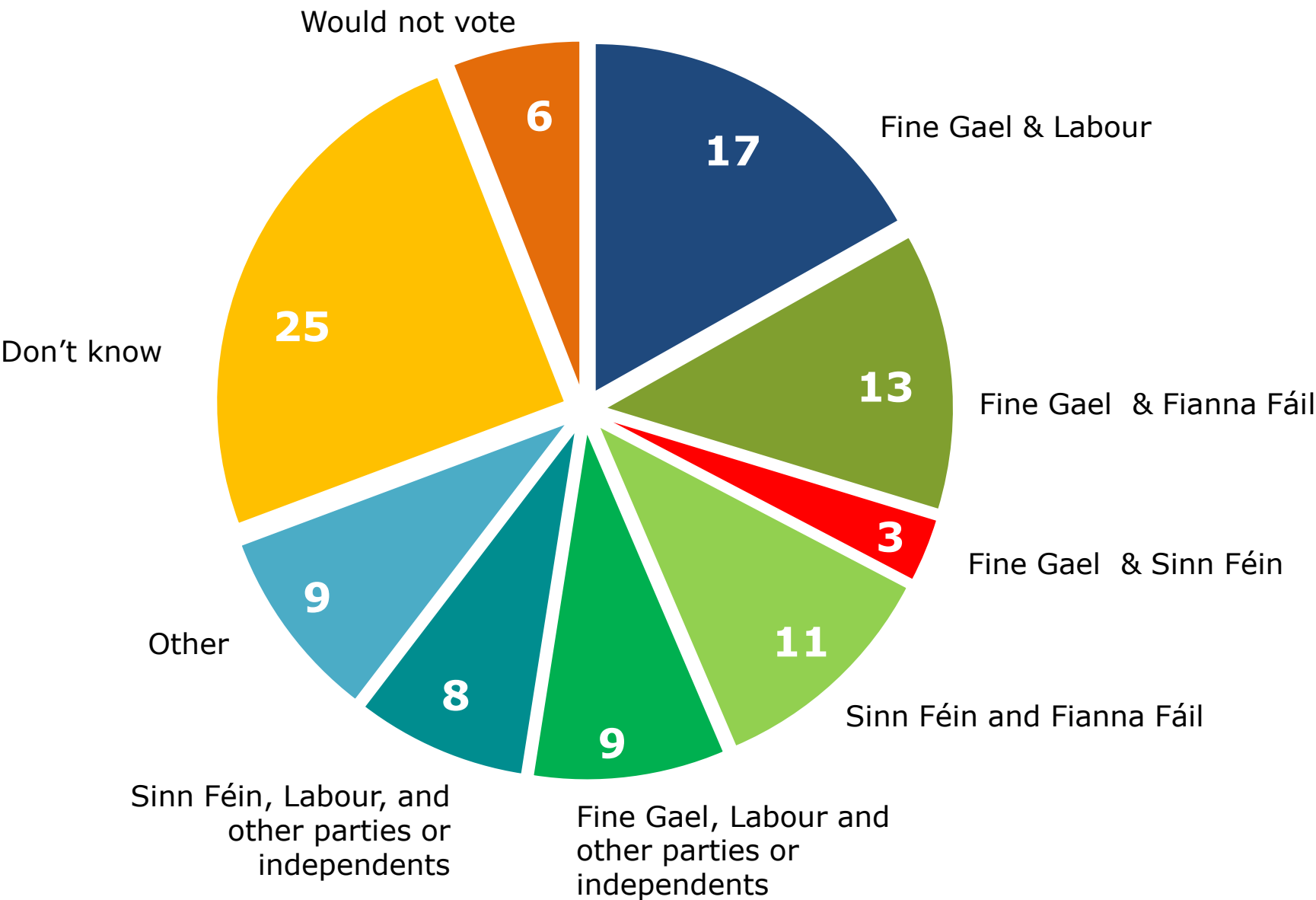
Other Group or Independents most likely to give first preference vote to (Adjusted)

Base : All voters



Coalition Preferences

All Eligible Respondents - 916



Coalition Preferences x Demographics

All Eligible Respondents - 916

	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael and Labour	17	17	18	10	20	21	18	16	26	20	16	17	16	17	17
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	13	14	12	11	10	19	17	11	9	14	12	16	10	13	13
Fine Gael and Sinn Féin	3	4	2	3	3	3	2	3	5	1	5	3	3	3	3
Sinn Féin and Fianna Fáil	11	13	8	15	8	9	9	12	12	7	13	8	16	9	12
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	9	7	10	12	8	7	11	8	7	11	6	11	7	8	10
Sinn Féin, Labour, and other parties or independents	8	8	8	8	11	5	9	8	2	7	10	10	4	8	8
Other	9	10	7	3	9	14	6	11	7	8	9	9	10	9	7
Don't know	25	22	27	32	24	18	24	25	24	31	21	23	23	26	23
Would not vote	6	5	6	5	8	3	4	7	9	1	8	4	12	5	6

Coalition Preferences x Party Support

All Eligible Respondents - 916

Base: All Eligible Voters	Total	Party Support						
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent/ Others	Don't know/ Would not vote
Base:	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael and Labour	17	3	56	42	9	1	4	11
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	13	40	16	3	-	2	5	10
Fine Gael and Sinn Féin	3	-	4	-	-	11	1	2
Sinn Féin and Fianna Fáil	11	21	1	-	4	34	6	5
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	9	3	11	26	12	1	19	5
Sinn Féin, Labour, and other parties or independents	8	-	0	9	24	25	17	3
Other	9	16	4	13	-	10	16	2
Don't know	25	16	7	7	50	18	32	42
Would not vote	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	21



Commentary

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Background

The 2015 Sunday Times/Behaviour & Attitudes end of year poll represented something of a breakthrough for the Government parties insofar as it witnessed a seven point increase in Government satisfaction, a significant uplift in support for Fine Gael to a three year high of 31%, and a more modest, statistically insignificant, increase of one percentage point in Labour support.

While still a long way from the type of numbers which would guarantee an overall Fine Gael-Labour majority, the indications were that the on-going improvements in the economy, coupled with the promise of the additional benefits announced in the recent budget, were finally beginning to bear fruit for the Government.

Our December figure for Fine Gael had been reflected in all of the other polling series conducted by Ireland's reputable research organisations, and no doubt that party has been waiting with bated breath for the first polls of 2016 to see if their good fortunes have maintained.

With all of the smart money on a February 26th General Election, we are now just weeks away from D Day, and it has been interesting to observe the posturing and manoeuvrings of the various political parties as they limber up for the campaign.

The two coalition partners have more or less closed ranks, with the Labour Party in particular keenly aware that its best chance of retaining office is to do so alongside Fine Gael.

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The senior coalition partner has also remained reasonably loyal to Labour, although with Enda Kenny increasingly confident that he will be Taoiseach in the next Government regardless of Labour's fate, this cosiness will not necessarily persist in the cut and thrust of party electioneering.

Meanwhile, Sinn Féin are almost as desperate to encourage the notion of a Sinn Féin/Fianna Fáil coalition as Fianna Fáil are to disavow it.

The various sub-groupings of 'Others', in the midst of an on-going decline in support, continue to scramble to establish a coherent identity whereby they might be perceived by the electorate as viable coalition partners.

The Christmas break, as always, has been a quiet one from a political perspective. At a macro level, consumer confidence continues to rise, albeit against the backdrop of a two-tiered economic recovery whereby those living outside the main cities continue to struggle with their household budgets on a day to day basis.

Public opinion in those very same rural areas will no doubt have been tainted by the perceived inadequate response of Government to the wide-scale flooding, the low visibility of the Taoiseach as the crisis unfolded, and indeed the subsequent attempt by those in charge to 'pass the buck' to the insurance industry rather than tackle the problem head on.

One cannot help but feel however that the influence of such events on political party support will be fleeting, and that the more fundamental factors of (a) the economy and (b) vital public services such as the healthcare system will ultimately decide the outcome of next month's election.

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Party Support and Leader Satisfaction Levels

In last month's poll satisfaction with the Government increased seven points to 35% - a lift which was consistent across all types of voters including Government and opposition party supporters.

We also saw Micheál Martin hold on to the top spot in terms of party leader personal satisfaction ratings at 40%, closely followed by Joan Burton on 39% - an increase of five points for the Tánaiste compared to November's survey.

In today's poll, Government satisfaction remains high at 33%, satisfaction with both Enda Kenny as Taoiseach and Joan Burton as Tánaiste has declined by four and five percentage points respectively, while Micheál Martin retains his standing as the most popular party leader.

The popularity of Gerry Adams as leader of Sinn Féin is down to 32%, a far cry from the circa 50% satisfaction rating he had been attracting in the immediate aftermath of the 2011 General Election, and suggesting that perhaps the aura that once surrounded him amongst certain sections of the populace has all but dissipated.

The most significant figure in the poll is, however, the 31% level of support for Fine Gael, which remains identical to that registered last month, and all but confirms that it will be by far the largest party in the Dáil following the General Election, with in or around 50 seats.

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Party Support and Leader Satisfaction Levels

Patterns of support for Fine Gael across the demographic groupings are almost identical to that identified four weeks ago. Thus, its support is evenly spread between males and females, across all of the voter age groups and indeed all regions around the country.

Party support does peak amongst the ABC1 white collar and professional working cohort, and amongst those from a farming background, although the party is, remarkably, the most popular within the C2DE blue collar worker socio demographic grouping.

Enda Kenny is well poised to retain his crown as Taoiseach in the forthcoming 1916 Centenary election, the key remaining question being which party or parties he will draw upon to make up the numbers.

Labour party support continues to fluctuate around the 7% mark at a national level – down to 6% today from last month's 8%, with this drop being of no statistical significance.

Support for Labour does, however, continue to consolidate in the Dublin region where the party stands at 13% support today – on a par with Sinn Féin and ahead of Fianna Fáil in the capital.

Support for Sinn Féin sits at 16% today – a number of percentage points off its previous six month average of 19% support. The most marked drop in Sinn Féin support is amongst the 35-54 years family stage/pre-retirement section of the population, which is presumably beginning to focus on the economic realities of the various post-election scenarios.

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Party Support and Leader Satisfaction Levels

Independents/Others register 24% support in this poll, rising to 33% support in Dublin – still the potentially largest bloc in the capital, and despite recent declines in support levels, still potential king-makers in the new administration.

This 24% 'Others' support is splayed across a broad spectrum of unnamed individuals and mini-groupings such as the Independent Alliance, Anti Austerity Alliance/People Before Profit Alliance, etc, and it is impossible to tell from the figures precisely what support these entities will receive at an individual level on voting day.

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2016 Coalition Preferences

In the May 2014 RTÉ/Behaviour & Attitudes Exit Poll, we gauged voter preferences for a series of potential coalition options. The options presented to respondents were based upon the most likely perceived post-election scenarios at the time, and the results confirmed how broadly split voter sentiment was on the issue.

Thus, 37% of all voters selected one of the options which included Fine Gael as a coalition partner. 30% opted for one of the options which included Fianna Fáil, 31% for a coalition involving Sinn Féin and 30% for one which incorporated the Labour Party. A significant 38% were unsure as to which of the stated options they would prefer in Government.

All in all, therefore, it was nigh on impossible to ascertain precisely what type of administration people wished for in 2016, although in fairness, posing such a question two years out from a General Election was probably a little ambitious!

Fast forward to January 2016, and we have a third of the electorate still unsure as to which, from a list of presented options, coalition option they would prefer.

Of the options presented, a Fine Gael and Labour arrangement was the single most popular at 17% support. This option was followed by a Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil administration on 13%, Sinn Féin and Fianna Fáil at 11%, and Fine Gael, Labour and Others at 9%. A further 8% selected Sinn Féin, Labour and Others with 8% indicating that they would prefer an administration other than one of the six presented to them.

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2016 Coalition Preferences

Clearly influenced by the specific options presented to them in the interview, the pattern of response to this question would nevertheless suggest a stronger disposition towards a Fine Gael led Government than any other. We still, however, have a majority of the electorate who do not opt for a coalition involving Fine Gael, a finding which must represent a glimmer of hope for opposition parties as they face into one of the most interesting campaigns in the history of the State.



