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Technical Appendix



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- The results of this opinion poll are based upon a representative sample of 946 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 over the period 11th - 17th April, 2012, with interviewing carried out at the Behaviour & Attitudes Computer Aided Telephone Interviewing (CATI) Unit at Milltown House in Dublin.
- Interviewing was conducted across all 43 constituencies in the country with households selected for interview by way of Random Digit Dialling (RDD).
- The sample is split across RDD landline numbers and RDD mobile telephone numbers, so as to ensure that individuals living in landline only households, mobile only households, and households with both a landline and mobile telephone are represented in their correct proportions.

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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).
- Today's Poll sees the introduction of a technical adjustment factor to Party Support levels, 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).

Chartered Summary



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

	12 th February 2011 (f/w: 31 st Jan - 12 th Feb, 2011)	24 th August, 2011 (f/w 16 th - 24 th August, 2011)	2 nd October, 2011 (f/w 20 th Sept - 2 nd Oct, 2011)	18 th October, 2011 (f/w 16 th - 18 th Oct, 2011)	12 th December, 2011 (f/w 7 th -12 th Dec, 2011)	20 th February, 2012 (f/w 15 th - 20 th Feb. 2012)	19 th April, 2012 (f/w 11 th - 17 th Apr. 2012)
The Government	5%	42%	34%	36%	26%	26%	29%
Micheál Martin	43%	40%	31%	36%	40%	33%	34%
Enda Kenny	40%	62%	51%	58%	44%	41%	47%
Eamon Gilmore	55%	52%	43%	46%	35%	34%	37%
Gerry Adams	40%	48%	50%	50%	48%	46%	43%
Eamon Ryan	-	34%	30%	30%	30%	25%	29%

Q.2

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

Q.3

Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way (.....) is doing his job as (.....)?

Sunday Times/Behaviour & Attitudes Core Party Support Levels

	12 th February 2011 (f/w: 31 st Jan - 12 th Feb, 2011)	24 th August, 2011 (f/w 16 th - 24 th August, 2011)	2 nd October, 2011 (f/w 20 th Sept - 2 nd Oct, 2011)	18 th October, 2011 (f/w 16 th - 18 th Oct, 2011)	12 th December, 2011 (f/w 7 th -12 th Dec, 2011)	20 th February, 2012 (f/w 15 th - 20 th Feb. 2012)	19 th April, 2012 (f/w 11 th - 17 th Apr. 2012)
Fianna Fáil	11%	12%	11%	11%	15%	11%	12%
Fine Gael	26%	35%	26%	27%	22%	23%	22%
Labour	17%	9%	10%	11%	8%	7%	7%
Sinn Féin	10%	10%	12%	14%	15%	18%	14%
Green Party	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	3%
Independents/ Others	10%	10%	10%	9%	12%	11%	12%
Undecided	25%	22%	28%	27%	27%	30%	30%

Q.7

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)

	12 th February , 2011 (f/w: 31 st Jan - 12 th Feb, 2011)	General Election Result 25 th February	24 th August, 2011 (f/w 16 th - 24 th August, 2011)	2 nd October, 2011 (f/w 20 th Sept - 2 nd Oct, 2011)	18 th October, 2011 (f/w 16 th - 18 th Oct, 2011)	12 th December, 2011 (f/w 7 th -12 th Dec, 2011)	20 th February, 2012 (f/w 15 th - 20 th Feb. 2012)	19 th April, 2012 (f/w 11 th - 17 th Apr. 2012)
Fianna Fáil	15%	17%	15%	15%	15%	20%	16%	17%
Fine Gael	34%	36%	44%	36%	37%	30%	32%	32%
Labour	23%	19%	12%	14%	15%	11%	10%	10%
Sinn Féin	14%	10%	13%	17%	19%	21%	25%	20%
Green Party	2%	2%	2%	4%	1%	3%	2%	5%
Independent/ Others	14%	16%	12%	13%	13%	15%	15%	17%

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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.
- Generally speaking one expects support for Government parties to decline in mid term with a corresponding rise in support for the Opposition. This is, of course, particularly true when times are tough.
- The present situation is compounded by the fact that we have a coalition Government with quite different patterns of response among the constituent parties. Fine Gael voters are - by and large - behind Mr. Kenny and the performance of his Government. The same cannot be said for Labour and Mr. Gilmore. In these circumstances one might expect a greater swing in mood against Labour: with the opposition parties sharing a common base with them most likely to benefit.

Party Support Adjustment Factor: Technical Note

- 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)

	2 nd October, 2011 (f/w 20 th Sept - 2 nd Oct, 2011)	18 th October, 2011 (f/w 16 th - 18 th Oct, 2011)	12 th December, 2011 (f/w 7 th -12 th Dec, 2011)	20 th February, 2012 (f/w 15 th - 20 th Feb. 2012)	19 th April, 2012 (f/w 11 th - 17 th Apr. 2012)
Fianna Fáil	16%	14%	18%	16%	15%
Fine Gael	34%	35%	29%	33%	33%
Labour	16%	16%	12%	13%	14%
Sinn Féin	14%	17%	19%	20%	16%
Green Party	3%	1%	3%	2%	5%
Independents/ Others	17%	16%	18%	16%	18%

- 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, in line with 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.

Likely Voting Intention in Referendum

Base: All Eligible Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Will vote yes in favour of treaty	42	50	33	31	38	59	43	38	57	41	46	42	34	39	45
Will vote no against treaty	27	28	25	27	32	20	27	29	13	26	21	31	30	28	25
Don't know	29	18	39	40	26	20	27	31	25	32	31	23	29	31	25
Will not vote	3	4	2	3	4	*	3	2	6	1	1	3	7	1	5

Q.8

As you are probably aware, on May 31st next a referendum will be held in relation to the European Union Fiscal Treaty – otherwise known as the Fiscal Compact Treaty. In the referendum, people will be asked to vote either in favour of or against the Treaty. Are you yourself likely to vote yes in favour of the European Union Fiscal Treaty, or no against the European Union Fiscal Treaty?

How well do you understand Referendum

Base: All Eligible Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Understand it very well	6	9	2	4	4	9	7	5	4	5	6	7	3	7	4
Understand it quite well	12	16	8	6	14	17	14	11	11	13	10	12	11	11	13
Understand it to some extent	27	28	27	21	34	27	31	25	26	30	26	27	25	26	30
Do not understand it particularly well	23	20	26	30	20	20	20	26	18	19	28	23	24	23	24
Do not understand it at all	32	26	38	40	29	27	28	33	41	32	30	31	36	33	30

Q.9

And thinking of the forthcoming European Union Fiscal Treaty Referendum. On a scale of 1 to 5 where 5 is you understand it very well and 1 is you do not understand it at all, how well do you feel you understand what the European Union Fiscal Treaty referendum is about?

Likely Voting Intentions x Understanding

Base: All Eligible Voters	Total	Treaty Understanding	
		Understand	Don't Understand
Base:	946	445	501
	%	%	%
Will vote yes in favour of treaty	42	57	29
Will vote no against treaty	27	30	24
Don't know	29	10	44
Will not vote	3	2	3

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Commentary



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Background

Fieldwork for today's poll was conducted over the period Wednesday 11th to Tuesday 17th April 2012.

Since February's poll, on-going qualitative research conducted by Behaviour & Attitudes would suggest that the Irish electorate has become significantly more engaged in the political process.

At a macro level, Fine Gael Government ministers, most notably Taoiseach Enda Kenny, continue to promote Ireland and Irish Industry on the world stage.

The general public has taken note of these initiatives with, for example, Irish involvement in the establishment of a two billion euro equine centre in the Tianjin Equine culture city in China having received widespread media coverage in Ireland.

The announcement that Irish unemployment levels fell slightly in March was also noted with relief by many beleaguered citizens, giving some hope that their jobs may be more secure now than they were just a few months ago.

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Indeed, the most recent Behaviour & Attitudes Consumer & Business Confidence reports, published this week, both register a slight improvement in sentiment.

Thus, the proportion of small to medium enterprise business owners/directors expecting business levels to increase over the next 12 months has improved since last quarter, as has consumers' belief that the economy will improve over the next 12 months.

All of these measures suggest to us that the Irish voter is beginning to form the view that the Irish economy has finally reached the bottom, and that it may begin to improve, however marginally, over the course of this year and next.

There is, however, a stark difference between voters' view of the economy in the medium to long term, and their ability to manage their day to day finances in the face of increased austerity measures.

Specific developments which will have influenced people's voting intentions in recent weeks will of course include the introduction and management of the €100 household charge and the confusion surrounding the amount that householders will have to pay for the installation of water meters when they come into operation in 2014.

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February's Opinion Poll indicated that as many as 600,000 householders do not intend to pay the household charge at all.

With hundreds of thousands of homes yet to pay the charge, the issue continues to rankle with the electorate at a deeply emotive level.

Meanwhile, the recently convened teachers and Garda Unions conferences merely served to remind the public of the severe cutbacks we have already witnessed across a whole range of public services.

All in all, therefore, while the general public is beginning to exhibit tentative signs of hope that the recession is unlikely to deepen any further, anger towards specific Government Departments and their ministers has been rising, as witnessed by the public demonstrations staged at both the recent Fine Gael and Labour Party conferences.

Apart from the impact of all of these dynamics on party support levels, the key question in advance of today's poll was how the current zeitgeist may be influencing people's likelihood to vote in favour of, or against the forthcoming fiscal compact treaty. The subsequent sections of this report deal with both of these key issues in turn.

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European Union Fiscal Treaty Referendum

The European Union Fiscal Treaty - otherwise known as the Fiscal Compact Treaty - Referendum will be held on Thursday, 31st May next.

