



**RTÉ/Behaviour &
Attitudes
2016 General Election
Exit Poll Report**

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Introduction



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- This report sets out the findings of an Exit Poll commissioned by RTÉ and carried out by Behaviour & Attitudes. The poll was conducted among a sample of 4,283 voters nationwide, interviewed immediately after they had voted in the General Election on Friday, 26th February, 2016.
- The sample was spread throughout all forty Dáil constituencies and undertaken at 223 polling stations. Interviews were conducted face-to-face with randomly selected individuals – throughout the hours of polling from 7am to 10pm in accordance with the 1992 Electoral Act (no interviews took place within 100 yards of a polling station).
- Three questionnaire versions were fielded. Each version included five common questions, along with six to eight questions unique to that particular version.
- The margin of error is estimated to be plus or minus 1.5 percentage points on the five common questions and plus or minus 2.6 percentage points on the questions unique to each of the three questionnaire versions.
- Extracts from the report may be quoted or published on condition that due acknowledgement is given to RTÉ and Behaviour & Attitudes.

Research Methodology

- A face-to-face Exit Poll was conducted among voters immediately after leaving polling stations on General Election day, Friday, 26th February, 2016.
- An effective sample of 4,283 voters was interviewed.
- The Poll was undertaken in all forty Dáil constituencies.
- 223 polling stations were sampled, distributed proportionate to Dáil seats within each constituency:

	No. of constituencies	No. of Polling stations	No. of interviews	Statistical margin of error
3 seat constituencies	13	52	977	3.13±%
4 seat constituencies	16	96	1,889	2.25±%
5 seat constituencies	11	75	1,417	2.59±%
Total	40	223	4,283	1.5±%

- Specific polling stations within constituency were selected randomly.

Voter Selection

Selection of Respondents (Voters)

- In accordance with the 1992 Electoral Act, no interviews took place within 100 yards of a polling station.
- Interviewing was continuous throughout each time-period.
- In the event of refusal at contact, the interviewer noted gender, approximate age and social class, and sought to replace that person at the first available opportunity with a person sharing similar demographic characteristics.

Weighting

- No weighting has been applied to this data.

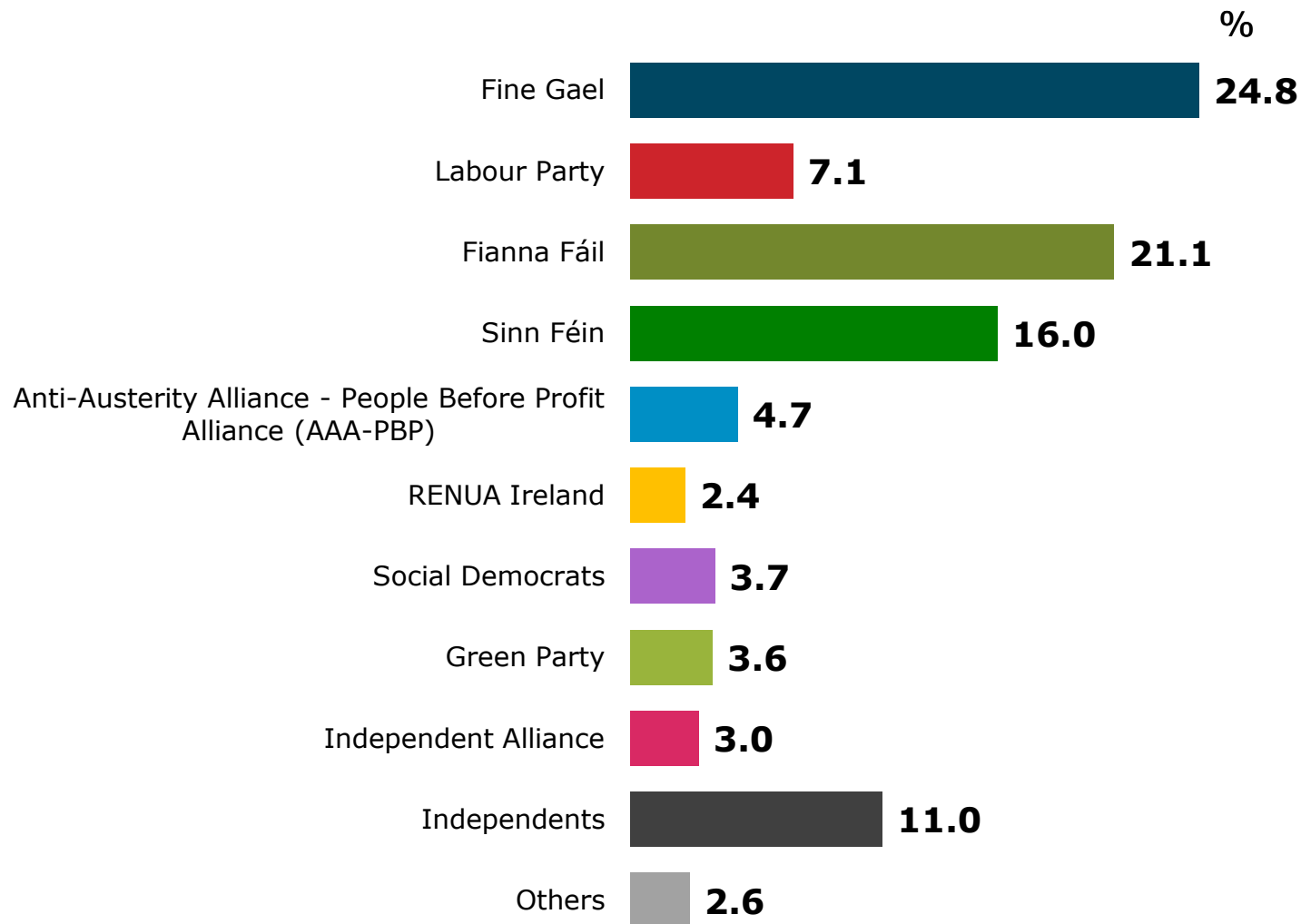


First Preference Vote Results



2016 General Election – First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters - 4283



At 25% of the total first preference vote, Fine Gael's performance in yesterday's election has fallen far short of its pre-Election poll levels, and the party stands to lose more than 20 seats. Fianna Fáil, Sinn Féin and the Labour Party have all garnered a share of the vote very much in line with RTÉ's pre Election Poll of Polls. Apart from the collapse in the Fine Gael vote, the real story of the 2016 Election is that almost one-third of the Electorate has decided to vote for smaller party or Independent candidates.

2016 General Election – First Preference x Gender, Age & Social Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	4283	2257	2026	277	598	1419	1245	741	2146	1928	209
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	24.8	24.8	24.9	20.6	20.6	23.9	26.7	28.6	29.7	17.6	42.1
Labour Party	7.1	7.3	6.9	5.1	5.5	7.7	8.1	6.3	8.4	6.0	3.8
Fianna Fáil	21.1	22.4	19.7	13.4	13.4	20.6	22.1	29.6	19.7	22.5	23.0
Sinn Féin	16.0	16.9	15.1	22.4	25.1	16.1	13.9	9.9	10.3	23.5	5.3
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	4.7	4.3	5.2	7.2	5.5	5.6	3.9	2.8	4.4	5.4	1.0
RENUA Ireland	2.4	2.6	2.2	2.9	1.7	2.6	2.2	2.6	3.0	1.6	2.9
Social Democrats	3.7	3.2	4.2	5.1	5.5	3.7	3.1	2.4	4.9	2.6	0.5
Green Party	3.6	3.5	3.7	6.1	3.8	4.3	3.1	1.9	5.1	2.1	1.4
Independent Alliance	3.0	2.8	3.3	3.6	2.0	2.8	3.6	3.0	3.1	2.6	5.3
Independents	11.0	10.0	12.0	11.9	13.5	10.4	10.4	10.5	8.9	12.9	13.9
Others	2.6	2.3	3.0	1.8	3.3	2.3	3.0	2.4	2.4	3.1	1.0

In terms of demographics, the Fine Gael vote peaks amongst those aged 50 years+, and amongst white collar and professional working ABC1 individuals. Fianna Fáil is strong amongst those aged 35 years or older, while Sinn Féin has peaked within the 18-34 years category, and has achieved the highest share of all parties or groupings in the C2DE working class constituency.

2016 General Election – First Preference x Region & Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Rest Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	4283	1289	1092	1163	739	2921	1362
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	24.8	22.5	26.7	24.0	27.5	23.3	28.1
Labour Party	7.1	9.8	7.1	6.8	2.8	8.0	5.1
Fianna Fáil	21.1	11.8	24.5	26.7	23.7	18.6	26.7
Sinn Féin	16.0	16.1	16.9	13.3	18.7	17.0	14.0
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	4.7	9.9	1.4	4.1	1.4	6.4	1.0
RENUA Ireland	2.4	3.3	2.9	1.7	0.9	2.4	2.4
Social Democrats	3.7	4.8	5.9	2.4	0.4	4.5	1.9
Green Party	3.6	5.5	4.0	2.6	1.1	4.1	2.5
Independent Alliance	3.0	4.0	2.7	1.7	3.8	3.1	2.9
Independents	11.0	7.6	5.5	14.2	19.8	9.6	13.9
Others	2.6	4.6	2.3	2.5	-	3.1	1.7

At a regional level, both the Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil vote has been strongest in rural areas around the country. The Dublin vote has been split every which way, with just under four in ten of all of those living in the capital choosing to vote for a smaller party or Independent candidate.

2016 General Election - First Preference x 2011

General Election First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	4283	1391	435	704	410	62	13	28	1	360	879
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	24.8	55.4	10.3	6.3	1.2	9.7	-	-	-	7.8	18.9
Labour Party	7.1	5.0	36.8	1.7	0.7	3.2	-	-	-	4.2	4.8
Fianna Fáil	21.1	12.9	5.1	73.3	2.4	1.6	7.7	10.7	-	7.2	16.7
Sinn Féin	16.0	5.5	12.0	5.5	79.0	4.8	15.4	7.1	-	8.3	18.0
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	4.7	1.4	8.0	0.9	6.3	4.8	30.8	57.1	100.0	7.8	7.1
RENUA Ireland	2.4	2.9	1.8	1.8	-	4.8	-	3.6	-	1.4	3.6
Social Democrats	3.7	2.4	7.1	2.0	1.2	11.3	23.1	-	-	8.3	3.8
Green Party	3.6	2.2	3.4	1.0	1.5	53.2	7.7	7.1	-	3.9	5.1
Independent Alliance	3.0	3.4	2.1	1.1	1.0	-	-	-	-	7.8	3.8
Independents	11.0	7.7	9.4	5.4	5.4	1.6	7.7	7.1	-	33.6	15.5
Others	2.6	1.3	3.9	1.0	1.2	4.8	7.7	7.1	-	9.7	2.8

Barely half of those who gave their first preference vote to Fine Gael in the 2011 election did so again yesterday. The balance of the 2011 Fine Gael vote has split across the board – with one in ten of those opting for Fine Gael the last time deciding to give their first preference to Fianna Fáil in 2016. Almost two-thirds of those who say they voted for Labour in 2011 voted for a different party or Independent candidate this time around.

2016 General Election – First Preference x Voter Dynamic

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	4283	3121	1162	977	1889	1417	386	460	415	3022
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	24.8	24.6	25.5	25.8	28.0	20.0	26.2	30.0	42.4	21.5
Labour Party	7.1	6.8	8.0	7.0	7.4	6.8	5.2	2.0	-	9.1
Fianna Fáil	21.1	22.0	18.7	22.5	22.8	17.9	27.5	23.7	29.9	18.7
Sinn Féin	16.0	16.5	14.7	14.9	15.6	17.3	17.4	25.0	8.9	15.5
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	4.7	3.6	7.6	0.9	6.8	4.4	4.7	4.6	0.7	5.3
RENUA Ireland	2.4	2.7	1.6	2.0	2.4	2.5	0.3	2.6	4.6	2.3
Social Democrats	3.7	2.8	6.1	6.0	2.8	3.2	-	-	4.3	4.6
Green Party	3.6	3.4	4.1	2.4	3.8	4.1	2.3	1.5	1.9	4.3
Independent Alliance	3.0	3.5	1.8	5.5	2.7	1.7	3.6	0.7	0.7	3.6
Independents	11.0	11.9	8.4	11.6	6.4	16.7	7.8	4.1	6.5	13.0
Others	2.6	2.3	3.4	1.3	1.3	5.4	5.2	5.9	-	2.2

With regard to constituency size, almost 40% of those voting in five seat constituencies gave their first preference to a smaller party or Independent candidate, with a further one in six of them opting for Sinn Féin.

2016 General Election – Voter Dynamic x 2016 First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											2016 First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	4283	1064	304	905	686	157	129	58	153	201	102	524	2959	855	469
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
First Preference Candidate Gender															
Male	73	72	69	76	75	55	84	55	69	56	81	79	74	66	79
Female	27	28	31	24	25	45	16	45	31	44	19	21	26	34	21
Constituency Size															
3 seat	23	24	22	24	21	38	42	-	15	4	20	24	23	21	24
4 seat	44	50	46	48	43	34	40	7	47	64	45	27	47	44	26
5 seat	33	27	32	28	36	29	19	93	38	31	35	49	30	35	50
Candidate Position on Ballot Paper															
1 st	9	9	7	12	10	-	11	29	6	9	1	6	10	7	6
2 nd	11	13	3	12	17	-	2	38	5	10	12	5	13	8	4
3 rd	10	17	-	14	5	11	2	-	5	1	19	5	11	6	6
4 th and lower	71	61	90	63	68	89	84	33	84	79	69	84	66	79	84

2016 General Election - First Preference x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	4283	379	79	402	223	10	4	-	25	6	3	13	3139
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	24.8	82.1	11.4	4.5	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	23.1
Labour Party	7.1	4.0	62.0	2.0	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	7.7	7.3
Fianna Fáil	21.1	3.4	2.5	82.6	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	17.7
Sinn Féin	16.0	1.1	1.3	2.2	92.4	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	14.8
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	4.7	-	3.8	0.5	2.2	-	25.0	-	-	100.0	-	23.1	5.8
RENUA Ireland	2.4	0.5	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	66.7	7.7	3.0
Social Democrats	3.7	1.1	5.1	1.7	-	40.0	25.0	-	4.0	-	-	-	4.3
Green Party	3.6	1.3	3.8	0.5	0.9	10.0	-	-	76.0	-	-	23.1	3.8
Independent Alliance	3.0	1.3	-	1.0	0.9	10.0	50.0	-	-	-	-	15.4	3.6
Independents	11.0	4.7	6.3	3.5	2.2	20.0	-	-	4.0	-	33.3	7.7	13.4
Others	2.6	0.5	3.8	0.7	0.4	20.0	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	3.2

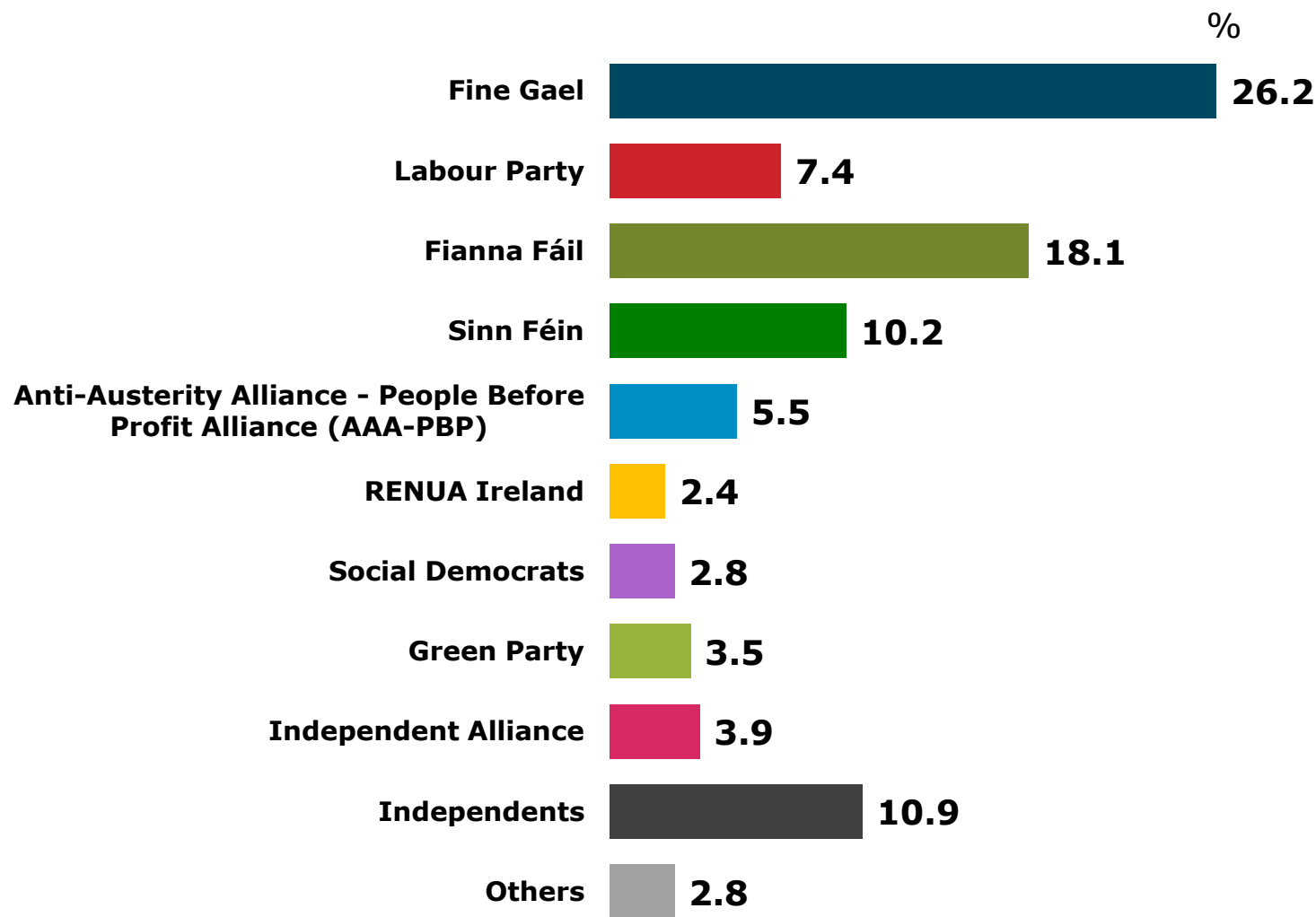


Second Preference Vote Results - National



2016 General Election - Second Preference

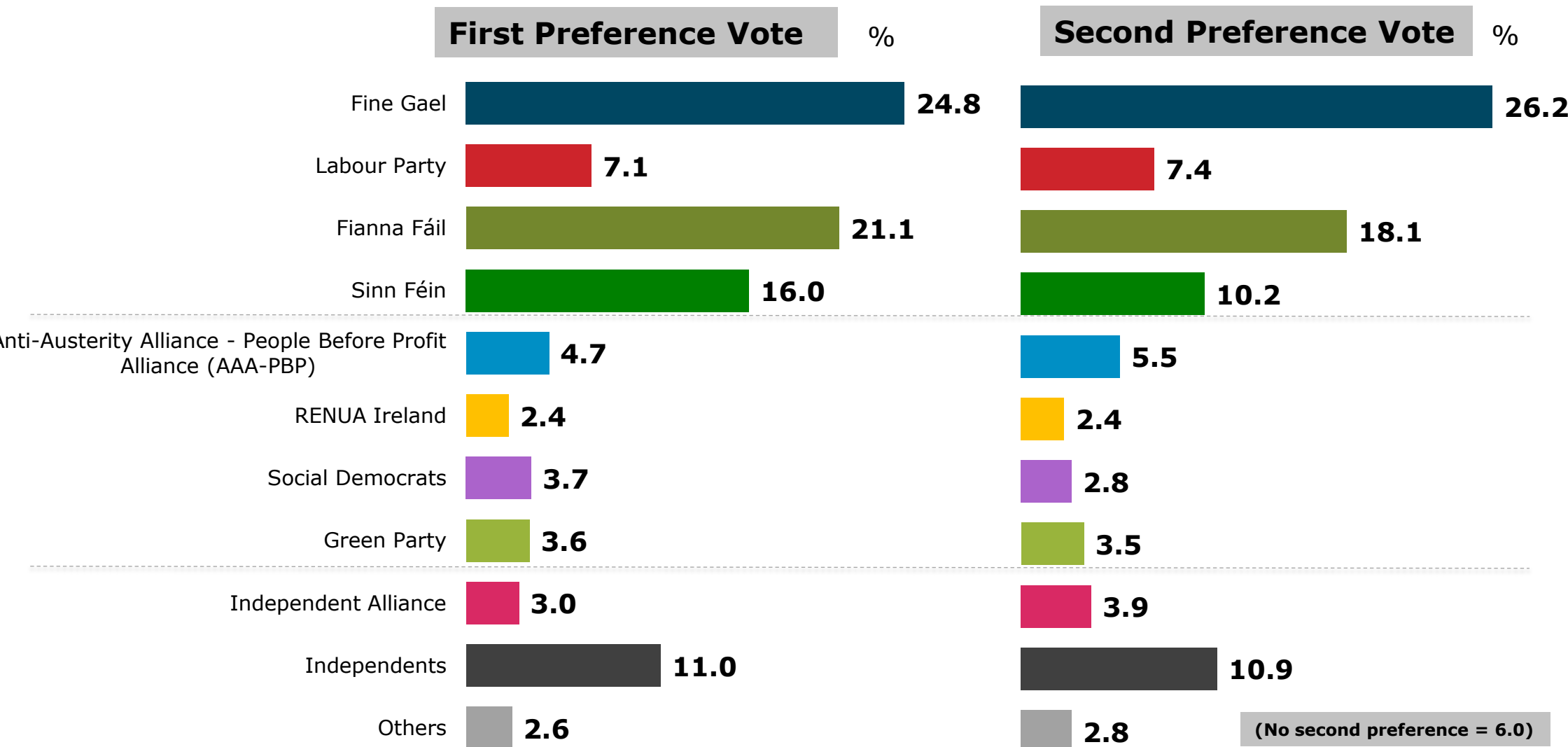
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(No second preference = 6.0)

2016 General Election – First & Second Preference


Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Party share of all second preference votes cast broadly follows the pattern of first preference voting with the notable exception of Sinn Féin, which has most definitely under-performed in terms of second preference transfers.


2016 General Election - Second Preference Vote x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	4283	2257	2026	277	598	1419	1245	741	2146	1928	209
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	26.2	26.4	26.1	22.0	21.2	26.2	28.2	28.7	31.4	18.8	42.1
Labour Party	7.4	6.7	8.3	4.3	5.9	7.8	8.2	8.0	9.3	5.4	7.2
Fianna Fáil	18.1	19.4	16.7	15.2	13.9	17.1	19.0	23.2	17.1	18.9	22.0
Sinn Féin	10.2	10.5	10.0	11.2	13.7	10.4	9.9	7.4	7.4	14.1	3.8
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	5.5	5.6	5.4	8.3	6.2	5.9	4.3	5.3	3.8	7.9	1.0
RENUA Ireland	2.4	2.5	2.2	2.9	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.7	2.7	1.8	4.3
Social Democrats	2.8	2.7	2.9	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.7	1.8	3.6	2.2	-
Green Party	3.5	2.9	4.2	5.8	5.4	3.8	2.3	2.8	4.2	2.9	2.4
Independent Alliance	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.8	3.4	4.3	3.4	3.4	4.7	1.9
Independents	10.9	10.8	11.1	12.3	13.0	12.3	9.9	7.8	9.8	12.2	10.5
Others	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.2	5.0	2.3	2.6	2.4	2.1	3.7	2.4
No 2nd pref vote	6.0	5.8	6.2	7.6	5.5	5.3	6.3	6.5	5.1	7.4	2.4


2016 General Election – Second Preference Vote x Region & Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	4283	1289	1092	1163	739	2921	1362
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	26.2	23.3	28.2	28.4	25.2	25.2	28.6
Labour Party	7.4	9.5	7.1	8.0	3.7	7.9	6.4
Fianna Fáil	18.1	9.5	22.4	19.3	25.0	14.9	25.1
Sinn Féin	10.2	11.7	7.0	9.5	13.7	11.0	8.7
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	5.5	10.0	4.3	4.9	0.5	7.2	2.0
RENUA Ireland	2.4	3.7	2.3	1.5	1.4	2.5	2.1
Social Democrats	2.8	3.7	3.9	1.8	1.1	3.4	1.6
Green Party	3.5	5.7	3.8	2.5	1.1	4.1	2.3
Independent Alliance	3.9	4.5	2.4	2.8	6.9	3.8	4.1
Independents	10.9	9.2	7.8	13.2	15.0	11.2	10.4
Others	2.8	4.7	2.7	2.2	0.8	3.3	1.9
No 2nd pref vote	6.0	4.6	8.1	5.8	5.7	5.7	6.7

2016 General Election Second Preference Vote x 2011 General Election

Base : All Dublin General Election 2016 Voters


2016 2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	4283	1391	435	704	410	62	13	28	1	360	879
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	26.2	48.2	23.0	12.6	2.9	16.1	7.7	-	-	15.8	21.0
Labour Party	7.4	11.1	10.6	4.1	2.2	16.1	15.4	10.7	-	7.2	4.4
Fianna Fáil	18.1	11.1	11.5	51.0	4.9	12.9	-	7.1	-	14.2	15.1
Sinn Féin	10.2	3.2	11.0	6.8	37.8	4.8	23.1	10.7	-	11.1	10.7
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	5.5	2.4	8.7	2.7	13.2	8.1	15.4	28.6	-	5.3	6.6
RENUA Ireland	2.4	2.8	1.1	1.7	1.7	8.1	-	-	-	0.8	3.4
Social Democrats	2.8	2.6	3.7	2.4	2.2	3.2	-	3.6	-	4.2	2.7
Green Party	3.5	2.2	5.3	2.0	2.7	11.3	7.7	7.1	-	4.2	5.6
Independent Alliance	3.9	4.1	4.1	2.4	3.2	3.2	-	7.1	-	5.3	4.4
Independents	10.9	7.2	10.6	5.8	14.1	12.9	-	14.3	-	18.9	16.3
Others	2.8	1.7	3.0	1.7	4.6	1.6	23.1	7.1	-	5.6	3.2
No 2nd pref vote	6.0	3.4	7.4	6.7	10.5	1.6	7.7	3.6	100.0	7.5	6.5



- Q.1b The candidates for election **in the General Election** are listed on this ballot paper giving your order of preference as you have just voted (second preference)
- Q.3 To which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in the 2011 General Election?


2016 General Election – Second Preference Vote x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	First Preference Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	4283	3121	1162	977	1889	1417	386	460	415	3022
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
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Labour Party	7.4	7.5	7.3	8.2	8.1	6.1	7.8	7.8	13.5	6.5
Fianna Fáil	18.1	18.4	17.5	17.4	17.8	19.1	17.4	12.0	18.3	19.2
Sinn Féin	10.2	10.3	10.1	9.4	10.5	10.4	18.1	9.3	9.4	9.5
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	5.5	5.8	4.8	0.9	7.0	6.8	3.1	6.1	3.9	6.0
RENUA Ireland	2.4	1.9	3.5	2.3	2.5	2.2	2.6	4.6	2.4	2.0
Social Democrats	2.8	2.7	3.0	3.4	2.6	2.7	2.1	5.0	1.0	2.8
Green Party	3.5	3.0	5.1	3.6	3.8	3.2	3.4	4.6	2.4	3.6
Independent Alliance	3.9	4.3	2.8	4.6	4.0	3.2	2.8	3.3	3.4	4.2
Independents	10.9	10.8	11.4	12.8	7.5	14.3	8.8	12.4	6.3	11.6
Others	2.8	2.3	4.2	3.3	1.4	4.5	2.6	2.6	1.7	3.1
No 2nd pref vote	6.0	6.2	5.5	8.8	5.3	5.0	4.9	9.8	4.6	5.8

2016 General Election – Second Preference Vote x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	4283	379	79	402	223	10	4	-	25	6	3	13	3139
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	26.2	67.5	31.6	8.5	2.2	10.0	-	-	4.0	-	66.7	15.4	25.4
Labour Party	7.4	13.5	13.9	3.2	2.2	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	7.7	7.6
Fianna Fáil	18.1	6.1	7.6	63.2	3.1	-	25.0	-	8.0	-	-	15.4	15.4
Sinn Féin	10.2	1.6	6.3	6.0	38.1	10.0	-	-	4.0	16.7	-	-	10.1
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	5.5	0.5	3.8	0.7	13.0	20.0	-	-	28.0	33.3	33.3	15.4	5.9
RENUA Ireland	2.4	0.8	-	1.2	0.9	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	7.7	2.8
Social Democrats	2.8	1.1	2.5	1.0	2.2	20.0	-	-	12.0	16.7	-	-	3.2
Green Party	3.5	0.3	10.1	2.5	3.6	20.0	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	3.9
Independent Alliance	3.9	1.3	3.8	2.0	2.2	10.0	25.0	-	-	-	-	7.7	4.6
Independents	10.9	3.4	5.1	4.7	13.0	10.0	25.0	-	16.0	16.7	-	7.7	12.6
Others	2.8	1.8	1.3	0.5	7.6	-	-	-	4.0	16.7	-	15.4	2.9
No 2nd pref vote	6.0	2.1	13.9	6.5	11.7	-	25.0	-	8.0	-	-	7.7	5.8



- Q.1b The candidates for election **in the General Election** are listed on this ballot paper. Please mark the ballot paper giving your order of preference as you have just voted (second preference)
- Q.10 Do you usually think of yourself as close to any political party? (Q.10 V1/V2, Q.12 V3)
- Q.11 Which party is that? (Q.11 V1/V2/Q.13 V3)



First/Second Preference Transfer Patterns



2016 General Election Second Preference Vote x First Preference Vote – Nationwide


Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

2 nd Preference Vote ↓	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	4283	1064	304	905	686	157	129	58	153	201	102	524	2959	855	469
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	26.2	56.6	49.0	14.6	5.5	21.0	24.8	8.6	17.0	4.5	28.4	13.2	31.1	16.0	14.1
Labour Party	7.4	14.1	2.0	4.9	2.5	9.6	7.0	10.3	17.6	6.0	3.9	5.5	7.3	8.8	5.8
Fianna Fáil	18.1	10.3	14.5	43.6	8.9	14.6	14.7	6.9	10.5	4.5	21.6	14.1	20.6	11.6	14.5
Sinn Féin	10.2	1.3	3.9	8.5	23.8	12.1	8.5	6.9	5.2	28.9	4.9	13.0	9.0	13.8	11.7
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	5.5	0.7	2.6	2.8	15.2	4.5	3.9	12.1	12.4	13.4	2.9	4.8	4.9	8.7	4.1
RENUA Ireland	2.4	1.6	1.0	3.2	2.0	2.5	4.7	5.2	2.6	3.0	-	2.9	2.1	3.0	2.6
Social Democrats	2.8	1.8	4.6	2.9	2.8	-	0.8	-	6.5	5.0	3.9	3.2	2.6	3.2	3.2
Green Party	3.5	1.9	5.9	2.1	3.5	12.7	5.4	8.6	-	10.0	7.8	2.1	2.7	7.5	1.5
Independent Alliance	3.9	2.3	2.6	3.4	3.6	0.6	1.6	6.9	7.8	4.5	6.9	8.2	3.0	4.2	9.0
Independents	10.9	5.2	6.6	7.0	16.9	12.7	17.1	12.1	9.8	10.0	15.7	21.8	8.6	13.1	21.7
Others	2.8	1.2	0.7	1.0	5.1	4.5	4.7	15.5	6.5	5.0	2.9	3.4	2.0	5.4	3.6
No second preference vote	6.0	3.0	6.6	6.1	10.2	5.1	7.0	6.9	3.9	5.5	1.0	7.8	6.0	4.8	8.3

Over two-thirds of those who gave their first preference vote to a Fine Gael candidate continued to allocate their second preference to either a Fine Gael or Labour candidate. Roughly half of those who gave Labour their first preference vote went on to give their second preference to non Fine Gael or Labour candidates. Circa 50% of those who gave a smaller party or an Independent their first preference vote actually granted their second preference vote to one of the main parties (i.e. Fine Gael, Labour, Fianna Fáil or Sinn Féin).