Tabular Data



Q1 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the manner in which the Government is running the country?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted Total	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Satisfied	1,056 33%	542 34%	514 31%	295 29%	389 31%	371 37%	556 42%	431 25%	69 32%	339 38%	248 28%	303 35%	165 27%	618 31%	437 34%
Dissatisfied	1,891 58%	935 59%	955 58%	547 54%	754 61%	590 60%	627 48%	1,131 66%	133 62%	508 56%	520 60%	481 56%	381 62%	1,182 60%	709 55%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	300 9%	110 7%	190 11%	172 17%	97 8%	31 3%	135 10%	151 9%	13 6%	56 6%	104 12%	70 8%	70 11%	167 8%	133 10%

Q1 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the manner in which the Government is running the country?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted Total	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Satisfied	1,056 33%	145 30%	536 81%	69 55%	9 17%	33 7%	71 12%	193 22%	1,003 36%	870 38%	133 27%	16 9%	29 11%	336 29%	475 36%	245 32%
Dissatisfied	1,891 58%	314 66%	97 15%	50 40%	40 75%	380 85%	477 79%	533 61%	1,574 57%	1,267 56%	306 62%	113 61%	181 69%	682 58%	761 58%	448 58%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	300 9%	19 4%	31 5%	6 5%	5 9%	32 7%	58 10%	148 17%	181 7%	123 5%	58 12%	57 31%	53 20%	148 13%	76 6%	75 10%

Q2 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Kenny is doing his job as Taoiseach?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted Total	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Satisfied	1,018 31%	487 31%	531 32%	279 28%	385 31%	353 36%	550 42%	404 24%	65 30%	320 35%	229 26%	290 34%	179 29%	568 29%	450 35%
Dissatisfied	1,955 60%	989 62%	966 58%	555 55%	784 63%	616 62%	685 52%	1,147 67%	122 57%	507 56%	551 63%	512 60%	385 63%	1,210 62%	745 58%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	273 8%	111 7%	162 10%	180 18%	71 6%	23 2%	82 6%	163 9%	28 13%	76 8%	92 11%	53 6%	52 8%	189 10%	84 7%

Q2 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Kenny is doing his job as Taoiseach?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted Total	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Satisfied	1,018	132	533	58	7	24	101	163	955	834	121	23	25	287	493	238
	31%	27%	80%	46%	13%	5%	17%	19%	35%	37%	24%	13%	10%	25%	38%	31%
Dissatisfied	1,955	334	103	59	46	400	464	549	1,643	1,332	312	116	172	750	743	462
	60%	70%	15%	47%	87%	90%	77%	63%	60%	59%	63%	63%	65%	64%	57%	60%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	273	13	29	8	-	20	41	162	159	94	65	46	66	130	76	68
	8%	3%	4%	7%	-	5%	7%	19%	6%	4%	13%	25%	25%	11%	6%	9%

Q3 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Ms. Burton is doing her job as Tanaiste?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted Total	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Satisfied	1,098 34%	536 34%	562 34%	282 28%	437 35%	380 38%	589 45%	419 24%	90 42%	316 35%	283 32%	302 35%	197 32%	600 31%	498 39%
Dissatisfied	1,902 59%	955 60%	947 57%	570 56%	738 60%	594 60%	637 48%	1,169 68%	95 44%	539 60%	491 56%	496 58%	376 61%	1,232 63%	669 52%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	246 8%	96 6%	150 9%	162 16%	65 5%	18 2%	91 7%	125 7%	29 14%	49 5%	98 11%	57 7%	43 7%	134 7%	112 9%

Q3 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Ms. Burton is doing her job as Tanaiste?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted Total	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Satisfied	1,098	139	496	76	2	64	127	193	1,024	879	145	36	27	386	441	271
	34%	29%	75%	61%	4%	14%	21%	22%	37%	39%	29%	19%	10%	33%	34%	35%
Dissatisfied	1,902	321	136	32	50	360	443	560	1,567	1,270	297	123	186	704	785	413
	59%	67%	20%	26%	94%	81%	73%	64%	57%	56%	60%	66%	71%	60%	60%	54%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	246	19	32	16	1	21	36	121	166	111	55	27	50	77	86	84
	8%	4%	5%	13%	2%	5%	6%	14%	6%	5%	11%	15%	19%	7%	7%	11%

Q4 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Martin is doing his job as leader of Fianna Fail?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted Total	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Satisfied	1,324 41%	616 39%	708 43%	342 34%	477 39%	505 51%	524 40%	689 40%	111 52%	301 33%	379 43%	370 43%	274 44%	750 38%	574 45%
Dissatisfied	1,493 46%	785 49%	708 43%	450 44%	619 50%	424 43%	615 47%	810 47%	68 32%	485 54%	336 38%	388 45%	284 46%	924 47%	569 44%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	428 13%	185 12%	243 15%	222 22%	144 12%	63 6%	178 14%	214 12%	36 17%	117 13%	158 18%	96 11%	58 9%	293 15%	136 11%

Q4 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Martin is doing his job as leader of Fianna Fail?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted Total	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Satisfied	1,324 41%	375 78%	367 55%	75 60%	12 22%	111 25%	132 22%	252 29%	1,243 45%	1,070 47%	173 35%	31 17%	39 15%	456 39%	474 36%	395 51%
Dissatisfied	1,493 46%	82 17%	223 34%	35 29%	40 76%	296 67%	414 68%	402 46%	1,200 44%	945 42%	255 51%	112 60%	162 61%	580 50%	662 50%	251 33%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	428 13%	22 5%	74 11%	14 11%	1 2%	37 8%	60 10%	220 25%	315 11%	245 11%	70 14%	42 23%	62 24%	130 11%	176 13%	122 16%

Q5 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Adams is doing his job as leader of Sinn Fein?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted Total	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Satisfied	1,046 32%	538 34%	508 31%	343 34%	386 31%	318 32%	357 27%	603 35%	86 40%	215 24%	331 38%	271 32%	228 37%	531 27%	515 40%
Dissatisfied	1,672 52%	844 53%	828 50%	421 42%	667 54%	585 59%	754 57%	828 48%	91 42%	544 60%	376 43%	422 49%	331 54%	1,105 56%	568 44%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	528 16%	205 13%	323 19%	250 25%	188 15%	90 9%	207 16%	283 17%	38 18%	144 16%	165 19%	162 19%	57 9%	332 17%	196 15%

Q5 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Adams is doing his job as leader of Sinn Fein?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted Total	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Satisfied	1,046 32%	104 22%	197 30%	53 43%	4 7%	362 81%	153 25%	174 20%	974 35%	795 35%	179 36%	20 11%	42 16%	413 35%	335 26%	297 39%
Dissatisfied	1,672 52%	298 62%	387 58%	46 37%	36 68%	58 13%	365 60%	483 55%	1,427 52%	1,194 53%	234 47%	77 41%	157 59%	550 47%	796 61%	326 42%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	528 16%	77 16%	81 12%	25 20%	13 25%	25 6%	89 15%	217 25%	356 13%	271 12%	85 17%	89 48%	65 25%	202 17%	181 14%	144 19%

Q6 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Ryan is doing his job as leader of The Green Party?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted Total	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Satisfied	1,045 32%	520 33%	524 32%	268 26%	466 38%	311 31%	511 39%	463 27%	70 32%	322 36%	245 28%	267 31%	210 34%	617 31%	428 33%
Dissatisfied	1,157 36%	588 37%	569 34%	332 33%	451 36%	374 38%	402 30%	689 40%	66 31%	383 42%	272 31%	281 33%	221 36%	761 39%	396 31%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	1,045 32%	479 30%	565 34%	414 41%	323 26%	308 31%	404 31%	561 33%	79 37%	198 22%	355 41%	308 36%	184 30%	589 30%	455 36%

Q6 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Ryan is doing his job as leader of The Green Party?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted Total	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Satisfied	1,045 32%	148 31%	357 54%	44 35%	40 75%	114 26%	167 28%	174 20%	1,012 37%	845 37%	166 33%	19 10%	14 5%	342 29%	508 39%	195 25%
Dissatisfied	1,157 36%	162 34%	148 22%	36 29%	3 6%	178 40%	267 44%	361 41%	926 34%	722 32%	204 41%	81 44%	141 54%	430 37%	443 34%	284 37%
No opinion (DO NOT READ OUT)	1,045 32%	169 35%	158 24%	44 35%	10 18%	153 34%	172 28%	339 39%	820 30%	693 31%	128 26%	85 46%	108 41%	394 34%	362 28%	289 38%

Q7 If there was a General Election tomorrow, to which party or independent candidate would you give your first preference vote?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted Total	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Fianna Fail	479	240	239	109	136	234	179	277	23	62	152	154	112	287	192
	15%	15%	14%	11%	11%	24%	14%	16%	11%	7%	17%	18%	18%	15%	15%
Fine Gael	664	303	361	152	291	221	328	268	68	204	152	180	128	411	253
	20%	19%	22%	15%	23%	22%	25%	16%	32%	23%	17%	21%	21%	21%	20%
Labour Party	124	49	76	40	55	29	51	63	11	60	39	14	11	100	24
	4%	3%	5%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	5%	7%	4%	2%	2%	5%	2%
Green Party	53	28	25	19	33	2	34	19	-	26	13	14	-	37	16
	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	0%	3%	1%	-	3%	2%	2%	-	2%	1%
Sinn Fein	445	235	210	184	160	101	117	294	33	105	146	85	108	260	185
	14%	15%	13%	18%	13%	10%	9%	17%	15%	12%	17%	10%	18%	13%	14%
Independent / Other	606	341	266	170	270	166	278	299	30	220	106	179	102	355	251
	19%	21%	16%	17%	22%	17%	21%	17%	14%	24%	12%	21%	17%	18%	20%
Don't know	625	276	348	243	184	198	270	336	19	210	159	164	91	384	240
	19%	17%	21%	24%	15%	20%	21%	20%	9%	23%	18%	19%	15%	20%	19%
Would not vote	250	115	134	97	110	43	60	157	33	17	105	65	63	132	118
	8%	7%	8%	10%	9%	4%	5%	9%	15%	2%	12%	8%	10%	7%	9%

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Weighted Total	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted Total	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Fianna Fail	479	479	-	-	-	-	-	-	475	415	60	4	-	189	160	130
	15%	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%	18%	12%	2%	-	16%	12%	17%
Fine Gael	664	-	664	-	-	-	-	-	637	564	73	22	4	171	368	126
	20%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	23%	25%	15%	12%	1%	15%	28%	16%
Labour Party	124	-	-	124	-	-	-	-	124	108	16	-	-	52	44	28
	4%	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-	5%	5%	3%	-	-	4%	3%	4%
Green Party	53	-	-	-	53	-	-	-	53	42	11	-	-	14	30	9
	2%	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-	2%	2%	2%	-	-	1%	2%	1%
Sinn Fein	445	-	-	-	-	445	-	-	400	330	71	18	21	211	161	73
	14%	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-	15%	15%	14%	10%	8%	18%	12%	9%
Independent / Other	606	-	-	-	-	-	606	-	547	437	110	44	15	225	234	147
	19%	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-	20%	19%	22%	24%	6%	19%	18%	19%
Don't know	625	-	-	-	-	-	-	625	497	343	154	78	23	211	243	170
	19%	-	-	-	-	-	-	71%	18%	15%	31%	42%	9%	18%	19%	22%
Would not vote	250	-	-	-	-	-	-	250	23	20	3	19	202	94	72	83
	8%	-	-	-	-	-	-	29%	1%	1%	1%	10%	77%	8%	5%	11%