As such, fieldwork for this poll was conducted 6-7 weeks before polling, with the public mood surrounding the Referendum likely to ebb and flow between now and polling day.

As the wording of the actual Referendum has yet to be published, respondents in today's poll were simply asked whether they were likely to vote yes, in favour of the European Union Fiscal Treaty or no, against.

The results of the poll indicate that the outcome of the Referendum is far from certain, and that a full and clear explanation as to the full implications of both a yes and a no vote is required before the electorate is in a position to make its final decision on the matter.

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European Union Fiscal Treaty Referendum

As of this week, 42% indicate that they are likely to vote in favour of ratifying the Treaty, 27% against it, with 32% undecided either way. Once the undecideds are excluded from the equation, 61% currently indicate they will vote yes, and 39% no.

Based on these figures, particularly the high level of undecided voters, the Referendum has yet to be won or lost.

If those campaigning for a yes vote can distil their message into a plain argument that acceptance of the treaty can only consolidate Ireland's position in Europe and facilitate slow but steady economic recovery over the next couple of years, then the Referendum will pass.

If, on the other hand, the vote becomes a referendum on the hardship and austerity imposed on Ireland by the EU through the bailout programme then, given the prevailing mood of the electorate, it will be defeated.

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European Union Fiscal Treaty Referendum

As it stands, the percentage of those likely to vote yes peaks amongst male voters (50%), those aged 55 years plus (59%), Fine Gael (70%) and Fianna Fail (55%) supporters. Six in ten of all Sinn Fein supporters indicate they intend to vote no, with a further 29% of them still undecided.

The jury is still very much out for younger (18-34 years) and female voters, with 43% of the former and 41% of the latter indicating they are unsure how they will vote.

Respondents were also asked how well they feel they understand what the European Union Fiscal Treaty Referendum is about.

It is well established by now that voters who have a limited understand of the details of a referendum are more likely to either not vote at all, or vote no in protest at the perceived failure of the establishment to adequately explain the facts of the matter.

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European Union Fiscal Treaty Referendum

For example, a poll conducted by Behaviour & Attitudes for the Referendum Commission two days before the defeated June 2008 Lisbon I Referendum indicated that just 12% understood it very/quite well, 32% understood it to some extent, while 27% did not understand it at all.

In the immediate aftermath of the Lisbon II referendum which was of course passed, 32% of those surveyed in a B&A poll indicated they had understood it very/quite well, 40% to some extent, while just 11% suggested they had not understood it at all.

This analysis would suggest that in or around 30% of the electorate should understand the EU Treaty very/quite well, and no more than 15%-20% should indicate they do not understand it at all by voting day if it is to have a reasonable chance of being passed.

Today's figures indicate that just 18% of the electorate currently understand the EU Fiscal Treaty referendum very/quite well, while 32% do not understand it at all. The yes camp has less than six weeks within which to bridge this informational gap.

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Party Support & Leader Satisfaction Levels

Government satisfaction levels have not changed at a significant level since December's Post-Budget poll, at which stage satisfaction with the administration dropped ten percentage points over the previous October's survey.

Thus, satisfaction with the Government now stands at just 29%, with a full 65% dissatisfied with the Government and a further 6% expressing no opinion. With over half (55%) of Fine Gael supporters and two-thirds (68%) of Labour supporters currently unhappy with the performance of the Government, it is no wonder that opposition parties have been faring so well in the polls over the last number of months.

Enda Kenny's personal satisfaction rating has, however improved to 47% in today's poll, albeit with a corresponding 46% expressing dissatisfaction with his performance as Taoiseach. Kenny's improved rating since February's poll has been driven primarily by an increase in satisfaction amongst older (55 years plus) voters.

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Party Support & Leader Satisfaction Levels

With regard to main party support levels, today's poll ratings are, in all but one instance, within one or two percentage points of those prevailing in the last poll.

Thus, Fine Gael remains the largest party in terms of support, followed by Sinn Féin, Fianna Fáil and the Labour Party, with Independents/Others drawing support from one in six of the electorate.

The one exception with regard to shifts in opinion since February is that of Sinn Féin, which witnesses a drop of four percentage points over the last eight weeks, now sitting at a still credible 16% rating, based on adjusted party support levels.

It will be recalled that Sinn Féin's recent increases in support have been primarily amongst those aged 18-34 years and those from the more blue collar (C2DE) worker socio-economic grouping.

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Party Support & Leader Satisfaction Levels

In today's poll, Sinn Féin's greatest losses in support have been amongst 18-34 year olds and C2DEs, many of whom seem to have drifted towards the Independents.

From Sinn Féin's perspective, the message is clear. Support for the party has grown significantly since the general election, although its support base is disproportionately influenced by those segments of the population who are unlikely to vote on election day. In addition, support levels for the party have been more volatile than they have been for any of the other parties over the last number of months, suggesting that it is the one party whose fortunes are most closely tied to the fluctuating peaks and troughs of voter sentiment.

While Sinn Féin undoubtedly harbours ambitions to enter Government at some stage over the next ten years, the combined Fine Gael/Labour 47% share of vote suggests they have quite some work to do before their aspirations are likely to be realised.

Tabular Report



Q1 Are you eligible to vote in Irish General Elections, or not?

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,421	1,678	1,743	1,166	1,264	991	1,373	1,794	254	981	864	957	618	2,092	1,329	391	752	230	104	463	385	1,092
Unweighted Total	979	477	502	307	378	294	401	514	64	265	237	272	204	666	313	108	235	79	28	123	105	299
Yes, eligible	3,306 97%	1,635 97%	1,671 96%	1,097 94%	1,222 97%	987 100%	1,330 97%	1,726 96%	250 98%	940 96%	843 98%	937 98%	586 95%	2,018 96%	1,287 97%	385 99%	734 98%	230 100%	104 100%	455 98%	383 99%	1,010 93%
No – not eligible	87 3%	25 1%	62 4%	55 5%	30 2%	2 0%	37 3%	46 3%	4 2%	32 3%	11 1%	19 2%	25 4%	60 3%	27 2%	6 1%	11 1%	- -	- -	7 2%	2 1%	61 6%
Don't know	28 1%	18 1%	10 1%	14 1%	13 1%	2 0%	6 0%	22 1%	- -	9 1%	10 1%	2 0%	8 1%	14 1%	14 1%	- -	7 1%	- -	- -	1 0%	- -	20 2%

Q1 Are you eligible to vote in Irish General Elections, or not?

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,421	2,809	2,384	425	148	418	1,890	1,531
Unweighted Total	979	804	682	122	42	122	522	457
Yes, eligible	3,306 97%	2,763 98%	2,362 99%	401 94%	146 99%	361 86%	1,822 96%	1,484 97%
No – not eligible	87 3%	30 1%	14 1%	15 4%	1 1%	49 12%	50 3%	37 2%
Don't know	28 1%	16 1%	8 0%	9 2%	- -	8 2%	19 1%	10 1%

Q2 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			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Lab- our	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/ Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010
Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
Satisfied	967 29%	552 34%	415 25%	237 22%	309 25%	421 43%	411 31%	418 24%	138 55%	288 31%	274 33%	283 30%	122 21%	556 28%	411 32%	123 32%	455 62%	74 32%	26 25%	24 5%	48 13%	217 21%
Dissatisfied	2,139 65%	978 60%	1,162 70%	775 71%	838 69%	526 53%	815 61%	1,215 70%	109 44%	575 61%	536 64%	618 66%	410 70%	1,327 66%	812 63%	236 61%	253 34%	128 56%	64 61%	418 92%	320 83%	717 71%
No opinion	199 6%	105 6%	95 6%	84 8%	75 6%	40 4%	103 8%	92 5%	3 1%	77 8%	33 4%	35 4%	54 9%	135 7%	64 5%	27 7%	27 4%	28 12%	14 13%	13 3%	15 4%	76 8%

Q2 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the manner in which the Government is running the country?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Satisfied	967 29%	894 32%	800 34%	94 24%	3 2%	54 15%	399 22%	568 38%
Dissatisfied	2,139 65%	1,715 62%	1,432 61%	283 71%	135 93%	273 76%	1,280 70%	859 58%
No opinion	199 6%	153 6%	130 6%	23 6%	8 6%	34 9%	142 8%	57 4%

Q3 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			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Lein-ster	Mun-ster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Lab-our	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
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Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
Satisfied	1,562 47%	834 51%	728 44%	429 39%	561 46%	572 58%	652 49%	752 44%	157 63%	451 48%	390 46%	479 51%	242 41%	945 47%	616 48%	171 44%	633 86%	130 56%	50 49%	109 24%	117 31%	351 35%
Dissatisfied	1,516 46%	713 44%	804 48%	571 52%	583 48%	363 37%	557 42%	876 51%	83 33%	408 43%	399 47%	425 45%	284 48%	915 45%	601 47%	179 46%	84 11%	83 36%	50 48%	301 66%	254 66%	561 55%
No opinion	228 7%	88 5%	139 8%	98 9%	79 6%	52 5%	121 9%	98 6%	9 4%	81 9%	54 6%	33 4%	59 10%	158 8%	70 5%	36 9%	18 2%	17 7%	3 3%	44 10%	12 3%	98 10%

Q3 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Kenny is doing his job as Taoiseach?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Satisfied	1,562 47%	1,392 50%	1,209 51%	183 46%	45 31%	102 28%	750 41%	812 55%
Dissatisfied	1,516 46%	1,221 44%	1,038 44%	183 46%	69 47%	213 59%	907 50%	610 41%
No opinion	228 7%	149 5%	114 5%	35 9%	33 22%	46 13%	165 9%	63 4%