2016 General Election Second Preference Vote x First Preference Vote – Dublin only

Base : All Dublin General Election 2016 Voters

Dublin 2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	2016 General Election Dublin First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											Dublin First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1289	290	126	152	208	62	52	47	71	128	43	110	776	415	98
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	23.3	49.3	48.4	19.1	3.8	6.5	26.9	4.3	16.9	3.1	23.3	11.8	31.1	11.3	12.2
Labour Party	9.5	20.0	4.0	3.9	1.4	12.9	7.7	8.5	21.1	7.0	4.7	7.3	9.3	10.4	7.1
Fianna Fáil	9.5	9.0	7.1	21.1	4.8	9.7	17.3	6.4	11.3	4.7	20.9	3.6	9.9	10.4	2.0
Sinn Féin	11.7	1.4	2.4	9.9	34.1	16.1	5.8	6.4	5.6	19.5	-	11.8	12.0	10.8	13.3
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	10.0	2.1	4.0	6.6	22.6	6.5	1.9	14.9	7.0	21.1	4.7	13.6	8.8	11.6	13.3
RENUA Ireland	3.7	2.1	0.8	9.9	1.9	-	7.7	6.4	4.2	3.9	-	6.4	3.4	4.3	4.1
Social Democrats	3.7	3.1	7.9	5.3	2.4	-	1.9	-	5.6	3.9	2.3	4.5	4.1	2.9	4.1
Green Party	5.7	3.4	11.9	5.9	0.5	17.7	5.8	10.6	-	8.6	14.0	1.8	4.5	8.7	2.0
Independent Alliance	4.5	2.4	2.4	8.6	1.9	1.6	-	8.5	8.5	3.9	14.0	8.2	3.5	5.3	9.2
Independents	9.2	2.8	5.6	3.3	15.4	16.1	17.3	8.5	11.3	10.9	7.0	17.3	6.7	11.8	18.4
Others	4.7	1.0	0.8	2.0	5.8	8.1	5.8	19.1	4.2	6.3	7.0	9.1	2.4	7.7	9.2
No 2nd pref vote	4.6	3.4	4.8	4.6	5.3	4.8	1.9	6.4	4.2	7.0	2.3	4.5	4.4	4.8	5.1




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2016 General Election Second Preference Vote x First Preference Vote – Rest of Leinster only

Base : All Rest Leinster General Election 2016 Voters

Rest of Leinster 2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	2016 Rest of Leinster General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											Rest of Leinster First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democ rats	Indep Allianc e	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA- PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1092	292	78	268	185	64	29	11	44	15	32	74	823	209	60
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	28.2	53.4	56.4	14.2	5.9	37.5	27.6	27.3	9.1	13.3	21.9	14.9	30.3	23.4	16.7
Labour Party	7.1	13.4	1.3	4.5	3.2	6.3	6.9	18.2	15.9	-	-	5.4	7.0	7.2	6.7
Fianna Fáil	22.4	14.0	16.7	49.6	11.9	14.1	13.8	9.1	4.5	-	21.9	17.6	25.4	12.9	15.0
Sinn Féin	7.0	1.4	5.1	8.2	10.3	4.7	6.9	9.1	4.5	20.0	9.4	17.6	6.0	9.1	13.3
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	4.3	-	-	0.4	13.0	3.1	6.9	-	25.0	-	-	9.5	3.0	8.6	6.7
RENUA Ireland	2.3	1.7	1.3	1.9	4.3	6.3	3.4	-	2.3	-	-	-	2.3	2.9	-
Social Democrats	3.9	2.4	5.1	3.4	3.8	-	-	-	11.4	20.0	9.4	6.8	3.3	5.3	8.3
Green Party	3.8	2.4	1.3	1.9	6.5	10.9	6.9	-	-	33.3	6.3	1.4	3.0	7.7	1.7
Independent Alliance	2.4	2.1	1.3	2.2	1.1	-	6.9	-	4.5	-	3.1	8.1	1.8	2.9	8.3
Independents	7.8	3.8	3.8	5.2	16.2	7.8	6.9	27.3	4.5	6.7	28.1	6.8	7.0	10.5	8.3
Others	2.7	1.4	1.3	1.1	5.9	1.6	3.4	-	13.6	6.7	-	2.7	2.3	4.3	3.3
No 2nd pref vote	8.1	4.1	6.4	7.5	17.8	7.8	10.3	9.1	4.5	-	-	9.5	8.5	5.3	11.7




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2016 General Election Second Preference Vote x First Preference Vote – Munster only

Base : All Munster General Election 2016 Voters

Munster 2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	2016 General Election Munster First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											Munster First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1163	279	79	310	155	28	20	-	30	48	20	194	823	175	165
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	28.4	61.6	46.8	17.7	7.7	17.9	20.0	-	23.3	4.2	50.0	13.4	33.5	16.6	15.2
Labour Party	8.0	14.7	-	7.7	3.9	10.7	-	-	13.3	6.3	10.0	5.2	8.6	7.4	5.5
Fianna Fáil	19.3	9.0	20.3	39.0	9.7	28.6	-	-	20.0	6.3	15.0	14.4	21.5	11.4	17.0
Sinn Féin	9.5	0.7	3.8	7.1	11.0	21.4	25.0	-	3.3	50.0	5.0	15.5	5.3	25.7	13.3
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	4.9	0.4	3.8	4.2	19.4	3.6	10.0	-	10.0	-	5.0	1.5	5.7	4.6	1.2
RENUA Ireland	1.5	1.4	1.3	2.6	-	-	5.0	-	-	2.1	-	1.5	1.6	1.1	1.8
Social Democrats	1.8	1.1	-	2.9	1.3	-	-	-	3.3	4.2	-	2.1	1.7	2.3	1.8
Green Party	2.5	0.7	2.5	1.3	5.2	-	5.0	-	-	8.3	-	4.1	1.9	5.1	2.4
Independent Alliance	2.8	1.1	-	1.3	11.6	-	-	-	13.3	6.3	-	-	3.0	4.0	-
Independents	13.2	6.8	11.4	9.0	13.5	14.3	15.0	-	6.7	8.3	15.0	30.9	9.4	15.4	29.7
Others	2.2	1.4	-	0.6	6.5	3.6	5.0	-	3.3	2.1	-	3.1	1.9	2.3	3.6
No 2nd pref vote	5.8	1.1	10.1	6.5	10.3	-	15.0	-	3.3	2.1	-	8.2	5.7	4.0	8.5




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2016 General Election Second Preference Vote x First Preference Vote – Conn/Ulster only

Base : All Conn/Ulster General Election 2016 Voters

Conn/Ulster 2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	2016 General Election Conn/Ulster First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											Conn/Ulster First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	739	203	21	175	138	3	28	-	8	10	7	146	537	56	146
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	25.2	64.5	33.3	5.7	5.1	-	21.4	-	37.5	10.0	28.6	13.0	28.9	21.4	13.0
Labour Party	3.7	5.9	-	1.1	1.4	-	10.7	-	12.5	-	-	4.8	3.0	7.1	4.8
Fianna Fáil	25.0	8.9	28.6	62.3	10.1	-	21.4	-	-	-	42.9	19.9	27.4	16.1	19.9
Sinn Féin	13.7	2.0	9.5	10.3	40.6	-	3.6	-	12.5	60.0	14.3	8.2	14.9	16.1	8.2
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	0.5	-	-	0.6	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-
RENUA Ireland	1.4	1.0	-	0.6	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	0.9	-	3.4
Social Democrats	1.1	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	0.9	-	2.1
Green Party	1.1	0.5	-	0.6	2.2	66.7	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	5.4	-
Independent Alliance	6.9	4.4	19.0	4.6	0.7	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	19.2	4.1	1.8	19.2
Independents	15.0	8.4	4.8	9.1	23.9	33.3	28.6	-	37.5	10.0	14.3	20.5	12.5	25.0	20.5
Others	0.8	1.0	-	0.6	1.4	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.8	-
No 2nd pref vote	5.7	3.4	4.8	4.6	7.2	-	7.1	-	-	10.0	-	8.9	4.8	5.4	8.9



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2016 General Election Second Preference Vote x First Preference Vote – 3 Seat Constituencies

Base : All 3 Seat Constituencies General Election 2016 Voters

3 Seat Constituencies 2 nd Preference Vote ↓	Total	2016 General Election 3 Seat Constituencies First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											3 Seat Constituencies First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	977	252	68	220	146	59	54	-	23	9	20	126	686	178	113
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	25.4	48.4	52.9	15.5	6.8	6.8	33.3	-	-	-	10.0	17.5	29.4	13.5	19.5
Labour Party	8.2	15.1	-	3.2	4.1	11.9	9.3	-	30.4	-	-	7.9	7.4	10.7	8.8
Fianna Fáil	17.4	11.9	10.3	34.1	8.2	20.3	16.7	-	13.0	-	30.0	12.7	18.1	18.5	11.5
Sinn Féin	9.4	2.0	7.4	10.0	11.0	23.7	3.7	-	13.0	22.2	20.0	15.1	7.0	16.9	12.4
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	0.9	-	-	-	3.4	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.7	2.2	-
RENUA Ireland	2.3	2.8	-	1.4	4.1	1.7	3.7	-	-	-	-	2.4	2.3	1.7	2.7
Social Democrats	3.4	2.4	7.4	5.5	2.7	-	-	-	4.3	11.1	-	3.2	3.9	1.7	2.7
Green Party	3.6	2.4	4.4	2.3	7.5	5.1	3.7	-	-	11.1	-	3.2	3.6	3.9	2.7
Independent Alliance	4.6	3.2	5.9	5.0	2.1	-	-	-	13.0	-	10.0	11.1	3.8	3.4	11.5
Independents	12.8	6.0	4.4	12.3	23.3	16.9	20.4	-	8.7	22.2	30.0	11.9	11.5	18.0	12.4
Others	3.3	1.2	-	0.9	8.2	8.5	3.7	-	8.7	11.1	-	4.0	2.5	5.6	4.4
No 2nd pref vote	8.8	4.8	7.4	10.0	18.5	-	5.6	-	8.7	22.2	-	10.3	9.6	3.9	11.5




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2016 General Election Second Preference Vote x First Preference Vote – 4 Seat Constituencies

Base : All 4 Seat Constituencies General Election 2016 Voters

4 Seat Constituencies 2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	2016 General Election 4 Seat Constituencies First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											4 Seat Constituencies First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1889	528	140	431	295	53	51	4	72	129	46	140	1394	375	120
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	29.4	57.6	54.3	17.2	6.8	26.4	23.5	-	23.6	4.7	34.8	12.1	34.0	17.9	12.5
Labour Party	8.1	15.0	-	6.7	2.0	9.4	5.9	25.0	15.3	7.0	6.5	5.0	8.2	8.8	5.0
Fianna Fáil	17.8	9.7	14.3	40.8	9.8	13.2	9.8	-	13.9	7.0	21.7	14.3	19.8	11.7	14.2
Sinn Féin	10.5	1.3	1.4	8.6	25.4	7.5	17.6	50.0	2.8	35.7	2.2	10.0	8.7	17.3	10.8
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	7.0	0.8	5.0	4.2	23.1	7.5	7.8	25.0	12.5	-	6.5	10.0	7.0	6.4	9.2
RENUA Ireland	2.5	1.1	0.7	5.1	1.4	-	5.9	-	1.4	3.1	-	5.0	2.4	2.9	3.3
Social Democrats	2.6	1.5	3.6	2.6	1.7	-	2.0	-	9.7	5.4	2.2	2.9	2.1	4.5	2.5
Green Party	3.8	2.1	7.1	2.6	2.7	13.2	5.9	-	-	10.9	8.7	2.9	2.9	8.0	1.7
Independent Alliance	4.0	2.7	1.4	3.0	6.4	1.9	2.0	-	8.3	6.2	4.3	7.1	3.4	4.8	8.3
Independents	7.5	4.5	4.3	3.2	12.2	15.1	5.9	-	9.7	9.3	10.9	18.6	5.7	10.1	19.2
Others	1.4	0.8	-	0.7	2.0	-	2.0	-	1.4	4.7	2.2	2.9	0.9	2.7	2.5
No second preference vote	5.3	3.0	7.9	5.3	6.4	5.7	11.8	-	1.4	6.2	-	9.3	4.9	4.8	10.8




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2016 General Election Second Preference Vote x First Preference Vote – 5 Seat Constituencies

Base : All 5 Seat Constituencies General Election 2016 Voters

5 Seat Constituencies 2 nd Preference Vote 	Total	2016 General Election 5 Seat Constituencies First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											5 Seat Constituencies First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1417	284	96	254	245	45	24	54	58	63	36	258	879	302	236
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael	22.6	62.0	38.5	9.4	3.3	33.3	8.3	9.3	15.5	4.8	30.6	11.6	27.9	15.2	12.3
Labour Party	6.1	11.6	6.3	3.1	2.0	6.7	4.2	9.3	15.5	4.8	2.8	4.7	5.9	7.6	4.7
Fianna Fáil	19.1	10.2	17.7	56.7	8.2	8.9	20.8	7.4	5.2	-	16.7	14.7	23.9	7.3	16.1
Sinn Féin	10.4	0.7	5.2	7.1	29.4	2.2	-	3.7	5.2	15.9	-	13.6	11.0	7.6	11.9
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	6.8	1.1	1.0	2.8	12.7	-	4.2	11.1	17.2	42.9	-	3.9	4.8	15.2	3.4
RENUA Ireland	2.2	1.4	2.1	1.6	1.6	6.7	4.2	5.6	5.2	3.2	-	1.9	1.6	4.0	2.1
Social Democrats	2.7	1.8	4.2	1.2	4.1	-	-	-	3.4	3.2	8.3	3.5	2.5	2.3	3.8
Green Party	3.2	1.1	5.2	1.2	2.0	22.2	8.3	9.3	-	7.9	11.1	1.2	1.8	8.9	0.8
Independent Alliance	3.2	1.1	2.1	2.8	1.2	-	4.2	7.4	5.2	1.6	8.3	7.4	1.7	4.0	8.1
Independents	14.3	5.6	11.5	8.7	18.8	4.4	33.3	13.0	10.3	9.5	13.9	28.3	10.8	13.9	27.5
Others	4.5	2.1	2.1	1.6	6.9	4.4	12.5	16.7	12.1	4.8	5.6	3.5	3.3	8.6	3.8
No second preference vote	5.0	1.4	4.2	3.9	9.8	11.1	-	7.4	5.2	1.6	2.8	5.8	4.8	5.3	5.5

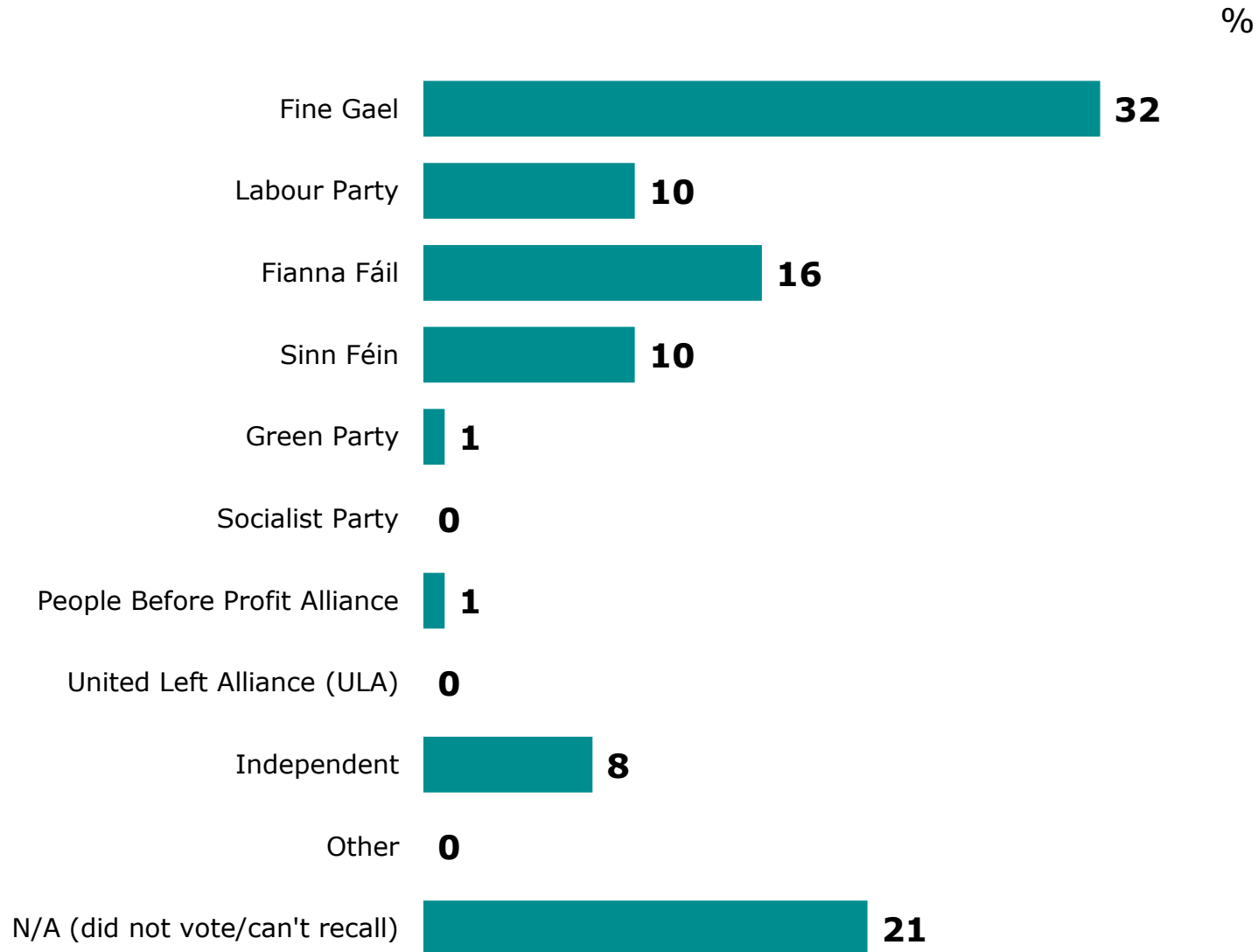


Reported 2011 Election First Preference Vote



2011 General Election – Reported First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters – 4283





Party Closest to



Party Closest To x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	4283	2257	2026	277	598	1419	1245	741	2146	1928	209
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		%	%	%
Fianna Fáil	9	11	7	4	5	8	10	16	8	10	13
Fine Gael	9	9	8	6	6	7	10	14	10	7	21
Labour	2	2	1	1	1	2	3	2	2	2	0
Green Party	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0
Sinn Féin	5	6	4	7	9	5	4	3	2	9	1
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	-	0	0	-
RENUA Ireland	0	-	0	0	-	-	0	-	0	-	-
Social Democrats	0	0	0	-	1	0	-	0	0	0	-
Independent Alliance	0	0	0	-	0	-	0	0	-	0	-
Independents	0	0	0	-	-	-	0	-	0	0	-
Others	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
None	73	70	77	79	78	76	72	64	76	71	64

Party Closest To x Region/Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	4283	1289	1092	1163	739	2921	1362
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fianna Fáil	9	4	12	12	12	8	13
Fine Gael	9	7	9	8	14	7	13
Labour	2	3	1	1	1	2	1
Green Party	1	1	1	-	0	1	0
Sinn Féin	5	5	6	3	7	5	5
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	0	0	-	0	-	0	-
RENUA Ireland	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
Social Democrats	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Independent Alliance	0	-	0	0	0	0	0
Independents	0	0	-	-	0	0	0
Others	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
None	73	79	71	74	65	76	67

Party Closest To x 2016 First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab/FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	4283	1064	304	905	686	157	129	58	153	201	102	524	2959	855	469
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fianna Fáil	9	2	3	37	1	4	3	-	1	1	3	3	12	2	3
Fine Gael	9	29	5	1	1	3	4	2	3	-	2	4	12	2	4
Labour	2	1	16	0	0	3	-	3	2	1	-	1	2	2	1
Green Party	1	-	0	-	0	1	-	2	12	-	1	0	0	3	0
Sinn Féin	5	0	-	0	30	-	2	-	1	2	-	1	7	1	1
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	-
RENUA Ireland	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	0	-	0	0
Social Democrats	0	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	0
Independent Alliance	0	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	0	-	-	-	0	-
Independents	0	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	0
Others	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	0	1	-
None	73	68	76	61	68	87	88	93	77	90	91	90	67	87	90

Party Closest To x Second Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

Base : All GE 2016 Voters	Total	2016 General Election Second Preference Party Vote (Q1b)											
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Anti-Austerity (AAA-PBP)	RENUA Ireland	Social Democrats	Green Party	Independent Alliance	Independents	Others	No 2nd pref vote
Base:	4283	1124	319	777	439	237	101	120	152	167	468	122	257
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fianna Fáil	9	3	4	33	5	1	5	3	7	5	4	2	10
Fine Gael	9	23	16	3	1	1	3	3	1	3	3	6	3
Labour	2	2	3	1	1	1	-	2	5	2	1	1	4
Green Party	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	3	1	-	1	1	1
Sinn Féin	5	0	2	1	19	12	2	4	5	3	6	14	10
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	0	-	-	-	0	1	-	1	-	-	0	1	-
RENUA Ireland	0	0	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Social Democrats	0	0	-	-	0	1	-	2	1	1	0	-	-
Independent Alliance	0	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	-	0
Independents	0	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Others	0	0	0	0	-	1	1	-	-	1	0	1	0
None	73	71	74	62	72	78	88	83	80	86	84	75	71

Party Closest To x GE 2011 First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

Base : All GE 2016 Voters	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	4283	1391	435	704	410	62	13	28	1	360	879
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fianna Fáil	9	2	2	46	1	-	8	4	-	3	3
Fine Gael	9	24	2	1	0	3	-	-	-	1	3
Labour	2	0	14	0	0	2	-	7	-	0	1
Green Party	1	-	0	-	-	24	-	4	-	0	1
Sinn Féin	5	1	2	0	40	-	-	-	-	0	5
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	11	-	0	-
RENUA Ireland	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Social Democrats	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	1	0
Independent Alliance	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0
Independents	0	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Others	0	0	-	-	-	-	8	4	100	1	-
None	73	72	80	53	59	71	85	71	-	92	87

Party Closest to - Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	4283	3121	1162	977	1889	1417	386	460	415	3022
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fianna Fáil	9	10	9	10	10	8	11	10	13	9
Fine Gael	9	9	8	8	10	8	10	8	12	8
Labour	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	2	0	2
Green Party	1	1	1	0	1	1	-	0	1	1
Sinn Féin	5	5	5	3	5	7	8	8	3	5
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	-	-	0
RENUA Ireland	0	0	0	-	0	-	-	0	0	0
Social Democrats	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	-	0
Independent Alliance	0	0	0	-	0	0	-	-	-	0
Independents	0	0	-	0	0	-	0	-	-	0
Others	0	0	1	0	0	0	-	0	0	0
None	73	73	74	76	71	75	70	71	71	74

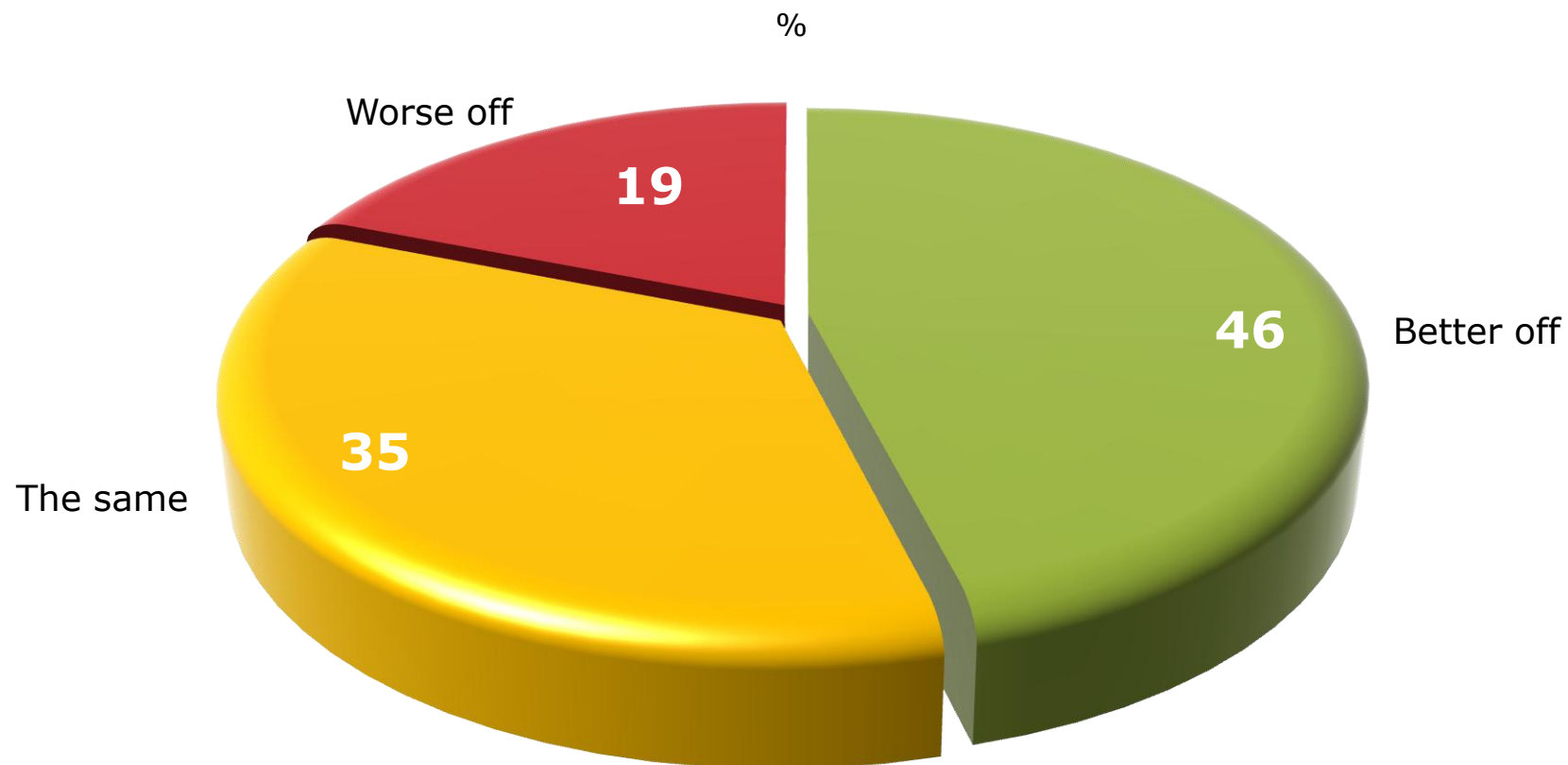


Additional Questions Version 1 Questionnaire



Perceived Past 12 Months Economy Performance

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Perceived Past 12 Months Economy Performance x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1436	785	651	94	212	462	421	245	720	659	57
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	46	48	43	50	50	48	44	41	58	33	40
The same	35	34	37	35	31	32	37	41	31	39	45
Worse off	19	17	20	15	19	20	18	18	11	28	15

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1436	437	368	383	248	988	448
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	46	56	45	47	28	51	36
The same	35	29	38	33	45	33	41
Worse off	19	15	17	20	27	17	23

Perceived Past 12 Months Economy Performance x 2016 & 2011 First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											2016 First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1436	350	116	298	247	51	45	16	46	74	37	156	1011	288	137
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	46	68	59	40	26	53	39	56	65	40	40	25	49	46	27
The same	35	27	35	40	32	37	42	25	22	35	56	47	33	38	45
Worse off	19	5	6	20	41	10	19	19	13	25	5	28	18	16	28

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1436	445	156	222	156	11	6	10	-	112	318
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	46	59	51	36	24	90	39	38	-	39	43
The same	35	29	33	46	32	10	46	28	-	43	38
Worse off	19	12	16	19	44	-	15	33	-	18	19

Perceived Past 12 Months Economy Performance x Voter Dynamic & Party Closest to

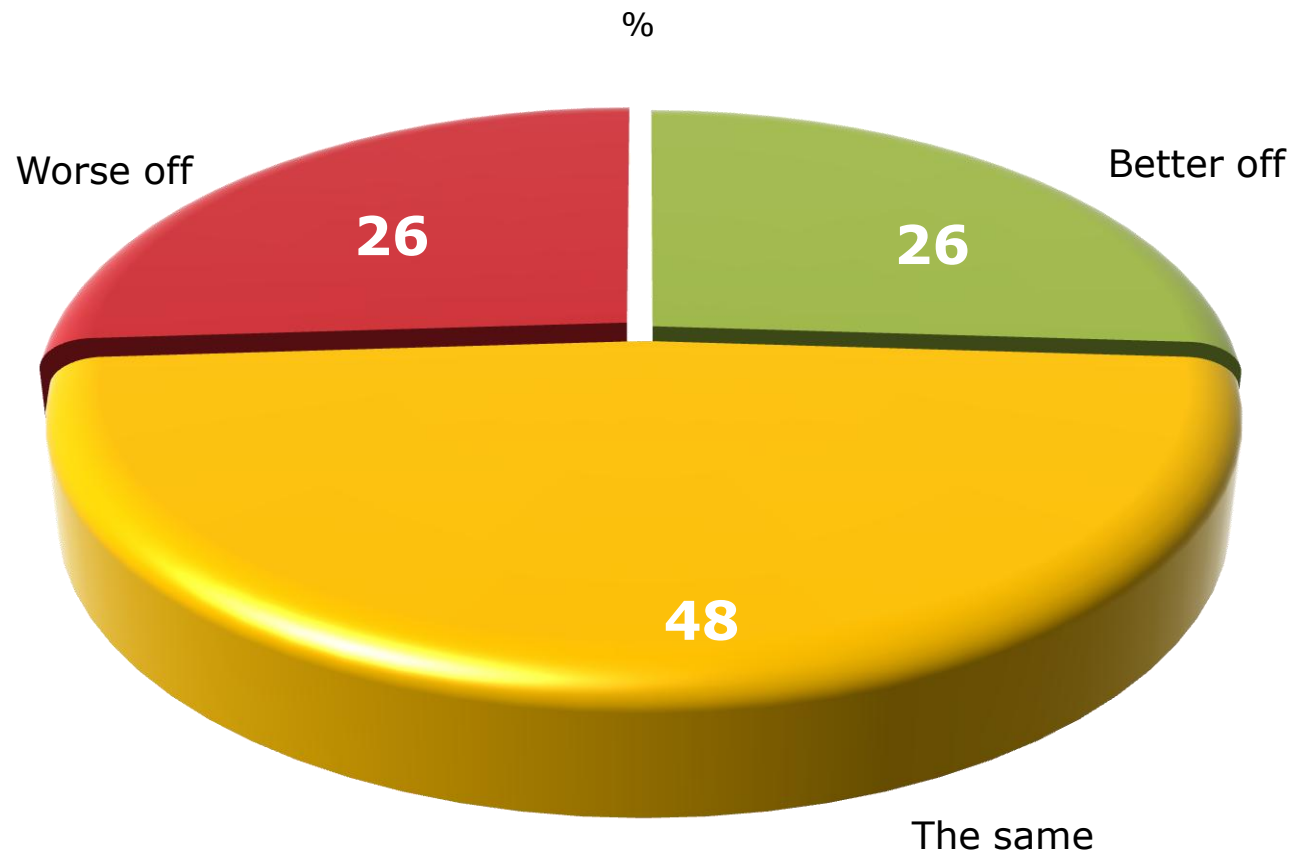
Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1436	1028	408	322	633	481	128	142	147	1019
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	46	45	49	41	52	42	48	52	50	44
The same	35	36	34	39	30	39	34	30	37	36
Worse off	19	20	16	20	18	18	18	18	14	20