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		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	2,372	1,196	1,176	674	946	752	987	1,221	164	676	609	626	461	1,451	921
Unweighted Total	685	343	342	158	273	254	356	291	38	195	187	180	123	443	242
Fianna Fail	479	240	239	109	136	234	179	277	23	62	152	154	112	287	192
	20%	20%	20%	16%	14%	31%	18%	23%	14%	9%	25%	25%	24%	20%	21%
Fine Gael	664	303	361	152	291	221	328	268	68	204	152	180	128	411	253
	28%	25%	31%	23%	31%	29%	33%	22%	41%	30%	25%	29%	28%	28%	27%
Labour Party	124	49	76	40	55	29	51	63	11	60	39	14	11	100	24
	5%	4%	6%	6%	6%	4%	5%	5%	6%	9%	6%	2%	2%	7%	3%
Green Party	53	28	25	19	33	2	34	19	-	26	13	14	-	37	16
	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	0%	3%	2%	-	4%	2%	2%	-	3%	2%
Sinn Fein	445	235	210	184	160	101	117	294	33	105	146	85	108	260	185
	19%	20%	18%	27%	17%	13%	12%	24%	20%	16%	24%	14%	23%	18%	20%
Independent / Other	606	341	266	170	270	166	278	299	30	220	106	179	102	355	251
	26%	28%	23%	25%	29%	22%	28%	24%	18%	32%	17%	29%	22%	24%	27%
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Would not vote	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not		Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	2,372	479	664	124	53	445	606	-		2,237	1,896	341	89	39	861	997	514
Unweighted Total	685	139	198	36	13	126	173	-		652	567	85	20	10	241	303	141
Fianna Fail	479	479	-	-	-	-	-	-		475	415	60	4	-	189	160	130
	20%	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-		21%	22%	18%	5%	-	22%	16%	25%
Fine Gael	664	-	664	-	-	-	-	-		637	564	73	22	4	171	368	126
	28%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-		28%	30%	21%	25%	9%	20%	37%	24%
Labour Party	124	-	-	124	-	-	-	-		124	108	16	-	-	52	44	28
	5%	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-		6%	6%	5%	-	-	6%	4%	6%
Green Party	53	-	-	-	53	-	-	-		53	42	11	-	-	14	30	9
	2%	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-		2%	2%	3%	-	-	2%	3%	2%
Sinn Fein	445	-	-	-	-	445	-	-		400	330	71	18	21	211	161	73
	19%	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-		18%	17%	21%	21%	53%	24%	16%	14%
Independent / Other	606	-	-	-	-	-	606	-		547	437	110	44	15	225	234	147
	26%	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-		24%	23%	32%	50%	38%	26%	23%	29%
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Would not vote	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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	20%	21%	20%	19%	14%	28%	19%	22%	17%	9%	22%	26%	26%	19%	22%
Fine Gael	574	273	301	111	248	216	275	238	61	147	143	157	127	340	234
	31%	30%	33%	26%	32%	34%	35%	26%	51%	29%	30%	31%	35%	30%	34%
Labour Party	113	48	65	35	52	25	50	52	11	63	30	15	5	97	16
	6%	5%	7%	8%	7%	4%	6%	6%	9%	13%	6%	3%	1%	8%	2%
Green Party	41	18	23	8	31	2	21	20	-	15	11	14	-	27	14
	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	0%	3%	2%	-	3%	2%	3%	-	2%	2%
Sinn Fein	295	159	136	98	122	74	81	200	13	63	104	63	65	184	110
	16%	17%	15%	23%	16%	12%	10%	22%	11%	13%	22%	13%	18%	16%	16%
Independent / Other	444	228	216	90	212	141	212	217	14	166	81	121	75	274	169
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Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Would not vote	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Weighted Total	1,837	371	574	113	41	295	444	-	1,837	1,837	-	-	-	617	824	396
Unweighted Total	567	124	174	32	10	97	130	-	567	567	-	-	-	185	263	119
Fianna Fail	371 20%	371 100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	371 20%	371 20%	-	-	-	133 22%	143 17%	95 24%
Fine Gael	574 31%	-	574 100%	-	-	-	-	-	574 31%	574 31%	-	-	-	147 24%	309 38%	118 30%
Labour Party	113 6%	-	-	113 100%	-	-	-	-	113 6%	113 6%	-	-	-	46 7%	38 5%	29 7%
Green Party	41 2%	-	-	-	41 100%	-	-	-	41 2%	41 2%	-	-	-	7 1%	24 3%	10 3%
Sinn Fein	295 16%	-	-	-	-	295 100%	-	-	295 16%	295 16%	-	-	-	126 20%	122 15%	46 12%
Independent / Other	444 24%	-	-	-	-	-	444 100%	-	444 24%	444 24%	-	-	-	159 26%	187 23%	97 25%
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Would not vote	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	31%	30%	33%	26%	32%	34%	35%	26%	51%	29%	30%	31%	35%	30%	34%
Labour Party	113	48	65	35	52	25	50	52	11	63	30	15	5	97	16
	6%	5%	7%	8%	7%	4%	6%	6%	9%	13%	6%	3%	1%	8%	2%
Green Party	47	18	28	8	37	2	21	26	-	21	11	14	-	32	14
	3%	2%	3%	2%	5%	0%	3%	3%	-	4%	2%	3%	-	3%	2%
Workers Party	35	18	17	12	19	4	16	15	4	5	-	27	3	12	23
	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	-	5%	1%	1%	3%
Sinn Fein	295	159	136	98	122	74	81	200	13	63	104	63	65	184	110
	16%	17%	15%	23%	16%	12%	10%	22%	11%	13%	22%	13%	18%	16%	16%
Socialist Party	11	4	7	-	8	3	4	3	4	3	4	4	-	7	4
	1%	0%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	0%	3%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%
Anti-Austerity Alliance / People Before Profit Alliance	46	33	13	-	29	17	20	25	-	16	12	5	12	24	21
	2%	4%	1%	-	4%	3%	3%	3%	-	3%	3%	1%	3%	2%	3%
RENUA Ireland	42	30	12	6	13	23	25	17	-	25	11	7	-	33	9
	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	4%	3%	2%	-	5%	2%	1%	-	3%	1%
Social Democrats	26	12	14	-	10	16	13	13	-	16	-	8	2	21	5
	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	3%	2%	1%	-	3%	-	2%	1%	2%	1%
Independent Alliance	53	36	17	14	22	17	30	18	5	17	12	5	19	23	30
	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%	3%	2%	1%	5%	2%	4%
Other Independent candidate	225	94	131	58	106	61	104	119	2	77	44	65	39	148	77
	12%	10%	14%	14%	14%	10%	13%	13%	2%	15%	9%	13%	11%	13%	11%
Would not vote	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Anti-Austerity Alliance / People Before Profit Alliance	46 2%	-	-	-	-	-	46 10%	-		46 2%	46 2%	-	-	-	11 2%	26 3%	9 2%
RENUA Ireland	42 2%	-	-	-	-	-	42 10%	-		42 2%	42 2%	-	-	-	20 3%	14 2%	7 2%
Social Democrats	26 1%	-	-	-	-	-	26 6%	-		26 1%	26 1%	-	-	-	5 1%	15 2%	6 2%
Independent Alliance	53 3%	-	-	-	-	-	53 12%	-		53 3%	53 3%	-	-	-	23 4%	19 2%	10 3%
Other Independent candidate	225 12%	-	-	-	-	-	225 51%	-		225 12%	225 12%	-	-	-	70 11%	94 11%	61 15%
Would not vote	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fine Gael	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Labour Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Green Party	6	-	6	-	6	-	-	6	-	6	-	-	-	6	-
	1%	-	3%	-	3%	-	-	3%	-	3%	-	-	-	2%	-
Workers Party	35	18	17	12	19	4	16	15	4	5	-	27	3	12	23
	8%	8%	8%	14%	9%	3%	8%	7%	28%	3%	-	22%	4%	4%	14%
Sinn Fein	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Socialist Party	11	4	7	-	8	3	4	3	4	3	4	4	-	7	4
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Anti-Austerity Alliance / People Before Profit Alliance	46	33	13	-	29	17	20	25	-	16	12	5	12	24	21
	10%	14%	6%	-	14%	12%	10%	12%	-	10%	15%	4%	16%	9%	13%
Anti-Austerity Alliance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RENUA Ireland	42	30	12	6	13	23	25	17	-	25	11	7	-	33	9
	10%	13%	5%	7%	6%	16%	12%	8%	-	15%	13%	5%	-	12%	5%
Social Democrats	26	12	14	-	10	16	13	13	-	16	-	8	2	21	5
	6%	5%	6%	-	5%	11%	6%	6%	-	10%	-	7%	3%	8%	3%
Independent Alliance	53	36	17	14	22	17	30	18	5	17	12	5	19	23	30
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Would not vote	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Fianna Fail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fine Gael	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Labour Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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	1%	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	3%	-
Workers Party	35	-	-	-	-	-	35	-	35	35	-	-	-	25	10	-
	8%	-	-	-	-	-	8%	-	8%	8%	-	-	-	16%	5%	-
Sinn Fein	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Socialist Party	11	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	11	11	-	-	-	4	3	4
	3%	-	-	-	-	-	3%	-	3%	3%	-	-	-	3%	2%	4%
Anti-Austerity Alliance / People Before Profit Alliance	46	-	-	-	-	-	46	-	46	46	-	-	-	11	26	9
	10%	-	-	-	-	-	10%	-	10%	10%	-	-	-	7%	14%	9%
Anti-Austerity Alliance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RENUA Ireland	42	-	-	-	-	-	42	-	42	42	-	-	-	20	14	7
	10%	-	-	-	-	-	10%	-	10%	10%	-	-	-	13%	8%	8%
Social Democrats	26	-	-	-	-	-	26	-	26	26	-	-	-	5	15	6
	6%	-	-	-	-	-	6%	-	6%	6%	-	-	-	3%	8%	7%
Independent Alliance	53	-	-	-	-	-	53	-	53	53	-	-	-	23	19	10
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Other Independent candidate	225	-	-	-	-	-	225	-	225	225	-	-	-	70	94	61
	51%	-	-	-	-	-	51%	-	51%	51%	-	-	-	44%	50%	63%
Would not vote	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Q.9 Since 1989, every Irish Government has been a coalition. Given current party strength, this seems likely in the future. Which of the following coalitions would you like to see following the next General Election?

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Weighted Total	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted Total	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Fine Gael and Labour	560	264	296	104	244	211	235	269	55	177	142	143	97	341	219
	17%	17%	18%	10%	20%	21%	18%	16%	26%	20%	16%	17%	16%	17%	17%
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	429	230	199	110	128	191	224	185	20	125	106	137	61	260	169
	13%	14%	12%	11%	10%	19%	17%	11%	9%	14%	12%	16%	10%	13%	13%
Fine Gael and Sinn Féin	96	60	35	31	37	28	27	58	11	7	46	27	16	55	40
	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	5%	1%	5%	3%	3%	3%	3%
Sinn Féin and Fianna Fáil	342	201	141	149	98	94	117	199	25	67	112	67	96	183	158
	11%	13%	8%	15%	8%	9%	9%	12%	12%	7%	13%	8%	16%	9%	12%
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	291	119	172	123	102	66	142	134	14	103	50	94	44	164	127
	9%	7%	10%	12%	8%	7%	11%	8%	7%	11%	6%	11%	7%	8%	10%
Sinn Féin, Labour, and other parties or independents	263	125	138	84	132	47	119	139	5	66	87	82	27	166	97
	8%	8%	8%	8%	11%	5%	9%	8%	2%	7%	10%	10%	4%	8%	8%
Other	280	161	119	32	110	138	83	183	15	69	74	76	60	185	95
	9%	10%	7%	3%	9%	14%	6%	11%	7%	8%	9%	9%	10%	9%	7%
Don't know	801	346	455	325	293	183	320	430	51	279	185	193	144	506	295
	25%	22%	27%	32%	24%	18%	24%	25%	24%	31%	21%	23%	23%	26%	23%
Would not vote	185	82	103	56	95	35	49	116	19	10	69	35	71	106	78
	6%	5%	6%	5%	8%	3%	4%	7%	9%	1%	8%	4%	12%	5%	6%

Q.9 Since 1989, every Irish Government has been a coalition. Given current party strength, this seems likely in the future. Which of the following coalitions would you like to see following the next General Election?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Féin	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted Total	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Fine Gael and Labour	560	12	374	52	5	2	22	92	522	467	55	11	14	167	299	93
	17%	3%	56%	42%	9%	1%	4%	11%	19%	21%	11%	6%	5%	14%	23%	12%
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	429	191	104	3	-	8	33	90	406	362	44	14	7	130	149	151
	13%	40%	16%	3%	-	2%	5%	10%	15%	16%	9%	8%	3%	11%	11%	20%
Fine Gael and Sinn Féin	96	-	25	-	-	48	5	18	91	86	6	-	5	29	35	32
	3%	-	4%	-	-	11%	1%	2%	3%	4%	1%	-	2%	2%	3%	4%
Sinn Féin and Fianna Fáil	342	102	6	-	2	149	39	43	313	269	44	3	14	148	132	62
	11%	21%	1%	-	4%	34%	6%	5%	11%	12%	9%	2%	5%	13%	10%	8%
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	291	12	75	33	6	6	115	43	269	209	60	20	2	75	125	90
	9%	3%	11%	26%	12%	1%	19%	5%	10%	9%	12%	11%	1%	6%	10%	12%
Sinn Féin, Labour, and other parties or independents	263	-	2	11	13	109	104	24	239	202	36	9	15	112	91	59
	8%	-	0%	9%	24%	25%	17%	3%	9%	9%	7%	5%	6%	10%	7%	8%
Other	280	79	28	17	-	42	94	19	275	248	27	3	2	117	112	51
	9%	16%	4%	13%	-	10%	16%	2%	10%	11%	5%	2%	1%	10%	9%	7%
Don't know	801	78	49	9	27	79	195	365	617	392	225	119	50	304	319	178
	25%	16%	7%	7%	50%	18%	32%	42%	22%	17%	45%	64%	19%	26%	24%	23%
Would not vote	185	5	-	-	-	-	-	180	25	25	-	6	154	83	50	51
	6%	1%	-	-	-	-	-	21%	1%	1%	-	3%	58%	7%	4%	7%

Q10 How likely would you be to vote if there was a General Election tomorrow?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted Total	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Would definitely vote	2,260 70%	1,117 70%	1,143 69%	546 54%	922 74%	792 80%	991 75%	1,134 66%	135 63%	636 70%	576 66%	597 70%	450 73%	1,414 72%	846 66%
Would probably vote	498 15%	238 15%	259 16%	228 22%	182 15%	88 9%	181 14%	293 17%	24 11%	189 21%	107 12%	117 14%	85 14%	292 15%	206 16%
Might/might not vote	186 6%	100 6%	85 5%	116 11%	49 4%	21 2%	63 5%	110 6%	13 6%	51 6%	47 5%	54 6%	34 6%	117 6%	69 5%
Would probably not vote	82 3%	34 2%	48 3%	39 4%	17 1%	26 3%	19 1%	48 3%	15 7%	14 2%	45 5%	19 2%	5 1%	42 2%	40 3%
Would definitely not vote	181 6%	92 6%	89 5%	80 8%	63 5%	38 4%	44 3%	109 6%	28 13%	7 1%	85 10%	47 6%	42 7%	84 4%	98 8%
Don't know (DO NOT READ OUT)	40 1%	5 0%	34 2%	5 1%	7 1%	28 3%	20 2%	20 1%	- -	7 1%	12 1%	20 2%	- -	19 1%	21 2%
- ANY Would Vote	2,757 85%	1,355 85%	1,402 85%	774 76%	1,104 89%	879 89%	1,172 89%	1,427 83%	159 74%	825 91%	683 78%	714 84%	535 87%	1,706 87%	1,052 82%
- ANY Would Not	263 8%	126 8%	137 8%	119 12%	80 6%	65 7%	63 5%	157 9%	43 20%	21 2%	130 15%	66 8%	46 8%	126 6%	138 11%
Mean	4.43	4.42	4.43	4.11	4.53	4.63	4.58	4.35	4.03	4.60	4.21	4.44	4.46	4.49	4.32
Standard deviation	1.09	1.10	1.09	1.23	1.01	0.96	0.91	1.14	1.46	0.73	1.33	1.09	1.10	1.01	1.20
Maximum	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5

Q10 How likely would you be to vote if there was a General Election tomorrow?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted Total	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Would definitely vote	2,260	415	564	108	42	330	437	364	2,260	2,260	-	-	-	760	1,013	487
	70%	87%	85%	87%	79%	74%	72%	42%	82%	100%	-	-	-	65%	77%	63%
Would probably vote	498	60	73	16	11	71	110	157	498	-	498	-	-	222	149	127
	15%	12%	11%	13%	21%	16%	18%	18%	18%	-	100%	-	-	19%	11%	17%
Might/might not vote	186	4	22	-	-	18	44	97	-	-	-	186	-	67	59	60
	6%	1%	3%	-	-	4%	7%	11%	-	-	-	100%	-	6%	5%	8%
Would probably not vote	82	-	4	-	-	9	11	59	-	-	-	-	82	30	27	25
	3%	-	1%	-	-	2%	2%	7%	-	-	-	-	31%	3%	2%	3%
Would definitely not vote	181	-	-	-	-	12	4	166	-	-	-	-	181	82	48	51
	6%	-	-	-	-	3%	1%	19%	-	-	-	-	69%	7%	4%	7%
Don't know (DO NOT READ OUT)	40	-	2	-	-	5	-	32	-	-	-	-	-	5	16	18
	1%	-	0%	-	-	1%	-	4%	-	-	-	-	-	0%	1%	2%
- ANY Would Vote	2,757	475	637	124	53	400	547	521	2,757	2,260	498	-	-	982	1,162	614
	85%	99%	96%	100%	100%	90%	90%	60%	100%	100%	100%	-	-	84%	89%	80%
- ANY Would Not	263	-	4	-	-	21	15	225	-	-	-	-	263	112	75	76
	8%	-	1%	-	-	5%	2%	26%	-	-	-	-	100%	10%	6%	10%
Mean	4.43	4.86	4.81	4.87	4.79	4.59	4.59	3.59	4.82	5.00	4.00	3.00	1.31	4.33	4.58	4.30
Standard deviation	1.09	0.37	0.50	0.34	0.41	0.88	0.75	1.56	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.46	1.16	0.95	1.18
Maximum	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	3	2	5	5	5