Q4 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Gilmore is doing his job as Tanaiste?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010
Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
Satisfied	1,210 37%	640 39%	570 34%	306 28%	436 36%	468 47%	484 36%	603 35%	124 49%	332 35%	302 36%	409 44%	167 29%	702 35%	508 39%	109 28%	501 68%	135 59%	34 33%	101 22%	78 20%	252 25%
Dissatisfied	1,722 52%	839 51%	884 53%	584 53%	677 55%	461 47%	685 51%	925 54%	113 45%	471 50%	449 53%	489 52%	313 53%	1,052 52%	670 52%	237 62%	183 25%	78 34%	54 52%	313 69%	271 71%	581 58%
No opinion	373 11%	156 10%	218 13%	206 19%	109 9%	58 6%	161 12%	199 12%	14 5%	137 15%	92 11%	39 4%	105 18%	264 13%	110 9%	39 10%	50 7%	17 7%	16 15%	41 9%	34 9%	177 17%

Q4 Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Mr. Gilmore is doing his job as Tanaiste?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Satisfied	1,210 37%	1,096 40%	949 40%	147 37%	39 26%	64 18%	554 30%	656 44%
Dissatisfied	1,722 52%	1,416 51%	1,225 52%	190 47%	79 54%	214 59%	990 54%	732 49%
No opinion	373 11%	251 9%	187 8%	64 16%	28 19%	83 23%	277 15%	96 6%

Q5 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			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010
Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
Satisfied	1,128 34%	548 34%	580 35%	320 29%	344 28%	464 47%	490 37%	547 32%	91 37%	262 28%	332 39%	377 40%	158 27%	671 33%	457 35%	273 71%	328 45%	84 36%	37 36%	70 15%	103 27%	233 23%
Dissatisfied	1,655 50%	830 51%	825 49%	560 51%	719 59%	376 38%	624 47%	902 52%	129 52%	482 51%	396 47%	457 49%	321 55%	986 49%	669 52%	103 27%	320 44%	105 46%	48 46%	294 65%	234 61%	547 54%
No opinion	522 16%	257 16%	265 16%	216 20%	160 13%	146 15%	216 16%	277 16%	30 12%	197 21%	115 14%	103 11%	107 18%	361 18%	162 13%	10 3%	86 12%	41 18%	18 18%	90 20%	46 12%	230 23%

Q5 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	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Satisfied	1,128 34%	1,024 37%	891 38%	133 33%	10 7%	77 21%	577 32%	551 37%
Dissatisfied	1,655 50%	1,332 48%	1,139 48%	193 48%	93 64%	219 61%	900 49%	755 51%
No opinion	522 16%	407 15%	332 14%	75 19%	43 29%	64 18%	344 19%	178 12%

Q6 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			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Lab- our	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/ Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010
Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
Satisfied	1,434 43%	786 48%	648 39%	421 38%	602 49%	411 42%	508 38%	839 49%	86 35%	379 40%	363 43%	444 47%	248 42%	866 43%	568 44%	157 41%	270 37%	93 40%	46 45%	364 80%	191 50%	312 31%
Dissatisfied	1,240 38%	616 38%	624 37%	429 39%	412 34%	398 40%	523 39%	613 36%	104 41%	363 39%	321 38%	364 39%	192 33%	777 38%	463 36%	180 47%	355 48%	91 40%	46 45%	51 11%	120 31%	392 39%
No opinion	632 19%	233 14%	399 24%	247 22%	208 17%	178 18%	298 22%	274 16%	60 24%	199 21%	159 19%	129 14%	146 25%	376 19%	256 20%	48 13%	110 15%	46 20%	11 11%	39 9%	72 19%	306 30%

Q6 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	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Satisfied	1,434 43%	1,252 45%	1,101 47%	151 38%	71 48%	101 28%	798 44%	636 43%
Dissatisfied	1,240 38%	1,027 37%	876 37%	152 38%	33 23%	169 47%	666 37%	574 39%
No opinion	632 19%	483 17%	385 16%	98 24%	43 29%	91 25%	358 20%	275 19%

Q7 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			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010
Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
Satisfied	963 29%	472 29%	491 29%	333 30%	330 27%	300 30%	426 32%	470 27%	67 27%	264 28%	233 28%	290 31%	176 30%	596 30%	367 29%	168 44%	185 25%	66 29%	88 85%	108 24%	85 22%	263 26%
Dissatisfied	1,293 39%	663 41%	630 38%	461 42%	489 40%	343 35%	472 35%	731 42%	91 36%	358 38%	343 41%	367 39%	225 38%	778 39%	515 40%	104 27%	344 47%	84 37%	14 14%	208 46%	188 49%	346 34%
No opinion	1,050 32%	500 31%	550 33%	303 28%	403 33%	343 35%	432 32%	525 30%	92 37%	319 34%	267 32%	280 30%	184 31%	644 32%	405 31%	113 29%	206 28%	79 35%	2 2%	139 31%	110 29%	401 40%

Q7 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	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Satisfied	963 29%	824 30%	708 30%	116 29%	54 37%	81 22%	536 29%	427 29%
Dissatisfied	1,293 39%	1,056 38%	910 39%	146 37%	43 30%	177 49%	713 39%	580 39%
No opinion	1,050 32%	882 32%	744 32%	138 34%	49 33%	103 29%	573 31%	477 32%

Q8 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			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010
Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
Fianna Fail	385 12%	206 13%	179 11%	91 8%	118 10%	177 18%	168 13%	183 11%	35 14%	92 10%	108 13%	128 14%	57 10%	220 11%	166 13%	385 100%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fine Gael	734 22%	416 25%	318 19%	160 15%	279 23%	295 30%	305 23%	336 19%	93 37%	201 21%	214 25%	199 21%	121 21%	435 22%	300 23%	-	734 100%	-	-	-	-	-
Labour	230 7%	94 6%	136 8%	90 8%	77 6%	62 6%	109 8%	115 7%	6 3%	74 8%	76 9%	74 8%	5 1%	170 8%	60 5%	-	-	230 100%	-	-	-	-
Green Party	104 3%	37 2%	67 4%	53 5%	37 3%	14 1%	35 3%	68 4%	1 0%	61 6%	10 1%	16 2%	17 3%	79 4%	25 2%	-	-	-	104 100%	-	-	-
Workers Party	5 0%	-	5 0%	-	1 0%	3 0%	-	5 0%	-	5 0%	-	-	-	5 0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sinn Fein	455 14%	259 16%	195 12%	205 19%	172 14%	77 8%	149 11%	303 18%	2 1%	119 13%	94 11%	107 11%	135 23%	276 14%	178 14%	-	-	-	-	455 100%	-	-
Independent/Other	383 12%	224 14%	159 9%	125 11%	154 13%	104 11%	164 12%	176 10%	43 17%	116 12%	85 10%	99 11%	83 14%	205 10%	178 14%	-	-	-	-	-	383 100%	-
Don't know	770 23%	315 19%	455 27%	288 26%	283 23%	199 20%	315 24%	404 23%	52 21%	233 25%	201 24%	215 23%	121 21%	465 23%	305 24%	-	-	-	-	-	-	770 76%
Would not vote	240 7%	83 5%	158 9%	84 8%	102 8%	55 6%	86 6%	138 8%	17 7%	40 4%	55 7%	98 10%	47 8%	164 8%	77 6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	240 24%

Q8 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	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Fianna Fail	385 12%	346 13%	308 13%	39 10%	22 15%	17 5%	215 12%	171 12%
Fine Gael	734 22%	689 25%	632 27%	57 14%	13 9%	32 9%	280 15%	454 31%
Labour	230 7%	202 7%	187 8%	15 4%	14 10%	13 4%	114 6%	115 8%
Green Party	104 3%	98 4%	85 4%	13 3%	3 2%	3 1%	68 4%	36 2%
Workers Party	5 0%	5 0%	5 0%	- -	- -	- -	1 0%	3 0%
Sinn Fein	455 14%	351 13%	295 13%	56 14%	45 31%	48 13%	264 14%	191 13%
Independent/Other	383 12%	360 13%	304 13%	56 14%	14 10%	9 2%	182 10%	201 14%
Don't know	770 23%	645 23%	514 22%	132 33%	11 7%	99 27%	502 28%	268 18%
Would not vote	240 7%	66 2%	31 1%	35 9%	25 17%	139 38%	195 11%	46 3%

Q8 If there was a General Election tomorrow, to which party or independent candidate would you give your first preference vote?

Base : All Irish Voters All voters excluding undecided	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	2,295	1,237	1,059	725	837	733	929	1,185	182	667	587	623	418	1,389	906	385	734	230	104	455	383	-
Unweighted Total	668	360	308	198	254	216	279	340	49	184	166	180	137	446	222	106	230	79	28	119	104	-
Fianna Fail	385 17%	206 17%	179 17%	91 13%	118 14%	177 24%	168 18%	183 15%	35 19%	92 14%	108 18%	128 21%	57 14%	220 16%	166 18%	385 100%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fine Gael	734 32%	416 34%	318 30%	160 22%	279 33%	295 40%	305 33%	336 28%	93 51%	201 30%	214 36%	199 32%	121 29%	435 31%	300 33%	-	734 100%	-	-	-	-	-
Labour	230 10%	94 8%	136 13%	90 12%	77 9%	62 8%	109 12%	115 10%	6 4%	74 11%	76 13%	74 12%	5 1%	170 12%	60 7%	-	-	230 100%	-	-	-	-
Green Party	104 5%	37 3%	67 6%	53 7%	37 4%	14 2%	35 4%	68 6%	1 0%	61 9%	10 2%	16 3%	17 4%	79 6%	25 3%	-	-	-	104 100%	-	-	-
Workers Party	5 0%	- -	5 0%	- -	1 0%	3 0%	- -	5 0%	- -	5 1%	- -	- -	- -	5 0%	- -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sinn Fein	455 20%	259 21%	195 18%	205 28%	172 21%	77 11%	149 16%	303 26%	2 1%	119 18%	94 16%	107 17%	135 32%	276 20%	178 20%	-	-	-	-	455 100%	-	-
Independent/Other	383 17%	224 18%	159 15%	125 17%	154 18%	104 14%	164 18%	176 15%	43 24%	116 17%	85 15%	99 16%	83 20%	205 15%	178 20%	-	-	-	-	-	383 100%	-

Q8 If there was a General Election tomorrow, to which party or independent candidate would you give your first preference vote?