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1436	125	33	128	85	3	2	-	5	3	2	5	1045
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	46	68	64	34	20	66	100	-	63	-	100	43	46
The same	35	28	30	44	26	34	-	-	-	61	-	21	36
Worse off	19	4	6	22	54	-	-	-	37	39	-	36	18

Perceived Past 12 Months Personal Finance Status

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Perceived Past 12 Months Personal Finance Status x Demographics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1436	785	651	94	212	462	421	245	720	659	57
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	26	30	21	36	33	28	21	22	33	19	20
The same	48	47	50	46	44	48	51	49	49	48	49
Worse off	26	23	29	18	23	24	29	29	18	34	31

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1436	437	368	383	248	988	448
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	26	30	30	25	14	27	23
The same	48	45	50	47	53	48	48
Worse off	26	25	20	28	33	25	29

Perceived Past 12 Months Personal Finance Status x 2016 & 2011 First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											2016 First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1436	350	116	298	247	51	45	16	46	74	37	156	1011	288	137
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	26	43	31	22	14	23	24	18	39	20	27	13	28	25	13
The same	48	47	56	51	41	56	52	58	34	41	48	55	48	49	52
Worse off	26	11	13	28	45	22	24	24	26	38	25	32	24	27	35

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1436	445	156	222	156	11	6	10	-	112	318
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	26	35	24	18	13	55	54	11	-	18	27
The same	48	47	51	51	40	45	28	27	-	51	51
Worse off	26	18	25	30	47	-	17	62	-	32	23

Perceived Past 12 Months Personal Finance Status x Voter Dynamic & Party Closest to

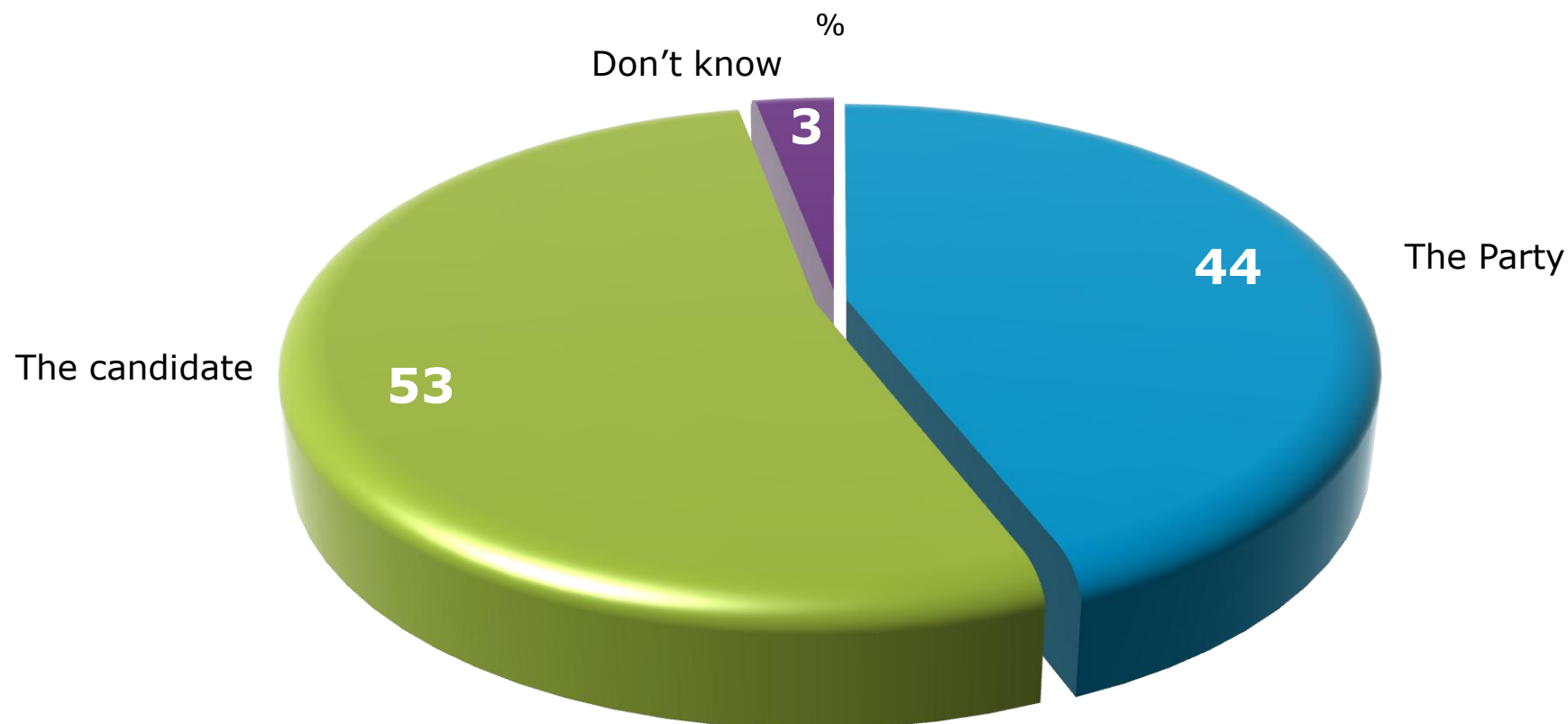
Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1436	1028	408	322	633	481	128	142	147	1019
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	26	24	29	24	29	24	28	25	31	25
The same	48	49	47	52	45	50	47	50	46	48
Worse off	26	27	23	24	26	27	25	25	22	27

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1436	125	33	128	85	3	2	-	5	3	2	5	1045
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Better off	26	42	21	22	10	-	47	-	24	-	-	20	26
The same	48	51	63	48	44	100	53	-	38	31	100	64	48
Worse off	26	7	15	31	46	-	-	-	37	69	-	16	26

Importance of Party versus Candidate

Base : All voting for party candidates*



*NB – Party = Fianna Fáil, Fine Gael, Labour, Green Party, Sinn Féin, Workers Party, AAA – PBP, Renua, Social Democrats

Importance of Party versus Candidate x Demographics

Base : All voting for party candidates*

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1221	679	542	84	184	390	349	212	622	556	43
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Party	44	47	41	43	45	43	43	46	45	43	35
The candidate	53	50	56	53	49	54	55	51	52	53	63
Don't know	3	3	3	4	5	3	2	3	3	4	2

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1221	379	333	317	192	853	368
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Party	44	50	43	38	44	46	40
The candidate	53	47	55	58	51	51	56
Don't know	3	3	3	3	4	3	3

*NB – Party = Fianna Fáil, Fine Gael, Labour, Green Party, Sinn Féin, Workers Party, AAA – PBP, Renua, Social Democrats

Importance of Party versus Candidate x 2016 & 2011 First Preference

Base : All voting for party candidates*

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											2016 First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1221	350	116	298	247	51	-	-	46	74	37	2	1011	210	-
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Party	44	51	45	41	51	20	-	-	33	35	19	-	47	27	-
The candidate	53	46	54	55	45	78	-	-	63	64	78	44	49	70	-
Don't know	3	3	1	4	4	2	-	-	4	2	3	56	3	3	-

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1221	395	140	205	143	10	5	9	-	55	259
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Party	44	49	39	44	57	48	19	34	-	23	37
The candidate	53	49	57	52	39	42	81	66	-	75	59
Don't know	3	2	4	4	4	10	-	-	-	2	4

*NB – Party = Fianna Fáil, Fine Gael, Labour, Green Party, Sinn Féin, Workers Party, AAA – PBP, Renua, Social Democrats

Importance of Party versus Candidate x Voter Dynamics & Party Closest to

Base : All voting for party candidates*

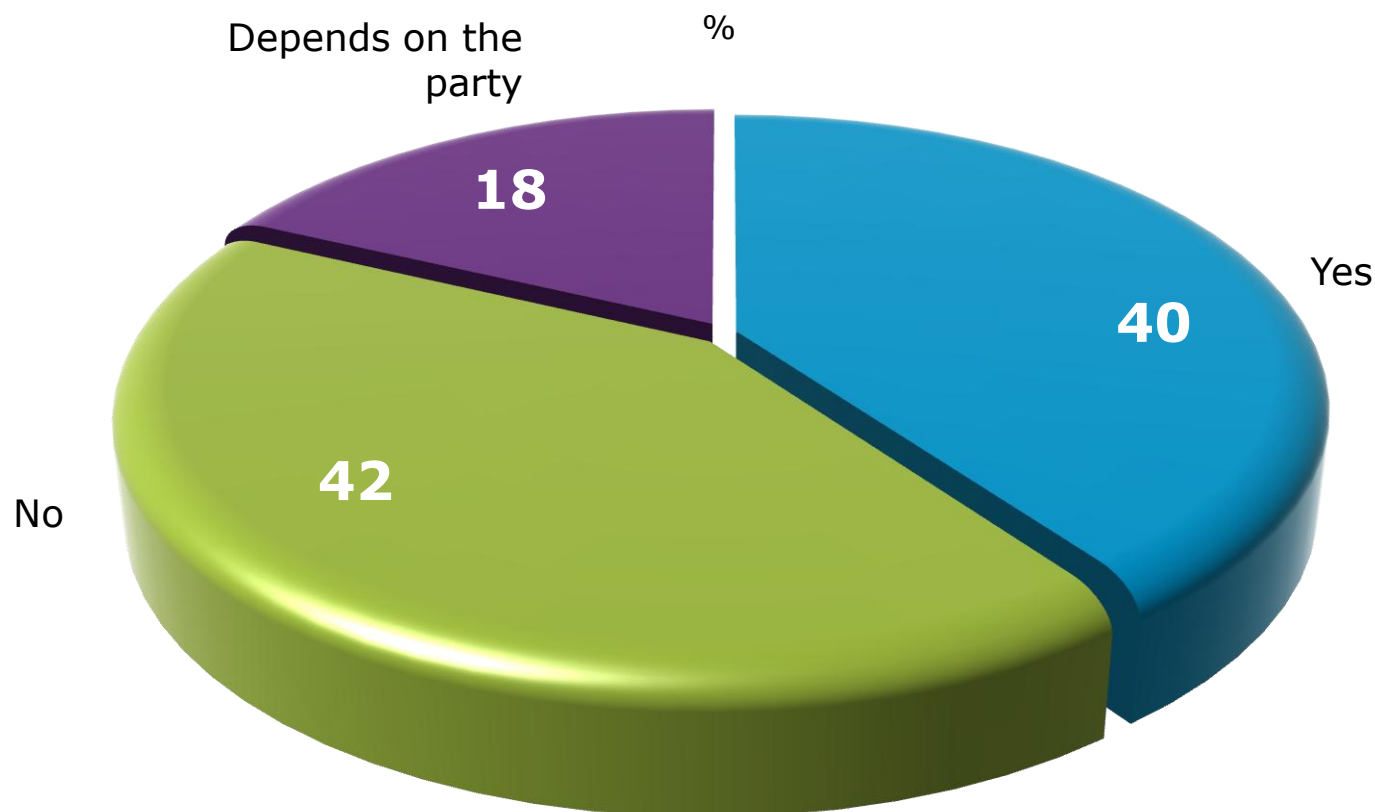
	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1221	862	359	267	580	374	109	133	136	843
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Party	44	42	50	45	43	44	56	44	42	43
The candidate	53	55	47	52	54	52	43	52	56	54
Don't know	3	3	3	3	3	4	1	5	2	4

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1221	119	30	119	80	2	1	-	5	3	1	3	858
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Party	44	65	63	56	70	52	-	-	57	70	100	39	36
The candidate	53	34	37	39	26	48	100	-	43	30	-	61	60
Don't know	3	1	-	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3

*NB – Party = Fianna Fáil, Fine Gael, Labour, Green Party, Sinn Féin, Workers Party, AAA – PBP, Renua, Social Democrats

Importance of Candidate's Party Affiliation

Base : All voting for party candidates*



*NB – Party = Fianna Fáil, Fine Gael, Labour, Green Party, Sinn Féin, Workers Party, AAA – PBP, Renua, Social Democrats

Importance of Candidate's Party Affiliation x Demographics

Base : All voting for party candidates*

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1221	679	542	84	184	390	349	212	622	556	43
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	40	39	42	32	34	44	41	40	39	41	42
No	42	44	41	48	44	39	41	46	45	39	38
Depends on the party	18	18	17	20	22	17	18	14	16	19	20

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1221	379	333	317	192	853	368
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	40	32	46	44	41	40	42
No	42	53	39	37	36	44	38
Depends on the party	18	15	15	20	23	16	20

*NB – Party = Fianna Fáil, Fine Gael, Labour, Green Party, Sinn Féin, Workers Party, AAA – PBP, Renua, Social Democrats

Importance of Candidate's Party Affiliation x 2016 & 2011 First Preference

Base : All voting for party candidates*

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1221	350	116	298	247	51	-	-	46	74	37	2	1011	210	-
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	40	42	42	47	33	45	-	-	32	22	48	44	41	35	-
No	42	41	38	42	48	21	-	-	50	50	41	56	42	41	-
Depends on the party	18	17	20	12	19	34	-	-	17	28	11	-	16	24	-

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1221	395	140	205	143	10	5	9	-	55	259
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	40	39	39	48	30	60	24	12	-	47	39
No	42	42	45	38	49	40	40	77	-	29	43
Depends on the party	18	18	16	13	21	-	36	11	-	23	18

*NB – Party = Fianna Fáil, Fine Gael, Labour, Green Party, Sinn Féin, Workers Party, AAA – PBP, Renua, Social Democrats

Importance of Candidate's Party Affiliation x Voter Dynamics & Party Closest to

Base : All voting for party candidates*

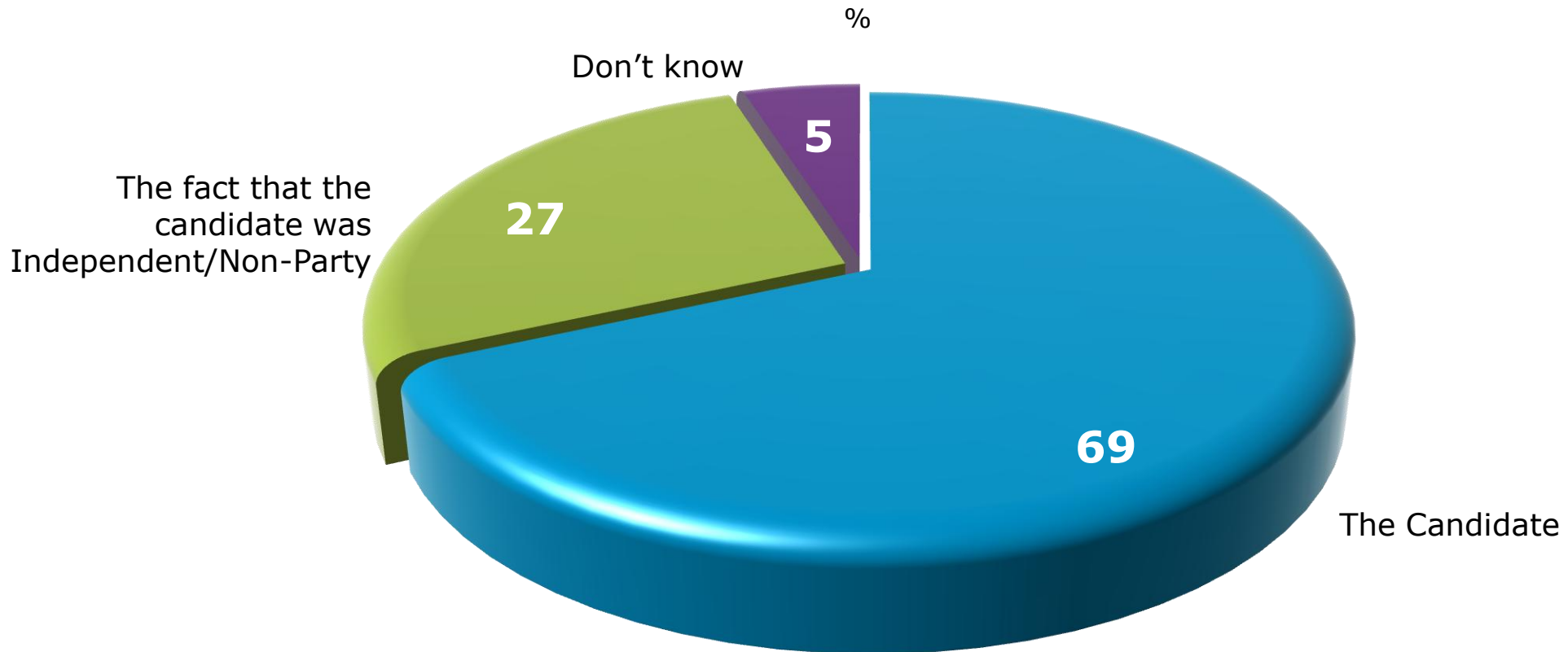
	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1221	862	359	267	580	374	109	133	136	843
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	40	42	37	44	41	36	37	42	42	40
No	42	40	47	38	45	41	51	42	41	41
Depends on the party	18	18	16	17	14	23	12	16	17	19

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1221	119	30	119	80	2	1	-	5	3	1	3	858
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	40	28	36	43	21	48	-	-	24	-	100	61	43
No	42	49	58	45	52	-	-	-	57	100	-	-	40
Depends on the party	18	23	6	12	27	52	100	-	18	-	-	39	17

*NB – Party = Fianna Fáil, Fine Gael, Labour, Green Party, Sinn Féin, Workers Party, AAA – PBP, Renua, Social Democrats

Importance of Individual Candidate versus Candidate's Independence/Non Party Status

Base : All voting for Independents/Non Party Candidates



Importance of Individual Candidate versus Candidate's Independence/Non Party Status x Demographics

Base : All voting for Independents/Non Party Candidates

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	215	106	109	10	28	72	72	33	98	103	14
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Candidate	69	74	64	59	74	69	71	60	70	69	62
The fact that the candidate was Independent/Non-Party	27	24	29	29	26	24	28	31	25	28	30
Don't know	5	3	6	12	-	7	1	9	5	4	8

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	215	58	35	66	56	135	80
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Candidate	69	63	73	62	79	66	73
The fact that the candidate was Independent/Non-Party	27	30	24	34	15	29	23
Don't know	5	7	3	3	5	5	4

Importance of Individual Candidate versus Candidate's Independence/Non Party Status x 2016 & 2011 First Preference

Base : All voting for Independents/Non Party Candidates

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	215	-	-	-	-	-	45	16	-	-	-	154	-	78	137
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Candidate	69	-	-	-	-	-	64	82	-	-	-	69	-	68	69
The fact that the candidate was Independent/Non-Party	27	-	-	-	-	-	29	13	-	-	-	27	-	26	27
Don't know	5	-	-	-	-	-	7	6	-	-	-	4	-	6	4

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	215	50	16	17	13	1	1	1	-	57	59
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Candidate	69	67	75	83	62	100	100	100	-	77	57
The fact that the candidate was Independent/Non-Party	27	31	25	17	25	-	-	-	-	18	36
Don't know	5	2	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	5	7

Importance of Individual Candidate versus Candidate's Independence/Non Party Status x Voter Dynamic & Party Closest to

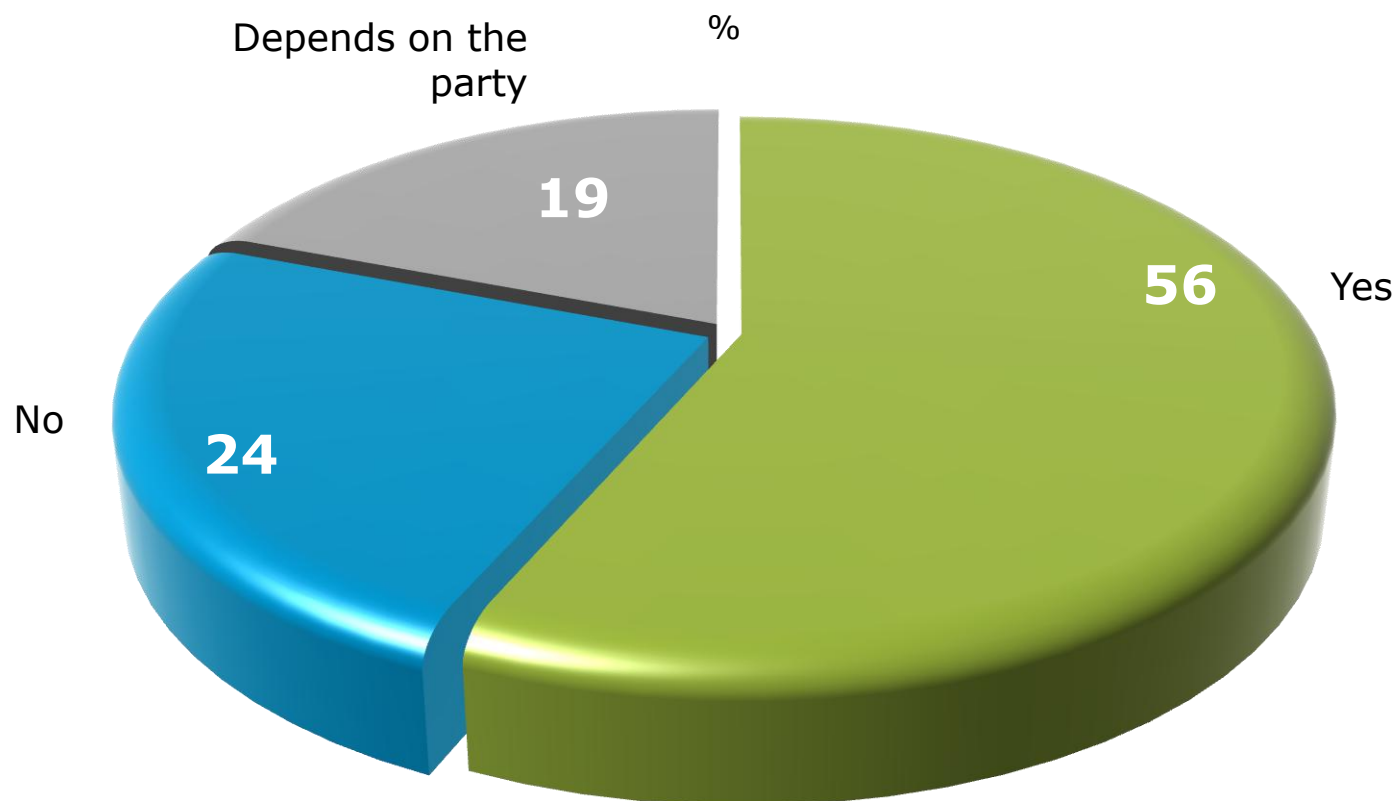
Base : All voting for Independents/Non Party Candidates

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	215	166	49	55	53	107	19	9	11	176
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Candidate	69	69	69	65	55	76	62	79	64	69
The fact that the candidate was Independent/Non-Party	27	27	25	31	39	19	31	21	27	26
Don't know	5	5	5	4	6	5	6	-	9	4

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	215	6	3	9	5	1	1	-	-	-	1	2	187
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
The Candidate	69	83	100	78	18	100	100	-	-	-	100	51	68
The fact that the candidate was Independent/Non-Party	27	17	-	22	41	-	-	-	-	-	-	49	27
Don't know	5	-	-	-	41	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4

Importance of Candidate's Non-Party Affiliation

Base : All voting for Independents/Non Party Candidates



Importance of Candidate's Non-Party Affiliation x Demographics

Base : All voting for Independents/Non Party Candidates

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	215	106	109	10	28	72	72	33	98	103	14
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	56	52	60	58	42	57	56	67	56	57	55
No	24	25	24	42	21	22	31	11	28	23	13
Depends on the party	19	23	17	-	37	21	13	21	16	20	32

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	215	58	35	66	56	135	80
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	56	49	61	56	61	57	55
No	24	28	29	20	23	24	25
Depends on the party	19	22	10	24	16	19	20

Importance of Candidate's Non Party Affiliation x 2016 & 2011 First Preference

Base : All voting for Independents/Non Party Candidates

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	215	-	-	-	-	-	45	16	-	-	-	154	-	78	137
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	56	-	-	-	-	-	67	63	-	-	-	53	-	58	55
No	24	-	-	-	-	-	19	12	-	-	-	27	-	19	27
Depends on the party	19	-	-	-	-	-	14	24	-	-	-	20	-	23	18

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	215	50	16	17	13	1	1	1	-	57	59
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	56	57	27	88	51	100	100	100	-	54	56
No	24	24	24	-	29	-	-	-	-	30	27
Depends on the party	19	20	50	12	21	-	-	-	-	16	17

Importance of Candidate's Non Party Affiliation x Voter Dynamics & Party Closest to

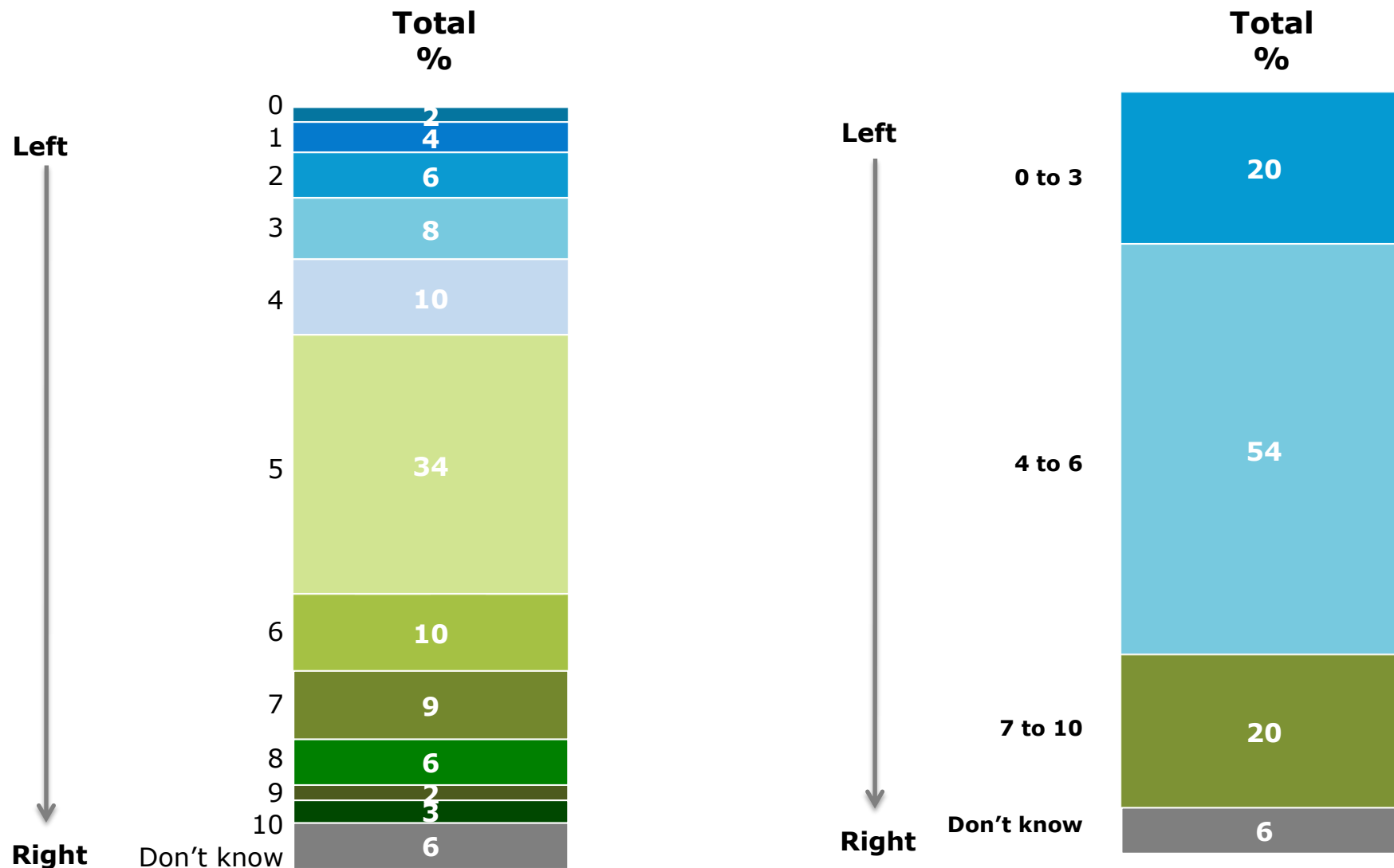
Base : All voting for Independents/Non Party Candidates

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	215	166	49	55	53	107	19	9	11	176
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	56	59	47	63	58	52	57	45	62	56
No	24	23	28	22	30	23	37	12	-	25
Depends on the party	19	18	25	15	11	25	6	43	38	19

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	215	6	3	9	5	1	1	-	-	-	1	2	187
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	56	84	34	66	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	100	56
No	24	16	32	22	61	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	24
Depends on the party	19	-	34	12	39	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	20