Q11 And to which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in the last General Election?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted Total	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Fianna Fail	540	280	260	121	172	246	216	289	34	90	156	154	139	294	246
	17%	18%	16%	12%	14%	25%	16%	17%	16%	10%	18%	18%	23%	15%	19%
Fine Gael	821	378	443	133	364	323	388	373	59	232	227	188	173	500	320
	25%	24%	27%	13%	29%	33%	29%	22%	28%	26%	26%	22%	28%	25%	25%
Labour Party	332	177	155	97	138	96	126	202	4	142	86	86	19	264	68
	10%	11%	9%	10%	11%	10%	10%	12%	2%	16%	10%	10%	3%	13%	5%
Green Party	38	19	19	15	16	7	25	13	-	22	13	3	-	33	5
	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	-	2%	1%	0%	-	2%	0%
Workers Party	4	-	4	-	4	-	-	4	-	4	-	-	-	4	-
	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	-	0%	-	0%	-	-	-	0%	-
Sinn Fein	338	182	157	119	148	72	96	219	24	108	86	57	88	214	124
	10%	11%	9%	12%	12%	7%	7%	13%	11%	12%	10%	7%	14%	11%	10%
Socialist Party	12	5	8	5	4	3	5	8	-	12	-	-	-	12	-
	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	-	1%	-	-	-	1%	-
Independent/Other	292	164	128	76	131	85	140	141	10	85	70	77	59	158	134
	9%	10%	8%	7%	11%	9%	11%	8%	5%	9%	8%	9%	10%	8%	10%
People Before Profit Alliance	6	1	5	-	5	1	2	4	-	6	-	-	-	6	-
	0%	0%	0%	-	0%	0%	0%	0%	-	1%	-	-	-	0%	-
Anti-Austerity Alliance	20	10	10	6	6	8	11	9	-	8	-	10	3	20	-
	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	-	1%	0%	1%	-
Don't know	253	99	154	78	113	63	98	123	32	41	54	116	42	119	135
	8%	6%	9%	8%	9%	6%	7%	7%	15%	5%	6%	14%	7%	6%	11%
Did not vote	590	273	316	364	138	88	211	327	52	152	181	163	94	343	247
	18%	17%	19%	36%	11%	9%	16%	19%	24%	17%	21%	19%	15%	17%	19%

Q11 And to which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in the last General Election?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted Total	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Fianna Fail	540 17%	370 77%	18 3%	- -	5 10%	19 4%	67 11%	60 7%	510 18%	446 20%	64 13%	25 13%	5 2%	188 16%	199 15%	153 20%
Fine Gael	821 25%	20 4%	507 76%	19 16%	- -	21 5%	111 18%	142 16%	773 28%	671 30%	102 20%	28 15%	19 7%	254 22%	407 31%	159 21%
Labour Party	332 10%	16 3%	18 3%	69 56%	14 26%	8 2%	113 19%	95 11%	315 11%	269 12%	46 9%	8 4%	3 1%	104 9%	149 11%	80 10%
Green Party	38 1%	- -	7 1%	2 2%	26 48%	3 1%	- -	- -	38 1%	32 1%	6 1%	- -	- -	17 1%	19 1%	2 0%
Workers Party	4 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 0%	4 0%	4 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 0%	- -
Sinn Fein	338 10%	5 1%	1 0%	2 2%	- -	292 66%	18 3%	20 2%	321 12%	270 12%	51 10%	9 5%	8 3%	138 12%	141 11%	59 8%
Socialist Party	12 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	5 1%	8 1%	- -	4 0%	- -	4 1%	3 2%	- -	5 0%	8 1%	- -
Independent/Other	292 9%	6 1%	7 1%	- -	- -	9 2%	206 34%	63 7%	256 9%	204 9%	52 10%	19 10%	16 6%	130 11%	74 6%	87 11%
People Before Profit Alliance	6 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	5 1%	1 0%	6 0%	6 0%	- -	- -	- -	1 0%	5 0%	- -
Anti-Austerity Alliance	20 1%	6 1%	- -	2 2%	- -	- -	10 2%	2 0%	20 1%	20 1%	- -	- -	- -	6 0%	15 1%	- -
Don't know	253 8%	25 5%	26 4%	14 11%	7 13%	20 4%	13 2%	149 17%	200 7%	157 7%	43 9%	29 16%	11 4%	78 7%	84 6%	91 12%
Did not vote	590 18%	31 6%	79 12%	16 13%	2 3%	68 15%	57 9%	337 39%	310 11%	181 8%	129 26%	65 35%	201 76%	246 21%	208 16%	135 18%

Q11 And to which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in the last General Election?

Base : All Voters Excluding did not vote (Last Gen Election)	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	2,422	1,229	1,193	584	997	841	1,016	1,275	131	722	637	583	480	1,520	902
Unweighted Total	711	355	356	140	287	284	369	308	34	214	194	178	125	467	244
Fianna Fail	540	280	260	121	172	246	216	289	34	90	156	154	139	294	246
	22%	23%	22%	21%	17%	29%	21%	23%	26%	13%	25%	26%	29%	19%	27%
Fine Gael	831	388	443	141	367	323	391	381	59	240	227	191	173	510	320
	34%	32%	37%	24%	37%	38%	38%	30%	45%	33%	36%	33%	36%	34%	36%
Labour Party	332	177	155	97	138	96	126	202	4	142	86	86	19	264	68
	14%	14%	13%	17%	14%	11%	12%	16%	3%	20%	13%	15%	4%	17%	8%
Green Party	38	19	19	15	16	7	25	13	-	22	13	3	-	33	5
	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-	3%	2%	1%	-	2%	1%
Workers Party	4	-	4	-	4	-	-	4	-	4	-	-	-	4	-
	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	-	0%	-	1%	-	-	-	0%	-
Sinn Fein	338	182	157	119	148	72	96	219	24	108	86	57	88	214	124
	14%	15%	13%	20%	15%	9%	9%	17%	18%	15%	13%	10%	18%	14%	14%
Socialist Party	12	5	8	5	4	3	5	8	-	12	-	-	-	12	-
	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	-	2%	-	-	-	1%	-
Independent/Other	301	168	133	80	136	85	145	145	10	89	70	82	59	162	139
	12%	14%	11%	14%	14%	10%	14%	11%	8%	12%	11%	14%	12%	11%	15%
People Before Profit Alliance	6	1	5	-	5	1	2	4	-	6	-	-	-	6	-
	0%	0%	0%	-	1%	0%	0%	0%	-	1%	-	-	-	0%	-
Anti-Austerity Alliance	20	10	10	6	6	8	11	9	-	8	-	10	3	20	-
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	-	2%	1%	1%	-

Q11 And to which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in the last General Election?

Base : All Voters Excluding did not vote (Last Gen Election)	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	2,422	423	566	95	45	356	537	400	2,260	1,927	333	92	52	842	1,034	545
Unweighted Total	711	125	178	29	10	100	155	114	668	581	87	22	15	240	318	153
Fianna Fail	540 22%	370 87%	18 3%	- -	5 12%	19 5%	67 12%	60 15%	510 23%	446 23%	64 19%	25 27%	5 9%	188 22%	199 19%	153 28%
Fine Gael	831 34%	20 5%	514 91%	19 20%	- -	21 6%	111 21%	145 36%	780 35%	671 35%	109 33%	28 31%	19 37%	254 30%	418 40%	159 29%
Labour Party	332 14%	16 4%	18 3%	69 73%	14 31%	8 2%	113 21%	95 24%	315 14%	269 14%	46 14%	8 8%	3 5%	104 12%	149 14%	80 15%
Green Party	38 2%	- -	7 1%	2 2%	26 58%	3 1%	- -	- -	38 2%	32 2%	6 2%	- -	- -	17 2%	19 2%	2 0%
Workers Party	4 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 1%	4 0%	4 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 0%	- -
Sinn Fein	338 14%	5 1%	1 0%	2 2%	- -	292 82%	18 3%	20 5%	321 14%	270 14%	51 15%	9 10%	8 16%	138 16%	141 14%	59 11%
Socialist Party	12 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -	5 1%	8 1%	- -	4 0%	- -	4 1%	3 4%	- -	5 1%	8 1%	- -
Independent/Other	301 12%	6 2%	7 1%	- -	- -	9 3%	206 38%	72 18%	261 12%	209 11%	52 16%	19 21%	16 32%	130 15%	79 8%	92 17%
People Before Profit Alliance	6 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	5 1%	1 0%	6 0%	6 0%	- -	- -	- -	1 0%	5 0%	- -
Anti-Austerity Alliance	20 1%	6 1%	- -	2 2%	- -	- -	10 2%	2 1%	20 1%	20 1%	- -	- -	- -	6 1%	15 1%	- -

Q12 Are you eligible to vote in Irish General Elections, or not?

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted Total	3,440	1,685	1,755	1,166	1,275	998	1,410	1,815	215	986	894	936	624	2,104	1,336
Unweighted Total	958	466	492	259	368	331	491	420	47	279	257	263	159	619	339
Yes, eligible	3,246 94%	1,587 94%	1,659 95%	1,014 87%	1,240 97%	992 99%	1,317 93%	1,714 94%	215 100%	903 92%	872 98%	855 91%	616 99%	1,967 93%	1,279 96%
No – not eligible	172 5%	89 5%	83 5%	133 11%	33 3%	6 1%	91 6%	81 4%	- -	78 8%	17 2%	71 8%	6 1%	117 6%	55 4%
Don't know (DO NOT READ OUT)	22 1%	9 1%	13 1%	20 2%	2 0%	- -	2 0%	20 1%	- -	4 0%	5 1%	11 1%	2 0%	20 1%	2 0%

Q12 Are you eligible to vote in Irish General Elections, or not?

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indepe ndent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted Total	3,440	479	722	124	53	445	628	989	2,789	2,281	508	212	359	1,244	1,401	795
Unweighted Total	958	139	206	36	13	126	178	260	799	675	124	49	92	332	414	212
Yes, eligible	3,246 94%	479 100%	664 92%	124 100%	53 100%	445 100%	606 97%	874 88%	2,757 99%	2,260 99%	498 98%	186 88%	263 73%	1,166 94%	1,312 94%	768 97%
No – not eligible	172 5%	-	47 7%	-	-	-	19 3%	106 11%	31 1%	21 1%	10 2%	19 9%	84 24%	73 6%	71 5%	28 3%
Don't know (DO NOT READ OUT)	22 1%	-	11 1%	-	-	-	2 0%	9 1%	-	-	-	7 3%	11 3%	5 0%	17 1%	- -

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Lein-ster	Mun-ster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Gender															
Male	1,587	1,587	-	498	620	469	648	809	130	456	431	405	295	964	623
	49%	100%	-	49%	50%	47%	49%	47%	61%	50%	49%	47%	48%	49%	49%
Female	1,659	-	1,659	516	620	523	670	904	85	448	441	449	321	1,003	656
	51%	-	100%	51%	50%	53%	51%	53%	39%	50%	51%	53%	52%	51%	51%
Age															
-34	1,014	498	516	1,014	-	-	448	483	82	286	284	302	143	556	458
	31%	31%	31%	100%	-	-	34%	28%	38%	32%	33%	35%	23%	28%	36%
35-54	1,240	620	620	-	1,240	-	556	615	69	366	309	322	243	808	432
	38%	39%	37%	-	100%	-	42%	36%	32%	41%	35%	38%	39%	41%	34%
55+	992	469	523	-	-	992	314	615	63	252	279	231	230	604	389
	31%	30%	32%	-	-	100%	24%	36%	29%	28%	32%	27%	37%	31%	30%
Social Class															
ABC1	1,317	648	670	448	556	314	1,317	-	-	476	264	367	211	824	494
	41%	41%	40%	44%	45%	32%	100%	-	-	53%	30%	43%	34%	42%	39%
C2DE	1,714	809	904	483	615	615	-	1,714	-	427	493	454	339	1,143	570
	53%	51%	55%	48%	50%	62%	-	100%	-	47%	57%	53%	55%	58%	45%
F	215	130	85	82	69	63	-	-	215	-	115	34	66	-	215
	7%	8%	5%	8%	6%	6%	-	-	100%	-	13%	4%	11%	-	17%
Region															
Dublin	903	456	448	286	366	252	476	427	-	903	-	-	-	903	-
	28%	29%	27%	28%	30%	25%	36%	25%	-	100%	-	-	-	46%	-
Lein-ster	872	431	441	284	309	279	264	493	115	-	872	-	-	411	461
	27%	27%	27%	28%	25%	28%	20%	29%	54%	-	100%	-	-	21%	36%
Mun-ster	855	405	449	302	322	231	367	454	34	-	-	855	-	444	411
	26%	26%	27%	30%	26%	23%	28%	27%	16%	-	-	100%	-	23%	32%

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Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Conn/Ulster	616	295	321	143	243	230	211	339	66	-	-	-	616	209	407
	19%	19%	19%	14%	20%	23%	16%	20%	31%	-	-	-	100%	11%	32%
Area															
Urban	1,967	964	1,003	556	808	604	824	1,143	-	903	411	444	209	1,967	-
	61%	61%	60%	55%	65%	61%	63%	67%	-	100%	47%	52%	34%	100%	-
Rural	1,279	623	656	458	432	389	494	570	215	-	461	411	407	-	1,279
	39%	39%	40%	45%	35%	39%	37%	33%	100%	-	53%	48%	66%	-	100%
Party Support															
Fianna Fail	479	240	239	109	136	234	179	277	23	62	152	154	112	287	192
	15%	15%	14%	11%	11%	24%	14%	16%	11%	7%	17%	18%	18%	15%	15%
Fine Gael	664	303	361	152	291	221	328	268	68	204	152	180	128	411	253
	20%	19%	22%	15%	23%	22%	25%	16%	32%	23%	17%	21%	21%	21%	20%
Labour Party	124	49	76	40	55	29	51	63	11	60	39	14	11	100	24
	4%	3%	5%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	5%	7%	4%	2%	2%	5%	2%
Green Party	53	28	25	19	33	2	34	19	-	26	13	14	-	37	16
	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	0%	3%	1%	-	3%	2%	2%	-	2%	1%
Sinn Fein	445	235	210	184	160	101	117	294	33	105	146	85	108	260	185
	14%	15%	13%	18%	13%	10%	9%	17%	15%	12%	17%	10%	18%	13%	14%
Independent / Other	606	341	266	170	270	166	278	299	30	220	106	179	102	355	251
	19%	21%	16%	17%	22%	17%	21%	17%	14%	24%	12%	21%	17%	18%	20%
Don't Know / Would not	874	392	483	340	294	240	330	493	51	227	263	229	155	516	358
	27%	25%	29%	33%	24%	24%	25%	29%	24%	25%	30%	27%	25%	26%	28%
Likelihood															
Would vote	2,757	1,355	1,402	774	1,104	879	1,172	1,427	159	825	683	714	535	1,706	1,052
	85%	85%	85%	76%	89%	89%	89%	83%	74%	91%	78%	84%	87%	87%	82%
Would Def vote	2,260	1,117	1,143	546	922	792	991	1,134	135	636	576	597	450	1,414	846
	70%	70%	69%	54%	74%	80%	75%	66%	63%	70%	66%	70%	73%	72%	66%