Base : All Irish Voters All voters excluding undecided	Total	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	2,295	2,051	1,817	235	111	123	1,125	1,170
Unweighted Total	668	598	531	67	26	41	321	347
Fianna Fail	385 17%	346 17%	308 17%	39 17%	22 19%	17 14%	215 19%	171 15%
Fine Gael	734 32%	689 34%	632 35%	57 24%	13 12%	32 26%	280 25%	454 39%
Labour	230 10%	202 10%	187 10%	15 6%	14 13%	13 11%	114 10%	115 10%
Green Party	104 5%	98 5%	85 5%	13 5%	3 3%	3 3%	68 6%	36 3%
Workers Party	5 0%	5 0%	5 0%	- -	- -	- -	1 0%	3 0%
Sinn Fein	455 20%	351 17%	295 16%	56 24%	45 41%	48 39%	264 23%	191 16%
Independent/Other	383 17%	360 18%	304 17%	56 24%	14 13%	9 7%	182 16%	201 17%

Adjusted Party Support : Q8 If there was a General Election tomorrow, to which party or independent candidate would you give your first preference vote?

	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	1,807	1,000	806	470	702	634	743	927	136	579	471	440	316	1,138	668	273	595	250	86	282	317	-
Unweighted Total	534	294	240	118	223	193	226	270	38	159	134	138	102	361	173	85	199	66	21	78	83	-
Fianna Fail	273	152	121	42	90	140	100	150	23	75	69	88	41	158	115	273	-	-	-	-	-	-
	15%	15%	15%	9%	13%	22%	13%	16%	17%	13%	15%	20%	13%	14%	17%	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fine Gael	595	354	241	93	245	256	227	284	84	161	185	150	99	344	250	-	595	-	-	-	-	-
	33%	35%	30%	20%	35%	40%	30%	31%	62%	28%	39%	34%	31%	30%	37%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-
Labour	250	107	143	94	79	77	126	115	9	92	87	65	5	201	48	-	-	250	-	-	-	-
	14%	11%	18%	20%	11%	12%	17%	12%	7%	16%	19%	15%	1%	18%	7%	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-
Green Party	86	33	53	43	29	14	34	50	1	61	8	5	13	65	21	-	-	-	86	-	-	-
	5%	3%	7%	9%	4%	2%	5%	5%	1%	10%	2%	1%	4%	6%	3%	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-
Workers Party	5	-	5	-	1	3	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	0%	-	1%	-	0%	1%	-	1%	-	1%	-	-	-	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sinn Fein	282	166	116	97	115	69	106	174	2	76	53	59	94	177	105	-	-	-	-	282	-	-
	16%	17%	14%	21%	16%	11%	14%	19%	2%	13%	11%	13%	30%	16%	16%	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-
Independent/Other	317	189	128	101	142	74	151	150	16	110	69	73	65	188	129	-	-	-	-	-	317	-
	18%	19%	16%	21%	20%	12%	20%	16%	12%	19%	15%	17%	20%	17%	19%	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-

Adjusted Party Support : Q8 If there was a General Election tomorrow, to which party or independent candidate would you give your first preference vote?

	Total	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	1,807	1,807	1,807	-	-	-	783	1,023
Unweighted Total	534	534	534	-	-	-	224	310
Fianna Fail	273 15%	273 15%	273 15%	-	-	-	138 18%	135 13%
Fine Gael	595 33%	595 33%	595 33%	-	-	-	198 25%	397 39%
Labour	250 14%	250 14%	250 14%	-	-	-	119 15%	131 13%
Green Party	86 5%	86 5%	86 5%	-	-	-	50 6%	36 4%
Workers Party	5 0%	5 0%	5 0%	-	-	-	1 0%	3 0%
Sinn Fein	282 16%	282 16%	282 16%	-	-	-	138 18%	144 14%
Independent/Other	317 18%	317 18%	317 18%	-	-	-	139 18%	178 17%

Q9 As you are probably aware, on May 31st next a referendum will be held in relation to the European Union Fiscal Treaty – otherwise known as the Fiscal Compact Treaty.

In the referendum, people will be asked t

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Lein-ster	Mun-ster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Lab-our	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/ Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010
Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
Will vote yes in favour of the treaty	1,372 42%	813 50%	560 33%	335 31%	458 38%	579 59%	577 43%	654 38%	141 57%	386 41%	391 46%	396 42%	199 34%	794 39%	578 45%	211 55%	517 70%	102 45%	49 47%	55 12%	105 27%	333 33%
Will vote no against the treaty	887 27%	464 28%	424 25%	293 27%	392 32%	202 20%	357 27%	499 29%	31 13%	242 26%	179 21%	293 31%	173 30%	564 28%	323 25%	57 15%	65 9%	52 23%	28 27%	267 59%	149 39%	264 26%
Don't know (DO NOT READ OUT)	956 29%	299 18%	657 39%	434 40%	321 26%	201 20%	357 27%	536 31%	63 25%	302 32%	264 31%	219 23%	171 29%	634 31%	322 25%	104 27%	152 21%	75 33%	21 20%	127 28%	97 25%	379 37%
Will not vote (DO NOT READ OUT)	91 3%	60 4%	31 2%	35 3%	51 4%	5 0%	40 3%	37 2%	14 6%	11 1%	9 1%	29 3%	42 7%	26 1%	64 5%	13 3%	- -	- -	6 6%	6 1%	31 8%	35 3%

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In the referendum, people will be asked t

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		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Will vote yes in favour of the treaty	1,372 42%	1,254 45%	1,120 47%	134 33%	16 11%	98 27%	520 29%	853 57%
Will vote no against the treaty	887 27%	710 26%	590 25%	120 30%	54 37%	116 32%	441 24%	447 30%
Don't know (DO NOT READ OUT)	956 29%	754 27%	615 26%	139 35%	57 39%	120 33%	807 44%	148 10%
Will not vote (DO NOT READ OUT)	91 3%	45 2%	37 2%	8 2%	19 13%	27 7%	54 3%	36 2%

Q10 And thinking of the forthcoming European Union Fiscal Treaty Referendum.

On a scale of 1 to 5 where 5 is you understand it very well and 1 is you do not understand it at all, how well do you feel you understand it?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010
Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
1 Do not understand it at all	1,054 32%	420 26%	634 38%	438 40%	349 29%	267 27%	374 28%	578 33%	102 41%	304 32%	250 30%	288 31%	212 36%	673 33%	380 30%	106 28%	138 19%	67 29%	30 29%	166 36%	116 30%	430 43%
2 Do not understand it particularly well	768 23%	333 20%	435 26%	324 30%	243 20%	201 20%	272 20%	452 26%	45 18%	180 19%	235 28%	212 23%	141 24%	459 23%	309 24%	109 28%	143 19%	47 21%	38 37%	98 22%	66 17%	267 26%
3 Understand it to some extent	906 27%	459 28%	447 27%	230 21%	412 34%	264 27%	414 31%	426 25%	66 26%	280 30%	221 26%	256 27%	149 25%	523 26%	383 30%	105 27%	276 38%	57 25%	20 19%	111 24%	119 31%	218 22%
4 Understand it quite well	395 12%	268 16%	126 8%	61 6%	166 14%	168 17%	181 14%	186 11%	28 11%	126 13%	88 10%	115 12%	65 11%	227 11%	167 13%	40 10%	130 18%	49 21%	16 15%	41 9%	63 17%	52 5%
5 Understand it very well	183 6%	154 9%	29 2%	44 4%	53 4%	86 9%	89 7%	84 5%	10 4%	51 5%	47 6%	66 7%	19 3%	136 7%	48 4%	26 7%	48 7%	9 4%	- -	38 8%	19 5%	44 4%
Mean	2.36	2.64	2.09	2.04	2.45	2.60	2.50	2.27	2.20	2.41	2.34	2.42	2.21	2.35	2.37	2.40	2.74	2.50	2.21	2.31	2.49	2.02

Q10 And thinking of the forthcoming European Union Fiscal Treaty Referendum.