Left Right Disposition

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Left Right Disposition x Gender, Age & Social Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1436	785	651	94	212	462	421	245	720	659	57
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Left	2	3	1	3	3	2	2	2	2	3	-
1	4	4	3	5	7	4	2	2	2	6	-
2	6	6	5	8	7	5	5	5	4	7	5
3	8	8	9	8	12	9	8	4	9	8	2
4	10	10	10	8	10	11	10	8	11	8	15
5	34	33	36	38	32	34	36	34	33	37	23
6	10	10	9	8	8	11	9	11	13	6	11
7	9	9	10	7	7	11	9	9	10	8	12
8	6	8	4	6	3	5	6	12	6	6	14
9	2	2	2	2	1	1	3	3	2	2	4
10 - Right	3	2	3	-	2	1	4	6	2	3	5
Don't Know	6	4	7	9	7	5	6	5	5	7	9
0-3	20	21	19	23	30	21	18	13	18	24	7
4-6	54	53	55	53	50	55	55	53	57	51	49
7-10	20	21	19	15	13	19	22	29	21	18	35
Mean	4.98	4.95	5.02	4.63	4.39	4.84	5.13	5.58	5.10	4.74	5.93

Left Right Disposition x Region & Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1436	437	368	383	248	988	448
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Left	2	3	1	3	2	3	2
1	4	5	2	4	4	4	3
2	6	8	4	5	5	6	4
3	8	10	7	10	6	9	6
4	10	11	9	9	10	10	10
5	34	33	36	33	38	34	36
6	10	10	13	8	8	9	11
7	9	8	9	10	11	9	10
8	6	4	7	9	5	6	7
9	2	2	1	3	1	2	2
10 - Right	3	2	4	2	2	2	3
Don't Know	6	4	7	5	8	6	6
0-3	20	25	14	21	17	22	16
4-6	54	54	57	50	56	53	57
7-10	20	17	21	24	19	20	21
Mean	4.98	4.69	5.29	5.04	4.94	4.90	5.15

Left Right Disposition x 2016 GE First Preference Party Vote

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1436	350	116	298	247	51	45	16	46	74	37	156	1011	288	137
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Left	2	-	3	1	7	2	-	12	4	5	2	2	2	4	1
1	4	1	3	2	11	2	2	12	2	11	-	3	4	5	3
2	6	3	7	3	12	4	2	-	-	23	-	5	5	7	4
3	8	2	12	5	14	17	6	14	20	12	11	11	6	14	10
4	10	9	20	7	8	18	6	7	22	10	5	11	9	12	12
5	34	34	28	37	30	29	52	49	28	32	51	35	34	37	36
6	10	14	8	10	3	14	9	6	13	1	11	12	10	9	12
7	9	16	8	15	4	5	7	-	4	-	2	5	12	3	6
8	6	9	4	11	1	4	9	-	2	2	6	5	7	4	5
9	2	3	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	3	3	2	1	3
10 - Right	3	4	2	4	2	2	2	-	-	-	5	1	3	1	1
Don't Know	6	6	4	4	8	4	5	-	5	4	3	9	6	4	9
0-3	20	6	25	10	43	25	10	38	26	50	13	20	18	29	18
4-6	54	56	56	54	41	61	68	62	64	42	68	58	52	58	60
7-10	20	32	14	32	8	11	17	-	6	3	16	13	25	9	14
Mean	4.98	5.84	4.53	5.70	3.71	4.62	5.26	3.64	4.34	3.35	5.32	4.82	5.17	4.36	4.90

Left Right Disposition x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1436	445	156	222	156	11	6	10	-	112	318
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Left	2	1	4	1	7	8	-	19	-	3	3
1	4	1	5	1	16	-	32	-	-	7	2
2	6	4	11	2	11	8	15	43	-	3	5
3	8	4	17	5	15	16	19	-	-	12	8
4	10	9	18	9	7	32	-	-	-	10	8
5	34	33	30	34	29	18	14	28	-	39	41
6	10	15	5	9	4	-	-	11	-	9	9
7	9	14	3	15	2	9	-	-	-	1	8
8	6	10	-	11	1	8	20	-	-	4	4
9	2	3	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	4	1
10 - Right	3	4	1	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
Don't Know	6	4	6	6	6	-	-	-	-	7	8
0-3	20	9	37	8	48	33	66	61	-	26	19
4-6	54	57	53	52	39	50	14	39	-	58	58
7-10	20	31	4	34	7	17	20	-	-	9	15
Mean	4.98	5.70	3.87	5.81	3.51	4.11	3.47	2.89		4.49	4.86

Left Right Disposition x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Preference Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1436	1028	408	322	633	481	128	142	147	1019
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Left	2	2	3	2	3	2	2	4	1	3
1	4	4	3	2	4	4	6	1	1	4
2	6	4	8	4	8	4	4	4	7	6
3	8	8	8	8	9	8	6	7	6	9
4	10	10	9	7	11	11	7	7	11	10
5	34	35	34	36	34	34	34	44	30	34
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7	9	9	11	10	9	9	8	7	18	9
8	6	6	6	10	4	6	7	9	4	6
9	2	2	1	2	1	3	2	1	3	2
10 - Right	3	3	3	4	3	2	6	4	5	2
Don't Know	6	6	5	5	5	7	6	6	4	6
0-3	20	19	23	15	24	18	19	15	15	22
4-6	54	55	51	53	54	55	52	59	52	54
7-10	20	20	21	26	17	19	23	20	29	18
Mean	4.98	5.02	4.88	5.40	4.72	4.99	5.19	5.16	5.44	4.86

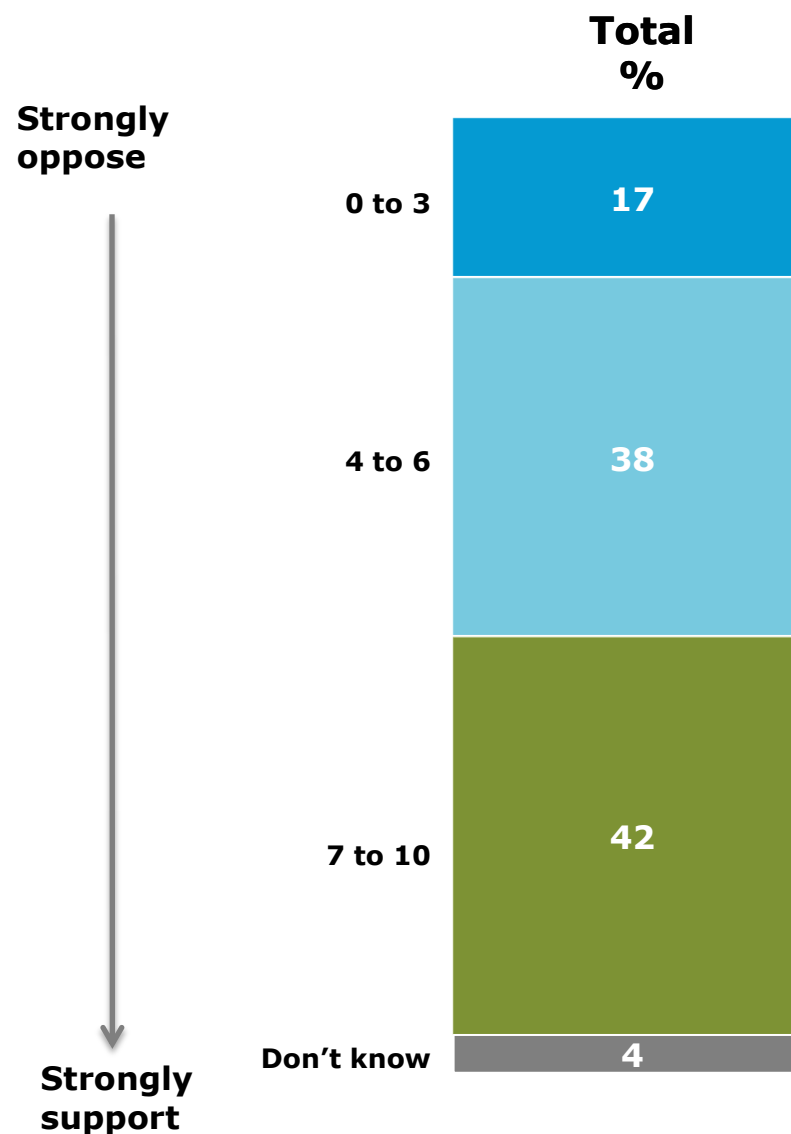
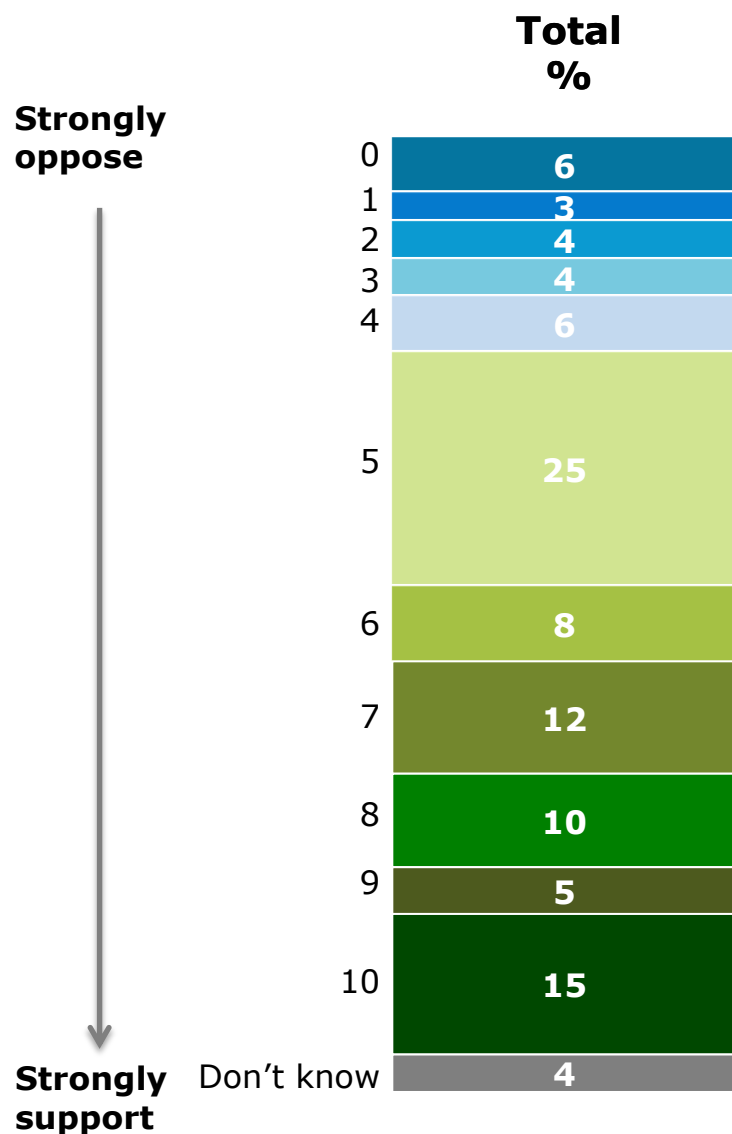
Left Right Disposition x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1436	125	33	128	85	3	2	-	5	3	2	5	1045
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Left	2	2	12	2	8	-	-	-	-	31	-	-	2
1	4	-	7	1	17	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
2	6	2	9	1	18	-	-	-	-	39	-	-	6
3	8	1	28	5	15	-	47	-	32	30	-	-	8
4	10	7	19	9	9	31	-	-	48	-	-	-	10
5	34	30	14	28	13	35	53	-	19	-	47	36	38
6	10	17	7	9	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	10
7	9	19	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
8	6	10	-	15	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	5
9	2	3	-	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
10 - Right	3	4	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Don't Know	6	6	3	5	10	-	-	-	-	-	53	21	6
0-3	20	4	55	8	59	34	47	-	32	100	-	-	19
4-6	54	54	40	45	25	66	53	-	68	-	47	56	58
7-10	20	36	3	42	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	17
Mean	4.98	6.02	3.30	6.11	3.03	3.34	4.05		3.87	1.67	5.00	6.12	4.92

Gender Quota Support Levels

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Gender Quota Support Levels x Gender/Age/Social Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1436	785	651	94	212	462	421	245	720	659	57
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Strongly oppose	6	7	5	4	8	6	7	4	9	3	4
1	3	3	2	1	3	2	3	4	3	3	2
2	4	4	4	5	5	4	3	2	4	3	11
3	4	5	3	6	4	4	4	4	4	4	2
4	6	5	6	4	5	6	5	8	6	5	10
5	25	24	25	23	22	24	25	28	23	27	14
6	8	8	8	10	11	8	6	7	8	8	5
7	12	12	11	10	9	12	14	10	12	11	11
8	10	9	11	11	9	10	8	13	10	9	14
9	5	4	5	7	4	5	4	4	5	5	5
10 – Strongly Support	15	13	18	15	17	16	16	10	14	16	12
Don't Know	4	4	3	5	3	3	4	6	2	5	9
0-3	17	20	14	16	19	16	18	14	20	13	19
4-6	38	37	39	37	38	37	35	43	37	40	30
7-10	42	39	45	43	39	44	43	37	42	41	43
Mean	5.93	5.68	6.20	6.17	5.83	6.04	5.90	5.75	5.74	6.15	5.83

Gender Quota Support Levels x Region/Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1436	437	368	383	248	988	448
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Strongly oppose	6	7	6	7	4	6	6
1	3	2	2	5	2	3	2
2	4	5	3	3	4	4	3
3	4	5	5	3	4	4	4
4	6	4	7	5	6	5	7
5	25	30	21	22	24	25	23
6	8	9	8	7	7	9	6
7	12	10	13	11	13	11	13
8	10	7	9	14	10	10	11
9	5	4	6	6	3	5	5
10 – Strongly Support	15	15	16	13	18	15	15
Don't Know	4	2	4	5	5	3	5
0-3	17	19	16	17	13	18	14
4-6	38	43	37	34	37	39	36
7-10	42	36	43	44	45	40	45
Mean	5.93	5.68	6.01	5.93	6.25	5.86	6.08

Gender Quota Support Levels x 2016 GE First Preference Party Vote

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1436	350	116	298	247	51	45	16	46	74	37	156	1011	288	137
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Strongly oppose	6	8	5	6	6	6	2	12	9	4	2	6	6	6	5
1	3	1	3	4	2	4	6	-	2	4	5	2	3	4	2
2	4	3	4	4	4	-	2	6	-	4	5	7	4	2	7
3	4	3	10	5	4	6	2	-	6	-	-	3	5	3	3
4	6	5	6	5	4	10	12	-	7	11	-	4	5	8	4
5	25	27	21	21	23	31	24	19	20	34	38	23	24	27	26
6	8	7	10	7	5	14	-	25	13	4	11	10	7	10	10
7	12	14	18	12	8	9	14	13	10	11	11	9	12	11	9
8	10	9	6	13	9	10	12	6	15	5	19	11	10	11	10
9	5	5	3	5	7	2	7	-	4	7	3	4	5	4	4
10 – Strongly Support	15	14	14	14	23	8	16	19	13	12	2	16	16	12	15
Don't Know	4	5	2	4	5	-	2	-	-	6	2	5	4	3	3
0-3	17	15	21	19	16	16	13	18	17	12	13	18	17	14	18
4-6	38	40	37	33	33	56	37	44	40	48	49	37	36	44	40
7-10	42	41	40	44	47	29	49	38	43	34	35	40	43	38	39
Mean	5.93	5.89	5.75	5.90	6.33	5.43	6.15	5.89	5.90	5.73	5.64	5.89	5.98	5.79	5.86

Gender Quota Support Levels x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1436	445	156	222	156	11	6	10	-	112	318
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Strongly oppose	6	8	4	4	7	12	-	-	-	11	4
1	3	2	2	3	2	8	-	10	-	4	3
2	4	3	5	5	4	-	-	-	-	8	2
3	4	4	5	5	5	-	-	12	-	3	4
4	6	7	5	5	4	12	28	-	-	6	4
5	25	25	22	23	24	18	-	21	-	25	27
6	8	8	6	8	6	9	17	-	-	5	10
7	12	13	12	13	9	8	34	11	-	11	10
8	10	10	12	11	8	10	-	18	-	6	11
9	5	4	5	4	6	7	-	9	-	3	6
10 – Strongly Support	15	13	19	14	23	17	20	9	-	15	13
Don't Know	4	3	3	4	1	-	-	10	-	4	6
0-3	17	17	15	16	19	20	-	22	-	25	13
4-6	38	40	34	36	35	38	46	21	-	36	41
7-10	42	40	49	43	45	42	54	47	-	35	41
Mean	5.93	5.73	6.33	5.99	6.12	5.67	6.57	6.06		5.30	6.12

Gender Quota Support Levels x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

Base : All GE 2016 Voters	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1436	1028	408	322	633	481	128	142	147	1019
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Strongly oppose	6	7	5	6	6	6	4	6	5	6
1	3	3	2	2	4	2	2	2	1	3
2	4	3	6	3	5	3	1	3	6	4
3	4	4	4	2	5	4	5	2	5	4
4	6	6	6	5	6	6	8	2	4	6
5	25	26	22	23	23	27	24	26	23	25
6	8	7	11	9	6	10	9	10	5	8
7	12	11	13	12	12	11	16	10	10	12
8	10	11	9	9	12	8	10	9	15	9
9	5	5	4	8	4	4	4	5	9	4
10 – Strongly Support	15	15	16	18	16	12	13	21	14	15
Don't Know	4	4	3	3	3	6	3	4	3	4
0-3	17	17	17	14	19	16	13	13	17	18
4-6	38	38	39	36	35	43	41	37	32	38
7-10	42	42	42	47	44	35	43	45	48	40
Mean	5.93	5.91	5.98	6.29	5.89	5.72	6.04	6.35	6.17	5.82

Gender Quota Support Levels x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1436	125	33	128	85	3	2	-	5	3	2	5	1045
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Strongly oppose	6	7	6	6	5	-	-	-	24	-	-	-	6
1	3	1	-	4	3	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	3
2	4	2	-	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
3	4	4	6	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
4	6	7	-	6	7	-	47	-	24	-	-	-	5
5	25	25	30	23	27	-	53	-	19	39	47	20	24
6	8	7	3	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
7	12	17	15	12	5	31	-	-	-	-	-	20	11
8	10	10	9	16	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
9	5	5	6	3	6	-	-	-	14	31	-	23	5
10 – Strongly Support	15	12	25	13	22	69	-	-	-	30	53	37	15
Don't Know	4	4	-	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
0-3	17	13	12	17	17	-	-	-	42	-	-	-	17
4-6	38	39	33	35	40	-	100	-	43	39	47	20	38
7-10	42	43	55	44	37	100	-	-	14	61	53	80	41
Mean	5.93	5.95	6.66	5.92	6.02	9.07	4.53		3.39	7.75	7.65	8.16	5.89

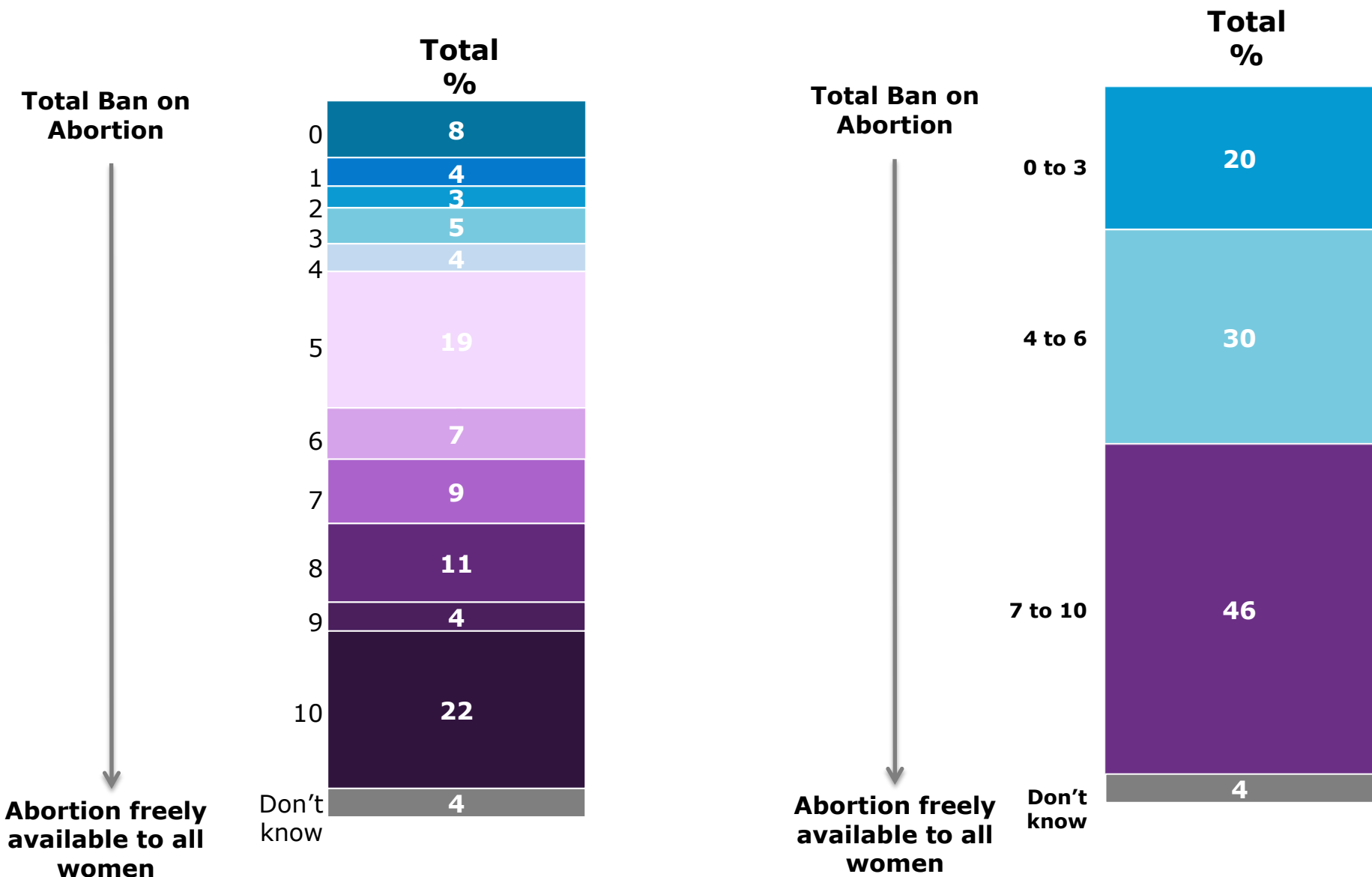


Additional Questions Version 2 Questionnaire



Availability of Abortion Support Levels

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Q.4V2 On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means you strongly believe that *there should be a total ban on abortion in Ireland*, and 10 means that you strongly believe that *Abortion should be freely available in Ireland to any woman who wants to have one*, where would you place your view?

Availability of Abortion Support Levels x Gender/Age/Social Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1429	731	698	102	189	449	433	256	719	638	72
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Total Ban on Abortion	8	8	9	6	5	5	8	19	5	10	24
1	4	4	4	3	2	3	6	5	4	4	1
2	3	3	3	3	3	2	3	5	3	3	8
3	5	5	4	2	2	5	6	4	5	4	8
4	4	4	4	2	3	4	5	4	4	3	1
5	19	21	17	15	17	23	20	16	17	22	20
6	7	7	7	10	6	6	8	5	6	7	7
7	9	10	8	15	9	10	7	9	9	9	9
8	11	11	11	7	14	14	8	11	14	9	2
9	4	5	3	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	3
10 - Abortion freely available to all women	22	18	26	31	32	23	22	10	26	19	8
Don't Know	4	4	3	2	4	2	3	7	2	4	10
0-3	20	20	21	14	12	15	23	34	17	22	42
4-6	30	32	28	27	26	32	33	25	28	33	28
7-10	46	44	48	57	58	50	41	34	53	41	21
Mean	6.07	5.97	6.18	6.80	6.97	6.44	5.82	4.72	6.50	5.79	4.02

Availability of Abortion Support Levels x Region/Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1429	429	363	391	246	972	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Total Ban on Abortion	8	6	7	12	10	8	9
1	4	3	2	6	5	4	5
2	3	3	2	5	2	3	3
3	5	4	4	5	5	5	4
4	4	3	4	4	5	3	6
5	19	12	22	24	21	17	25
6	7	7	9	4	10	6	8
7	9	10	9	8	7	10	8
8	11	13	11	9	12	12	9
9	4	5	2	3	6	4	3
10 - Abortion freely available to all women	22	33	23	14	15	25	15
Don't Know	4	2	4	5	3	3	5
0-3	20	15	15	29	22	20	21
4-6	30	22	35	31	36	26	39
7-10	46	61	46	34	39	51	35
Mean	6.07	6.95	6.32	5.10	5.65	6.31	5.55

Availability of Abortion Support Levels x 2016 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1429	358	96	311	238	45	34	22	53	53	32	187	1003	260	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Total Ban on Abortion	8	8	3	12	7	2	6	-	-	4	21	13	8	6	12
1	4	5	6	4	1	2	6	4	9	4	-	5	4	5	5
2	3	4	1	3	2	14	3	5	2	4	3	2	3	5	1
3	5	7	3	4	3	3	3	4	2	4	6	6	5	3	7
4	4	4	6	3	3	2	2	5	6	2	-	6	4	3	6
5	19	19	14	21	21	10	24	23	18	14	19	22	20	17	22
6	7	7	5	8	8	4	8	13	3	4	16	4	7	6	4
7	9	11	8	8	8	7	11	8	3	21	3	8	9	10	8
8	11	9	17	13	9	20	16	4	14	9	3	9	11	12	8
9	4	3	5	4	6	7	-	-	9	4	3	2	4	4	2
10 - Abortion freely available to all women	22	21	31	14	28	26	18	28	31	29	19	20	21	25	21
Don't Know	4	4	1	5	3	3	3	4	2	2	6	4	4	3	3
0-3	20	23	13	23	13	21	17	14	13	16	30	26	20	20	25
4-6	30	30	25	32	33	17	34	41	27	19	36	32	31	26	32
7-10	46	43	61	40	51	60	46	41	58	63	28	39	46	51	40
Mean	6.07	5.84	6.93	5.59	6.66	6.72	6.06	6.43	6.96	6.81	5.12	5.47	6.07	6.34	5.59

Availability of Abortion Support Levels x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1429	489	142	244	126	25	4	8	1	120	270
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Total Ban on Abortion	8	9	3	13	7	-	28	11	-	7	7
1	4	6	4	4	-	7	-	-	-	3	3
2	3	4	2	3	1	5	-	-	-	4	4
3	5	6	6	5	7	3	-	-	-	2	2
4	4	4	7	2	3	4	-	-	-	3	4
5	19	19	17	22	20	19	25	-	-	27	16
6	7	8	4	8	8	-	-	13	-	6	6
7	9	9	7	8	10	5	-	16	-	9	10
8	11	10	11	14	8	22	-	9	-	10	11
9	4	2	6	4	6	16	-	-	-	3	4
10 - Abortion freely available to all women	22	21	31	12	28	16	47	40	100	21	26
Don't Know	4	3	1	4	2	3	-	11	-	6	5
0-3	20	24	16	25	16	15	28	11	-	16	16
4-6	30	31	28	32	31	23	25	13	-	35	26
7-10	46	42	55	38	52	59	47	65	100	44	52
Mean	6.07	5.76	6.74	5.40	6.58	6.74	5.94	7.48	10.00	6.16	6.47

Availability of Abortion Support Levels x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1429	1031	398	326	637	466	131	159	117	1022
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Total Ban on Abortion	8	9	7	8	9	8	10	6	9	8
1	4	4	4	5	4	3	2	6	3	4
2	3	4	2	2	4	4	3	4	6	3
3	5	4	5	4	5	5	5	3	12	4
4	4	4	4	1	5	4	6	3	1	4
5	19	20	17	20	16	23	24	19	20	19
6	7	7	7	6	5	9	8	11	7	6
7	9	9	9	6	10	10	6	7	8	10
8	11	10	13	11	11	11	13	10	7	12
9	4	4	4	5	4	4	4	5	1	4
10 - Abortion freely available to all women	22	21	24	26	22	19	15	20	19	24
Don't Know	4	4	3	5	4	2	3	6	6	3
0-3	20	21	18	19	22	19	20	19	30	19
4-6	30	31	28	27	26	36	38	33	29	29
7-10	46	44	51	49	48	42	38	43	35	49
Mean	6.07	5.97	6.34	6.31	6.04	5.94	5.67	6.09	5.46	6.19

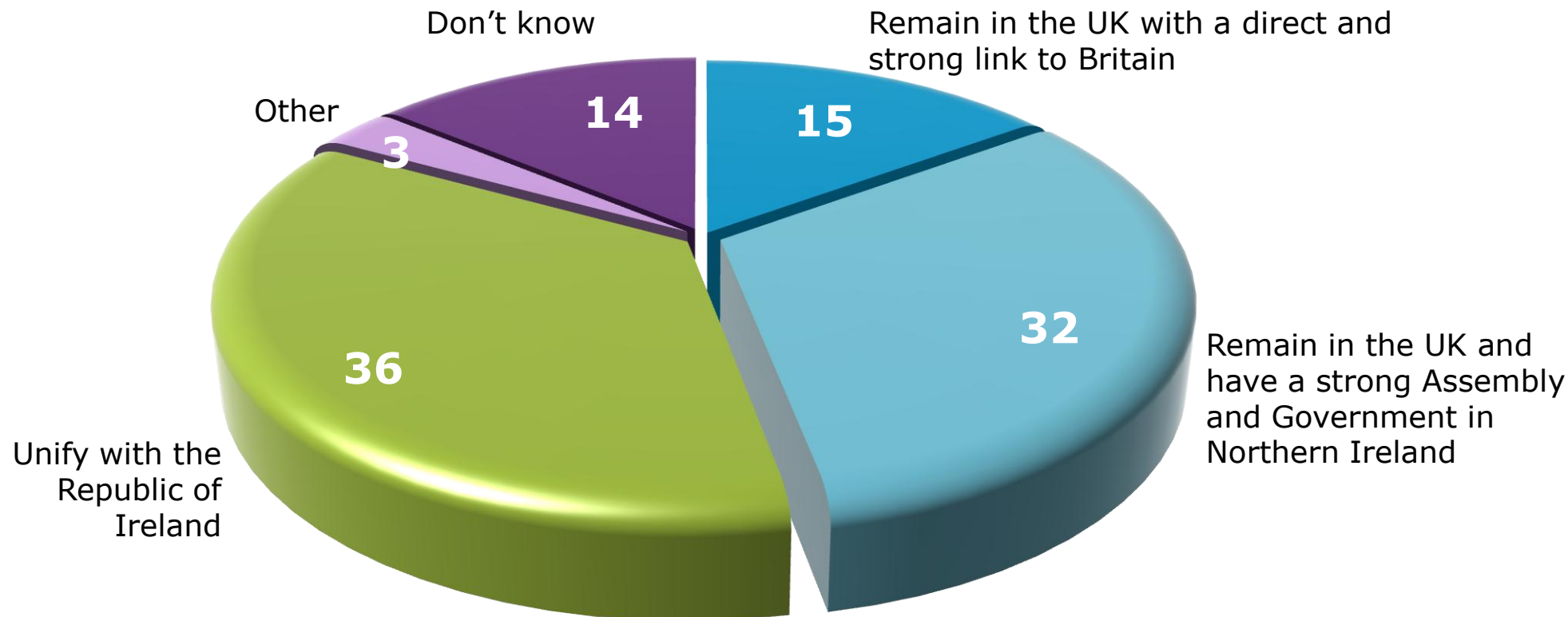
Availability of Abortion Support Levels x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1429	114	21	125	61	4	-	-	9	1	1	2	1091
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 – Total Ban on Abortion	8	9	4	13	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
1	4	6	10	5	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	4
2	3	4	-	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	3
3	5	7	4	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
4	4	6	5	3	3	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	4
5	19	15	-	20	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20
6	7	7	5	10	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	6
7	9	10	12	8	9	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	9
8	11	12	15	9	4	54	-	-	12	-	-	-	11
9	4	4	5	2	5	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	4
10 - Abortion freely available to all women	22	15	37	14	25	46	-	-	35	-	-	52	23
Don't Know	4	6	4	6	2	-	-	-	21	-	-	-	3
0-3	20	26	18	28	13	-	-	-	10	-	100	-	19
4-6	30	29	10	33	43	-	-	-	10	-	-	48	30
7-10	46	39	68	33	42	100	-	-	60	100	-	52	48
Mean	6.07	5.52	7.15	5.19	6.31	8.93			7.67	7.00	2.00	8.09	6.16