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		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Would Prob vote	498 15%	238 15%	259 16%	228 22%	182 15%	88 9%	181 14%	293 17%	24 11%	189 21%	107 12%	117 14%	85 14%	292 15%	206 16%
Might/might not	186 6%	100 6%	85 5%	116 11%	49 4%	21 2%	63 5%	110 6%	13 6%	51 6%	47 5%	54 6%	34 6%	117 6%	69 5%
Would not Vote	263 8%	126 8%	137 8%	119 12%	80 6%	65 7%	63 5%	157 9%	43 20%	21 2%	130 15%	66 8%	46 8%	126 6%	138 11%
Consitituency Seats															
5 Seats	1,166 36%	578 36%	588 35%	336 33%	455 37%	375 38%	392 30%	697 41%	78 36%	320 35%	415 48%	188 22%	243 39%	722 37%	444 35%
4 Seats	1,312 40%	636 40%	676 41%	407 40%	532 43%	373 38%	619 47%	657 38%	36 17%	445 49%	115 13%	480 56%	273 44%	956 49%	356 28%
3 Seats	768 24%	373 24%	394 24%	271 27%	252 20%	244 25%	306 23%	360 21%	101 47%	139 15%	342 39%	187 22%	100 16%	288 15%	479 37%
Marital Status															
Single	953 29%	539 34%	414 25%	661 65%	225 18%	67 7%	394 30%	471 27%	88 41%	265 29%	245 28%	299 35%	144 23%	576 29%	376 29%
Married	1,620 50%	841 53%	779 47%	204 20%	781 63%	634 64%	702 53%	808 47%	110 51%	515 57%	411 47%	383 45%	310 50%	1,020 52%	599 47%
Cohabiting	265 8%	110 7%	155 9%	134 13%	120 10%	11 1%	85 6%	175 10%	6 3%	49 5%	92 11%	78 9%	46 7%	154 8%	111 9%
Widowed	235 7%	56 4%	178 11%	- -	4 0%	230 23%	63 5%	164 10%	7 3%	49 5%	71 8%	48 6%	67 11%	138 7%	97 8%
Seperated / Divorced	168 5%	41 3%	127 8%	15 1%	103 8%	50 5%	67 5%	96 6%	5 2%	19 2%	53 6%	46 5%	50 8%	71 4%	97 8%
Civil Partnership	6 0%	- -	6 0%	- -	6 0%	- -	6 0%	- -	- -	6 1%	- -	- -	- -	6 0%	- -

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Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Adults															
1	513	195	318	69	191	252	167	328	18	91	140	145	137	298	215
	16%	12%	19%	7%	15%	25%	13%	19%	8%	10%	16%	17%	22%	15%	17%
2	1,549	773	776	385	639	524	640	823	85	465	391	387	306	917	631
	48%	49%	47%	38%	52%	53%	49%	48%	40%	51%	45%	45%	50%	47%	49%
3	613	294	319	226	259	127	215	368	29	163	166	176	107	397	215
	19%	18%	19%	22%	21%	13%	16%	21%	14%	18%	19%	21%	17%	20%	17%
4	436	265	171	229	131	76	218	176	42	141	125	113	57	277	160
	13%	17%	10%	23%	11%	8%	17%	10%	20%	16%	14%	13%	9%	14%	12%
5	123	61	62	97	19	6	64	19	40	37	44	33	9	65	58
	4%	4%	4%	10%	2%	1%	5%	1%	19%	4%	5%	4%	1%	3%	5%
6	6	-	6	6	-	-	6	-	-	6	-	-	-	6	-
	0%	-	0%	1%	-	-	0%	-	-	1%	-	-	-	0%	-
7+	6	-	6	-	-	6	6	-	-	-	6	-	-	6	-
	0%	-	0%	-	-	1%	0%	-	-	-	1%	-	-	0%	-
Don't Know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mean	2.43	2.51	2.35	2.92	2.31	2.08	2.56	2.26	3.00	2.54	2.50	2.42	2.18	2.46	2.39
Kids															
0	2,115	1,097	1,018	611	545	960	801	1,175	139	626	576	493	420	1,326	789
	65%	69%	61%	60%	44%	97%	61%	69%	65%	69%	66%	58%	68%	67%	62%
1	402	152	250	177	215	10	196	180	26	102	114	126	61	230	172
	12%	10%	15%	17%	17%	1%	15%	10%	12%	11%	13%	15%	10%	12%	13%
2	422	168	254	107	292	23	230	174	18	122	108	104	89	256	166
	13%	11%	15%	11%	24%	2%	17%	10%	8%	13%	12%	12%	14%	13%	13%
3	244	127	117	92	151	-	79	139	26	38	61	115	30	131	113
	8%	8%	7%	9%	12%	-	6%	8%	12%	4%	7%	13%	5%	7%	9%

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Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
4	52 2%	33 2%	19 1%	16 2%	36 3%	- -	9 1%	37 2%	6 3%	16 2%	10 1%	10 1%	16 3%	22 1%	30 2%
5	11 0%	11 1%	- -	11 1%	- -	- -	2 0%	9 1%	- -	- -	4 0%	7 1%	- -	2 0%	9 1%
6	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
7+	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Don't Know	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Mean	0.69	0.66	0.72	0.77	1.13	0.06	0.71	0.66	0.76	0.58	0.65	0.88	0.64	0.63	0.79
Work															
Working - Full Time	1,046 32%	679 43%	367 22%	383 38%	561 45%	101 10%	604 46%	391 23%	51 24%	352 39%	261 30%	279 33%	154 25%	616 31%	430 34%
Working - Part Time	429 13%	154 10%	274 17%	127 13%	212 17%	89 9%	167 13%	236 14%	26 12%	82 9%	143 16%	84 10%	120 20%	209 11%	220 17%
Self-Employed	131 4%	101 6%	30 2%	38 4%	66 5%	28 3%	59 4%	42 2%	31 14%	25 3%	18 2%	46 5%	42 7%	48 2%	83 7%
Unemployed	274 8%	193 12%	81 5%	99 10%	136 11%	39 4%	47 4%	218 13%	8 4%	49 5%	54 6%	124 15%	46 7%	183 9%	91 7%
Home Duties	523 16%	20 1%	504 30%	123 12%	223 18%	178 18%	130 10%	364 21%	29 14%	132 15%	135 15%	181 21%	76 12%	362 18%	161 13%
Retired	564 17%	302 19%	262 16%	- -	10 1%	554 56%	155 12%	387 23%	23 11%	163 18%	169 19%	85 10%	147 24%	360 18%	204 16%
Student, not employed	230 7%	103 6%	127 8%	196 19%	31 3%	3 0%	125 9%	73 4%	32 15%	80 9%	71 8%	53 6%	26 4%	159 8%	71 6%

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		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,246	1,587	1,659	1,014	1,240	992	1,317	1,714	215	903	872	855	616	1,967	1,279
Unweighted	916	445	471	230	356	330	467	402	47	260	251	248	157	588	328
Student, working part-time	49	35	13	49	-	-	30	3	15	20	21	3	4	29	20
	1%	2%	1%	5%	-	-	2%	0%	7%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	2%
Income Earners															
One	1,216	575	641	379	512	325	466	659	91	319	302	332	263	748	468
	37%	36%	39%	37%	41%	33%	35%	38%	42%	35%	35%	39%	43%	38%	37%
Two	1,105	562	543	387	536	182	636	408	61	286	279	328	213	600	506
	34%	35%	33%	38%	43%	18%	48%	24%	28%	32%	32%	38%	35%	30%	40%
Three	174	100	74	116	34	24	68	64	43	53	74	26	20	88	86
	5%	6%	4%	11%	3%	2%	5%	4%	20%	6%	9%	3%	3%	4%	7%
Four	74	58	15	60	-	14	36	28	10	45	24	5	-	56	18
	2%	4%	1%	6%	-	1%	3%	2%	4%	5%	3%	1%	-	3%	1%
None working at moment	677	292	386	72	159	446	111	556	10	201	193	164	121	476	201
	21%	18%	23%	7%	13%	45%	8%	32%	5%	22%	22%	19%	20%	24%	16%
Internet Access															
Yes - Broadband	2,629	1,268	1,361	954	1,102	574	1,193	1,264	172	853	684	679	413	1,662	967
	81%	80%	82%	94%	89%	58%	91%	74%	80%	94%	78%	79%	67%	85%	76%
Yes - Other Connection	100	50	51	27	58	16	24	69	7	-	20	41	39	29	72
	3%	3%	3%	3%	5%	2%	2%	4%	3%	-	2%	5%	6%	1%	6%
No	516	269	247	33	80	403	100	381	36	50	168	135	163	276	241
	16%	17%	15%	3%	6%	41%	8%	22%	17%	6%	19%	16%	27%	14%	19%
CWE															
Yes	1,920	1,190	730	447	780	693	714	1,116	90	511	482	493	434	1,193	727
	59%	75%	44%	44%	63%	70%	54%	65%	42%	57%	55%	58%	70%	61%	57%
No	1,326	397	929	567	460	300	603	598	125	392	390	361	182	774	552
	41%	25%	56%	56%	37%	30%	46%	35%	58%	43%	45%	42%	30%	39%	43%

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Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Consitituecy Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indepe ndent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Gender																
Male	1,587	240	303	49	28	235	341	392	1,355	1,117	238	100	126	578	636	373
	49%	50%	46%	39%	52%	53%	56%	45%	49%	49%	48%	54%	48%	50%	48%	49%
Female	1,659	239	361	76	25	210	266	483	1,402	1,143	259	85	137	588	676	394
	51%	50%	54%	61%	48%	47%	44%	55%	51%	51%	52%	46%	52%	50%	52%	51%
Age																
-34	1,014	109	152	40	19	184	170	340	774	546	228	116	119	336	407	271
	31%	23%	23%	32%	35%	41%	28%	39%	28%	24%	46%	62%	45%	29%	31%	35%
35-54	1,240	136	291	55	33	160	270	294	1,104	922	182	49	80	455	532	252
	38%	28%	44%	44%	62%	36%	45%	34%	40%	41%	37%	26%	30%	39%	41%	33%
55+	992	234	221	29	2	101	166	240	879	792	88	21	65	375	373	244
	31%	49%	33%	23%	3%	23%	27%	28%	32%	35%	18%	11%	24%	32%	28%	32%
Social Class																
ABC1	1,317	179	328	51	34	117	278	330	1,172	991	181	63	63	392	619	306
	41%	37%	49%	41%	63%	26%	46%	38%	43%	44%	36%	34%	24%	34%	47%	40%
C2DE	1,714	277	268	63	19	294	299	493	1,427	1,134	293	110	157	697	657	360
	53%	58%	40%	51%	37%	66%	49%	56%	52%	50%	59%	59%	60%	60%	50%	47%
F	215	23	68	11	-	33	30	51	159	135	24	13	43	78	36	101
	7%	5%	10%	9%	-	7%	5%	6%	6%	6%	5%	7%	16%	7%	3%	13%
Region																
Dublin	903	62	204	60	26	105	220	227	825	636	189	51	21	320	445	139
	28%	13%	31%	48%	48%	24%	36%	26%	30%	28%	38%	27%	8%	27%	34%	18%
Lein-ster	872	152	152	39	13	146	106	263	683	576	107	47	130	415	115	342
	27%	32%	23%	31%	25%	33%	18%	30%	25%	26%	22%	25%	49%	36%	9%	45%
Mun-ster	855	154	180	14	14	85	179	229	714	597	117	54	66	188	480	187
	26%	32%	27%	12%	27%	19%	29%	26%	26%	26%	23%	29%	25%	16%	37%	24%

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Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indepe ndent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Conn/Ulster	616	112	128	11	-	108	102	155	535	450	85	34	46	243	273	100
	19%	23%	19%	9%	-	24%	17%	18%	19%	20%	17%	18%	18%	21%	21%	13%
Area																
Urban	1,967	287	411	100	37	260	355	516	1,706	1,414	292	117	126	722	956	288
	61%	60%	62%	81%	70%	58%	59%	59%	62%	63%	59%	63%	48%	62%	73%	38%
Rural	1,279	192	253	24	16	185	251	358	1,052	846	206	69	138	444	356	479
	39%	40%	38%	19%	30%	42%	41%	41%	38%	37%	41%	37%	52%	38%	27%	62%
Party Support																
Fianna Fail	479	479	-	-	-	-	-	-	475	415	60	4	-	189	160	130
	15%	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%	18%	12%	2%	-	16%	12%	17%
Fine Gael	664	-	664	-	-	-	-	-	637	564	73	22	4	171	368	126
	20%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	23%	25%	15%	12%	1%	15%	28%	16%
Labour Party	124	-	-	124	-	-	-	-	124	108	16	-	-	52	44	28
	4%	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-	5%	5%	3%	-	-	4%	3%	4%
Green Party	53	-	-	-	53	-	-	-	53	42	11	-	-	14	30	9
	2%	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-	2%	2%	2%	-	-	1%	2%	1%
Sinn Fein	445	-	-	-	-	445	-	-	400	330	71	18	21	211	161	73
	14%	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-	15%	15%	14%	10%	8%	18%	12%	9%
Independent / Other	606	-	-	-	-	-	606	-	547	437	110	44	15	225	234	147
	19%	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-	20%	19%	22%	24%	6%	19%	18%	19%
Don't Know / Would not	874	-	-	-	-	-	-	874	521	364	157	97	225	306	315	254
	27%	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	19%	16%	32%	52%	85%	26%	24%	33%
Likelihood																
Would vote	2,757	475	637	124	53	400	547	521	2,757	2,260	498	-	-	982	1,162	614
	85%	99%	96%	100%	100%	90%	90%	60%	100%	100%	100%	-	-	84%	89%	80%
Would Def vote	2,260	415	564	108	42	330	437	364	2,260	2,260	-	-	-	760	1,013	487
	70%	87%	85%	87%	79%	74%	72%	42%	82%	100%	-	-	-	65%	77%	63%