On a scale of 1 to 5 where 5 is you understand it very well and 1 is you do not understand it at all, how well do you feel you understand

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Understand	Understand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
1 Do not understand it at all	1,054 32%	771 28%	624 26%	146 37%	67 46%	192 53%	1,054 58%	- -
2 Do not understand it particularly well	768 23%	634 23%	492 21%	142 35%	51 35%	83 23%	768 42%	- -
3 Understand it to some extent	906 27%	803 29%	727 31%	75 19%	25 17%	71 20%	- -	906 61%
4 Understand it quite well	395 12%	392 14%	365 15%	27 7%	- -	3 1%	- -	395 27%
5 Understand it very well	183 6%	163 6%	153 6%	10 3%	3 2%	11 3%	- -	183 12%
Mean	2.36	2.47	2.55	2.03	1.77	1.77	1.42	3.51

Q11 How likely would you be to vote if there was a General Election tomorrow?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010
Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
Would definitely vote	2,362 71%	1,218 74%	1,144 68%	585 53%	946 77%	830 84%	990 74%	1,201 70%	170 68%	741 79%	609 72%	612 65%	400 68%	1,459 72%	903 70%	308 80%	632 86%	187 82%	85 82%	295 65%	304 79%	545 54%
Would probably vote	401 12%	142 9%	258 15%	212 19%	110 9%	78 8%	141 11%	212 12%	48 19%	63 7%	126 15%	150 16%	62 11%	225 11%	175 14%	39 10%	57 8%	15 7%	13 12%	56 12%	56 14%	166 16%
Might/might not vote	146 4%	76 5%	71 4%	84 8%	59 5%	4 0%	62 5%	73 4%	12 5%	31 3%	19 2%	65 7%	31 5%	75 4%	71 6%	22 6%	13 2%	14 6%	3 3%	45 10%	14 4%	36 4%
Would probably not vote	188 6%	94 6%	94 6%	98 9%	59 5%	31 3%	76 6%	101 6%	11 4%	31 3%	63 7%	38 4%	56 10%	109 5%	79 6%	14 4%	27 4%	4 2%	2 2%	39 9%	6 1%	96 10%
Would definitely not vote	173 5%	83 5%	90 5%	96 9%	39 3%	38 4%	45 3%	119 7%	9 4%	58 6%	20 2%	67 7%	27 5%	122 6%	51 4%	4 1%	5 1%	9 4%	1 1%	9 2%	3 1%	142 14%
Don't know	36 1%	22 1%	14 1%	22 2%	9 1%	6 1%	16 1%	21 1%	- -	16 2%	6 1%	6 1%	9 2%	27 1%	9 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -	11 2%	- -	25 3%
Mean	4.40	4.44	4.37	4.02	4.54	4.66	4.49	4.33	4.44	4.51	4.48	4.29	4.30	4.40	4.41	4.64	4.75	4.60	4.71	4.33	4.70	3.89

Q11 How likely would you be to vote if there was a General Election tomorrow?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Would definitely vote	2,362 71%	2,362 85%	2,362 100%	- -	- -	- -	1,117 61%	1,245 84%
Would probably vote	401 12%	401 15%	- -	401 100%	- -	- -	289 16%	112 8%
Might/might not vote	146 4%	- -	- -	- -	146 100%	- -	118 6%	28 2%
Would probably not vote	188 6%	- -	- -	- -	- -	188 52%	139 8%	49 3%
Would definitely not vote	173 5%	- -	- -	- -	- -	173 48%	136 7%	36 2%
Don't know	36 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23 1%	13 1%
Mean	4.40	4.85	5.00	4.00	3.00	1.52	4.17	4.69

Q12 And finally, to which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in last February's General Election?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010
Unweighted Total	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	106	230	79	28	119	104	278
Fianna Fail	513 16%	244 15%	269 16%	98 9%	171 14%	244 25%	201 15%	266 15%	46 18%	150 16%	125 15%	168 18%	70 12%	279 14%	234 18%	272 71%	57 8%	9 4%	10 10%	21 5%	36 9%	107 11%
Fine Gael	978 30%	493 30%	485 29%	186 17%	436 36%	356 36%	414 31%	453 26%	111 44%	270 29%	241 29%	284 30%	183 31%	565 28%	413 32%	34 9%	548 75%	21 9%	23 22%	53 12%	66 17%	233 23%
Labour	351 11%	160 10%	191 11%	111 10%	129 11%	111 11%	146 11%	201 12%	4 2%	106 11%	90 11%	137 15%	19 3%	246 12%	105 8%	15 4%	10 1%	157 68%	2 2%	26 6%	38 10%	102 10%
Green Party	49 1%	26 2%	23 1%	11 1%	18 1%	19 2%	28 2%	21 1%	- -	30 3%	- -	9 1%	9 2%	39 2%	9 1%	1 0%	- -	- -	23 22%	7 1%	- -	18 2%
Workers Party	1 0%	- -	1 0%	- -	1 0%	- -	- -	1 0%	- -	1 0%	- -	- -	- -	1 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Sinn Fein	240 7%	131 8%	109 7%	79 7%	122 10%	39 4%	81 6%	159 9%	- -	86 9%	47 6%	32 3%	76 13%	163 8%	77 6%	- -	1 0%	- -	- -	200 44%	16 4%	23 2%
Independent/Other	364 11%	212 13%	152 9%	132 12%	135 11%	98 10%	115 9%	213 12%	36 14%	68 7%	88 10%	110 12%	98 17%	195 10%	170 13%	8 2%	34 5%	7 3%	5 5%	68 15%	162 42%	77 8%
Don't know	409 12%	157 10%	253 15%	180 16%	131 11%	98 10%	165 12%	201 12%	44 17%	92 10%	142 17%	104 11%	72 12%	245 12%	164 13%	21 5%	40 5%	26 11%	27 26%	26 6%	39 10%	231 23%
Did not vote	399 12%	212 13%	187 11%	300 27%	78 6%	21 2%	179 13%	212 12%	9 4%	136 14%	110 13%	94 10%	59 10%	285 14%	114 9%	34 9%	44 6%	9 4%	13 13%	53 12%	26 7%	219 22%

Q12 And finally, to which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in last February's General Election?

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	3,306	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted Total	946	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Fianna Fail	513 16%	480 17%	428 18%	52 13%	23 16%	10 3%	278 15%	235 16%
Fine Gael	978 30%	884 32%	794 34%	90 22%	21 15%	64 18%	435 24%	542 37%
Labour	351 11%	292 11%	238 10%	53 13%	22 15%	37 10%	215 12%	137 9%
Green Party	49 1%	38 1%	35 1%	3 1%	2 1%	8 2%	24 1%	25 2%
Workers Party	1 0%	1 0%	1 0%	- -	- -	- -	1 0%	- -
Sinn Fein	240 7%	208 8%	189 8%	19 5%	- -	29 8%	110 6%	130 9%
Independent/Other	364 11%	340 12%	298 13%	42 10%	10 7%	11 3%	196 11%	168 11%
Don't know	409 12%	365 13%	282 12%	83 21%	10 7%	20 6%	273 15%	137 9%
Did not vote	399 12%	154 6%	96 4%	58 14%	57 39%	180 50%	290 16%	109 7%

Q13 And finally, to which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in last February's General Election?

Base : All Irish Voters : All Voters Excluding did not vote (Last Gen Election)	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		Party Support						
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/ Others	Would not/DK
Weighted Total	2,497	1,266	1,231	617	1,013	867	986	1,314	197	712	591	739	455	1,488	1,009	330	650	194	64	375	318	560
Unweighted Total	728	378	350	164	305	259	302	376	50	199	172	210	146	484	244	87	205	66	19	97	86	166
Fianna Fail	513 21%	244 19%	269 22%	98 16%	171 17%	244 28%	201 20%	266 20%	46 23%	150 21%	125 21%	168 23%	70 15%	279 19%	234 23%	272 82%	57 9%	9 5%	10 16%	21 6%	36 11%	107 19%
Fine Gael	978 39%	493 39%	485 39%	186 30%	436 43%	356 41%	414 42%	453 35%	111 56%	270 38%	241 41%	284 38%	183 40%	565 38%	413 41%	34 10%	548 84%	21 11%	23 36%	53 14%	66 21%	233 42%
Labour	351 14%	160 13%	191 16%	111 18%	129 13%	111 13%	146 15%	201 15%	4 2%	106 15%	90 15%	137 18%	19 4%	246 17%	105 10%	15 5%	10 2%	157 81%	2 4%	26 7%	38 12%	102 18%
Green Party	49 2%	26 2%	23 2%	11 2%	18 2%	19 2%	28 3%	21 2%	- -	30 4%	- -	9 1%	9 2%	39 3%	9 1%	1 0%	- -	- -	23 36%	7 2%	- -	18 3%
Workers Party	1 0%	- -	1 0%	- -	1 0%	- -	- -	1 0%	- -	1 0%	- -	- -	- -	1 0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Sinn Fein	240 10%	131 10%	109 9%	79 13%	122 12%	39 4%	81 8%	159 12%	- -	86 12%	47 8%	32 4%	76 17%	163 11%	77 8%	- -	1 0%	- -	- -	200 53%	16 5%	23 4%
Independent/Other	364 15%	212 17%	152 12%	132 21%	135 13%	98 11%	115 12%	213 16%	36 18%	68 10%	88 15%	110 15%	98 21%	195 13%	170 17%	8 2%	34 5%	7 4%	5 8%	68 18%	162 51%	77 14%

Q13 And finally, to which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in last February's General Election?