Preferred Long Term Future of Northern Ireland

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Preferred Long Term Future of Northern Ireland x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:											
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Remain in the UK with a direct and strong link to Britain	15	15	15	11	12	14	18	16	13	17	15
Remain in the UK and have a strong Assembly and Government in Northern Ireland	32	29	35	32	32	34	33	25	37	26	27
Unify with the Republic of Ireland	36	41	31	35	36	34	36	40	34	39	32
Other	3	4	2	4	4	3	3	2	3	2	3
Don't know	14	11	18	19	16	15	10	16	12	16	23

Preferred Long Term Future of Northern Ireland x Region/Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1429	429	363	391	246	972	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Remain in the UK with a direct and strong link to Britain	15	14	16	16	13	14	16
Remain in the UK and have a strong Assembly and Government in Northern Ireland	32	35	29	37	22	33	29
Unify with the Republic of Ireland	36	36	37	31	42	36	38
Other	3	3	3	4	0	4	2
Don't know	14	11	14	12	23	14	15

Preferred Long Term Future of Northern Ireland x First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab/FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1429	358	96	311	238	45	34	22	53	53	32	187	1003	260	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Remain in the UK with a direct and strong link to Britain	15	15	17	19	11	18	18	19	10	13	10	11	16	14	12
Remain in the UK and have a strong Assembly and Government in Northern Ireland	32	39	34	31	16	37	40	31	44	33	42	28	31	37	29
Unify with the Republic of Ireland	36	28	32	34	59	23	26	38	21	36	34	41	37	31	39
Other	3	3	3	3	1	6	6	-	4	6	3	2	3	5	3
Don't know	14	16	14	12	13	16	9	12	20	13	10	17	14	14	18

Preferred Long Term Future of Northern Ireland x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All Dublin General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1429	489	142	244	126	25	4	8	1	120	270
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Remain in the UK with a direct and strong link to Britain	15	17	12	20	11	12	-	-	-	12	12
Remain in the UK and have a strong Assembly and Government in Northern Ireland	32	35	38	33	14	49	-	51	-	34	27
Unify with the Republic of Ireland	36	32	32	34	64	18	72	49	-	34	36
Other	3	3	2	2	4	9	-	-	100	3	4
Don't know	14	13	15	11	6	11	28	-	-	17	21

Preferred Long Term Future of Northern Ireland x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1429	1031	398	326	637	466	131	159	117	1022
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Remain in the UK with a direct and strong link to Britain	15	15	15	17	14	14	17	16	17	14
Remain in the UK and have a strong Assembly and Government in Northern Ireland	32	31	33	29	36	30	31	29	32	32
Unify with the Republic of Ireland	36	37	35	36	35	38	36	36	34	37
Other	3	3	3	3	2	4	3	3	5	3
Don't know	14	14	14	15	13	15	13	16	12	14

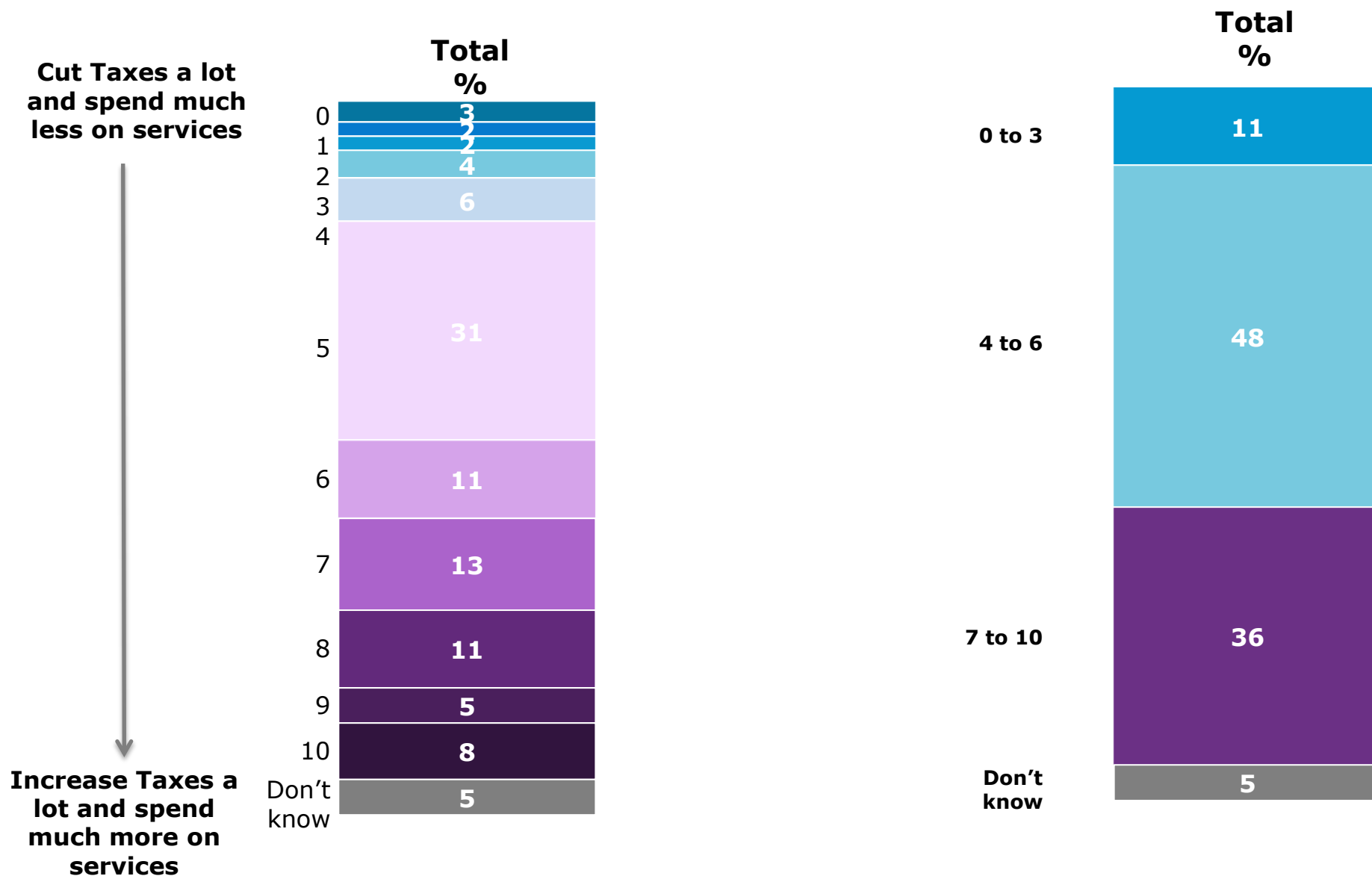
Preferred Long Term Future of Northern Ireland x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1429	114	21	125	61	4	-	-	9	1	1	2	1091
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Remain in the UK with a direct and strong link to Britain	15	20	17	16	8	26	-	-	12	-	-	-	15
Remain in the UK and have a strong Assembly and Government in Northern Ireland	32	30	32	27	16	74	-	-	65	100	100	-	33
Unify with the Republic of Ireland	36	33	46	44	68	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	34
Other	3	3	-	4	1	-	-	-	12	-	-	100	3
Don't know	14	14	4	8	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16

Tax Cuts Versus Services Spending Increases

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Tax Cuts Versus Services Spending Increases x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1429	731	698	102	189	449	433	256	719	638	72
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Cut taxes a lot and spend much less on services	3	3	3	4	4	3	2	4	3	4	3
1	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	4
2	2	3	2	1	3	3	2	1	3	2	2
3	4	4	3	6	3	4	4	2	5	3	3
4	6	7	5	5	6	7	7	4	7	6	6
5	31	29	32	31	30	33	31	24	29	31	34
6	11	10	12	15	14	10	11	11	12	11	7
7	13	14	12	13	10	13	14	13	14	12	9
8	11	11	11	8	11	9	12	14	11	11	4
9	5	5	4	1	7	4	3	8	5	5	3
10 - Increase taxes a lot and spend much more on services	8	7	8	8	5	7	8	11	6	9	10
Don't know	5	5	4	7	7	4	4	5	3	5	14
0-3	11	12	10	12	11	13	11	9	12	10	12
4-6	48	46	50	51	50	50	49	40	48	48	47
7-10	36	37	36	30	32	33	37	47	36	37	26
Mean	5.87	5.83	5.92	5.72	5.77	5.66	5.90	6.37	5.83	5.95	5.56

Tax Cuts Versus Services Spending Increases x Region/Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1429	429	363	391	246	972	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Cut taxes a lot and spend much less on services	3	2	4	4	4	3	4
1	2	1	2	2	2	1	3
2	2	2	3	2	3	3	2
3	4	3	3	4	6	4	4
4	6	3	7	9	5	5	8
5	31	26	31	36	31	29	34
6	11	10	13	11	11	11	11
7	13	16	11	11	14	13	12
8	11	13	10	9	11	12	8
9	5	8	3	3	4	5	3
10 - Increase taxes a lot and spend much more on services	8	11	9	5	4	9	6
Don't Know	5	4	5	5	5	4	5
0-3	11	8	12	11	15	11	12
4-6	48	40	51	55	47	46	53
7-10	36	48	33	29	33	39	29
Mean	5.87	6.43	5.77	5.56	5.55	6.03	5.53

Tax Cuts Versus Services Spending Increases x 2016 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1429	358	96	311	238	45	34	22	53	53	32	187	1003	260	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Cut taxes a lot and spend much less on services	3	3	2	5	3	-	3	-	-	-	3	5	4	1	5
1	2	2	1	2	1	3	-	-	-	2	-	2	2	1	2
2	2	3	4	2	1	5	6	-	2	-	6	2	2	3	2
3	4	5	3	5	3	7	9	-	2	-	-	2	4	3	2
4	6	6	9	5	5	2	15	-	5	2	3	9	6	5	9
5	31	32	24	30	29	25	13	26	25	33	45	39	30	28	39
6	11	11	7	11	14	7	19	9	12	13	22	7	11	13	6
7	13	12	16	13	11	29	15	14	23	13	3	10	12	16	11
8	11	11	17	11	10	9	8	18	10	16	6	9	11	12	8
9	5	6	9	4	4	2	3	14	2	6	3	2	5	4	2
10 - Increase taxes a lot and spend much more on services	8	5	3	8	13	7	3	-	15	10	6	8	8	8	8
Don't Know	5	3	6	4	6	5	6	19	4	6	3	5	4	6	5
0-3	11	13	10	15	8	14	17	-	4	2	9	10	12	8	12
4-6	48	50	40	46	48	33	46	35	43	49	69	55	47	47	55
7-10	36	34	44	35	38	47	30	46	49	44	18	30	36	40	29
Mean	5.87	5.72	6.05	5.70	6.19	6.00	5.42	6.80	6.61	6.56	5.51	5.57	5.85	6.17	5.47

Tax Cuts Versus Services Spending Increases

x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1429	489	142	244	126	25	4	8	1	120	270
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Cut taxes a lot and spend much less on services	3	3	1	5	3	-	-	-	-	5	3
1	2	2	2	3	2	-	-	-	-	2	2
2	2	2	2	3	-	13	28	-	-	1	3
3	4	5	1	4	2	5	-	-	-	8	4
4	6	8	5	6	8	7	-	-	-	4	5
5	31	30	25	32	30	20	24	55	-	34	33
6	11	12	7	11	15	4	25	11	100	10	12
7	13	15	20	8	9	19	-	12	-	12	11
8	11	11	17	12	11	14	-	13	-	9	7
9	5	4	8	5	6	7	-	-	-	3	4
10 - Increase taxes a lot and spend much more on services	8	5	9	8	13	9	23	9	-	6	9
Don't Know	5	4	4	5	3	4	-	-	-	6	7
0-3	11	12	5	14	6	17	28	-	-	15	11
4-6	48	49	37	49	53	30	49	66	100	49	50
7-10	36	36	54	33	38	48	23	34	-	31	31
Mean	5.87	5.77	6.55	5.69	6.26	6.02	5.54	6.20	6.00	5.56	5.79

Tax Cuts Versus Services Spending Increases x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1429	1031	398	326	637	466	131	159	117	1022
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Cut taxes a lot and spend much less of services	3	3	3	4	4	2	1	2	5	3
1	2	2	1	2	2	2	3	2	4	1
2	2	3	2	3	2	3	3	1	4	2
3	4	4	4	5	4	3	4	3	6	4
4	6	7	5	5	7	6	7	6	5	6
5	31	31	28	29	28	35	24	30	31	31
6	11	11	13	9	14	10	15	11	9	11
7	13	12	15	19	13	9	12	15	14	12
8	11	11	12	9	12	11	15	9	9	11
9	5	5	4	4	5	5	5	7	4	4
10 - Increase taxes a lot and spend much more on services	8	7	9	8	8	7	6	9	7	8
Don't Know	5	5	4	5	2	7	5	5	2	5
0-3	11	12	9	13	11	9	11	9	18	11
4-6	48	49	46	43	48	51	46	47	46	49
7-10	36	34	41	39	38	32	38	40	34	36
Mean	5.87	5.79	6.10	5.81	5.92	5.87	5.96	6.08	5.48	5.88

Tax Cuts Versus Services Spending Increases

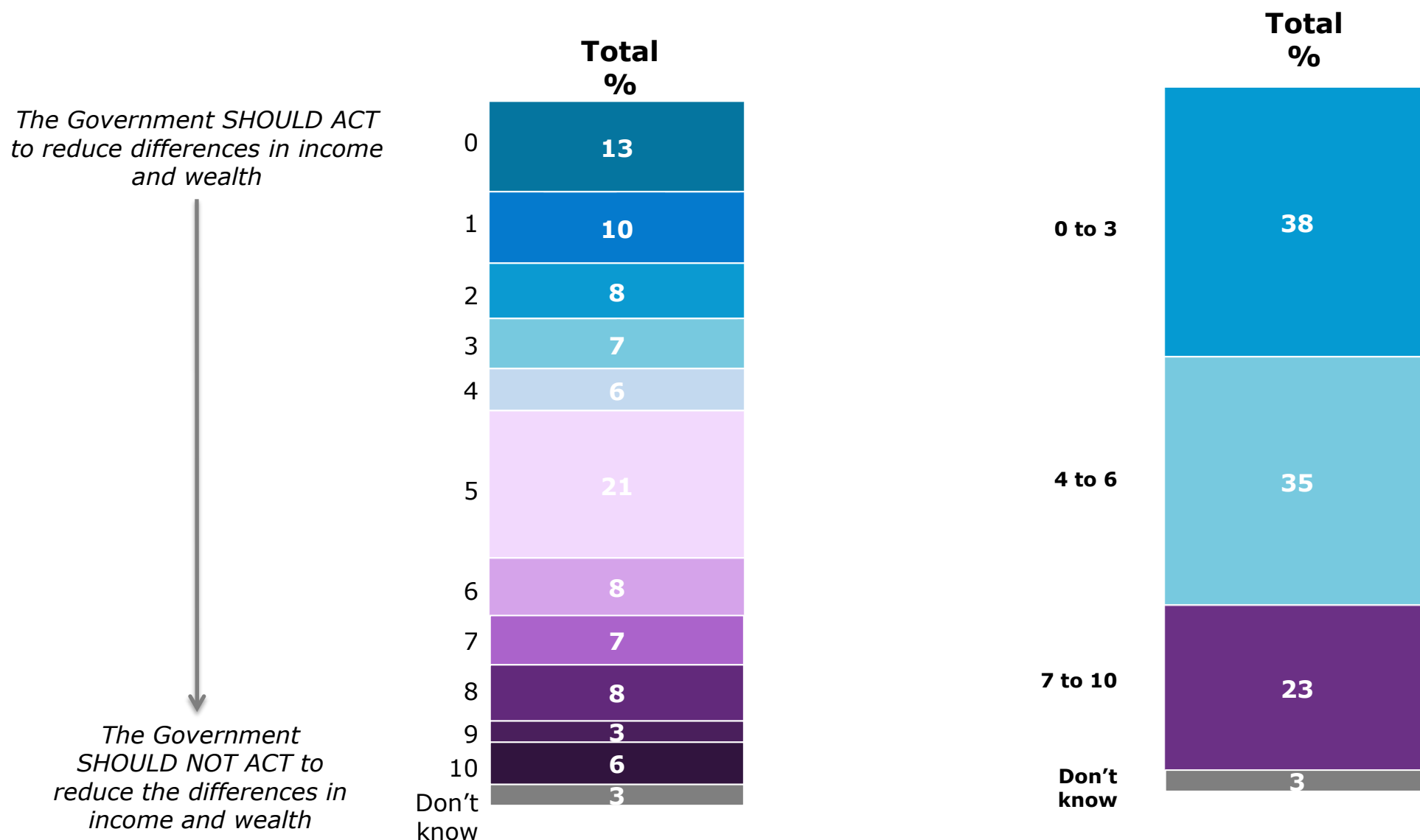
x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1429	114	21	125	61	4	-	-	9	1	1	2	1091
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Cut taxes a lot and spend much less on services	3	5	4	8	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
1	2	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
2	2	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	3
3	4	3	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
4	6	7	5	8	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
5	31	33	4	34	31	-	-	-	33	100	100	-	30
6	11	9	20	10	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	11
7	13	16	10	9	7	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	13
8	11	12	21	10	7	54	-	-	14	-	-	-	11
9	5	4	9	2	1	-	-	-	19	-	-	-	5
10 - Increase taxes a lot and spend much more on services	8	7	13	8	15	46	-	-	12	-	-	-	7
Don't Know	5	2	14	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
0-3	11	10	4	15	9	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	11
4-6	48	49	28	52	56	-	-	-	33	100	100	100	47
7-10	36	39	54	29	30	100	-	-	55	-	-	-	36
Mean	5.87	5.86	7.10	5.35	6.00	8.93			6.60	5.00	5.00	6.00	5.89

Preferred Government Action in Reducing Income/Wealth Differences

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Preferred Government Action in Reducing Income/Wealth Differences x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1429	731	698	102	189	449	433	256	719	638	72
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Government should act to reduce income/wealth difference	13	12	15	14	15	12	15	11	12	14	21
1	10	11	9	12	6	11	10	10	9	11	8
2	8	8	9	9	6	9	7	10	8	8	4
3	7	8	5	8	6	6	7	6	7	6	11
4	6	7	5	5	9	6	5	6	6	6	3
5	21	20	22	15	23	21	23	19	22	21	14
6	8	8	8	13	7	9	7	8	7	9	7
7	7	7	7	6	8	7	7	6	8	6	4
8	8	8	8	4	6	7	8	11	8	7	6
9	3	3	3	2	3	3	2	2	4	1	2
10 - Government should not act to reduce income/wealth difference	6	6	6	6	6	6	7	4	6	5	9
Don't Know	3	4	3	6	4	2	3	5	2	4	11
0-3	38	38	38	43	34	39	38	38	36	40	44
4-6	35	35	35	33	40	35	35	33	36	36	24
7-10	23	23	23	18	22	24	24	24	26	20	21
Mean	4.33	4.36	4.31	4.03	4.39	4.35	4.35	4.35	4.55	4.12	3.98

Preferred Government Action in Reducing Income/Wealth Differences x Region/Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1429	429	363	391	246	972	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Government should act to reduce income/wealth difference	13	14	10	15	15	13	15
1	10	13	7	10	9	11	7
2	8	10	8	6	9	8	8
3	7	9	6	6	5	7	6
4	6	6	7	5	5	7	5
5	21	17	21	21	28	20	22
6	8	5	13	7	7	8	9
7	7	6	7	8	7	7	6
8	8	7	9	9	4	7	9
9	3	4	1	2	3	3	3
10 - Government should not act to reduce income/wealth difference	6	6	7	5	4	6	6
Don't Know	3	2	3	5	3	3	5
0-3	38	45	31	36	38	39	35
4-6	35	29	41	33	40	35	36
7-10	23	23	25	25	19	23	23
Mean	4.33	4.10	4.75	4.35	4.12	4.29	4.44

Preferred Government Action in Reducing Income/Wealth Differences x 2016 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1429	358	96	311	238	45	34	22	53	53	32	187	1003	260	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Government should act to reduce income/wealth difference	13	7	8	13	19	9	15	8	12	22	16	19	12	15	19
1	10	7	6	12	14	7	7	27	9	18	7	7	10	11	8
2	8	7	11	9	9	15	5	14	3	8	-	7	9	8	6
3	7	9	4	4	4	14	8	8	9	10	-	8	6	9	8
4	6	5	12	6	4	2	15	5	7	3	12	6	6	7	5
5	21	24	28	21	20	14	9	5	18	15	27	22	22	15	23
6	8	10	9	7	7	7	9	4	4	6	17	8	8	7	8
7	7	9	5	8	3	11	9	9	18	-	3	6	7	8	6
8	8	10	9	7	4	10	9	9	14	5	13	5	8	9	6
9	3	2	2	3	3	6	8	-	2	2	-	3	2	3	3
10 - Government should not act to reduce income/wealth difference	6	6	3	7	8	4	6	5	2	9	-	4	6	4	5
Don't Know	3	4	3	4	4	-	-	5	4	2	6	4	4	3	3
0-3	38	30	29	38	47	45	35	58	32	58	22	42	36	43	40
4-6	35	39	49	34	31	23	33	14	29	24	56	36	37	29	37
7-10	23	27	19	25	18	32	32	23	35	16	16	18	23	25	20
Mean	4.33	4.89	4.52	4.35	3.78	4.61	4.69	3.54	4.65	3.38	4.41	3.97	4.43	4.16	4.07

Preferred Government Action in Reducing Income/Wealth Differences x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1429	489	142	244	126	25	4	8	1	120	270
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Government should act to reduce income/wealth difference	13	9	12	15	18	8	48	-	100	19	15
1	10	7	9	12	15	10	-	40	-	8	12
2	8	8	9	8	6	5	-	16	-	9	8
3	7	7	9	5	4	3	-	-	-	4	9
4	6	7	8	5	6	4	-	-	-	5	6
5	21	21	17	23	17	20	52	12	-	25	22
6	8	10	9	6	8	12	-	11	-	9	7
7	7	9	5	7	4	22	-	-	-	5	5
8	8	10	11	7	8	-	-	9	-	7	4
9	3	3	1	3	4	12	-	12	-	-	2
10 - Government should not act to reduce income/wealth difference	6	6	8	5	8	-	-	-	-	6	5
Don't Know	3	3	2	4	2	4	-	-	-	5	5
0-3	38	31	39	40	43	26	48	56	100	40	44
4-6	35	38	34	33	31	36	52	23	-	38	35
7-10	23	28	25	22	24	34	-	21	-	18	17
Mean	4.33	4.78	4.44	4.12	4.14	5.00	2.62	3.80	0.00	3.98	3.91

Preferred Government Action in Reducing Income/Wealth Differences x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1429	1031	398	326	637	466	131	159	117	1022
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Government should act to reduce income/wealth difference	13	14	12	14	14	12	7	15	12	14
1	10	10	10	10	11	9	9	9	14	10
2	8	8	9	10	8	7	8	10	7	8
3	7	7	6	7	5	8	5	7	6	7
4	6	6	5	3	8	6	7	6	6	6
5	21	21	21	21	20	23	22	21	17	21
6	8	8	9	8	7	10	10	9	10	8
7	7	7	7	6	8	7	8	6	9	7
8	8	8	8	9	7	8	13	9	6	7
9	3	2	4	2	3	2	1	1	3	3
10 - Government should not act to reduce income/wealth difference	6	6	7	7	6	5	7	6	9	6
Don't Know	3	4	3	3	3	4	4	3	1	4
0-3	38	38	38	41	38	36	29	41	39	38
4-6	35	36	35	32	34	39	39	36	33	35
7-10	23	23	25	25	24	21	28	20	28	23
Mean	4.33	4.28	4.47	4.33	4.33	4.35	4.87	4.14	4.49	4.28

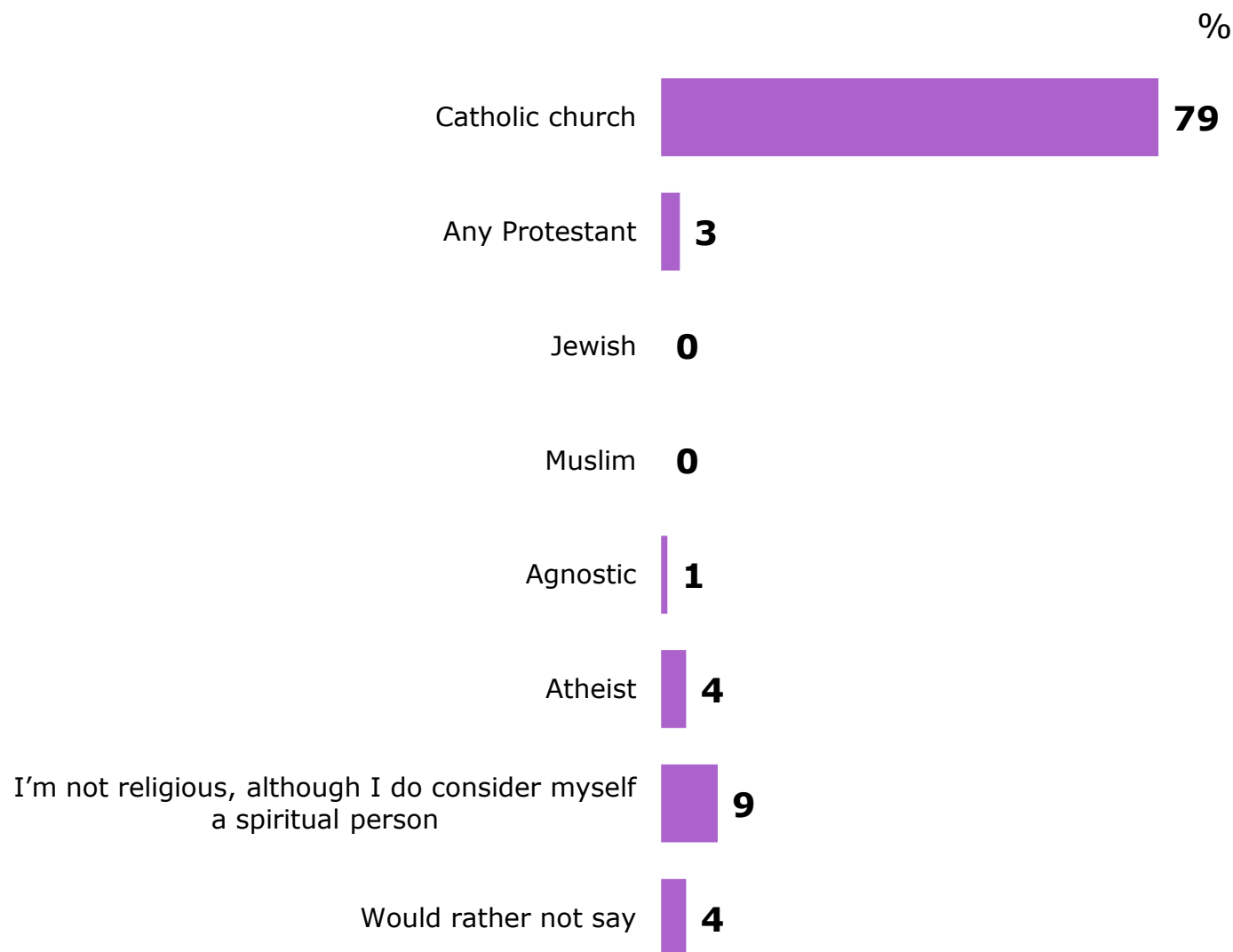
Preferred Government Action in Reducing Income/Wealth Differences x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1429	114	21	125	61	4	-	-	9	1	1	2	1091
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
0 - Government should act to reduce income/wealth difference	13	14	13	13	27	-	-	-	12	-	-	52	12
1	10	6	6	14	11	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	10
2	8	6	4	6	5	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	9
3	7	6	9	4	5	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
4	6	6	9	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
5	21	23	20	21	21	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	21
6	8	12	16	4	8	-	-	-	22	-	-	48	8
7	7	7	5	12	2	-	-	-	31	-	-	-	7
8	8	8	5	9	7	33	-	-	10	-	-	-	8
9	3	3	5	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
10 - Government should not act to reduce income/wealth difference	6	6	-	6	4	21	-	-	11	-	-	-	6
Don't Know	3	2	9	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
0-3	38	33	32	37	47	46	-	-	26	100	-	52	38
4-6	35	41	45	30	32	-	-	-	22	-	100	48	36
7-10	23	24	14	30	14	54	-	-	52	-	-	-	23
Mean	4.33	4.58	4.24	4.43	3.45	6.09			5.70	1.00	5.00	2.86	4.33

Religious Denomination/Faith Adhere to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Religious Denomination/Faith Adhere to x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1429	731	698	102	189	449	433	256	719	638	72
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Catholic church	79	79	79	62	70	80	80	89	76	81	87
Any Protestant	3	3	3	1	2	2	4	3	3	2	5
Jewish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Muslim	0	0	-	1	-	0	-	-	-	0	-
Agnostic	1	2	1	3	2	1	1	0	2	1	1
Atheist	4	5	3	12	9	3	2	1	5	3	-
I'm not religious, although I do consider myself a spiritual person	9	8	10	17	15	7	10	3	11	8	2
Would rather not say	4	4	4	5	3	6	3	3	4	4	5

Religious Denomination/Faith Adhere to x Region & Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1429	429	363	391	246	972	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Catholic church	79	69	78	88	84	77	84
Any Protestant	3	3	5	1	2	3	3
Jewish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Muslim	0	0	-	-	0	0	-
Agnostic	1	2	0	1	2	2	1
Atheist	4	8	2	2	1	5	2
I'm not religious, although I do consider myself a spiritual person	9	13	8	6	7	10	7
Would rather not say	4	4	5	2	4	4	4