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Consitituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indepe ndent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Would Prob vote	498	60	73	16	11	71	110	157	498	-	498	-	-	222	149	127
	15%	12%	11%	13%	21%	16%	18%	18%	18%	-	100%	-	-	19%	11%	17%
Might/might not	186	4	22	-	-	18	44	97	-	-	-	186	-	67	59	60
	6%	1%	3%	-	-	4%	7%	11%	-	-	-	100%	-	6%	5%	8%
Would not Vote	263	-	4	-	-	21	15	225	-	-	-	-	263	112	75	76
	8%	-	1%	-	-	5%	2%	26%	-	-	-	-	100%	10%	6%	10%
Consitituency Seats																
5 Seats	1,166	189	171	52	14	211	225	306	982	760	222	67	112	1,166	-	-
	36%	39%	26%	42%	25%	47%	37%	35%	36%	34%	45%	36%	43%	100%	-	-
4 Seats	1,312	160	368	44	30	161	234	315	1,162	1,013	149	59	75	-	1,312	-
	40%	33%	55%	35%	57%	36%	39%	36%	42%	45%	30%	32%	29%	-	100%	-
3 Seats	768	130	126	28	9	73	147	254	614	487	127	60	76	-	-	768
	24%	27%	19%	23%	18%	16%	24%	29%	22%	22%	26%	32%	29%	-	-	100%
Marital Status																
Single	953	131	140	29	20	126	195	311	759	592	167	89	97	329	411	212
	29%	27%	21%	23%	37%	28%	32%	36%	28%	26%	34%	48%	37%	28%	31%	28%
Married	1,620	236	420	60	21	195	292	395	1,431	1,183	248	76	88	551	663	406
	50%	49%	63%	48%	39%	44%	48%	45%	52%	52%	50%	41%	33%	47%	51%	53%
Cohabiting	265	25	20	24	13	66	50	67	225	183	42	7	32	112	88	65
	8%	5%	3%	19%	24%	15%	8%	8%	8%	8%	8%	4%	12%	10%	7%	9%
Widowed	235	62	57	2	-	29	27	57	202	180	23	5	21	94	80	61
	7%	13%	9%	2%	-	7%	5%	7%	7%	8%	5%	3%	8%	8%	6%	8%
Seperated / Divorced	168	25	23	7	-	29	42	44	134	116	18	9	26	80	65	23
	5%	5%	3%	5%	-	6%	7%	5%	5%	5%	4%	5%	10%	7%	5%	3%
Civil Partnership	6	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	6	-
	0%	-	0%	2%	-	-	-	-	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	0%	-

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Unweighted	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Adults																
1	513	102	99	18	4	68	94	127	457	388	69	11	43	223	194	96
	16%	21%	15%	15%	7%	15%	16%	15%	17%	17%	14%	6%	16%	19%	15%	13%
2	1,549	218	363	65	35	207	304	356	1,360	1,094	266	66	120	610	585	353
	48%	45%	55%	53%	66%	47%	50%	41%	49%	48%	53%	36%	46%	52%	45%	46%
3	613	80	105	18	9	67	131	202	485	396	89	66	45	192	258	163
	19%	17%	16%	15%	18%	15%	22%	23%	18%	18%	18%	36%	17%	16%	20%	21%
4	436	65	74	18	5	80	65	130	356	300	56	29	44	99	223	114
	13%	14%	11%	14%	9%	18%	11%	15%	13%	13%	11%	16%	17%	9%	17%	15%
5	123	15	23	5	-	23	12	46	93	81	12	13	12	35	52	35
	4%	3%	4%	4%	-	5%	2%	5%	3%	4%	2%	7%	5%	3%	4%	5%
6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	-	6	-	-	6	-	-
	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%	0%	-	1%	-	-	1%	-	-
7+	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%
Don't Know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mean	2.43	2.32	2.34	2.40	2.28	2.51	2.33	2.60	2.38	2.38	2.39	2.82	2.48	2.26	2.51	2.56
Kids																
0	2,115	349	419	81	31	277	394	563	1,808	1,489	319	107	167	760	922	433
	65%	73%	63%	65%	59%	62%	65%	64%	66%	66%	64%	58%	63%	65%	70%	56%
1	402	63	65	13	10	47	60	145	328	268	59	25	49	126	134	142
	12%	13%	10%	10%	19%	11%	10%	17%	12%	12%	12%	13%	19%	11%	10%	18%
2	422	42	114	8	12	83	90	74	385	291	94	17	13	166	166	90
	13%	9%	17%	7%	22%	19%	15%	8%	14%	13%	19%	9%	5%	14%	13%	12%
3	244	21	48	22	-	18	57	78	183	165	18	36	25	72	74	97
	8%	4%	7%	18%	-	4%	9%	9%	7%	7%	4%	19%	9%	6%	6%	13%

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Unweighted	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
4	52 2%	4 1%	19 3%	- -	- -	16 4%	3 0%	10 1%	47 2%	41 2%	7 1%	- -	4 2%	38 3%	14 1%	- -
5	11 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 1%	2 0%	5 1%	6 0%	6 0%	- -	- -	5 2%	4 0%	2 0%	5 1%
6	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
7+	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Don't Know	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Mean	0.69	0.47	0.77	0.76	0.64	0.79	0.71	0.68	0.68	0.68	0.66	0.91	0.73	0.73	0.57	0.83
Work																
Working - Full Time	1,046 32%	134 28%	255 38%	60 48%	24 44%	126 28%	197 33%	249 29%	925 34%	723 32%	202 41%	56 30%	65 25%	295 25%	469 36%	281 37%
Working - Part Time	429 13%	47 10%	110 17%	7 6%	3 5%	52 12%	73 12%	137 16%	359 13%	300 13%	59 12%	24 13%	36 14%	174 15%	178 14%	77 10%
Self-Employed	131 4%	18 4%	25 4%	- -	14 26%	5 1%	35 6%	35 4%	112 4%	94 4%	18 4%	4 2%	15 6%	54 5%	45 3%	32 4%
Unemployed	274 8%	29 6%	24 4%	8 6%	5 10%	65 15%	89 15%	55 6%	221 8%	174 8%	47 10%	23 12%	30 11%	85 7%	114 9%	74 10%
Home Duties	523 16%	63 13%	75 11%	24 19%	6 12%	121 27%	76 13%	158 18%	419 15%	332 15%	88 18%	37 20%	40 15%	235 20%	194 15%	94 12%
Retired	564 17%	144 30%	138 21%	14 11%	2 3%	54 12%	105 17%	107 12%	508 18%	469 21%	39 8%	12 7%	43 16%	236 20%	194 15%	133 17%
Student, not employed	230 7%	36 7%	27 4%	11 9%	- -	21 5%	29 5%	106 12%	175 6%	132 6%	43 9%	29 15%	25 9%	78 7%	100 8%	51 7%

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		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indepe ndent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted	3,246	479	664	124	53	445	606	874	2,757	2,260	498	186	263	1,166	1,312	768
Unweighted	916	139	198	36	13	126	173	231	793	671	122	44	70	316	396	204
Student, working part-time	49 1%	9 2%	10 1%	- -	- -	- -	3 0%	27 3%	38 1%	35 2%	3 1%	- -	10 4%	8 1%	17 1%	24 3%
Income Earners																
One	1,216	182	236	51	20	169	237	321	1,020	872	148	88	88	434	541	241
	37%	38%	36%	41%	38%	38%	39%	37%	37%	39%	30%	47%	33%	37%	41%	31%
Two	1,105	139	280	31	33	98	197	326	964	755	209	51	78	357	462	286
	34%	29%	42%	25%	62%	22%	33%	37%	35%	33%	42%	28%	30%	31%	35%	37%
Three	174	13	26	16	-	33	24	61	128	103	25	12	29	50	57	67
	5%	3%	4%	13%	-	7%	4%	7%	5%	5%	5%	7%	11%	4%	4%	9%
Four	74	17	10	7	-	5	15	21	71	59	12	3	-	21	30	22
	2%	3%	1%	5%	-	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	-	2%	2%	3%
None working at moment	677	127	113	20	-	140	133	145	574	471	102	32	69	304	221	152
	21%	27%	17%	16%	-	31%	22%	17%	21%	21%	21%	17%	26%	26%	17%	20%
Internet Access																
Yes - Broadband	2,629	308	561	110	53	363	515	719	2,224	1,815	408	171	195	836	1,148	644
	81%	64%	84%	89%	100%	82%	85%	82%	81%	80%	82%	92%	74%	72%	88%	84%
Yes - Other Connection	100	12	17	2	-	19	19	31	83	64	20	4	13	51	26	24
	3%	2%	3%	2%	-	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	5%	4%	2%	3%
No	516	159	86	12	-	62	72	125	450	381	69	11	56	279	138	100
	16%	33%	13%	10%	-	14%	12%	14%	16%	17%	14%	6%	21%	24%	10%	13%
CWE																
Yes	1,920	307	390	76	37	288	376	447	1,636	1,387	249	125	157	730	790	400
	59%	64%	59%	61%	69%	65%	62%	51%	59%	61%	50%	67%	60%	63%	60%	52%
No	1,326	172	274	49	16	157	231	427	1,121	873	248	61	107	436	522	368
	41%	36%	41%	39%	31%	35%	38%	49%	41%	39%	50%	33%	40%	37%	40%	48%

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Lein-ster	Mun-ster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,440	1,685	1,755	1,166	1,275	998	1,410	1,815	215	986	894	936	624	2,104	1,336
Unweighted	958	466	492	259	368	331	491	420	47	279	257	263	159	619	339
Gender															
Male	1,685	1,685	-	573	637	475	687	869	130	507	436	442	301	1,032	653
	49%	100%	-	49%	50%	48%	49%	48%	61%	51%	49%	47%	48%	49%	49%
Female	1,755	-	1,755	593	638	523	724	946	85	479	458	495	323	1,072	683
	51%	-	100%	51%	50%	52%	51%	52%	39%	49%	51%	53%	52%	51%	51%
Age															
-34	1,166	573	593	1,166	-	-	515	569	82	359	299	366	143	673	494
	34%	34%	34%	100%	-	-	37%	31%	38%	36%	33%	39%	23%	32%	37%
35-54	1,275	637	638	-	1,275	-	581	625	69	375	316	339	245	828	448
	37%	38%	36%	-	100%	-	41%	34%	32%	38%	35%	36%	39%	39%	33%
55+	998	475	523	-	-	998	314	621	63	252	279	231	236	604	395
	29%	28%	30%	-	-	100%	22%	34%	29%	26%	31%	25%	38%	29%	30%
Social Class															
ABC1	1,410	687	724	515	581	314	1,410	-	-	526	280	392	213	897	513
	41%	41%	41%	44%	46%	31%	100%	-	-	53%	31%	42%	34%	43%	38%
C2DE	1,815	869	946	569	625	621	-	1,815	-	460	498	511	345	1,207	608
	53%	52%	54%	49%	49%	62%	-	100%	-	47%	56%	55%	55%	57%	45%
F	215	130	85	82	69	63	-	-	215	-	115	34	66	-	215
	6%	8%	5%	7%	5%	6%	-	-	100%	-	13%	4%	11%	-	16%
Region															
Dublin	986	507	479	359	375	252	526	460	-	986	-	-	-	986	-
	29%	30%	27%	31%	29%	25%	37%	25%	-	100%	-	-	-	47%	-
Lein-ster	894	436	458	299	316	279	280	498	115	-	894	-	-	428	466
	26%	26%	26%	26%	25%	28%	20%	27%	54%	-	100%	-	-	20%	35%
Mun-ster	936	442	495	366	339	231	392	511	34	-	-	936	-	481	455
	27%	26%	28%	31%	27%	23%	28%	28%	16%	-	-	100%	-	23%	34%

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		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,440	1,685	1,755	1,166	1,275	998	1,410	1,815	215	986	894	936	624	2,104	1,336
Unweighted	958	466	492	259	368	331	491	420	47	279	257	263	159	619	339
Conn/Ulster	624	301	323	143	245	236	213	345	66	-	-	-	624	209	415
	18%	18%	18%	12%	19%	24%	15%	19%	31%	-	-	-	100%	10%	31%
Area															
Urban	2,104	1,032	1,072	673	828	604	897	1,207	-	986	428	481	209	2,104	-
	61%	61%	61%	58%	65%	60%	64%	67%	-	100%	48%	51%	33%	100%	-
Rural	1,336	653	683	494	448	395	513	608	215	-	466	455	415	-	1,336
	39%	39%	39%	42%	35%	40%	36%	33%	100%	-	52%	49%	67%	-	100%
Party Support															
Fianna Fail	479	240	239	109	136	234	179	277	23	62	152	154	112	287	192
	14%	14%	14%	9%	11%	23%	13%	15%	11%	6%	17%	16%	18%	14%	14%
Fine Gael	722	331	391	207	294	221	338	317	68	212	158	225	128	442	280
	21%	20%	22%	18%	23%	22%	24%	17%	32%	21%	18%	24%	21%	21%	21%
Labour Party	124	49	76	40	55	29	51	63	11	60	39	14	11	100	24
	4%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	5%	6%	4%	2%	2%	5%	2%
Green Party	53	28	25	19	33	2	34	19	-	26	13	14	-	37	16
	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	0%	2%	1%	-	3%	1%	2%	-	2%	1%
Sinn Fein	445	235	210	184	160	101	117	294	33	105	146	85	108	260	185
	13%	14%	12%	16%	13%	10%	8%	16%	15%	11%	16%	9%	17%	12%	14%
Independent / Other	628	360	268	184	272	172	293	305	30	229	106	182	110	368	259
	18%	21%	15%	16%	21%	17%	21%	17%	14%	23%	12%	19%	18%	18%	19%
Don't Know / Would not	989	443	546	424	324	240	399	539	51	293	279	263	155	609	380
	29%	26%	31%	36%	25%	24%	28%	30%	24%	30%	31%	28%	25%	29%	28%
Likelihood															
Would vote	2,789	1,376	1,413	795	1,109	885	1,186	1,445	159	836	683	728	541	1,726	1,062
	81%	82%	81%	68%	87%	89%	84%	80%	74%	85%	76%	78%	87%	82%	80%
Would Def vote	2,281	1,127	1,154	557	926	798	1,001	1,144	135	640	576	608	456	1,424	857
	66%	67%	66%	48%	73%	80%	71%	63%	63%	65%	64%	65%	73%	68%	64%