Base : All Irish Voters : All Voters Excluding did not vote (Last Gen Election)	Total	Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted Total	2,497	2,243	1,984	259	79	161	1,259	1,238
Unweighted Total	728	652	580	72	19	53	357	371
Fianna Fail	513 21%	480 21%	428 22%	52 20%	23 29%	10 6%	278 22%	235 19%
Fine Gael	978 39%	884 39%	794 40%	90 35%	21 27%	64 40%	435 35%	542 44%
Labour	351 14%	292 13%	238 12%	53 21%	22 28%	37 23%	215 17%	137 11%
Green Party	49 2%	38 2%	35 2%	3 1%	2 3%	8 5%	24 2%	25 2%
Workers Party	1 0%	1 0%	1 0%	- -	- -	- -	1 0%	- -
Sinn Fein	240 10%	208 9%	189 10%	19 7%	- -	29 18%	110 9%	130 10%
Independent/Other	364 15%	340 15%	298 15%	42 16%	10 13%	11 7%	196 16%	168 14%

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Lein-ster	Mun-ster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	
Weighted	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	
Unweighted	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	
Gender																
Male	1,635 49%	1,635 100%	- -	560 51%	620 51%	454 46%	679 51%	791 46%	165 66%	519 55%	381 45%	456 49%	278 47%	1,044 52%	590 46%	
Female	1,671 51%	- -	1,671 100%	537 49%	602 49%	533 54%	651 49%	935 54%	85 34%	421 45%	462 55%	481 51%	308 53%	974 48%	697 54%	
Age																
18-34	1,097 33%	560 34%	537 32%	1,097 100%	- -	- -	539 41%	500 29%	58 23%	367 39%	283 34%	267 29%	180 31%	769 38%	328 25%	
35-54	1,222 37%	620 38%	602 36%	- -	1,222 100%	- -	510 38%	627 36%	85 34%	298 32%	315 37%	383 41%	226 39%	683 34%	539 42%	
55+	987 30%	454 28%	533 32%	- -	- -	987 100%	280 21%	599 35%	107 43%	275 29%	244 29%	287 31%	180 31%	566 28%	421 33%	
Class																
ABC1	1,330 40%	679 42%	651 39%	539 49%	510 42%	280 28%	1,330 100%	- -	- -	478 51%	343 41%	320 34%	189 32%	910 45%	420 33%	
C2DE	1,726 52%	791 48%	935 56%	500 46%	627 51%	599 61%	- -	1,726 100%	- -	459 49%	431 51%	508 54%	328 56%	1,090 54%	636 49%	
F	250 8%	165 10%	85 5%	58 5%	85 7%	107 11%	- -	- -	250 100%	3 0%	69 8%	109 12%	69 12%	18 1%	232 18%	
Region																
Dublin	940 28%	519 32%	421 25%	367 33%	298 24%	275 28%	478 36%	459 27%	3 1%	940 100%	- -	- -	- -	940 47%	- -	
Lein-ster	843 25%	381 23%	462 28%	283 26%	315 26%	244 25%	343 26%	431 25%	69 27%	- -	843 100%	- -	- -	441 22%	402 31%	

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287
Unweighted	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304
Munster	937	456	481	267	383	287	320	508	109	-	-	937	-	419	518
	28%	28%	29%	24%	31%	29%	24%	29%	44%	-	-	100%	-	21%	40%
Conn/Ulster	586	278	308	180	226	180	189	328	69	-	-	-	586	218	368
	18%	17%	18%	16%	18%	18%	14%	19%	28%	-	-	-	100%	11%	29%
Area															
Urban	2,018	1,044	974	769	683	566	910	1,090	18	940	441	419	218	2,018	-
	61%	64%	58%	70%	56%	57%	68%	63%	7%	100%	52%	45%	37%	100%	-
Rural	1,287	590	697	328	539	421	420	636	232	-	402	518	368	-	1,287
	39%	36%	42%	30%	44%	43%	32%	37%	93%	-	48%	55%	63%	-	100%
Party Support															
Fianna Fail	385	206	179	91	118	177	168	183	35	92	108	128	57	220	166
	12%	13%	11%	8%	10%	18%	13%	11%	14%	10%	13%	14%	10%	11%	13%
Fine Gael	734	416	318	160	279	295	305	336	93	201	214	199	121	435	300
	22%	25%	19%	15%	23%	30%	23%	20%	37%	21%	25%	21%	21%	22%	23%
Labour	230	94	136	90	77	62	109	115	6	74	76	74	5	170	60
	7%	6%	8%	8%	6%	6%	8%	7%	3%	8%	9%	8%	1%	8%	5%
Green Party	104	37	67	53	37	14	35	68	1	61	10	16	17	79	25
	3%	2%	4%	5%	3%	1%	3%	4%	0%	7%	1%	2%	3%	4%	2%
Sinn Fein	455	259	195	205	172	77	149	303	2	119	94	107	135	276	178
	14%	16%	12%	19%	14%	8%	11%	18%	1%	13%	11%	11%	23%	14%	14%
Independent/Others	383	224	159	125	154	104	164	176	43	116	85	99	83	205	178
	12%	14%	10%	11%	13%	11%	12%	10%	17%	12%	10%	11%	14%	10%	14%
Would not/Don't Know	1,010	398	613	372	385	253	401	541	68	273	256	314	167	629	382
	31%	24%	37%	34%	32%	26%	30%	31%	27%	29%	30%	33%	29%	31%	30%
Likelihood															

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	
Weighted	3,306	1,635	1,671	1,097	1,222	987	1,330	1,726	250	940	843	937	586	2,018	1,287	
Unweighted	946	466	480	287	367	292	387	496	63	253	232	266	194	642	304	
Would vote	2,763	1,360	1,403	797	1,057	909	1,131	1,413	218	805	735	761	462	1,684	1,078	
	84%	84%	85%	74%	87%	93%	86%	83%	87%	87%	88%	82%	80%	85%	84%	
Might/might not	146	76	71	84	59	4	62	73	12	31	19	65	31	75	71	
	4%	5%	4%	8%	5%	0%	5%	4%	5%	3%	2%	7%	5%	4%	6%	
Would not Vote	361	176	184	194	98	69	121	219	20	89	83	105	84	231	130	
	11%	11%	11%	18%	8%	7%	9%	13%	8%	10%	10%	11%	14%	12%	10%	
Mean	4.40	4.44	4.37	4.02	4.54	4.66	4.49	4.33	4.44	4.51	4.48	4.29	4.30	4.40	4.41	
Marital Status																
Single	917	451	466	593	248	76	419	443	55	330	203	215	168	625	292	
	28%	28%	28%	54%	20%	8%	32%	26%	22%	35%	24%	23%	29%	31%	23%	
Married	1,666	872	794	245	813	607	624	883	158	369	446	544	306	924	741	
	50%	53%	47%	22%	67%	62%	47%	51%	63%	39%	53%	58%	52%	46%	58%	
Co-habiting	299	171	129	205	70	25	173	113	13	86	68	85	60	199	100	
	9%	10%	8%	19%	6%	2%	13%	7%	5%	9%	8%	9%	10%	10%	8%	
Widowed	231	68	163	-	7	224	50	163	18	71	74	54	33	144	87	
	7%	4%	10%	-	1%	23%	4%	9%	7%	8%	9%	6%	6%	7%	7%	
Divorced/seperated	193	74	120	54	84	56	64	123	6	84	52	39	18	125	68	
	6%	5%	7%	5%	7%	6%	5%	7%	2%	9%	6%	4%	3%	6%	5%	
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/ Others	Would not/DK	Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted	3,306	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted	946	106	230	79	28	119	104	278	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Gender															
Male	1,635 49%	206 53%	416 57%	94 41%	37 36%	259 57%	224 59%	398 39%	1,360 49%	1,218 52%	142 36%	76 52%	176 49%	753 41%	882 59%
Female	1,671 51%	179 47%	318 43%	136 59%	67 64%	195 43%	159 41%	613 61%	1,403 51%	1,144 48%	258 64%	71 48%	184 51%	1,069 59%	603 41%
Age															
18-34	1,097 33%	91 24%	160 22%	90 39%	53 51%	205 45%	125 33%	372 37%	797 29%	585 25%	212 53%	84 57%	194 54%	762 42%	335 23%
35-54	1,222 37%	118 30%	279 38%	77 34%	37 35%	172 38%	154 40%	385 38%	1,057 38%	946 40%	110 27%	59 41%	98 27%	591 32%	631 42%
55+	987 30%	177 46%	295 40%	62 27%	14 14%	77 17%	104 27%	253 25%	909 33%	830 35%	78 20%	4 2%	69 19%	468 26%	518 35%
Class															
ABC1	1,330 40%	168 43%	305 42%	109 47%	35 34%	149 33%	164 43%	401 40%	1,131 41%	990 42%	141 35%	62 42%	121 34%	645 35%	685 46%
C2DE	1,726 52%	183 47%	336 46%	115 50%	68 66%	303 67%	176 46%	541 54%	1,413 51%	1,201 51%	212 53%	73 50%	219 61%	1,030 57%	696 47%
F	250 8%	35 9%	93 13%	6 3%	1 1%	2 1%	43 11%	68 7%	218 8%	170 7%	48 12%	12 8%	20 6%	147 8%	103 7%
Region															
Dublin	940 28%	92 24%	201 27%	74 32%	61 59%	119 26%	116 30%	273 27%	805 29%	741 31%	63 16%	31 21%	89 25%	483 27%	457 31%
Lein-ster	843 25%	108 28%	214 29%	76 33%	10 10%	94 21%	85 22%	256 25%	735 27%	609 26%	126 31%	19 13%	83 23%	486 27%	357 24%