Religious Denomination/Faith Adhere to x First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1429	358	96	311	238	45	34	22	53	53	32	187	1003	260	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Catholic church	79	82	67	89	82	68	72	81	48	57	76	82	83	65	82
Any Protestant	3	5	3	1	2	4	3	9	4	2	-	4	3	3	4
Jewish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Muslim	0	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	-	1
Agnostic	1	1	3	1	1	-	3	-	4	2	3	1	1	2	1
Atheist	4	2	8	1	3	12	6	5	16	9	10	2	3	10	2
I'm not religious, although I do consider myself a spiritual person	9	8	13	4	8	11	17	5	20	26	6	8	7	16	7
Would rather not say	4	3	5	4	4	4	-	-	8	4	6	4	4	4	4

Religious Denomination/Faith Adhere to x GE 2011 First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1429	489	142	244	126	25	4	8	1	120	270
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Catholic church	79	83	69	92	78	44	24	49	-	82	71
Any Protestant	3	4	3	0	2	12	28	-	-	4	2
Jewish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Muslim	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Agnostic	1	1	3	0	1	-	-	-	-	2	2
Atheist	4	3	10	0	5	12	25	-	100	2	4
I'm not religious, although I do consider myself a spiritual person	9	7	12	3	11	23	23	40	-	7	14
Would rather not say	4	3	3	4	2	8	-	11	-	4	6

Religious Denomination/Faith Adhere to x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1429	1031	398	326	637	466	131	159	117	1022
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Catholic church	79	80	77	81	78	79	80	79	85	78
Any Protestant	3	3	2	2	3	4	2	4	1	3
Jewish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Muslim	0	0	0	-	0	-	1	-	-	0
Agnostic	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	-	3	1
Atheist	4	3	5	5	4	3	4	3	1	4
I'm not religious, although I do consider myself a spiritual person	9	9	10	7	11	8	8	9	7	9
Would rather not say	4	3	5	4	3	5	3	4	3	4

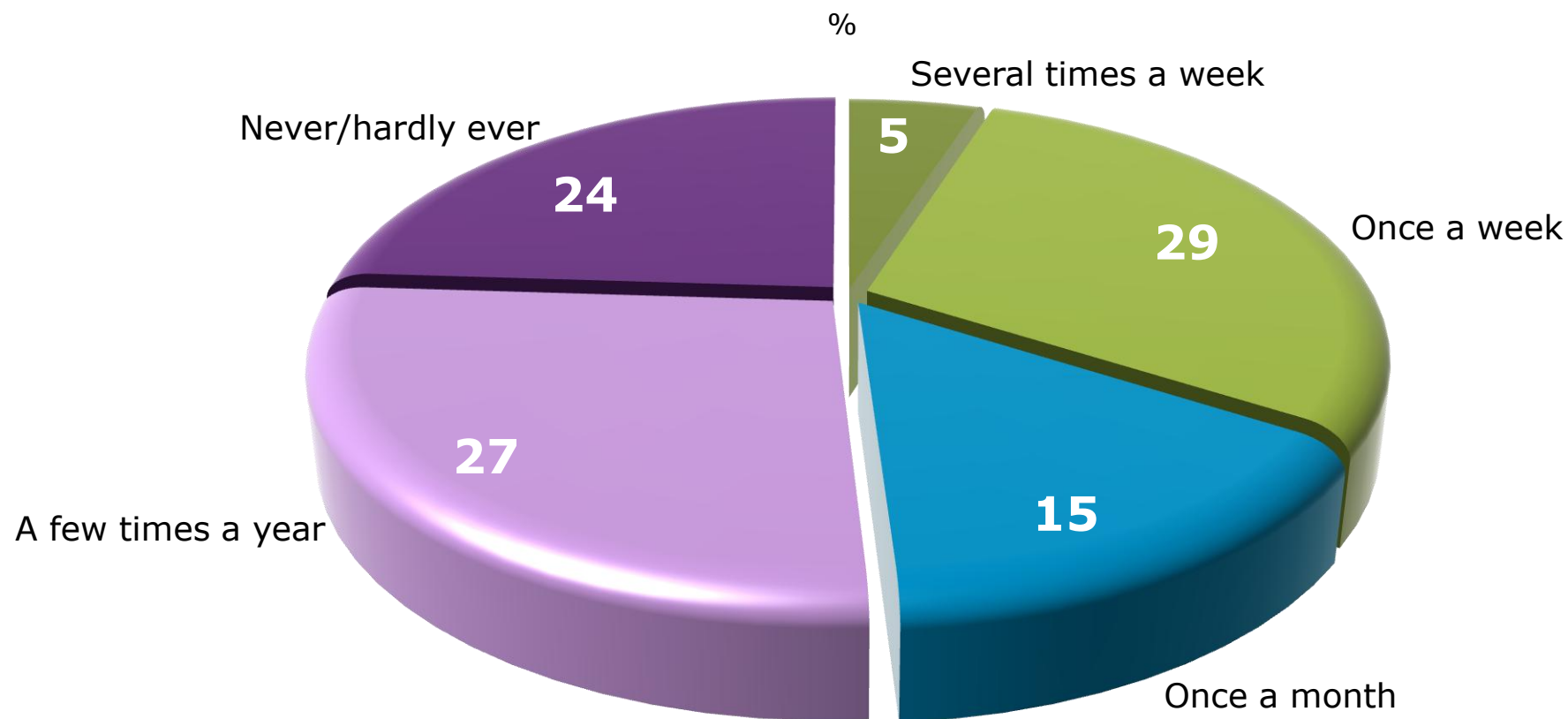
Religious Denomination/Faith Adhere to x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1429	114	21	125	61	4	-	-	9	1	1	2	1091
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Catholic church	79	89	53	90	75	54	-	-	31	-	100	48	78
Any Protestant	3	3	4	-	3	26	-	-	22	-	-	-	3
Jewish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Muslim	0	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Agnostic	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Atheist	4	5	10	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	52	4
I'm not religious, although I do consider myself a spiritual person	9	1	28	5	10	21	-	-	36	100	-	-	9
Would rather not say	4	1	4	4	3	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	4

Religious Service Attendance Frequency

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Religious Service Attendance Frequency x Gender/Age/Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1429	731	698	102	189	449	433	256	719	638	72
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Several times a week	5	4	5	2	1	1	4	17	3	5	14
Once a week	29	27	32	10	12	22	38	49	24	32	60
Once a month	15	16	13	12	11	21	12	12	16	14	10
A few times a year	27	27	27	33	38	31	26	9	30	26	7
Never/hardly ever	24	26	22	43	38	24	20	13	27	23	8

Religious Service Attendance Frequency x Region & Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1429	429	363	391	246	972	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Several times a week	5	2	4	7	7	4	6
Once a week	29	15	33	34	40	25	39
Once a month	15	16	14	16	13	15	16
A few times a year	27	32	26	25	23	29	23
Never/hardly ever	24	35	23	17	18	27	17

Religious Service Attendance Frequency x 2016 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1429	358	96	311	238	45	34	22	53	53	32	187	1003	260	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Several times a week	5	6	5	7	3	2	3	4	-	-	6	4	6	2	5
Once a week	29	33	28	42	17	20	30	17	12	11	17	33	32	20	30
Once a month	15	14	11	18	17	11	6	18	16	20	23	11	16	16	10
A few times a year	27	26	22	19	38	28	22	32	27	27	29	31	26	26	34
Never/hardly ever	24	20	35	14	25	39	38	29	45	42	25	21	21	37	21

Religious Service Attendance Frequency x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1429	489	142	244	126	25	4	8	1	120	270
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Several times a week	5	6	2	8	3	-	-	-	-	3	3
Once a week	29	34	24	42	16	27	28	33	-	28	18
Once a month	15	16	11	17	17	8	-	-	-	13	14
A few times a year	27	26	27	21	38	8	-	11	100	29	31
Never/hardly ever	24	17	36	12	27	57	72	56	-	26	35

Religious Service Attendance Frequency x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1429	1031	398	326	637	466	131	159	117	1022
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Several times a week	5	4	5	5	6	3	8	3	5	4
Once a week	29	30	27	30	29	29	36	33	39	27
Once a month	15	15	15	15	13	17	14	14	15	15
A few times a year	27	28	25	24	26	30	21	28	17	29
Never/hardly ever	24	23	27	25	27	21	20	22	23	25

Religious Service Attendance Frequency x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other/Indep	None
Base:	1429	114	21	125	61	4	-	-	9	1	1	2	1091
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Several times a week	5	12	8	10	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Once a week	29	43	31	39	22	-	-	-	19	-	100	-	27
Once a month	15	14	4	24	13	54	-	-	12	-	-	48	14
A few times a year	27	20	14	14	34	21	-	-	22	-	-	52	29
Never/hardly ever	24	12	42	13	28	26	-	-	48	100	-	-	26

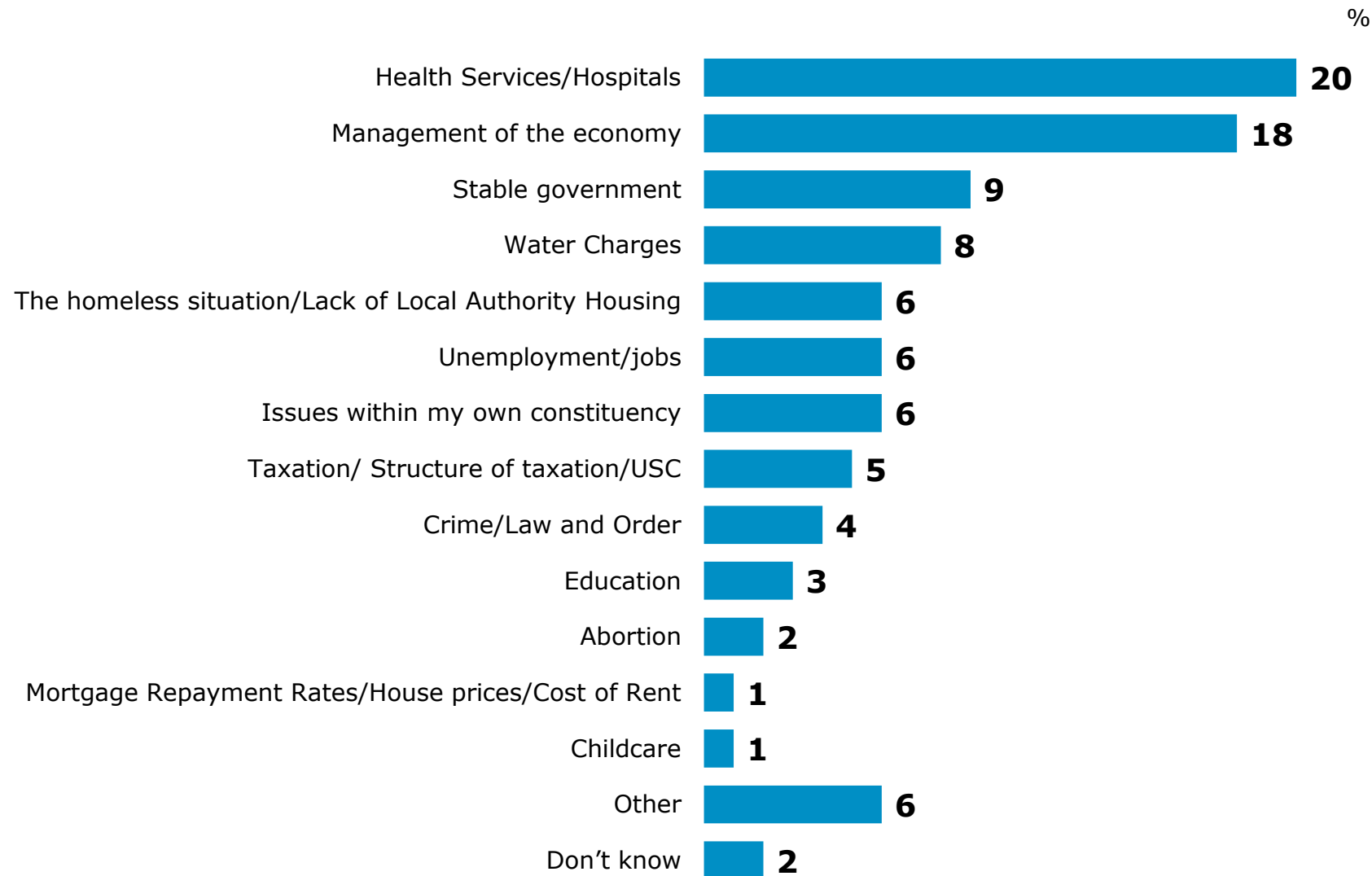


Additional Questions Version 3 Questionnaire



Issue of Most Influence on First Preference Selection

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Issue of Most Influence on First Preference Selection x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1418	741	677	81	197	508	391	240	707	631	80
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	20	16	24	16	14	17	23	26	19	21	20
Management of the economy	18	19	16	9	16	19	19	19	22	13	11
Stable government	9	11	8	4	5	7	10	16	10	8	15
Water Charges	8	8	9	4	12	9	8	6	6	12	2
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	6	5	7	2	7	6	7	5	4	9	6
Unemployment/jobs	6	7	6	14	11	7	4	3	6	6	9
Issues within my own constituency	6	7	5	6	5	7	7	4	5	7	11
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	5	6	4	7	9	6	5	2	6	5	2
Crime/Law and Order	4	4	4	1	2	5	5	4	4	4	7
Education	3	3	3	17	5	2	1	1	4	2	3
Abortion	2	2	3	9	2	2	2	2	3	2	-
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	1	2	1	2	3	2	1	-	1	2	-
Childcare	1	0	3	1	1	3	0	-	2	1	1
Other	6	7	6	5	7	6	5	9	7	6	7
Don't know	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	5

Issue of Most Influence on First Preference Selection x Region & Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1418	423	361	389	245	961	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	20	16	21	21	22	19	23
Management of the economy	18	21	14	16	20	18	17
Stable government	9	11	9	10	6	10	6
Water Charges	8	9	10	7	9	9	7
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	6	10	6	5	4	7	4
Unemployment/jobs	6	4	8	7	7	6	8
Issues within my own constituency	6	2	6	9	9	5	9
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	5	8	6	3	3	6	5
Crime/Law and Order	4	2	5	7	2	3	6
Education	3	2	3	4	3	3	3
Abortion	2	3	1	3	1	3	1
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	1	2	2	0	2	1	1
Childcare	1	1	0	2	2	1	1
Other	6	7	6	5	7	7	5
Don't know	2	1	4	1	2	2	2

Issue of Most Influence on First Preference Selection x 2016 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election 1st Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											1st Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA -PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/ Lab/ FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1418	356	92	296	201	61	50	20	54	74	33	181	945	307	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	20	14	24	22	20	15	32	20	12	23	27	24	19	21	25
Management of the economy	18	28	23	15	11	21	17	21	17	8	12	10	20	15	11
Stable government	9	21	12	6	2	9	4	-	9	2	-	5	11	5	5
Water Charges	8	2	1	5	19	8	8	20	5	18	6	15	7	12	12
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	6	1	4	7	12	8	4	10	12	14	3	6	6	8	7
Unemployment/jobs	6	7	6	7	9	-	7	5	6	4	3	5	7	4	6
Issues within my own constituency	6	5	3	11	4	2	9	-	4	1	3	10	6	3	12
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	5	6	6	4	5	8	-	10	-	8	20	3	5	7	3
Crime/Law and Order	4	4	3	6	3	9	6	-	2	4	-	1	4	4	2
Education	3	2	3	3	4	5	-	-	3	-	3	2	3	2	3
Abortion	2	1	4	1	-	5	4	-	-	7	3	7	1	4	6
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	1	1	2	1	4	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	2	1	1
Childcare	1	1	2	3	0	3	-	-	2	1	3	1	1	1	1
Other	6	4	4	7	6	7	6	5	27	4	16	7	5	11	7
Don't know	2	2	2	3	0	2	2	9	2	3	-	2	2	2	2

Issue of Most Influence on First Preference Selection x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/ Did not vote
Base:	1418	457	137	238	128	26	3	10	-	128	291
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	20	19	25	24	19	18	-	35	-	23	14
Management of the economy	18	23	25	16	10	22	-	-	-	16	12
Stable government	9	18	7	7	2	3	-	-	-	3	5
Water Charges	8	3	8	8	20	7	65	8	-	12	10
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	6	3	5	5	15	-	35	10	-	10	7
Unemployment/jobs	6	6	3	6	9	3	-	-	-	4	10
Issues within my own constituency	6	5	2	9	6	4	-	-	-	6	8
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	5	6	5	4	5	4	-	18	-	4	6
Crime/Law and Order	4	3	4	8	2	-	-	-	-	5	3
Education	3	2	3	3	3	6	-	-	-	-	4
Abortion	2	2	3	2	-	4	-	11	-	4	4
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	1	0	1	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Childcare	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	2
Other	6	6	6	4	4	25	-	10	-	10	7
Don't know	2	2	1	2	1	3	-	9	-	3	2

Issue of Most Influence on First Preference Selection x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1418	1062	356	329	619	470	127	159	151	981
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	20	20	18	23	19	19	22	20	16	20
Management of the economy	18	19	14	14	18	21	17	14	23	18
Stable government	9	9	10	8	11	7	11	8	10	9
Water Charges	8	9	8	8	7	11	8	11	7	8
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	6	6	8	7	6	7	6	7	3	7
Unemployment/jobs	6	7	6	5	6	7	8	6	7	6
Issues within my own constituency	6	7	5	9	5	6	1	8	7	6
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	5	4	9	6	6	4	5	5	6	5
Crime/Law and Order	4	4	4	4	5	3	4	4	7	4
Education	3	3	2	2	3	3	2	3	3	3
Abortion	2	2	5	1	3	3	4	2	2	2
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	1	1	2	3	1	1	3	1	-	1
Childcare	1	1	2	1	2	0	3	3	1	1
Other	6	7	5	8	7	5	5	8	5	6
Don't know	2	2	2	1	2	3	2	1	2	2

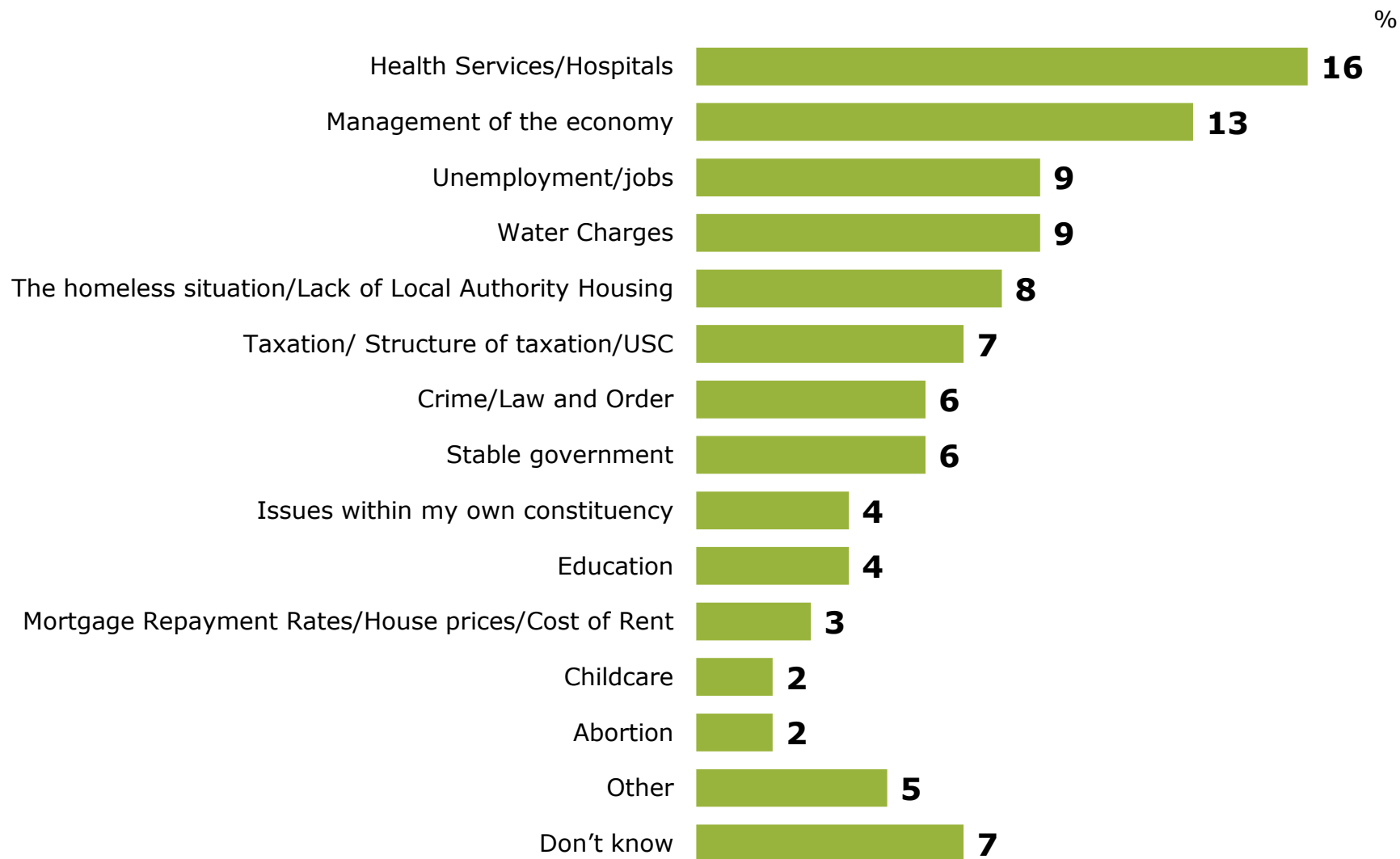
Issue of Most Influence on First Preference Selection x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1418	140	25	149	77	3	2	-	11	2	-	6	1003
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	20	17	14	22	11	-	-	-	22	-	-	16	21
Management of the economy	18	30	23	16	10	100	-	-	15	46	-	-	17
Stable government	9	21	12	10	3	-	-	-	8	-	-	17	8
Water Charges	8	2	-	6	22	-	100	-	16	-	-	17	9
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	6	1	7	6	15	-	-	-	11	-	-	17	6
Unemployment/jobs	6	6	-	3	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Issues within my own constituency	6	4	-	12	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	5	5	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Crime/Law and Order	4	3	7	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Education	3	2	5	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Abortion	2	2	15	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	1	1	4	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Childcare	1	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Other	6	2	8	5	2	-	-	-	28	54	-	33	7
Don't know	2	3	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2

Issue of 2nd Greatest Influence on First Preference Selection

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Issue of 2nd Greatest Influence on First Preference Selection x Gender Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1418	741	677	81	197	508	391	240	707	631	80
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	16	15	18	13	13	18	18	15	15	17	18
Management of the economy	13	15	11	8	12	14	13	15	14	12	11
Unemployment/jobs	9	9	10	8	13	8	10	10	9	11	6
Water Charges	9	8	9	11	12	9	8	7	6	13	1
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	8	7	9	11	8	8	7	8	7	9	7
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	7	8	5	4	2	9	8	5	8	6	5
Crime/Law and Order	6	6	6	5	4	3	8	10	5	6	16
Stable government	6	8	5	7	7	7	6	7	8	4	13
Issues within my own constituency	4	4	4	-	5	4	2	5	4	3	7
Education	4	3	5	12	5	3	4	2	6	2	1
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	3	2	3	4	5	3	3	0	3	3	2
Childcare	2	2	3	4	2	4	0	1	2	3	-
Abortion	2	1	2	6	3	1	1	1	2	2	-
Other	5	5	5	2	3	5	6	4	5	4	4
Don't know	7	7	6	6	5	6	6	10	6	7	8

Issue of 2nd Greatest Influence on First Preference Selection x Region & Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1418	423	361	389	245	961	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	16	16	18	16	13	16	17
Management of the economy	13	12	13	13	14	14	12
Unemployment/jobs	9	8	11	11	9	8	11
Water Charges	9	11	7	6	11	10	6
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	8	8	9	9	4	8	8
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	7	7	7	7	6	7	6
Crime/Law and Order	6	5	6	8	4	5	8
Stable government	6	8	5	7	6	7	5
Issues within my own constituency	4	4	1	4	7	3	5
Education	4	4	3	5	4	4	3
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	3	2	3	2	5	3	2
Childcare	2	2	3	3	2	2	2
Abortion	2	2	1	1	2	2	1
Other	5	4	6	3	6	4	5
Don't know	7	5	8	6	7	7	6

Issue of 2nd Greatest Influence on First Preference Selection x 2016 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election 1st Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											1st Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/ Lab/ FF/ SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1418	356	92	296	201	61	50	20	54	74	33	181	945	307	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	16	14	12	17	20	25	19	16	10	17	12	16	16	19	12
Management of the economy	13	19	15	8	10	6	18	10	16	10	31	12	13	14	12
Unemployment/jobs	9	9	11	7	14	5	10	6	6	6	13	12	10	7	12
Water Charges	9	3	4	8	18	5	6	15	4	22	9	9	8	10	10
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	8	6	5	9	9	11	6	16	7	12	6	8	7	9	8
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	7	8	9	10	3	6	4	5	4	8	6	4	7	6	4
Crime/Law and Order	6	6	7	7	3	6	10	5	6	4	6	7	6	6	7
Stable government	6	12	7	6	2	7	10	-	15	1	-	2	7	6	2
Issues within my own constituency	4	2	10	5	2	-	-	6	4	1	-	5	4	1	5
Education	4	4	7	5	3	3	6	-	2	4	-	4	4	3	3
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	3	2	3	2	4	8	2	-	2	4	2	3	2	3	4
Childcare	2	2	2	4	2	1	-	-	2	1	-	3	3	1	3
Abortion	2	1	1	1	1	5	2	5	5	-	6	3	1	3	3
Other	5	5	3	4	2	10	-	-	13	4	9	7	4	6	7
Don't know	7	8	5	8	6	2	6	18	5	5	-	6	7	5	7

Issue of 2nd Greatest Influence on First Preference Selection x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1418	457	137	238	128	26	3	10	-	128	291
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	16	14	14	16	21	9	35	20	-	18	17
Management of the economy	13	18	11	10	9	16	-	8	-	14	11
Unemployment/jobs	9	8	12	8	14	17	-	9	-	9	9
Water Charges	9	6	10	8	20	-	-	-	-	7	10
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	8	6	8	12	11	3	-	-	-	9	7
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	7	10	7	6	3	-	34	19	-	7	4
Crime/Law and Order	6	5	6	11	3	7	-	25	-	6	5
Stable government	6	10	4	5	2	12	-	-	-	6	6
Issues within my own constituency	4	3	5	4	2	5	-	-	-	5	3
Education	4	4	5	5	2	4	31	-	-	3	4
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	3	2	4	3	3	-	-	-	-	2	3
Childcare	2	1	2	3	2	-	-	-	-	1	4
Abortion	2	1	-	1	-	8	-	-	-	2	4
Other	5	4	4	3	4	17	-	10	-	5	6
Don't know	7	7	7	6	3	4	-	9	-	8	7

Issue of 2nd Greatest Influence on First Preference Selection x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Preference Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1418	1062	356	329	619	470	127	159	151	981
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	16	17	14	16	16	17	15	10	18	17
Management of the economy	13	13	13	13	16	10	14	15	17	12
Unemployment/jobs	9	9	10	12	8	9	12	6	7	10
Water Charges	9	9	8	6	9	11	7	14	4	9
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	8	8	7	7	7	9	14	4	11	7
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	7	7	7	8	7	5	8	4	7	7
Crime/Law and Order	6	6	6	9	4	6	1	13	7	5
Stable government	6	6	8	6	8	6	8	9	8	6
Issues within my own constituency	4	4	4	4	3	4	5	5	2	4
Education	4	4	4	4	5	3	6	2	2	4
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	3	3	2	2	2	4	3	2	3	3
Childcare	2	2	2	3	1	3	2	1	3	2
Abortion	2	1	2	1	2	2	1	2	-	2
Other	5	4	6	6	6	3	3	7	4	4
Don't know	7	7	6	4	5	9	2	6	5	7

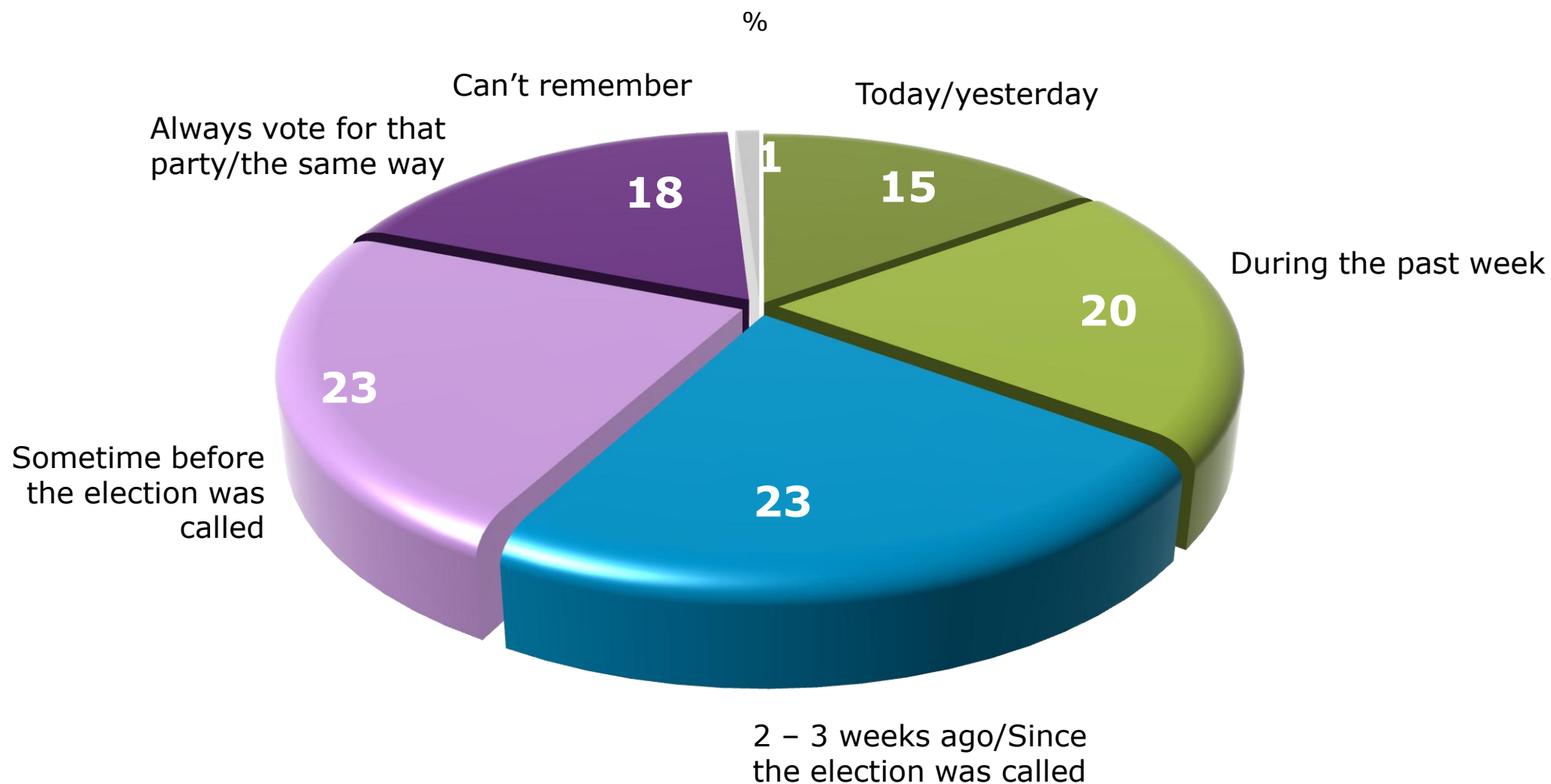
Issue of 2nd Greatest Influence on First Preference Selection x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1418	140	25	149	77	3	2	-	11	2	-	6	1003
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Health Services/Hospitals	16	14	13	14	25	42	-	-	8	46	-	17	16
Management of the economy	13	21	13	9	10	-	-	-	8	-	-	34	13
Unemployment/jobs	9	7	8	10	13	-	-	-	12	-	-	16	9
Water Charges	9	1	12	7	17	-	-	-	-	54	-	-	9
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	8	7	-	9	12	-	43	-	10	-	-	17	8
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	7	7	8	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Crime/Law and Order	6	6	10	9	4	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	6
Stable government	6	16	3	7	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Issues within my own constituency	4	3	-	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Education	4	3	8	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	3	1	7	4	4	32	57	-	11	-	-	-	2
Childcare	2	3	8	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Abortion	2	1	4	1	1	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Other	5	4	8	3	2	-	-	-	24	-	-	16	5
Don't know	7	8	-	9	3	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	6