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Unweighted	958	466	492	259	368	331	491	420	47	279	257	263	159	619	339
Would Prob vote	508 15%	249 15%	259 15%	238 20%	182 14%	88 9%	184 13%	300 17%	24 11%	196 20%	107 12%	120 13%	85 14%	302 14%	206 15%
Might/might not	212 6%	108 6%	104 6%	140 12%	51 4%	21 2%	68 5%	130 7%	13 6%	51 5%	52 6%	73 8%	36 6%	127 6%	85 6%
Would not Vote	359 10%	173 10%	185 11%	188 16%	106 8%	65 6%	103 7%	212 12%	43 20%	63 6%	141 16%	109 12%	46 7%	191 9%	168 13%
Consitituency Seats															
5 Seats	1,244 36%	613 36%	631 36%	402 34%	468 37%	375 38%	427 30%	740 41%	78 36%	355 36%	429 48%	218 23%	243 39%	771 37%	473 35%
4 Seats	1,401 41%	690 41%	711 41%	481 41%	541 42%	379 38%	658 47%	707 39%	36 17%	491 50%	115 13%	514 55%	281 45%	1,037 49%	364 27%
3 Seats	795 23%	383 23%	412 23%	284 24%	267 21%	244 24%	326 23%	368 20%	101 47%	141 14%	351 39%	205 22%	100 16%	296 14%	499 37%
Marital Status															
Single	1,050 31%	607 36%	443 25%	758 65%	225 18%	67 7%	447 32%	515 28%	88 41%	316 32%	256 29%	335 36%	144 23%	652 31%	398 30%
Married	1,686 49%	861 51%	825 47%	241 21%	811 64%	634 64%	738 52%	839 46%	110 51%	539 55%	420 47%	415 44%	312 50%	1,063 51%	623 47%
Cohabiting	284 8%	120 7%	164 9%	141 12%	126 10%	17 2%	89 6%	189 10%	6 3%	56 6%	94 11%	82 9%	52 8%	162 8%	123 9%
Widowed	235 7%	56 3%	178 10%	- -	4 0%	230 23%	63 4%	164 9%	7 3%	49 5%	71 8%	48 5%	67 11%	138 7%	97 7%
Seperated / Divorced	179 5%	41 2%	138 8%	26 2%	103 8%	50 5%	67 5%	107 6%	5 2%	19 2%	53 6%	57 6%	50 8%	82 4%	97 7%
Civil Partnership	6 0%	- -	6 0%	- -	6 0%	- -	6 0%	- -	- -	6 1%	- -	- -	- -	6 0%	- -

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Lein-ster	Mun-ster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,440	1,685	1,755	1,166	1,275	998	1,410	1,815	215	986	894	936	624	2,104	1,336
Unweighted	958	466	492	259	368	331	491	420	47	279	257	263	159	619	339
Adults															
1	528	199	329	80	195	252	167	342	18	91	140	160	137	309	219
	15%	12%	19%	7%	15%	25%	12%	19%	8%	9%	16%	17%	22%	15%	16%
2	1,633	807	826	438	665	530	686	862	85	501	401	419	312	969	664
	47%	48%	47%	38%	52%	53%	49%	48%	40%	51%	45%	45%	50%	46%	50%
3	665	320	345	276	262	127	244	391	29	176	171	208	110	429	235
	19%	19%	20%	24%	21%	13%	17%	22%	14%	18%	19%	22%	18%	20%	18%
4	464	284	180	254	134	76	227	195	42	160	131	117	57	304	160
	13%	17%	10%	22%	10%	8%	16%	11%	20%	16%	15%	12%	9%	14%	12%
5	132	70	62	107	19	6	73	19	40	47	44	33	9	75	58
	4%	4%	4%	9%	2%	1%	5%	1%	19%	5%	5%	4%	1%	4%	4%
6	12	5	6	12	-	-	6	5	-	12	-	-	-	12	-
	0%	0%	0%	1%	-	-	0%	0%	-	1%	-	-	-	1%	-
7+	6	-	6	-	-	6	6	-	-	-	6	-	-	6	-
	0%	-	0%	-	-	1%	0%	-	-	-	1%	-	-	0%	-
Don't Know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mean	2.45	2.55	2.35	2.92	2.31	2.08	2.57	2.28	3.00	2.60	2.51	2.41	2.18	2.49	2.38
Kids															
0	2,214	1,181	1,033	694	554	966	840	1,235	139	676	581	529	428	1,392	822
	64%	70%	59%	60%	43%	97%	60%	68%	65%	69%	65%	57%	69%	66%	62%
1	449	158	291	217	222	10	221	202	26	113	126	148	61	269	179
	13%	9%	17%	19%	17%	1%	16%	11%	12%	11%	14%	16%	10%	13%	13%
2	456	176	280	126	307	23	244	194	18	133	112	123	89	277	179
	13%	10%	16%	11%	24%	2%	17%	11%	8%	13%	12%	13%	14%	13%	13%
3	254	127	127	103	151	-	89	139	26	49	61	115	30	141	113
	7%	8%	7%	9%	12%	-	6%	8%	12%	5%	7%	12%	5%	7%	8%

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Weighted	3,440	1,685	1,755	1,166	1,275	998	1,410	1,815	215	986	894	936	624	2,104	1,336
Unweighted	958	466	492	259	368	331	491	420	47	279	257	263	159	619	339
4	57 2%	33 2%	24 1%	16 1%	41 3%	- -	14 1%	37 2%	6 3%	16 2%	10 1%	14 2%	16 3%	22 1%	34 3%
5	11 0%	11 1%	- -	11 1%	- -	- -	2 0%	9 0%	- -	- -	4 0%	7 1%	- -	2 0%	9 1%
6	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
7+	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Don't Know	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Mean	0.70	0.64	0.76	0.77	1.14	0.06	0.74	0.66	0.76	0.60	0.66	0.89	0.63	0.64	0.79
Work															
Working - Full Time	1,127 33%	737 44%	391 22%	447 38%	579 45%	101 10%	650 46%	427 24%	51 24%	396 40%	265 30%	312 33%	154 25%	671 32%	457 34%
Working - Part Time	484 14%	168 10%	316 18%	171 15%	223 18%	89 9%	183 13%	274 15%	26 12%	92 9%	150 17%	119 13%	123 20%	244 12%	239 18%
Self-Employed	131 4%	101 6%	30 2%	38 3%	66 5%	28 3%	59 4%	42 2%	31 14%	25 3%	18 2%	46 5%	42 7%	48 2%	83 6%
Unemployed	292 8%	207 12%	84 5%	103 9%	143 11%	45 5%	47 3%	236 13%	8 4%	54 5%	54 6%	131 14%	52 8%	191 9%	101 8%
Home Duties	539 16%	20 1%	519 30%	138 12%	223 17%	178 18%	142 10%	368 20%	29 14%	143 14%	139 16%	181 19%	76 12%	378 18%	161 12%
Retired	564 16%	302 18%	262 15%	- -	10 1%	554 56%	155 11%	387 21%	23 11%	163 17%	169 19%	85 9%	147 24%	360 17%	204 15%
Student, not employed	249 7%	110 7%	139 8%	215 18%	31 2%	3 0%	144 10%	73 4%	32 15%	87 9%	77 9%	59 6%	26 4%	178 8%	71 5%

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Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Gender		Age			Social Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,440	1,685	1,755	1,166	1,275	998	1,410	1,815	215	986	894	936	624	2,104	1,336
Unweighted	958	466	492	259	368	331	491	420	47	279	257	263	159	619	339
Student, working part-time	54	41	13	54	-	-	30	8	15	26	21	3	4	34	20
	2%	2%	1%	5%	-	-	2%	0%	7%	3%	2%	0%	1%	2%	1%
Income Earners															
One	1,275	591	683	433	516	325	501	683	91	339	317	355	263	802	473
	37%	35%	39%	37%	40%	33%	35%	38%	42%	34%	36%	38%	42%	38%	35%
Two	1,200	615	585	452	559	188	673	466	61	318	285	376	221	646	554
	35%	36%	33%	39%	44%	19%	48%	26%	28%	32%	32%	40%	35%	31%	41%
Three	203	118	84	142	37	24	89	71	43	76	74	33	20	117	86
	6%	7%	5%	12%	3%	2%	6%	4%	20%	8%	8%	3%	3%	6%	6%
Four	81	66	15	67	-	14	36	35	10	52	24	5	-	63	18
	2%	4%	1%	6%	-	1%	3%	2%	4%	5%	3%	1%	-	3%	1%
None working at moment	681	295	386	72	163	446	111	560	10	201	193	168	121	476	205
	20%	18%	22%	6%	13%	45%	8%	31%	5%	20%	22%	18%	19%	23%	15%
Internet Access															
Yes - Broadband	2,814	1,358	1,456	1,102	1,133	580	1,286	1,357	172	936	701	756	422	1,794	1,020
	82%	81%	83%	94%	89%	58%	91%	75%	80%	95%	78%	81%	68%	85%	76%
Yes - Other Connection	105	54	51	31	58	16	24	73	7	-	25	41	39	34	72
	3%	3%	3%	3%	5%	2%	2%	4%	3%	-	3%	4%	6%	2%	5%
No	520	273	247	33	84	403	100	385	36	50	168	139	163	276	244
	15%	16%	14%	3%	7%	40%	7%	21%	17%	5%	19%	15%	26%	13%	18%
CWE															
Yes	2,026	1,267	759	524	804	699	757	1,179	90	556	486	542	442	1,264	762
	59%	75%	43%	45%	63%	70%	54%	65%	42%	56%	54%	58%	71%	60%	57%
No	1,414	419	995	643	472	300	653	636	125	430	408	394	182	840	574
	41%	25%	57%	55%	37%	30%	46%	35%	58%	44%	46%	42%	29%	40%	43%

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Party Support							Q9 Likelihood					Constituency Seats		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour Party	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Independent / Other	Don't Know / Would not	Would vote	Would Def vote	Would Prob vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	5 Seats	4 Seats	3 Seats
Weighted	3,440	479	722	124	53	445	628	989	2,789	2,281	508	212	359	1,244	1,401	795
Unweighted	958	139	206	36	13	126	178	260	799	675	124	49	92	332	414	212
Gender																
Male	1,685	240	331	49	28	235	360	443	1,376	1,127	249	108	173	613	690	383
	49%	50%	46%	39%	52%	53%	57%	45%	49%	49%	49%	51%	48%	49%	49%	48%
Female	1,755	239	391	76	25	210	268	546	1,413	1,154	259	104	185	631	711	412
	51%	50%	54%	61%	48%	47%	43%	55%	51%	51%	51%	49%	52%	51%	51%	52%
Age																
-34	1,166	109	207	40	19	184	184	424	795	557	238	140	188	402	481	284
	34%	23%	29%	32%	35%	41%	29%	43%	29%	24%	47%	66%	52%	32%	34%	36%
35-54	1,275	136	294	55	33	160	272	324	1,109	926	182	51	106	468	541	267
	37%	28%	41%	44%	62%	36%	43%	33%	40%	41%	36%	24%	29%	38%	39%	34%
55+	998	234	221	29	2	101	172	240	885	798	88	21	65	375	379	244
	29%	49%	31%	23%	3%	23%	27%	24%	32%	35%	17%	10%	18%	30%	27%	31%
Social Class																
ABC1	1,410	179	338	51	34	117	293	399	1,186	1,001	184	68	103	427	658	326
	41%	37%	47%	41%	63%	26%	47%	40%	43%	44%	36%	32%	29%	34%	47%	41%
C2DE	1,815	277	317	63	19	294	305	539	1,445	1,144	300	130	212	740	707	368
	53%	58%	44%	51%	37%	66%	49%	55%	52%	50%	59%	62%	59%	59%	50%	46%
F	215	23	68	11	-	33	30	51	159	135	24	13	43	78	36	101
	6%	5%	9%	9%	-	7%	5%	5%	6%	6%	5%	6%	12%	6%	3%	13%
Region																
Dublin	986	62	212	60	26	105	229	293	836	640	196	51	63	355	491	141
	29%	13%	29%	48%	48%	24%	37%	30%	30%	28%	39%	24%	18%	29%	35%	18%
Lein-ster	894	152	158	39	13	146	106	279	683	576	107	52	141	429	115	351
	26%	32%	22%	31%	25%	33%	17%	28%	25%	25%	21%	24%	39%	34%	8%	44%
Mun-ster	936	154	225	14	14	85	182	263	728	608	120	73	109	218	514	205
	27%	32%	31%	12%	27%	19%	29%	27%	26%	27%	24%	35%	30%	18%	37%	26%