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/ Others	Would not/DK	Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted	3,306	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484
Unweighted	946	106	230	79	28	119	104	278	792	677	115	41	105	501	445
Mun-ster	937	128	199	74	16	107	99	314	761	612	150	65	105	500	437
	28%	33%	27%	32%	15%	24%	26%	31%	28%	26%	37%	45%	29%	27%	29%
Conn/Ulster	586	57	121	5	17	135	83	167	462	400	62	31	84	353	233
	18%	15%	16%	2%	17%	30%	22%	17%	17%	17%	15%	21%	23%	19%	16%
Area															
Urban	2,018	220	435	170	79	276	205	629	1,684	1,459	225	75	231	1,132	886
	61%	57%	59%	74%	76%	61%	54%	62%	61%	62%	56%	52%	64%	62%	60%
Rural	1,287	166	300	60	25	178	178	382	1,078	903	175	71	130	689	598
	39%	43%	41%	26%	24%	39%	46%	38%	39%	38%	44%	48%	36%	38%	40%
Party Support															
Fianna Fail	385	385	-	-	-	-	-	-	346	308	39	22	17	215	171
	12%	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	13%	13%	10%	15%	5%	12%	12%
Fine Gael	734	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	689	632	57	13	32	280	454
	22%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	25%	27%	14%	9%	9%	15%	31%
Labour	230	-	-	230	-	-	-	-	202	187	15	14	13	114	115
	7%	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-	7%	8%	4%	10%	4%	6%	8%
Green Party	104	-	-	-	104	-	-	-	98	85	13	3	3	68	36
	3%	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-	4%	4%	3%	2%	1%	4%	2%
Sinn Fein	455	-	-	-	-	455	-	-	351	295	56	45	48	264	191
	14%	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-	13%	13%	14%	31%	13%	15%	13%
Independent/Others	383	-	-	-	-	-	383	-	360	304	56	14	9	182	201
	12%	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-	13%	13%	14%	10%	2%	10%	14%
Would not/Don't Know	1,010	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,010	711	545	166	36	238	697	314
	31%	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	26%	23%	41%	24%	66%	38%	21%
Likelihood															

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Voters	Total	Party Support							Likelihood					Treaty Understanding		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/ Others	Would not/DK	Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand	
Weighted	3,306	385	734	230	104	455	383	1,010	2,763	2,362	401	146	361	1,822	1,484	
Unweighted	946	106	230	79	28	119	104	278	792	677	115	41	105	501	445	
Would vote	2,763 84%	346 90%	689 94%	202 88%	98 94%	351 79%	360 94%	711 72%	2,763 100%	2,362 100%	401 100%	- -	- -	1,405 78%	1,357 92%	
Might/might not	146 4%	22 6%	13 2%	14 6%	3 3%	45 10%	14 4%	36 4%	- -	- -	- -	146 100%	- -	118 7%	28 2%	
Would not Vote	361 11%	17 5%	32 4%	13 6%	3 3%	48 11%	9 2%	238 24%	- -	- -	- -	- -	361 100%	275 15%	86 6%	
Mean	4.40	4.64	4.75	4.60	4.71	4.33	4.70	3.89	4.85	5.00	4.00	3.00	1.52	4.17	4.69	
Marital Status																
Single	917 28%	98 25%	151 21%	69 30%	33 32%	168 37%	95 25%	301 30%	691 25%	514 22%	178 44%	62 42%	146 41%	576 32%	341 23%	
Married	1,666 50%	204 53%	450 61%	115 50%	30 29%	184 40%	218 57%	460 46%	1,480 54%	1,312 56%	167 42%	42 29%	136 38%	823 45%	842 57%	
Co-habiting	299 9%	41 11%	55 7%	19 8%	12 12%	57 13%	23 6%	92 9%	238 9%	204 9%	34 8%	18 12%	36 10%	168 9%	131 9%	
Widowed	231 7%	40 10%	57 8%	14 6%	7 6%	9 2%	11 3%	93 9%	211 8%	198 8%	14 3%	1 1%	18 5%	118 7%	113 8%	
Divorced/seperated	193 6%	3 1%	21 3%	11 5%	22 21%	37 8%	36 9%	64 6%	143 5%	135 6%	8 2%	24 16%	24 7%	136 7%	57 4%	
Refused	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Lein-ster	Mun-ster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	
Weighted	3,421	1,678	1,743	1,166	1,264	991	1,373	1,794	254	981	864	957	618	2,092	1,329	
Unweighted	979	477	502	307	378	294	401	514	64	265	237	272	204	666	313	
Gender																
Male	1,678 49%	1,678 100%	- -	595 51%	626 50%	456 46%	688 50%	820 46%	169 67%	537 55%	391 45%	457 48%	292 47%	1,065 51%	612 46%	
Female	1,743 51%	- -	1,743 100%	571 49%	638 50%	535 54%	685 50%	974 54%	85 33%	444 45%	473 55%	500 52%	326 53%	1,027 49%	717 54%	
Age																
18-34	1,166 34%	595 35%	571 33%	1,166 100%	- -	- -	561 41%	543 30%	62 24%	397 40%	298 35%	276 29%	195 32%	814 39%	352 27%	
35-54	1,264 37%	626 37%	638 37%	- -	1,264 100%	- -	529 39%	651 36%	85 33%	309 31%	321 37%	393 41%	241 39%	711 34%	554 42%	
55+	991 29%	456 27%	535 31%	- -	- -	991 100%	282 21%	601 34%	107 42%	275 28%	244 28%	289 30%	182 30%	568 27%	423 32%	
Class																
ABC1	1,373 40%	688 41%	685 39%	561 48%	529 42%	282 29%	1,373 100%	- -	- -	510 52%	349 40%	322 34%	193 31%	947 45%	426 32%	
C2DE	1,794 52%	820 49%	974 56%	543 47%	651 51%	601 61%	- -	1,794 100%	- -	469 48%	447 52%	526 55%	353 57%	1,127 54%	667 50%	
F	254 7%	169 10%	85 5%	62 5%	85 7%	107 11%	- -	- -	254 100%	3 0%	69 8%	109 11%	73 12%	18 1%	235 18%	
Region																
Dublin	981 29%	537 32%	444 25%	397 34%	309 24%	275 28%	510 37%	469 26%	3 1%	981 100%	- -	- -	- -	981 47%	- -	
Lein-ster	864 25%	391 23%	473 27%	298 26%	321 25%	244 25%	349 25%	447 25%	69 27%	- -	864 100%	- -	- -	451 22%	413 31%	

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area	
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Weighted	3,421	1,678	1,743	1,166	1,264	991	1,373	1,794	254	981	864	957	618	2,092	1,329
Unweighted	979	477	502	307	378	294	401	514	64	265	237	272	204	666	313
Munster	957	457	500	276	393	289	322	526	109	-	-	957	-	435	522
	28%	27%	29%	24%	31%	29%	23%	29%	43%	-	-	100%	-	21%	39%
Conn/Ulster	618	292	326	195	241	182	193	353	73	-	-	-	618	225	394
	18%	17%	19%	17%	19%	18%	14%	20%	29%	-	-	-	100%	11%	30%
Area															
Urban	2,092	1,065	1,027	814	711	568	947	1,127	18	981	451	435	225	2,092	-
	61%	64%	59%	70%	56%	57%	69%	63%	7%	100%	52%	45%	36%	100%	-
Rural	1,329	612	717	352	554	423	426	667	235	-	413	522	394	-	1,329
	39%	36%	41%	30%	44%	43%	31%	37%	93%	-	48%	55%	64%	-	100%
Party Support															
Fianna Fail	391	206	185	96	118	177	169	187	35	94	108	132	57	221	170
	11%	12%	11%	8%	9%	18%	12%	10%	14%	10%	12%	14%	9%	11%	13%
Fine Gael	752	418	334	164	293	295	313	345	93	207	215	199	130	443	309
	22%	25%	19%	14%	23%	30%	23%	19%	37%	21%	25%	21%	21%	21%	23%
Labour	230	94	136	90	77	62	109	115	6	74	76	74	5	170	60
	7%	6%	8%	8%	6%	6%	8%	6%	3%	8%	9%	8%	1%	8%	4%
Green Party	104	37	67	53	37	14	35	68	1	61	10	16	17	79	25
	3%	2%	4%	5%	3%	1%	3%	4%	0%	6%	1%	2%	3%	4%	2%
Sinn Fein	463	263	200	214	172	77	149	307	6	120	94	109	140	281	182
	14%	16%	11%	18%	14%	8%	11%	17%	2%	12%	11%	11%	23%	13%	14%
Independent/Others	385	226	159	125	154	106	164	178	43	116	85	99	85	205	180
	11%	13%	9%	11%	12%	11%	12%	10%	17%	12%	10%	10%	14%	10%	14%
Would not/Don't Know	1,092	433	659	423	414	255	434	590	68	305	275	328	184	688	404
	32%	26%	38%	36%	33%	26%	32%	33%	27%	31%	32%	34%	30%	33%	30%
Likelihood															