Timing of Decision on First Preference Selection

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Timing of Decision on First Preference Selection x Gender/Age/Class

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1418	741	677	81	197	508	391	240	707	631	80
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Today/yesterday	15	15	15	30	18	15	14	9	17	13	14
During the past week	20	19	22	19	29	22	17	17	24	18	12
2 – 3 weeks ago/Since the election was called	23	22	25	23	22	23	23	23	22	24	28
Sometime before the election was called	23	24	21	16	18	24	26	23	24	23	16
Always vote for that party/the same way	18	19	16	12	11	16	20	26	13	22	31
Can't remember	1	1	1	-	2	1	1	1	1	1	-

Timing of Decision on First Preference Selection x Region/Area

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1418	423	361	389	245	961	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Today/yesterday	15	18	15	14	10	17	11
During the past week	20	22	17	24	18	22	17
2 – 3 weeks ago/Since the election was called	23	21	19	24	32	22	25
Sometime before the election was called	23	24	25	20	22	22	24
Always vote for that party/the same way	18	14	22	19	17	16	22
Can't remember	1	1	1	-	2	1	1

Timing of Decision on First Preference Selection x GE

2016 First Preference Vote

	Total	2016 General Election 1st Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											1st Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab/FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1418	356	92	296	201	61	50	20	54	74	33	181	945	307	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Today/yesterday	15	14	12	14	9	31	22	20	30	12	23	15	13	22	16
During the past week	20	21	22	20	13	23	30	26	11	19	38	24	19	23	23
2 – 3 weeks ago/Since the election was called	23	19	31	22	25	16	22	6	20	27	27	29	23	22	30
Sometime before the election was called	23	24	18	19	28	22	20	15	26	32	12	25	23	24	23
Always vote for that party/the same way	18	21	16	23	24	8	5	23	13	10	-	6	22	9	6
Can't remember	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	10	-	-	-	2	1	1	2

Timing of Decision on First Preference Selection x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/ Did not vote
Base:	1418	457	137	238	128	26	3	10	-	128	291
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Today/yesterday	15	15	14	14	6	8	-	35	-	9	22
During the past week	20	21	24	17	11	17	-	18	-	14	27
2 – 3 weeks ago/Since the election was called	23	22	25	18	21	34	34	8	-	31	26
Sometime before the election was called	23	23	23	23	29	27	31	19	-	27	19
Always vote for that party/the same way	18	18	13	27	33	14	35	18	-	17	6
Can't remember	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	1

Timing of Decision on First Preference Selection x Voter Dynamics

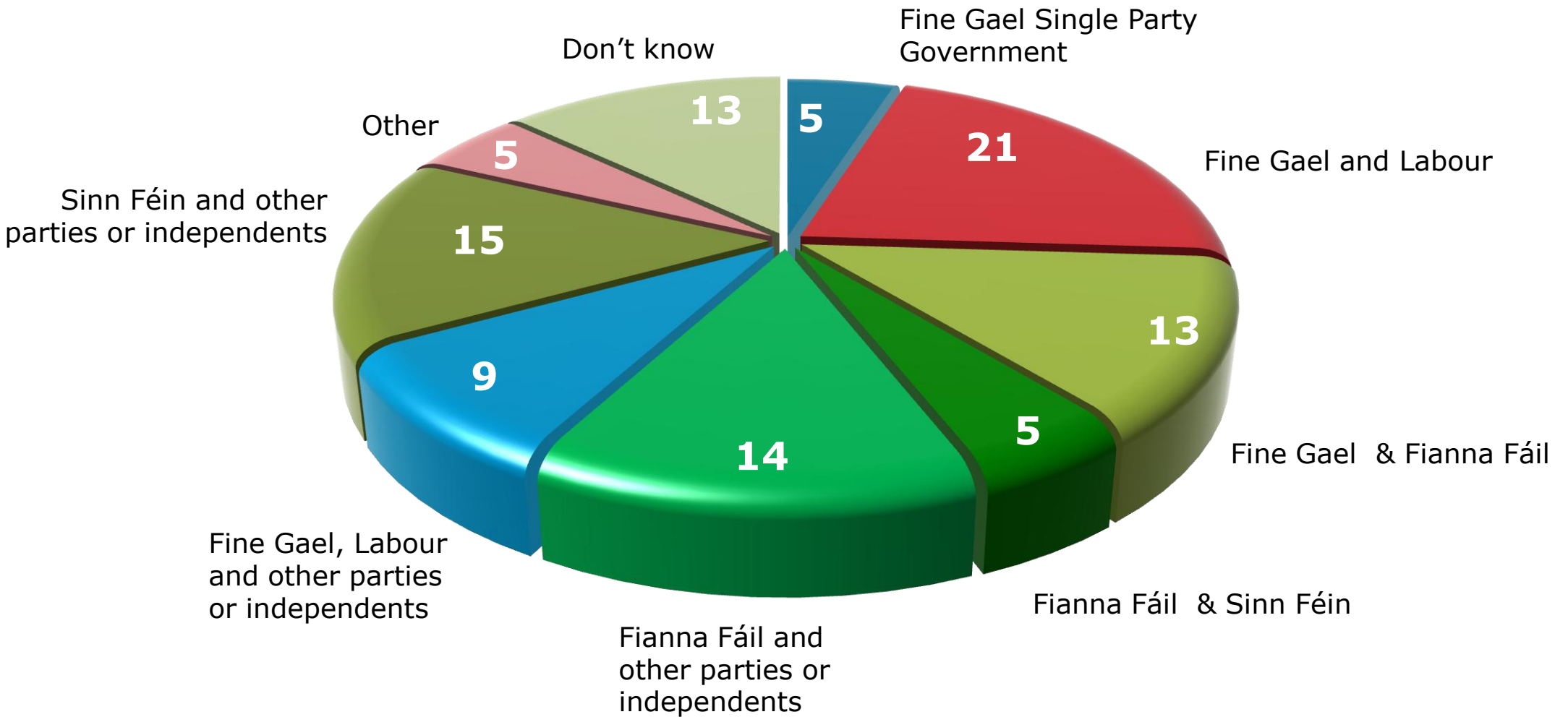
	Total	First Preference Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1418	1062	356	329	619	470	127	159	151	981
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Today/yesterday	15	16	11	14	17	13	14	12	19	15
During the past week	20	19	24	18	21	21	20	22	24	20
2 – 3 weeks ago/Since the election was called	23	23	25	23	23	23	23	21	18	24
Sometime before the election was called	23	22	25	26	19	25	32	23	20	22
Always vote for that party/the same way	18	19	14	19	19	16	11	21	19	18
Can't remember	1	1	1	-	0	2	1	2	-	1

Timing of Decision on First Preference Selection x Party Closest to

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1418	140	25	149	77	3	2	-	11	2	-	6	1003
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Today/yesterday	15	9	12	7	1	-	43	-	10	-	-	-	18
During the past week	20	15	24	9	6	-	57	-	20	-	-	16	24
2 – 3 weeks ago/Since the election was called	23	18	16	22	27	26	-	-	8	-	-	32	24
Sometime before the election was called	23	22	26	23	28	74	-	-	36	100	-	34	22
Always vote for that party/the same way	18	36	22	38	37	-	-	-	26	-	-	17	10
Can't remember	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1

Coalition Preferences

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Coalition Preferences x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1418	741	677	81	197	508	391	240	707	631	80
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael and Labour	21	22	21	14	16	18	26	27	25	15	32
Sinn Féin and other parties or independents	15	15	15	26	24	16	13	6	10	22	7
Fianna Fáil and other parties or independents	14	14	15	9	13	17	12	16	13	15	17
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	13	15	9	11	8	11	14	17	15	10	10
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	9	8	10	8	7	12	9	7	10	8	9
Fine Gael single party Government	5	5	6	7	7	5	6	4	7	4	7
Fianna Fáil and Sinn Féin	5	5	4	3	7	4	4	6	4	5	2
Other	5	4	6	6	7	5	5	4	5	6	3
Don't know	13	11	14	16	12	12	11	14	11	14	13

Coalition Preferences x Region & Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1418	423	361	389	245	961	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael and Labour	21	21	22	21	20	22	20
Sinn Féin and other parties or independents	15	19	16	12	11	16	13
Fianna Fáil and other parties or independents	14	11	14	18	16	13	17
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	13	11	14	15	11	13	12
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	9	12	8	8	9	9	9
Fine Gael single party Government	5	6	6	4	4	6	5
Fianna Fáil and Sinn Féin	5	2	5	6	6	4	6
Other	5	7	4	5	3	6	4
Don't know	13	11	11	11	20	12	14

Coalition Preferences x 2016 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election 1st Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											1st Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1418	356	92	296	201	61	50	20	54	74	33	181	945	307	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael and Labour	21	50	63	5	2	12	20	5	18	-	6	9	26	10	9
Sinn Féin and other parties or independents	15	1	-	-	66	8	17	25	3	35	-	12	15	17	10
Fianna Fáil and other parties or independents	14	2	5	43	2	20	7	6	4	10	12	17	15	10	17
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	13	13	3	24	4	4	12	5	20	9	24	9	13	12	9
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	9	12	7	2	0	27	15	19	31	11	18	10	6	19	11
Fine Gael single party Government	5	16	3	3	0	3	11	-	2	-	3	1	7	3	1
Fianna Fáil and Sinn Féin	5	1	-	9	13	-	2	-	-	1	7	2	6	2	1
Other	5	2	6	4	1	16	6	10	15	11	11	9	3	11	10
Don't know	13	6	12	9	11	9	9	30	8	23	19	31	9	15	33

Coalition Preferences x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1418	457	137	238	128	26	3	10	-	128	291
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael and Labour	21	38	42	6	2	20	-	-	-	10	12
Sinn Féin and other parties or independents	15	4	10	3	66	13	35	24	-	17	20
Fianna Fáil and other parties or independents	14	7	8	42	4	-	-	10	-	12	13
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	13	15	7	20	2	11	-	10	-	19	8
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	9	14	9	3	1	26	34	35	-	11	8
Fine Gael single party Government	5	11	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	6
Fianna Fáil and Sinn Féin	5	2	2	11	14	-	-	-	-	1	3
Other	5	2	8	6	1	14	31	21	-	10	7
Don't know	13	7	13	9	8	16	-	-	-	18	23

Coalition Preferences x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Preference Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1418	1062	356	329	619	470	127	159	151	981
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael and Labour	21	21	23	22	22	19	23	19	22	21
Sinn Féin and other parties or independents	15	15	14	12	16	16	23	13	4	16
Fianna Fáil and other parties or independents	14	14	14	17	14	12	14	15	15	14
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	13	13	11	13	14	11	10	19	16	11
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	9	9	10	11	9	8	3	10	10	10
Fine Gael single party Government	5	5	6	6	6	5	8	4	9	5
Fianna Fáil and Sinn Féin	5	4	5	3	5	5	4	6	6	4
Other	5	5	7	2	5	7	3	2	5	6
Don't know	13	13	10	13	9	16	11	12	13	13

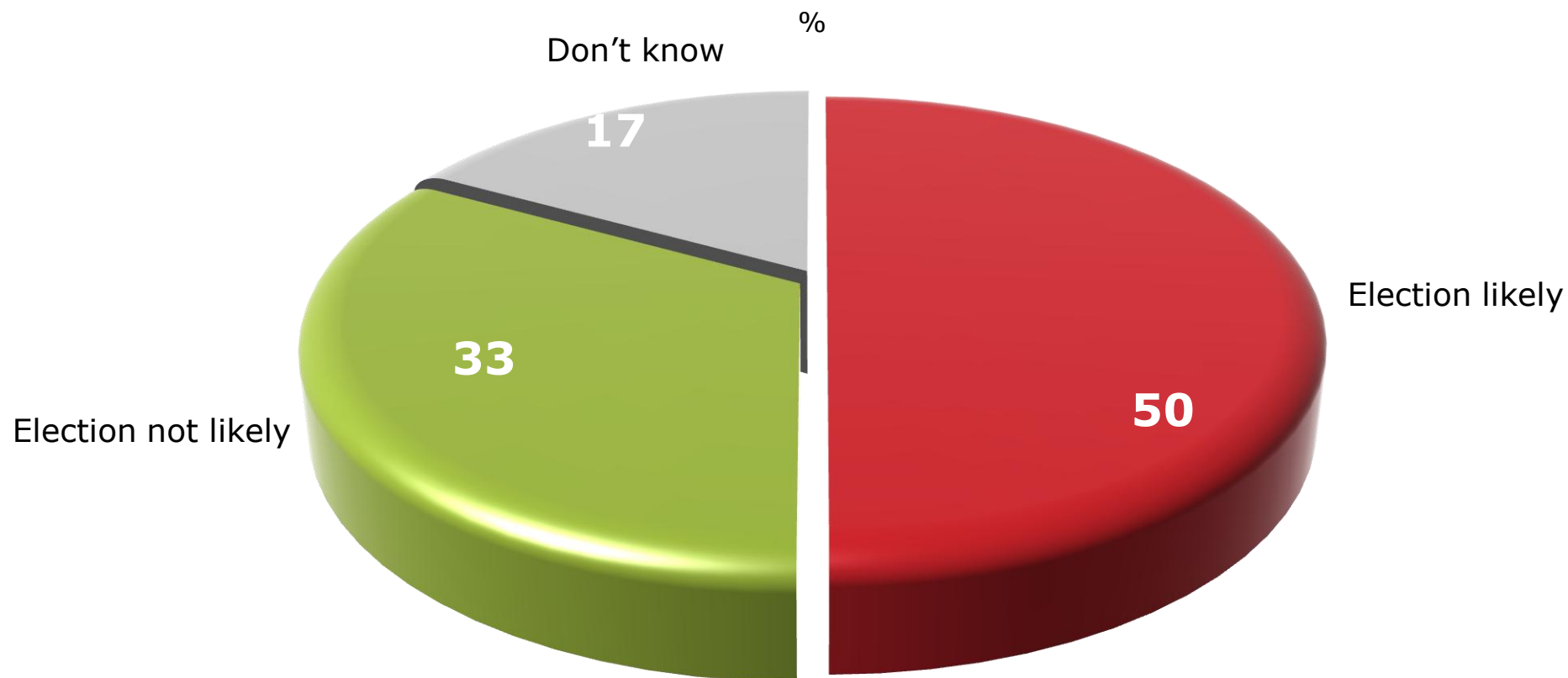
Coalition Preferences x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1418	140	25	149	77	3	2	-	11	2	-	6	1003
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fine Gael and Labour	21	57	58	4	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	20
Sinn Féin and other parties or independents	15	-	8	1	78	42	-	-	-	100	-	17	14
Fianna Fáil and other parties or independents	14	1	-	50	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Fine Gael and Fianna Fáil	13	6	11	23	2	-	-	-	8	-	-	32	13
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	9	14	15	3	-	26	43	-	53	-	-	17	9
Fine Gael single party Government	5	21	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Fianna Fáil and Sinn Féin	5	1	-	9	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Other	5	-	8	4	-	32	57	-	29	-	-	17	6
Don't know	13	1	-	5	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	16

Perceived Likelihood of Another General Election in Next 12 Months

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Perceived Likelihood of Another General Election in Next 12 Months x Demographics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1418	741	677	81	197	508	391	240	707	631	80
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Election likely	50	54	45	39	42	48	56	52	50	49	49
Election not likely	33	32	35	37	39	34	31	29	37	30	29
Don't know	17	14	20	24	19	18	12	19	13	21	22

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1418	423	361	389	245	961	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Election likely	50	50	50	54	43	52	46
Election not likely	33	37	37	24	36	35	30
Don't know	17	13	13	22	21	14	24

Perceived Likelihood of Another General Election in Next 12 Months x 2016 & 2011 First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election 1st Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											1st Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/ Lab/ FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1418	356	92	296	201	61	50	20	54	74	33	181	945	307	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Election likely	50	40	58	57	51	51	50	71	45	61	32	47	50	52	44
Election not likely	33	43	25	27	27	34	31	14	44	33	51	33	33	36	34
Don't know	17	17	17	15	21	14	19	15	11	6	17	20	17	12	22

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Di d not vote
Base:	1418	457	137	238	128	26	3	10	-	128	291
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Election likely	50	47	54	57	55	35	66	62	-	60	40
Election not likely	33	37	35	26	29	45	34	38	-	26	38
Don't know	17	16	12	17	17	20	-	-	-	14	23

Perceived Likelihood of Another General Election in Next 12 Months x Voter Dynamics & Party Closest to

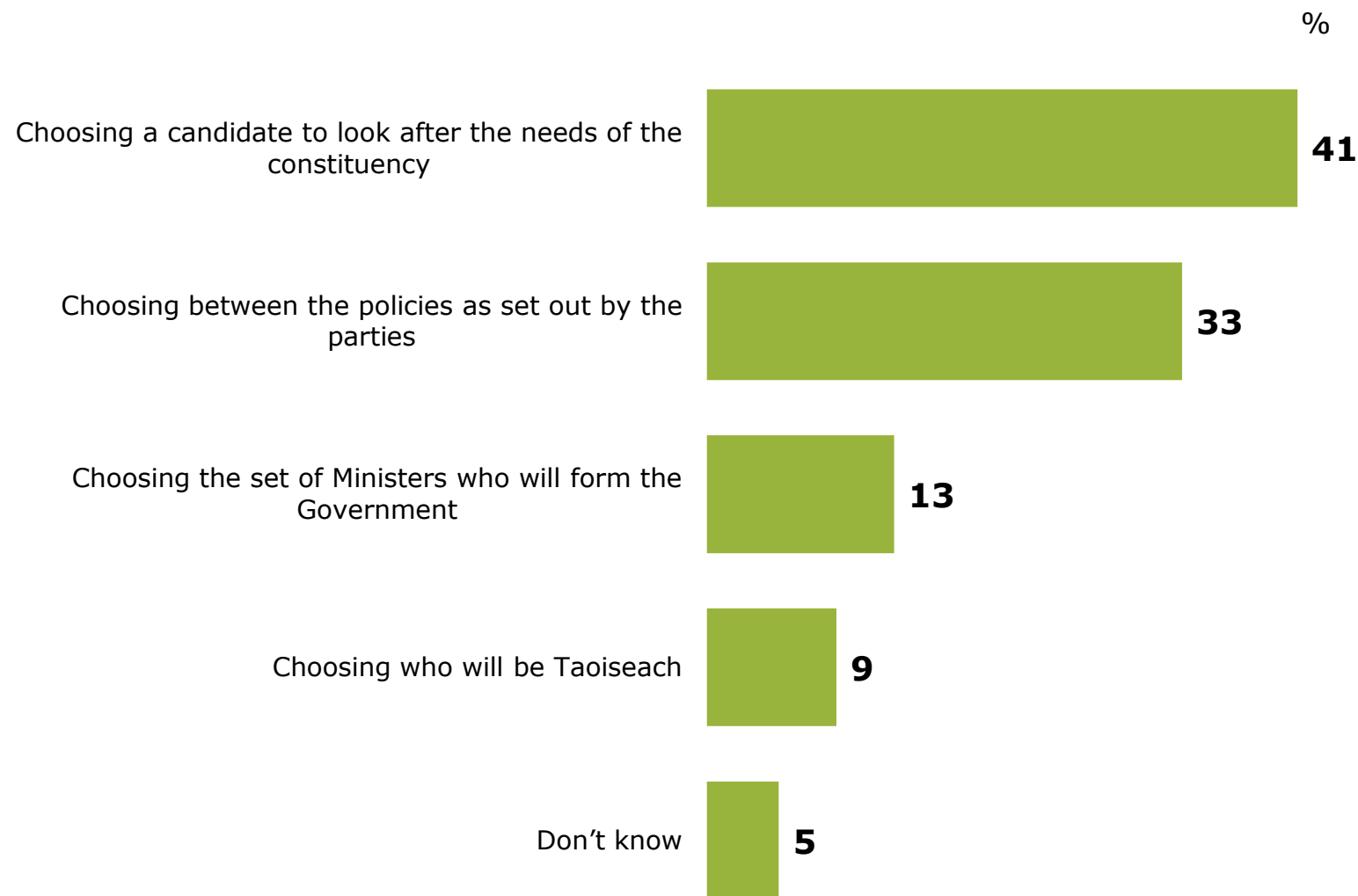
Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1418	1062	356	329	619	470	127	159	151	981
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Election likely	50	49	51	46	52	50	43	46	49	51
Election not likely	33	33	34	32	35	33	36	35	32	33
Don't know	17	18	14	23	13	17	21	19	19	16

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1418	140	25	149	77	3	2	-	11	2	-	6	1003
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Election likely	50	41	53	58	45	42	100	-	44	100	-	51	50
Election not likely	33	39	38	28	29	58	-	-	48	-	-	32	34
Don't know	17	20	8	14	27	-	-	-	8	-	-	17	16

Political Consideration of Most Importance in First Preference Selection

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Political Consideration of Most Importance in First Preference Selection x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1418	741	677	81	197	508	391	240	707	631	80
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Choosing a candidate to look after the needs of the constituency	41	39	42	35	37	41	43	42	35	45	50
Choosing between the policies as set out by the parties	33	34	30	41	37	33	31	27	38	27	26
Choosing the set of Ministers who will form the Government	13	13	13	11	11	13	15	12	14	12	6
Choosing who will be Taoiseach	9	8	9	9	10	9	6	11	9	8	9
Don't know	5	5	5	5	6	4	5	7	3	7	10

Political Consideration of Most Importance in First Preference Selection x Region & Area

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1418	423	361	389	245	961	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Choosing a candidate to look after the needs of the constituency	41	35	45	42	42	39	45
Choosing between the policies as set out by the parties	33	41	29	30	25	36	26
Choosing the set of Ministers who will form the Government	13	13	12	13	15	13	13
Choosing who will be Taoiseach	9	8	9	7	11	9	8
Don't know	5	3	4	7	7	4	8

Political Consideration of Most Importance in First Preference Selection x 2016 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election 1st Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											1st Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab/FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1418	356	92	296	201	61	50	20	54	74	33	181	945	307	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Choosing a candidate to look after the needs of the constituency	41	31	41	47	37	36	60	76	26	42	21	52	38	40	55
Choosing between the policies as set out by the parties	33	35	40	22	39	42	25	9	57	42	50	21	32	40	20
Choosing the set of Ministers who will form the Government	13	19	8	14	13	11	11	6	11	8	15	8	15	11	7
Choosing who will be Taoiseach	9	11	6	13	7	2	4	5	4	5	6	6	10	5	6
Don't know	5	4	5	4	4	9	-	4	2	3	7	13	4	5	12

Political Consideration of Most Importance in First Preference Selection x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1418	457	137	238	128	26	3	10	-	128	291
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Choosing a candidate to look after the needs of the constituency	41	34	41	48	47	25	31	18	-	45	42
Choosing between the policies as set out by the parties	33	35	36	23	35	56	35	82	-	28	33
Choosing the set of Ministers who will form the Government	13	18	14	12	9	4	34	-	-	10	11
Choosing who will be Taoiseach	9	10	5	13	5	12	-	-	-	7	8
Don't know	5	4	5	5	5	4	-	-	-	9	7

Political Consideration of Most Importance in First Preference Selection x Voter Dynamics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1418	1062	356	329	619	470	127	159	151	981
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Choosing a candidate to look after the needs of the constituency	41	41	38	43	36	44	34	42	37	42
Choosing between the policies as set out by the parties	33	30	40	27	39	29	37	31	33	32
Choosing the set of Ministers who will form the Government	13	13	12	14	14	11	13	16	15	12
Choosing who will be Taoiseach	9	9	6	9	6	11	13	8	9	8
Don't know	5	6	4	6	5	4	4	4	6	6

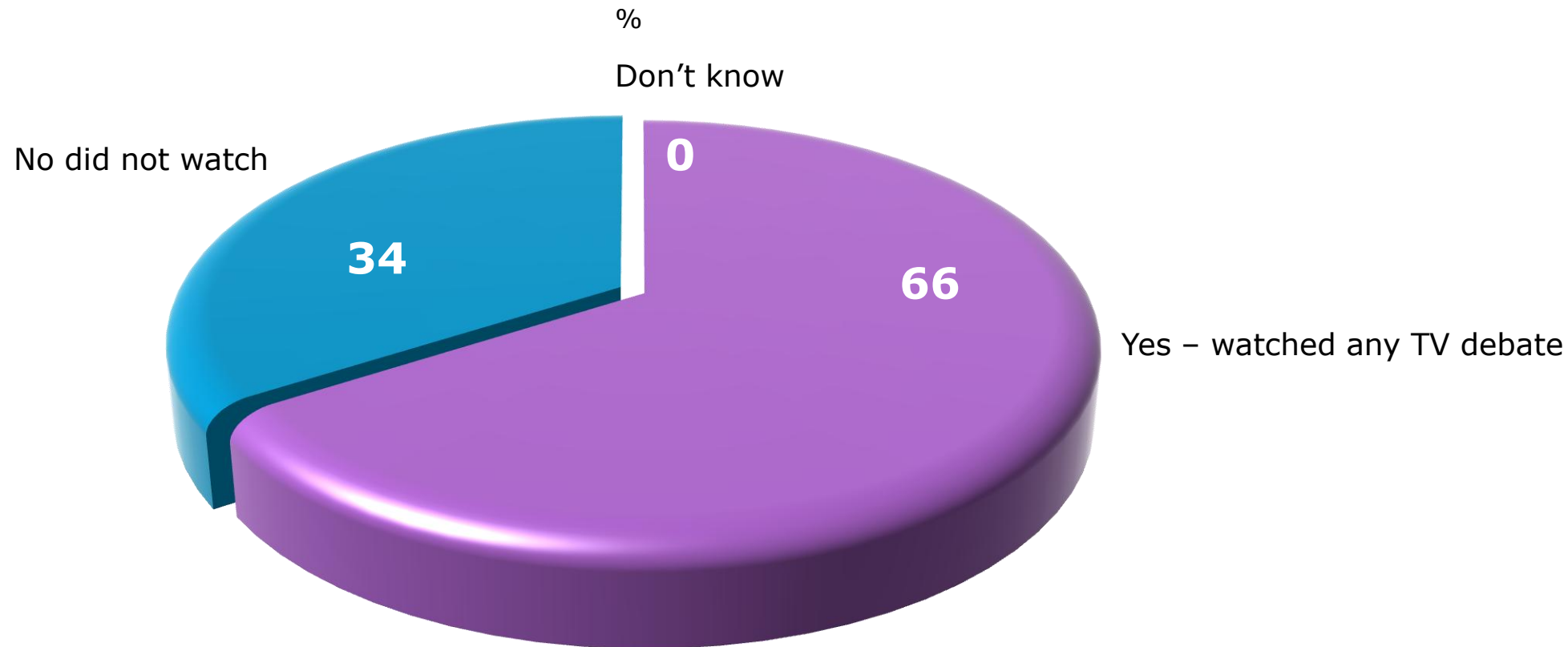
Political Consideration of Most Importance in First Preference Selection x Party Closest to

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1418	140	25	149	77	3	2	-	11	2	-	6	1003
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Choosing a candidate to look after the needs of the constituency	41	35	29	46	41	26	-	-	16	54	-	34	41
Choosing between the policies as set out by the parties	33	28	52	28	36	74	-	-	57	46	-	50	33
Choosing the set of Ministers who will form the Government	13	20	11	9	11	-	100	-	-	-	-	16	13
Choosing who will be Taoiseach	9	14	4	11	9	-	-	-	19	-	-	-	8
Don't know	5	3	4	6	2	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	6

Incidence of Watching Televised Leaders' Debates

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters



Incidence of Watching Televised Leaders' Debates x Demographics

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	1418	741	677	81	197	508	391	240	707	631	80
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes – watched any TV debate	66	68	64	54	58	68	68	70	67	64	68
No – did not watch any TV debate	34	32	36	46	42	32	32	30	33	36	32

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	1418	423	361	389	245	961	457
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes – watched any TV debate	66	64	65	65	71	65	68
No – did not watch any TV debate	34	36	35	35	29	35	32

Incidence of Watching Televised Leaders' Debates x 2016 & 2011 First Preference

Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab /FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	1418	356	92	296	201	61	50	20	54	74	33	181	945	307	166
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes – watched any TV debate	66	69	62	73	69	39	64	75	60	62	59	57	70	58	56
No – did not watch any TV debate	34	31	38	27	31	61	36	25	40	38	41	43	30	42	44

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	1418	457	137	238	128	26	3	10	-	128	291
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes – watched any TV debate	66	70	63	73	76	58	66	61	-	60	54
No – did not watch any TV debate	34	30	37	27	24	42	34	39	-	40	46

Incidence of Watching Televised Leaders' Debates x Voter Dynamics & Party Closest to