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Unweighted	958	139	206	36	13	126	178	260	799	675	124	49	92	332	414	212
Conn/Ulster	624	112	128	11	-	108	110	155	541	456	85	36	46	243	281	100
	18%	23%	18%	9%	-	24%	18%	16%	19%	20%	17%	17%	13%	20%	20%	13%
Area																
Urban	2,104	287	442	100	37	260	368	609	1,726	1,424	302	127	191	771	1,037	296
	61%	60%	61%	81%	70%	58%	59%	62%	62%	62%	60%	60%	53%	62%	74%	37%
Rural	1,336	192	280	24	16	185	259	380	1,062	857	206	85	168	473	364	499
	39%	40%	39%	19%	30%	42%	41%	38%	38%	38%	40%	40%	47%	38%	26%	63%
Party Support																
Fianna Fail	479	479	-	-	-	-	-	-	475	415	60	4	-	189	160	130
	14%	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%	18%	12%	2%	-	15%	11%	16%
Fine Gael	722	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	644	564	80	36	31	204	393	126
	21%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	23%	25%	16%	17%	9%	16%	28%	16%
Labour Party	124	-	-	124	-	-	-	-	124	108	16	-	-	52	44	28
	4%	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-	4%	5%	3%	-	-	4%	3%	4%
Green Party	53	-	-	-	53	-	-	-	53	42	11	-	-	14	30	9
	2%	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-	2%	2%	2%	-	-	1%	2%	1%
Sinn Fein	445	-	-	-	-	445	-	-	400	330	71	18	21	211	161	73
	13%	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-	14%	14%	14%	9%	6%	17%	12%	9%
Independent / Other	628	-	-	-	-	-	628	-	556	443	113	47	19	230	250	147
	18%	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-	20%	19%	22%	22%	5%	18%	18%	19%
Don't Know / Would not	989	-	-	-	-	-	-	989	536	379	157	107	288	345	362	282
	29%	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	19%	17%	31%	50%	80%	28%	26%	35%
Likelihood																
Would vote	2,789	475	644	124	53	400	556	536	2,789	2,281	508	-	-	982	1,188	618
	81%	99%	89%	100%	100%	90%	89%	54%	100%	100%	100%	-	-	79%	85%	78%
Would Def vote	2,281	415	564	108	42	330	443	379	2,281	2,281	-	-	-	760	1,030	491
	66%	87%	78%	87%	79%	74%	71%	38%	82%	100%	-	-	-	61%	73%	62%

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Would Prob vote	508 15%	60 12%	80 11%	16 13%	11 21%	71 16%	113 18%	157 16%	508 18%	- -	508 100%	- -	- -	222 18%	159 11%	127 16%
Might/might not	212 6%	4 1%	36 5%	- -	- -	18 4%	47 7%	107 11%	- -	- -	- -	212 100%	- -	85 7%	67 5%	60 8%
Would not Vote	359 10%	- -	31 4%	- -	- -	21 5%	19 3%	288 29%	- -	- -	- -	- -	359 100%	155 12%	105 7%	99 12%
Constituency Seats																
5 Seats	1,244 36%	189 39%	204 28%	52 42%	14 25%	211 47%	230 37%	345 35%	982 35%	760 33%	222 44%	85 40%	155 43%	1,244 100%	- -	- -
4 Seats	1,401 41%	160 33%	393 54%	44 35%	30 57%	161 36%	250 40%	362 37%	1,188 43%	1,030 45%	159 31%	67 31%	105 29%	- -	1,401 100%	- -
3 Seats	795 23%	130 27%	126 17%	28 23%	9 18%	73 16%	147 23%	282 28%	618 22%	491 22%	127 25%	60 28%	99 28%	- -	- -	795 100%
Marital Status																
Single	1,050 31%	131 27%	170 24%	29 23%	20 37%	126 28%	208 33%	366 37%	780 28%	603 26%	178 35%	102 48%	130 36%	362 29%	471 34%	217 27%
Married	1,686 49%	236 49%	438 61%	60 48%	21 39%	195 44%	295 47%	442 45%	1,435 51%	1,187 52%	248 49%	89 42%	125 35%	589 47%	675 48%	422 53%
Cohabiting	284 8%	25 5%	20 3%	24 19%	13 24%	66 15%	56 9%	80 8%	231 8%	189 8%	42 8%	7 3%	46 13%	119 10%	94 7%	71 9%
Widowed	235 7%	62 13%	57 8%	2 2%	- -	29 7%	27 4%	57 6%	202 7%	180 8%	23 4%	5 2%	21 6%	94 8%	80 6%	61 8%
Seperated / Divorced	179 5%	25 5%	33 5%	7 5%	- -	29 6%	42 7%	44 4%	134 5%	116 5%	18 4%	9 4%	37 10%	80 6%	76 5%	23 3%
Civil Partnership	6 0%	- -	3 0%	3 2%	- -	- -	- -	- -	6 0%	6 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	6 0%	- -

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Adults																
1	528	102	110	18	4	68	94	131	457	388	69	11	57	223	204	100
	15%	21%	15%	15%	7%	15%	15%	13%	16%	17%	13%	5%	16%	18%	15%	13%
2	1,633	218	380	65	35	207	314	413	1,371	1,105	266	80	169	659	602	372
	47%	45%	53%	53%	66%	47%	50%	42%	49%	48%	52%	38%	47%	53%	43%	47%
3	665	80	118	18	9	67	142	230	494	402	92	78	63	215	282	168
	19%	17%	16%	15%	18%	15%	23%	23%	18%	18%	18%	37%	17%	17%	20%	21%
4	464	65	90	18	5	80	65	141	368	305	64	29	47	105	245	114
	13%	14%	13%	14%	9%	18%	10%	14%	13%	13%	13%	14%	13%	8%	17%	14%
5	132	15	23	5	-	23	12	55	93	81	12	13	18	35	62	35
	4%	3%	3%	4%	-	5%	2%	6%	3%	4%	2%	6%	5%	3%	4%	4%
6	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	6	-	6	-	5	6	5	-
	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%	0%	-	1%	-	2%	1%	0%	-
7+	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%
Don't Know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mean	2.45	2.32	2.36	2.40	2.28	2.51	2.34	2.63	2.39	2.38	2.42	2.78	2.48	2.27	2.55	2.54
Kids																
0	2,214	349	443	81	31	277	416	617	1,835	1,505	329	118	212	796	977	441
	64%	73%	61%	65%	59%	62%	66%	62%	66%	66%	65%	56%	59%	64%	70%	55%
1	449	63	88	13	10	47	60	168	328	268	59	25	81	144	152	153
	13%	13%	12%	10%	19%	11%	10%	17%	12%	12%	12%	12%	23%	12%	11%	19%
2	456	42	125	8	12	83	90	97	385	291	94	33	29	188	174	94
	13%	9%	17%	7%	22%	19%	14%	10%	14%	13%	19%	16%	8%	15%	12%	12%
3	254	21	48	22	-	18	57	88	183	165	18	36	27	75	82	97
	7%	4%	7%	18%	-	4%	9%	9%	7%	7%	4%	17%	8%	6%	6%	12%

Analysis of Sample

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Unweighted	958	139	206	36	13	126	178	260	799	675	124	49	92	332	414	212
4	57 2%	4 1%	19 3%	- -	- -	16 4%	3 0%	15 2%	52 2%	45 2%	7 1%	- -	4 1%	38 3%	14 1%	5 1%
5	11 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 1%	2 0%	5 1%	6 0%	6 0%	- -	- -	5 1%	4 0%	2 0%	5 1%
6	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
7+	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Don't Know	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Mean	0.70	0.47	0.77	0.76	0.64	0.79	0.69	0.72	0.68	0.68	0.65	0.94	0.73	0.74	0.58	0.85
Work																
Working - Full Time	1,127 33%	134 28%	279 39%	60 48%	24 44%	126 28%	206 33%	299 30%	935 34%	723 32%	212 42%	59 28%	109 30%	335 27%	499 36%	293 37%
Working - Part Time	484 14%	47 10%	135 19%	7 6%	3 5%	52 12%	75 12%	164 17%	364 13%	305 13%	59 12%	47 22%	59 16%	195 16%	205 15%	84 11%
Self-Employed	131 4%	18 4%	25 3%	- -	14 26%	5 1%	35 6%	35 4%	112 4%	94 4%	18 4%	4 2%	15 4%	54 4%	45 3%	32 4%
Unemployed	292 8%	29 6%	27 4%	8 6%	5 10%	65 15%	95 15%	63 6%	232 8%	184 8%	47 9%	23 11%	37 10%	85 7%	128 9%	78 10%
Home Duties	539 16%	63 13%	75 10%	24 19%	6 12%	121 27%	76 12%	173 18%	419 15%	332 15%	88 17%	37 18%	51 14%	246 20%	194 14%	98 12%
Retired	564 16%	144 30%	138 19%	14 11%	2 3%	54 12%	105 17%	107 11%	508 18%	469 21%	39 8%	12 6%	43 12%	236 19%	194 14%	133 17%
Student, not employed	249 7%	36 7%	33 5%	11 9%	- -	21 5%	34 5%	114 12%	180 6%	137 6%	43 8%	29 14%	30 8%	85 7%	113 8%	51 6%

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Student, working part-time	54 2%	9 2%	10 1%	- -	- -	- -	3 0%	33 3%	38 1%	35 2%	3 1%	- -	16 4%	8 1%	22 2%	24 3%
Income Earners																
One	1,275	182	253	51	20	169	242	358	1,020	872	148	98	120	456	567	252
	37%	38%	35%	41%	38%	38%	39%	36%	37%	38%	29%	46%	34%	37%	40%	32%
Two	1,200	139	311	31	33	98	206	382	981	772	209	67	128	407	494	299
	35%	29%	43%	25%	62%	22%	33%	39%	35%	34%	41%	32%	36%	33%	35%	38%
Three	203	13	29	16	-	33	33	79	135	107	28	12	37	55	81	67
	6%	3%	4%	13%	-	7%	5%	8%	5%	5%	6%	6%	10%	4%	6%	8%
Four	81	17	17	7	-	5	15	21	78	59	20	3	-	21	38	22
	2%	3%	2%	5%	-	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	4%	1%	-	2%	3%	3%
None working at moment	681	127	113	20	-	140	133	149	574	471	102	32	73	304	221	156
	20%	27%	16%	16%	-	31%	21%	15%	21%	21%	20%	15%	20%	24%	16%	20%
Internet Access																
Yes - Broadband	2,814	308	619	110	53	363	536	825	2,255	1,836	419	192	286	909	1,237	668
	82%	64%	86%	89%	100%	82%	85%	83%	81%	81%	82%	91%	80%	73%	88%	84%
Yes - Other Connection	105	12	17	2	-	19	19	35	83	64	20	9	13	56	26	24
	3%	2%	2%	2%	-	4%	3%	4%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	2%	3%
No	520	159	86	12	-	62	72	129	450	381	69	11	60	279	138	104
	15%	33%	12%	10%	-	14%	12%	13%	16%	17%	14%	5%	17%	22%	10%	13%
CWE																
Yes	2,026	307	425	76	37	288	392	502	1,653	1,393	260	135	221	770	845	411
	59%	64%	59%	61%	69%	65%	63%	51%	59%	61%	51%	64%	62%	62%	60%	52%
No	1,414	172	298	49	16	157	235	487	1,136	888	248	76	137	474	556	384
	41%	36%	41%	39%	31%	35%	37%	49%	41%	39%	49%	36%	38%	38%	40%	48%



The Questionnaire

BEHAVIOUR & ATTITUDES JANUARY POLL QUESTIONNAIRE

Good morning/afternoon/evening. My name is.....and I am carrying out a study on behalf of Behaviour & Attitudes, an independent market research company. We are currently conducting a study on a number of issues. Would you or anyone else in your household be willing to take part?

The interview will be conducted in accordance with Market Research Society guidelines - all results will be shown in aggregate form only.

ASK ALL ADULTS 18 YRS+

- Q.1 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the manner in which the Government is running the country?

Satisfied	1
Dissatisfied	2
No opinion	3

- Q.2 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Kenny is doing his job as Taoiseach?

Satisfied	1
Dissatisfied	2
No opinion	3

- Q.3 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Ms. Burton is doing her job as Tanaiste?

Satisfied	1
Dissatisfied	2
No opinion	3

- Q.4 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Martin is doing his job as leader of Fianna Fail?

Satisfied	1
Dissatisfied	2
No opinion	3



Q.5 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Adams is doing his job as leader of Sinn Fein?

Satisfied	1
Dissatisfied	2
No opinion	3

Q.6 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Ryan is doing his job as leader of The Green Party?

Satisfied	1
Dissatisfied	2
No opinion	3

Q.7 If there was a General Election tomorrow, to which party or independent candidate would you give your first preference vote? **DO NOT READ OUT**

Fianna Fail	1
Fine Gael	2
Labour Party	3
Sinn Fein	4
Independent	5
Green Party	6
Workers Party	7
Socialist Party	8
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	9
RENUA Ireland	10
Social Democrats	11
Independent Alliance	12
Other specify _____	13
Don't know	14
Would not vote	15



ASK Q.8 OF ALL CODED INDEPENDENT (CODE 5) AT Q.7

Q.8 And to which one of these groupings or types of Independents would you give your first preference vote? SHOW CARD.

Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	1
Green Party	2
Independent Alliance	3
RENUA Ireland	4
Social Democrats	5
Workers Party	6
Other Independent candidate	7
Don't know	8

Q.9 Since 1989, every Irish Government has been a coalition. Given current party strength, this seems likely in the future. Which of the following coalitions would you like to see following the next General Election? **SHOW CARD**

Fine Gael and Labour	1
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	2
Fine Gael and Sinn Féin	3
Sinn Féin and Fianna Fáil	4
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	5
Sinn Féin, Labour, and other parties or independents	6
Other specify _____	7
Don't know	8
Would not vote	9

Q.10 How likely would you be to vote if there was a General Election tomorrow? **PROBE TO APPROPRIATE CODE**

Would definitely vote	1
Would probably vote	2
Might/might not vote	3
Would probably not vote	4
Would definitely not vote	5
Don't know	6



Q.11 And to which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in the **last General Election**? **DO NOT READ OUT**

Fianna Fail	1
Fine Gael	2
Labour Party	3
Green Party	4
Workers Party	5
Sinn Fein	6
Socialist Party	7
Independent	8
People Before Profit Alliance	9
Anti-Austerity Alliance	10
Other specify _____	11
Don't know	12
Did not vote	13

Q.12 Are you eligible to vote in Irish General Elections, or not?

Yes, eligible	1
No – not eligible	2
Don't know	3

Q.13 And are you an Irish citizen, or not?

Yes	1
No	2
Don't know	3

Thank You



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