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Gender		Age			Class			Region				Area		
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	F	Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural	
Weighted	3,421	1,678	1,743	1,166	1,264	991	1,373	1,794	254	981	864	957	618	2,092	1,329	
Unweighted	979	477	502	307	378	294	401	514	64	265	237	272	204	666	313	
Would vote	2,809	1,375	1,433	828	1,071	909	1,149	1,442	218	816	752	765	475	1,707	1,101	
	83%	83%	83%	72%	86%	92%	85%	81%	86%	85%	88%	80%	78%	83%	84%	
Might/might not	148	76	72	85	59	4	62	74	12	31	19	65	32	77	71	
	4%	5%	4%	7%	5%	0%	5%	4%	5%	3%	2%	7%	5%	4%	5%	
Would not Vote	418	200	218	231	115	73	137	258	24	112	83	121	102	274	144	
	12%	12%	13%	20%	9%	7%	10%	15%	9%	12%	10%	13%	17%	13%	11%	
Mean	4.35	4.40	4.31	3.95	4.49	4.65	4.45	4.27	4.39	4.45	4.48	4.24	4.20	4.34	4.37	
Marital Status																
Single	953	468	485	620	257	76	427	467	59	348	205	218	182	651	302	
	28%	28%	28%	53%	20%	8%	31%	26%	23%	35%	24%	23%	29%	31%	23%	
Married	1,713	894	819	276	828	609	643	912	158	384	455	550	325	945	768	
	50%	53%	47%	24%	65%	61%	47%	51%	62%	39%	53%	57%	53%	45%	58%	
Co-habiting	318	174	143	216	78	25	186	119	13	95	77	85	60	214	104	
	9%	10%	8%	18%	6%	2%	14%	7%	5%	10%	9%	9%	10%	10%	8%	
Widowed	233	68	165	-	7	226	52	163	18	71	74	56	33	146	87	
	7%	4%	9%	-	1%	23%	4%	9%	7%	7%	9%	6%	5%	7%	7%	
Divorced/seperated	204	74	131	54	95	56	65	133	6	84	52	49	19	136	68	
	6%	4%	8%	5%	7%	6%	5%	7%	2%	9%	6%	5%	3%	7%	5%	
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Party Support							Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/ Others	Would not/DK	Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted	3,421	391	752	230	104	463	385	1,092	2,809	2,384	425	148	418	1,890	1,531
Unweighted	979	108	235	79	28	123	105	299	804	682	122	42	122	522	457
Gender															
Male	1,678 49%	206 53%	418 56%	94 41%	37 36%	263 57%	226 59%	433 40%	1,375 49%	1,227 51%	149 35%	76 51%	200 48%	774 41%	903 59%
Female	1,743 51%	185 47%	334 44%	136 59%	67 64%	200 43%	159 41%	659 60%	1,433 51%	1,157 49%	276 65%	72 49%	218 52%	1,116 59%	627 41%
Age															
18-34	1,166 34%	96 25%	164 22%	90 39%	53 51%	214 46%	125 33%	423 39%	828 29%	605 25%	224 53%	85 57%	231 55%	807 43%	359 23%
35-54	1,264 37%	118 30%	293 39%	77 34%	37 35%	172 37%	154 40%	414 38%	1,071 38%	949 40%	123 29%	59 40%	115 27%	613 32%	651 43%
55+	991 29%	177 45%	295 39%	62 27%	14 14%	77 17%	106 28%	255 23%	909 32%	830 35%	78 18%	4 2%	73 17%	470 25%	520 34%
Class															
ABC1	1,373 40%	169 43%	313 42%	109 47%	35 34%	149 32%	164 42%	434 40%	1,149 41%	998 42%	151 35%	62 42%	137 33%	673 36%	700 46%
C2DE	1,794 52%	187 48%	345 46%	115 50%	68 66%	307 66%	178 46%	590 54%	1,442 51%	1,215 51%	227 53%	74 50%	258 62%	1,067 56%	728 48%
F	254 7%	35 9%	93 12%	6 3%	1 1%	6 1%	43 11%	68 6%	218 8%	170 7%	48 11%	12 8%	24 6%	150 8%	103 7%
Region															
Dublin	981 29%	94 24%	207 28%	74 32%	61 59%	120 26%	116 30%	305 28%	816 29%	749 31%	67 16%	31 21%	112 27%	517 27%	465 30%
Lein-ster	864 25%	108 28%	215 29%	76 33%	10 10%	94 20%	85 22%	275 25%	752 27%	616 26%	136 32%	19 13%	83 20%	492 26%	372 24%

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Party Support							Likelihood					Treaty Understanding	
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/ Others	Would not/DK	Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/ might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand
Weighted	3,421	391	752	230	104	463	385	1,092	2,809	2,384	425	148	418	1,890	1,531
Unweighted	979	108	235	79	28	123	105	299	804	682	122	42	122	522	457
Mun-ster	957	132	199	74	16	109	99	328	765	616	150	65	121	509	448
	28%	34%	26%	32%	15%	24%	26%	30%	27%	26%	35%	44%	29%	27%	29%
Conn/Ulster	618	57	130	5	17	140	85	184	475	403	72	32	102	372	246
	18%	15%	17%	2%	17%	30%	22%	17%	17%	17%	17%	22%	24%	20%	16%
Area															
Urban	2,092	221	443	170	79	281	205	688	1,707	1,467	241	77	274	1,184	908
	61%	57%	59%	74%	76%	61%	53%	63%	61%	62%	57%	52%	66%	63%	59%
Rural	1,329	170	309	60	25	182	180	404	1,101	917	184	71	144	706	622
	39%	43%	41%	26%	24%	39%	47%	37%	39%	38%	43%	48%	34%	37%	41%
Party Support															
Fianna Fail	391	391	-	-	-	-	-	-	351	312	39	22	19	220	171
	11%	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	13%	13%	9%	15%	5%	12%	11%
Fine Gael	752	-	752	-	-	-	-	-	701	636	65	13	37	294	458
	22%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	25%	27%	15%	9%	9%	16%	30%
Labour	230	-	-	230	-	-	-	-	202	187	15	14	13	114	115
	7%	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-	7%	8%	4%	10%	3%	6%	8%
Green Party	104	-	-	-	104	-	-	-	98	85	13	3	3	68	36
	3%	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-	3%	4%	3%	2%	1%	4%	2%
Sinn Fein	463	-	-	-	-	463	-	-	351	295	56	45	56	272	191
	14%	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-	13%	12%	13%	30%	13%	14%	12%
Independent/Others	385	-	-	-	-	-	385	-	360	304	56	14	11	182	203
	11%	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-	13%	13%	13%	10%	3%	10%	13%
Would not/Don't Know	1,092	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,092	741	559	182	37	279	737	355
	32%	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	26%	23%	43%	25%	67%	39%	23%
Likelihood															

Analysis of Sample

Base : All Irish Adults 18+	Total	Party Support							Likelihood					Treaty Understanding		
		Fianna Fail	Fine Gael	Labour	Green Party	Sinn Fein	Indep/ Others	Would not/DK	Would vote	Would definitely vote	Would probably vote	Might/might not	Would not Vote	Don't Under stand	Under stand	
Weighted	3,421	391	752	230	104	463	385	1,092	2,809	2,384	425	148	418	1,890	1,531	
Unweighted	979	108	235	79	28	123	105	299	804	682	122	42	122	522	457	
Would vote	2,809	351	701	202	98	351	360	741	2,809	2,384	425	-	-	1,436	1,373	
	83%	90%	93%	88%	94%	78%	93%	70%	100%	100%	100%	-	-	77%	91%	
Might/might not	148	22	13	14	3	45	14	37	-	-	-	148	-	120	28	
	4%	6%	2%	6%	3%	10%	4%	4%	-	-	-	100%	-	6%	2%	
Would not Vote	418	19	37	13	3	56	11	279	-	-	-	-	418	308	111	
	12%	5%	5%	6%	3%	12%	3%	26%	-	-	-	-	100%	17%	7%	
Mean	4.35	4.63	4.72	4.60	4.71	4.28	4.68	3.80	4.85	5.00	4.00	3.00	1.50	4.13	4.62	
Marital Status																
Single	953	98	159	69	33	176	95	320	708	521	186	63	164	608	344	
	28%	25%	21%	30%	32%	38%	25%	29%	25%	22%	44%	43%	39%	32%	22%	
Married	1,713	208	459	115	30	184	220	493	1,502	1,326	176	42	159	845	869	
	50%	53%	61%	50%	29%	40%	57%	45%	53%	56%	41%	28%	38%	45%	57%	
Co-habiting	318	42	55	19	12	57	23	109	243	204	40	18	41	180	138	
	9%	11%	7%	8%	12%	12%	6%	10%	9%	9%	9%	12%	10%	9%	9%	
Widowed	233	40	57	14	7	9	11	95	211	198	14	1	20	120	113	
	7%	10%	8%	6%	6%	2%	3%	9%	8%	8%	3%	1%	5%	6%	7%	
Divorced/seperated	204	3	21	11	22	37	36	76	144	135	9	24	34	137	67	
	6%	1%	3%	5%	21%	8%	9%	7%	5%	6%	2%	16%	8%	7%	4%	
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Questionnaire



BEHAVIOUR & ATTITUDES POLL QUESTIONNAIRE - APRIL 2012
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Good Morning/afternoon/evening my name is (Name) and I am calling from Behaviour and Attitudes, the independent market research company based in Dublin.

We are currently conducting a study on a number of issues. The study will take less than 10 minutes to complete.

The interview will be conducted in accordance with Market Research Society guidelines - all results will be shown in aggregate form and for quality control purposes this call may be monitored by a supervisor.

ASK ALL ADULTS 18YRS+

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 Mr. Gilmore is doing his 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
Green Party	4
Workers Party	5
Sinn Fein	6
Independent	7
Other specify _____	8
Don't know	9
Would not vote	10

Q.8 As you are probably aware, on May 31st next a referendum will be held in relation to the European Union Fiscal Treaty - otherwise known as the Fiscal Compact Treaty. In the referendum, people will be asked to vote either in favour of or against the Treaty. Are you yourself likely to vote yes in favour of the European Union Fiscal Treaty, or no against the European Union Fiscal Treaty?

Will vote yes in favour of the treaty	1
Will vote no against the treaty	2
Don't know	3
Will not vote	4

Q.9 And thinking of the forthcoming European Union Fiscal Treaty Referendum. On a scale of 1 to 5 where 5 is you understand it very well and 1 is you do not understand it at all, how well do you feel you understand what the European Union Fiscal Treaty referendum is about? **PROBE TO APPROPRIATE CODE**

Understand it very well	Understand it quite well	Understand it to some extent	Do not understand it particularly well	Do not understand it at all
5	4	3	2	1

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 last year's General Election? **DO NOT READ OUT**

Fianna Fail	1
Fine Gael	2
Labour	3
Green Party	4
Workers Party	5
Sinn Fein	6
Independent	7
Other specify _____	8
Don't know	9
Did not vote	10

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