Base : All General Election 2016 Voters

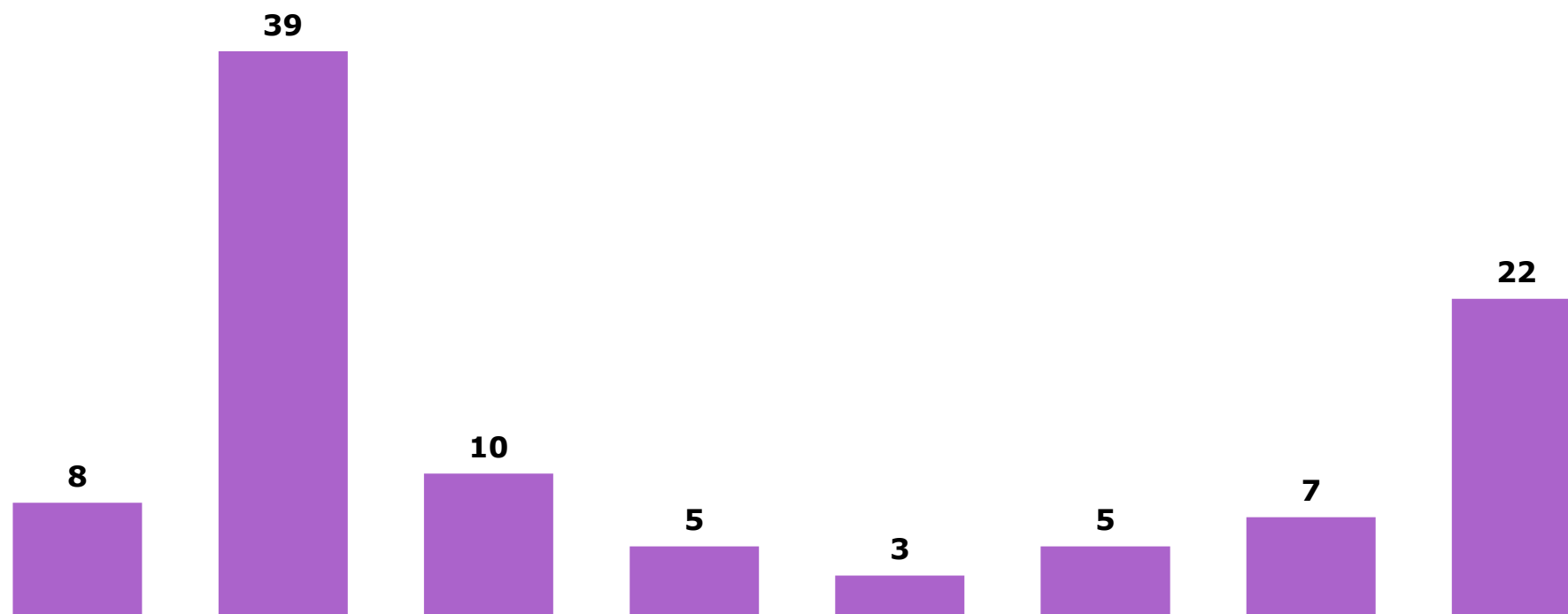
	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	1418	1062	356	329	619	470	127	159	151	981
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes – watched any TV debate	66	65	68	67	67	64	70	60	63	67
No – did not watch any TV debate	34	35	32	33	33	36	30	40	37	33

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	1418	140	25	149	77	3	2	-	11	2	-	6	1003
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes – watched any TV debate	66	78	73	81	72	26	57	-	81	100	-	66	61
No – did not watch any TV debate	34	22	27	19	28	74	43	-	19	-	-	34	39

Perceived Leaders' Debates Winners

Base : All Watched Any Leaders' Debates

Enda Kenny, Fine Gael	Micheal Martin, Fianna Fail	Gerry Adams, Sinn Fein	Joan Burton, Labour Party	Lucinda Creighton, Renua	Richard Boyd Barrett	Stephen Donnelly	None
							



Perceived Leaders' Debates Winners x Gender, Age & Class

Base : All Watched Any Leaders' Debates

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Class		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	F
Base:	931	501	430	43	112	342	265	168	470	406	55
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Micheál Martin	39	43	34	21	35	35	42	49	43	35	35
Gerry Adams	10	10	10	15	10	14	8	6	7	14	7
Enda Kenny	8	8	9	10	6	8	7	11	7	10	10
Stephen Donnelly	7	8	5	7	8	10	4	4	9	5	4
Joan Burton	5	4	6	12	1	5	4	5	6	3	3
Richard Boyd Barrett	5	5	5	6	9	4	5	5	5	5	5
Lucinda Creighton	3	2	3	7	4	3	3	1	2	4	2
No one came out best	23	20	28	23	28	22	26	19	21	25	34

Perceived Leaders' Debates Winners x Region & Area

Base : All Watched Any Leaders' Debates

	Total	Region				Area	
		Dublin	Leinster	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	Urban	Rural
Base:	931	269	234	253	175	620	311
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Micheál Martin	39	38	34	48	34	41	34
Gerry Adams	10	6	17	8	10	8	14
Enda Kenny	8	6	10	5	15	7	10
Stephen Donnelly	7	9	6	8	4	8	5
Joan Burton	5	6	3	5	5	6	3
Richard Boyd Barrett	5	9	3	3	4	6	2
Lucinda Creighton	3	3	1	3	4	3	2
No one came out best	23	24	25	20	25	21	30

Perceived Leaders' Debates Winners x 2016 GE First Preference

Base : All Watched Any Leaders' Debates

	Total	2016 General Election First Preference Party Vote (Q1a)											First Pref Party Summary		
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	FG/Lab/FF/SF	All Smaller Parties	Indep / Non Party
Base:	931	247	57	215	139	24	32	15	33	46	20	103	658	180	93
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Micheál Martin	39	34	31	72	14	39	25	21	28	19	44	38	42	29	37
Gerry Adams	10	2	-	2	39	-	13	-	-	11	5	13	11	7	12
Enda Kenny	8	19	10	2	1	-	10	6	4	7	-	10	9	5	11
Stephen Donnelly	7	7	5	4	4	32	7	15	24	9	-	10	5	14	10
Joan Burton	5	5	19	4	2	4	6	6	-	-	-	5	5	3	4
Richard Boyd Barrett	5	3	2	1	7	9	18	20	7	22	6	3	3	13	3
Lucinda Creighton	3	1	7	1	4	-	8	-	-	2	35	1	2	6	1
No one came out best	23	29	27	14	28	16	13	31	37	30	9	22	24	24	23

Perceived Leaders' Debates Winners x 2011 GE First Preference

Base : All Watched Any Leaders' Debates

	Total	2011 General Election First Preference (Q3)									
		Fine Gael	Labour Party	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Green Party	Socialist Party	People Before Profit Alliance	United Left Alliance (ULA)	Other Unaligned Independent	DK/Did not vote
Base:	931	322	85	172	97	15	2	6	-	76	156
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Micheál Martin	39	38	40	69	18	34	47	16	-	35	24
Gerry Adams	10	3	3	4	39	-	-	22	-	9	17
Enda Kenny	8	16	6	3	2	-	-	-	-	5	7
Stephen Donnelly	7	8	11	3	2	12	-	-	-	11	6
Joan Burton	5	6	7	5	1	-	-	-	-	8	2
Richard Boyd Barrett	5	4	6	1	7	16	53	14	-	9	7
Lucinda Creighton	3	2	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	6	4
No one came out best	23	22	22	15	31	39	-	48	-	18	32

Perceived Leaders' Debates Winners x Voter Dynamic

Base : All Watched Any Leaders' Debates

	Total	First Pref Candidate Gender		Constituency Size			Candidate Position on Ballot Paper			
		Male	Female	3 seat	4 seat	5 seat	1st	2nd	3rd	4th & Lower
Base:	931	690	241	220	413	298	89	95	95	652
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Micheál Martin	39	39	38	41	38	39	32	35	42	40
Gerry Adams	10	11	8	10	10	10	14	8	2	11
Enda Kenny	8	8	10	12	8	6	7	12	8	8
Stephen Donnelly	7	7	5	8	5	8	6	6	6	7
Joan Burton	5	3	8	4	6	4	8	4	1	5
Richard Boyd Barrett	5	5	6	4	7	4	5	9	5	5
Lucinda Creighton	3	3	2	2	4	2	2	4	5	2
No one came out best	23	24	22	20	23	26	26	22	30	22

Perceived Leaders' Debates Winners x Party Closest to

Base : All Watched Any Leaders' Debates

	Total	Party Closest To											
		Fine Gael	Labour	Fianna Fáil	Sinn Féin	Social Democrats	Indep Alliance	Indep 4 Change	Green Party	AAA-PBP	RENUA Ireland	Other / Indep	None
Base:	931	109	18	120	56	1	1	-	9	2	-	4	611
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Micheál Martin	39	25	30	74	10	-	-	-	24	-	-	-	38
Gerry Adams	10	4	7	2	53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Enda Kenny	8	31	11	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Stephen Donnelly	7	8	20	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	73	7
Joan Burton	5	6	16	4	2	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Richard Boyd Barrett	5	-	7	1	7	-	100	-	23	100	-	27	6
Lucinda Creighton	3	2	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
No one came out best	23	25	11	12	21	-	-	-	53	-	-	-	26



Appendix A

Sampling Points



Sampling Points - Dublin

	CONSTITUENCY	ED
DUBLIN		
H10	Dublin Bay North	008 Ayrfield, Dublin City
H10	Dublin Bay North	038 Clontarf East B, Dublin City
H10	Dublin Bay North	044 Clontarf West C, Dublin City
H10	Dublin Bay North	059 Grange A, Dublin City
H10	Dublin Bay North	063 Grange E, Dublin City
H10	Dublin Bay North	081 Priorswood B, Dublin City
H10	Dublin Bay North	004 Baldoyle, Fingal
H11	Dublin Bay South	113 Kimmage C, Dublin City
H11	Dublin Bay South	128 Pembroke East D, Dublin City
H11	Dublin Bay South	132 Pembroke West C, Dublin City
H11	Dublin Bay South	137 Rathmines East D, Dublin City
H11	Dublin Bay South	143 Rathmines West F, Dublin City
H11	Dublin Bay South	147 South Dock, Dublin City
H12	Dublin Central	003 Arran Quay C, Dublin City
H12	Dublin Central	030 Cabra East A, Dublin City
H12	Dublin Central	048 Drumcondra South B, Dublin City
H12	Dublin Central	075 North City, Dublin City
H13	Dublin Fingal	002 Balbriggan Rural, Fingal
H13	Dublin Fingal	019 Donabate, Fingal
H13	Dublin Fingal	026 Kinsaley, Fingal
H13	Dublin Fingal	030 Malahide West, Fingal
H13	Dublin Fingal	034 Skerries, Fingal
H13	Dublin Fingal	037 Swords-Glasmore, Fingal
H13	Dublin Fingal	040 Swords Village, Fingal
H14	Dublin Mid-West	006 Clondalkin-Dunawley, South Dublin
H14	Dublin Mid-West	009 Clondalkin-Rowlagh, South Dublin
H14	Dublin Mid-West	015 Lucan-Esker, South Dublin
H14	Dublin Mid-West	015 Lucan-Esker, South Dublin
H14	Dublin Mid-West	017 Lucan-St. Helen's, South Dublin
H14	Dublin Mid-West	021 Rathcoole, South Dublin
H15	Dublin North-West	016 Ballymun B, Dublin City
H15	Dublin North-West	049 Drumcondra South C, Dublin City
H15	Dublin North-West	090 Whitehall A, Dublin City
H15	Dublin North-West	042 Turnapin, Fingal

	CONSTITUENCY	ED
DUBLIN		
H16	Dublin Rathdown	006 Ballinteer-Woodpark, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown
H16	Dublin Rathdown	037 Dundrum-Balally, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown
H16	Dublin Rathdown	057 Glencullen, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown
H16	Dublin Rathdown	064 Stillorgan-Kilmacud, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown
H17	Dublin South-Central	097 Cherry Orchard C, Dublin City
H17	Dublin South-Central	104 Decies, Dublin City
H17	Dublin South-Central	112 Kimmage B, Dublin City
H17	Dublin South-Central	123 Merchants Quay E, Dublin City
H17	Dublin South-Central	159 Walkinstown B, Dublin City
H17	Dublin South-Central	042 Templeogue-Kimmage Manor, South Dublin
H18	Dublin South-West	011 Edmondstown, South Dublin
H18	Dublin South-West	014 Firhouse Village, South Dublin
H18	Dublin South-West	025 Rathfarnham-St. Enda's, South Dublin
H18	Dublin South-West	032 Tallaght-Jobstown, South Dublin
H18	Dublin South-West	035 Tallaght-Kiltipper, South Dublin
H18	Dublin South-West	039 Tallaght-Springfield, South Dublin
H18	Dublin South-West	045 Templeogue-Osprey, South Dublin
H19	Dublin West	007 Ashtown B, Dublin City
H19	Dublin West	009 Blanchardstown-Coolmine, Fingal
H19	Dublin West	009 Blanchardstown-Blakestown, Fingal
H19	Dublin West	012 Blanchardstown-Delwood, Fingal
H19	Dublin West	016 Castleknock-Knockmaroon, Fingal
H19	Dublin West	027 Lucan North, Fingal
H20	Dún Laoghaire	010 Blackrock-Central, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown
H20	Dún Laoghaire	018 Cabinteely-Granitefield, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown
H20	Dún Laoghaire	036 Dalkey Upper, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown
H20	Dún Laoghaire	050 Dún Laoghaire-Sandycove, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown
H20	Dún Laoghaire	058 Killiney North, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown
H20	Dún Laoghaire	062 Shankill-Shanganagh, Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown

Sampling Points – Rest of Leinster

	CONSTITUENCY	ED
LEINSTER URBAN		
H01	Carlow-Kilkenny	034 Muinebeag (Bagenalstown) Urban, Co. Carlow
H01	Carlow-Kilkenny	074 Graiguenamanagh, Co. Kilkenny
H24	Kildare North	003 Naas Urban, Co. Kildare
H24	Kildare North	034 Celbridge, Co. Kildare
H24	Kildare North	039 Leixlip, Co. Kildare
H24	Kildare North	040 Maynooth, Co. Kildare
H24	Kildare North	072 Kill, Co. Kildare
H25	Kildare South	053 Rathangan, Co. Kildare
H25	Kildare South	071 Kildare, Co. Kildare
H25	Kildare South	078 Morristownbiller, Co. Kildare
H26	Laois	066 Mountmellick Urban, Co. Laois
H29	Longford-Westmeath	043 Caldragh, Co. Longford
H29	Longford-Westmeath	090 Mullingar North Urban, Co. Westmeath
H30	Louth	009 Ardee Urban, Co. Louth
H30	Louth	027 Dundalk Rural (Part Urban), Co. Louth
H30	Louth	045 Julianstown, Co. Meath
H32	Meath East	009 Dunboyne, Co. Meath
H32	Meath East	016 Ratoath, Co. Meath
H32	Meath East	048 Ardcath, Co. Meath
H33	Meath West	055 Navan Rural (Part Urban), Co. Meath
H33	Meath West	074 Castlerickard, Co. Meath
H34	Offaly	002 Tullamore Urban, Co. Offaly
H34	Offaly	063 Clara, Co. Offaly
H39	Wexford	005 Wexford No. 2 Urban, Co. Wexford
H39	Wexford	119 St. Helen's, Co. Wexford
H40	Wicklow	001 Arklow No. 1 Urban, Co. Wicklow
H40	Wicklow	006 Rathmichael (Bray), Co. Wicklow
H40	Wicklow	032 Delgany, Co. Wicklow
H40	Wicklow	035 Kilmacanoge (Part Urban), Co. Wicklow
H40	Wicklow	060 Newcastle Lower, Co. Wicklow

	CONSTITUENCY	ED
LEINSTER RURAL		
H01	Carlow-Kilkenny	023 Cranemore, Co. Carlow
H01	Carlow-Kilkenny	011 Kilmaganny, Co. Kilkenny
H01	Carlow-Kilkenny	050 Kilkenny Rural, Co. Kilkenny
H01	Carlow-Kilkenny	058 Shankill, Co. Kilkenny
H01	Carlow-Kilkenny	105 Kilcolumb, Co. Kilkenny
H24	Kildare North	051 Kilrainy, Co. Kildare
H25	Kildare South	030 Nurney, Co. Kildare
H26	Laois	026 Rathdowney, Co. Laois
H26	Laois	071 Portlaoighise (Maryborough) Rural, Co. Laois
H26	Laois	092 Doonane, Co. Laois
H29	Longford-Westmeath	037 Aghaboy, Co. Longford
H29	Longford-Westmeath	009 Glassan, Co. Westmeath
H29	Longford-Westmeath	070 Enniscoffey, Co. Westmeath
H29	Longford-Westmeath	089 Mullingar Rural, Co. Westmeath
H30	Louth	030 Haggardstown (Part Rural), Co. Louth
H30	Louth	047 St. Mary's (Part Rural), Co. Meath
H32	Meath East	024 Carrickleck, Co. Meath
H33	Meath West	075 Cloghbrack, Co. Meath
H33	Meath West	092 Trim Rural (Part Rural), Co. Meath
H34	Offaly	030 Seirkieran, Co. Offaly
H34	Offaly	083 Screggan, Co. Offaly
H39	Wexford	019 Clonroche, Co. Wexford
H39	Wexford	034 St. Mary's, Co. Wexford
H39	Wexford	056 Killenagh, Co. Wexford
H39	Wexford	082 New Ross Rural, Co. Wexford
H39	Wexford	108 Killag, Co. Wexford
H40	Wicklow	038 Arklow Rural, Co. Wicklow
H40	Wicklow	074 Coolboy, Co. Wicklow

Sampling Points – Munster

	CONSTITUENCY	ED
MUNSTER CB		
H05	Cork North-Central	015 Centre B, Cork City
H05	Cork North-Central	038 Gurranebraher E, Cork City
H05	Cork North-Central	059 Sundays Well A, Cork City
H07	Cork South-Central	010 Bishopstown E, Cork City
H07	Cork South-Central	042 Mahon A, Cork City
H07	Cork South-Central	066 Togher A, Cork City
H27	Limerick City	005 Ballinacurra A, Limerick City
H27	Limerick City	019 Galvone A, Limerick City
H27	Limerick City	037 Singland B, Limerick City
H38	Waterford	007 Ballytruckle, Waterford City
H38	Waterford	024 Military Road, Waterford City
MUNSTER URBAN		
H03	Clare	027 Clenagh, Co Clare
H03	Clare	040 Newmarket, Co Clare
H04	Cork East	006 Mallow North Urban, Co. Cork
H04	Cork East	010 Youghal Urban, Co. Cork
H04	Cork East	253 Corkbeg, Co. Cork
H05	Cork North-Central	081 Caherlag, Co. Cork
H05	Cork North-Central	102 Riverstown, Co. Cork
H06	Cork North-West	075 Ballincollig, Co. Cork
H06	Cork North-West	170 Newmarket, Co. Cork
H07	Cork South-Central	082 Carrigaline, Co. Cork
H07	Cork South-Central	086 Douglas, Co. Cork
H07	Cork South-Central	099 Monkstown Urban, Co. Cork
H08	Cork South-West	024 Kilbrogan, Co. Cork
H23	Kerry	002 Listowel Urban, Co. Kerry
H23	Kerry	084 Killorglin, Co. Kerry
H23	Kerry	165 Tralee Rural
H27	Limerick City	051 Ballycummin, Co. Limerick
H27	Limerick City	052 Ballysimon, Co. Limerick
H27	Limerick City	055 Caherconlish West, Co. Limerick
H28	Limerick County	041 Kilmallock, Co. Limerick
H37	Tipperary	002 Nenagh West Urban, North Tipperary
H37	Tipperary	083 Carrick-on-Suir Urban, South Tipperary
H37	Tipperary	127 Mortlestown, South Tipperary
H38	Waterford	001 Dungarvan No. 1 Urban, Co. Waterford
H38	Waterford	083 Tramore, Co. Waterford

	CONSTITUENCY	ED
MUNSTER RURAL		
H03	Clare	026 Clareabbey (Part Rural), Co Clare
H03	Clare	051 Cloghaun, Co Clare
H03	Clare	093 Kilrush Rural, Co Clare
H03	Clare	137 Scarriff, Co Clare
H04	Cork East	123 Ballynoe, Co. Cork
H04	Cork East	235 Mallow Rural, Co. Cork
H04	Cork East	262 Rostellan, Co. Cork
H05	Cork North-Central	090 Glenville, Co. Cork
H06	Cork North-West	147 Banteer, Co. Cork
H06	Cork North-West	217 Rahalisk, Co. Cork
H08	Cork South-West	043 Scart, Co. Cork
H08	Cork South-West	115 Dunmanway South, Co. Cork
H08	Cork South-West	299 Garranes, Co. Cork
H23	Kerry	033 An Daingean, Co. Kerry
H23	Kerry	082 Killarney Rural (Part Rural), Co. Kerry
H23	Kerry	116 Lislaughtin, Co. Kerry
H23	Kerry	151 Kilgarrylander, Co. Kerry
H28	Limerick County	024 Kilmoyley, Co. Limerick
H28	Limerick County	080 Ballintober, Co. Limerick
H28	Limerick County	119 Kilcornan, Co. Limerick
H37	Tipperary	040 Killoscully, North Tipperary
H37	Tipperary	079 Thurles Rural, North Tipperary
H37	Tipperary	117 Ardfinnan, South Tipperary
H37	Tipperary	151 New Birmingham, South Tipperary
H38	Waterford	022 Cappagh, Co. Waterford
H38	Waterford	069 Tallow, Co. Waterford

Sampling Points – Conn/Ulster

	CONSTITUENCY	ED
CONN/ULSTER URBAN		
H21	Galway East	092 Killeely, Co. Galway
H22	Galway West (City)	001 Ballybane, Galway City
H22	Galway West (City)	005 Claddagh, Galway City
H22	Galway West (City)	015 Ragoon, Galway City
H22	Galway West	046 An Carn Mór, Co. Galway
H22	Galway West	152 An Crompán, Co. Galway
H31	Mayo	003 Castlebar Urban, Co. Mayo
H31	Mayo	085 Ballyhaunis, Co. Mayo
H35	Roscommon-Galway	057 Ballaghaderreen, Co. Roscommon
H36	Sligo-Leitrim	052 Manorhamilton, Co. Leitrim
H36	Sligo-Leitrim	003 Sligo West, Co. Sligo
H02	Cavan-Monaghan	010 Mullagh, Co. Cavan
H02	Cavan-Monaghan	048 Bellanode, Co. Monaghan
H09	Donegal	037 Machaire Chlochair, Co. Donegal
H09	Donegal	096 Ballymacool (Part Urban), Co. Donegal
H09	Donegal	142 Knock, Co. Donegal

	CONSTITUENCY	ED
CONN/ULSTER RURAL		
H21	Galway East	084 Beagh, Co. Galway
H21	Galway East	134 Woodford, Co. Galway
H21	Galway East	200 Kilbennan, Co. Galway
H22	Galway West	041 Aughrim, Co. Galway
H22	Galway West	063 An Spidéal, Co. Galway
H31	Mayo	020 Fortland, Co. Mayo
H31	Mayo	067 Balla, Co. Mayo
H31	Mayo	104 Ballinamore, Co. Mayo
H31	Mayo	143 Kilmaclusser, Co. Mayo
H35	Roscommon-Galway	001 Athlone West Rural, Co. Roscommon
H35	Roscommon-Galway	055 Artagh North, Co. Roscommon
H35	Roscommon-Galway	105 Roscommon Rural, Co. Roscommon
H36	Sligo-Leitrim	033 Tullaghan, Co. Leitrim
H36	Sligo-Leitrim	018 Buncrowey, Co. Sligo
H36	Sligo-Leitrim	059 Riverstown, Co. Sligo
H36	Sligo-Leitrim	038 Ballintemple, Co. Cavan
H02	Cavan-Monaghan	045 Canningstown, Co. Cavan
H02	Cavan-Monaghan	089 Drumlumman, Co. Cavan
H02	Cavan-Monaghan	027 Castleblayney Rural (Part Rural), Co. Monaghan
H02	Cavan-Monaghan	063 Monaghan Rural (Part Rural), Co. Monaghan
H09	Donegal	044 Crownarad, Co. Donegal -
H09	Donegal	077 Dunaff, Co. Donegal -
H09	Donegal	106 Magheraboy (Part Rural), Co. Donegal
H09	Donegal	141 Killygordon, Co. Donegal



Appendix B

The Questionnaires





Version 1 Questionnaire



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BEHAVIOUR & ATTITUDES EXIT POLL QUESTIONNAIRE

FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE VERSION 1

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INTERVIEWER: PLEASE HAND THE BALLOT PAPER TO THE RESPONDENT

Q.1 The candidates for election in the General Election are listed on this ballot paper. Please mark the ballot paper giving your order of preference as you have just voted.

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Q.2 Did you vote in the last General Election in 2011?

Yes – I voted in 2011	1	- ASK Q.3 GO TO Q.4
No – I was too young to vote in 2011	2	
No – I did not vote in 2011	3	
Can't recall	4	

ALL VOTED IN 2011

Q.3 To which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in the 2011 General Election? **DO NOT READ OUT**

Fine Gael	1
Labour Party	2
Fianna Fáil	3
Sinn Féin	4
Green Party	5
Socialist Party	6
People Before Profit Alliance	7
United Left Alliance (ULA)	8
Independent	9
Other specify _____	10
Don't know	11
Did not vote	12



Q.4 Thinking about the economy as a whole, do you think that the country is better off, worse off, or about the same as last year?

Better off	1
The same	2
Worse off	3

Q.5 Do you yourself feel better off financially, worse off financially or about the same compared to last year?

Better off	1
The same	2
Worse off	3

IF RESPONDENT VOTED FOR A PARTY CANDIDATE AT Q.1 ASK Q.6 & Q.7. IF AN INDEPENDENT, OR INDEPENDENT/NON PARTY CANDIDATE, ASK Q.6A AND Q.7A

Q.6 Which would you say was more important in deciding how you just cast your first preference vote – the party or the candidate him/herself?

The Party	1
The candidate	2
Don't know	3

Q.7 If your first preference candidate had been running for any of the other parties or groupings would you still have given a first preference vote to him/her?

Yes	1
No	2
Depends on the party	3

SKIP TO Q.8 IF RESPONDENT DID NOT VOTE FOR AN INDEPENDENT/NON-PARTY CANDIDATE AT Q.1

Q.6A Which would you say was more important in deciding how you just cast your first preference vote – the candidate him/herself or the fact that the candidate was Independent/Non-Party?

The Candidate	1
The fact that the candidate was Independent/Non-Party	2
Don't know	3

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Q.7a If your first preference candidate had been RUNNING FOR A PARTY would you still have given a first preference vote to him/her?

Yes	1
No	2
Depends on the party	3

ASK ALL

Q.8 In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place yourself on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means the left and 10 means the right?

LEFT												RIGHT	DK
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		X	

Q.9 Candidate gender quotas for political parties were introduced for these elections to the Dáil. How much do you support the use of gender quotas for national elections on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means strongly oppose and 10 means strongly support.

Strongly oppose												Strongly support	DK
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		X	

Q.10 Do you usually think of yourself as close to any political party?

Yes	1	ASK Q.10
No	2	GO TO CLASSIFICATION

IF YES ASK

Q.11 Which party is that? DO NOT PROMPT. SINGLE CODE ONLY.

Fianna Fáil	1
Fine Gael	2
Labour	3
Green Party	4
Sinn Féin	5
Independent Candidate	6
Workers Party	7
Socialist Party	8
Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-BPP)	9
RENUA Ireland	10
Social Democrats	11
Independent Alliance	12
Independents 4 Change	13
Other (specify)	14
Can't remember/refused	15

Constituency Code Assignment No.



Classification			
SEX:		SOCIAL CLASS:	
Male	1	AB	1
Female	2	C1	2
		C2	3
		D	4
MARITAL STATUS			
Married	1	E	5
Living as married	2	F50+	6
Single	3	F50-	7
Widowed/Divorced/Separated	4		
		AGE (STATE EXACT AGE & CODE)	
WHETHER RESPONDENT IS WORKING		EXACT AGE	<input type="text"/>
Housewife (full-time)	1		
Full-time student (third level)/at school	2		
Temporarily unemployed (actively seeking work)	3	18-22	1
Permanently unemployed	4	23-24	2
Retired	5	25-29	3
Full-time (30 hours per week or more)	6	30-34	4
Part-time (9-29 hours per week)	7	35-44	5
Self-employed	8	45-49	6
		50-64	7
		65+	8
RESPONDENT IS			
Chief Income Earner	1		
Not Chief Income Earner	2	DEPENDENT CHILDREN (Regardless of age)	
		Respondent has...	
		Any dependent children	1
		No dependent children	2
*OCCUPATION OF CHIEF INCOME EARNER (see below) (Record full job details)			
		TIME OF INTERVIEW	
IF MANAGER/SELF-EMPLOYED, STATE NO OF EMPLOYEES. SPECIFY QUALIFICATIONS/TRAINING		7.00am - 11.00am	1
		11.00am - 3.00pm	2
		3.00pm - 6.30pm	3
		6.30pm - 10.00pm	4
IF FARMER, STATE ACREAGE	<input type="text"/>		
IF EMPLOYED ASK:		LEVEL FINISHED EDUCATION	
Are you a public servant or do you work in the private sector?		Finished 3rd level	1
Public/Civil Servant	1	Finished secondary school	2
Private sector	2	Did not finish secondary school	3
		Would you mind just giving me your name and address for verification. NOTE TO INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT REFUSES, WRITE IN 'REFUSED' AND COUNT TOWARDS QUOTA	
IF UNEMPLOYED, ASK:			
How long have you been unemployed?		Name (Mr/Mrs/Ms)	
Less than 6 months	1		
7-12 months	2		
Over 1 year but less than 3 years	3	Address	
Longer than 3 years	4		

*Chief Income Earner: Which member of your household would you say is the Chief Income Earner – that is, the person with the largest income whether from employment, pensions, state benefits, investment or any other source? If 'EQUAL INCOME' relate to OLDEST.



Version 2 Questionnaire



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FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE
VERSION 2

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Q.2 Did you vote in the last General Election in 2011?

Yes - I voted in 2011	1	- ASK Q.3 GO TO Q.4
No - I was too young to vote in 2011	2	
No - I did not vote in 2011	3	
Can't recall	4	

ALL VOTED IN 2011

Q.3 To which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in the 2011 General Election? **DO NOT READ OUT**

Fine Gael	1
Labour Party	2
Fianna Fáil	3
Sinn Féin	4
Green Party	5
Socialist Party	6
People Before Profit Alliance	7
United Left Alliance (ULA)	8
Independent	9
Other specify _____	10
Don't know	11
Did not vote	12



Q.4 On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means you strongly believe that there should be a total ban on abortion in Ireland, and 10 means that you strongly believe that Abortion should be freely available in Ireland to any woman who wants to have one, where would you place your view?
SINGLE CODE ONLY

	There should be a total ban on abortion in Ireland					Abortion should be freely available in Ireland to any woman who wants to have one					DK	
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	X

Q.5 In terms of the long term future of Northern Ireland, which would you prefer? Northern Ireland should: **READ OUT. SINGLE CODE**

Remain in the UK with a direct and strong link to Britain	1
Remain in the UK and have a strong Assembly and Government in Northern Ireland	2
Unify with the Republic of Ireland	3
Other	4
Don't know	5

Q.6 On a scale of 0 to 10, where '0' means government should CUT TAXES A LOT and SPEND MUCH LESS on health and social services, and '10' means government should INCREASE TAXES A LOT and SPEND MUCH MORE on health and social services. Where would you place yourself in terms of this scale?

SINGLE CODE ONLY

SINGLE SCALE ONLY													
	Government should CUT TAXES A LOT and SPEND MUCH LESS on health and social services								Government should INCREASE TAXES A LOT and SPEND MUCH MORE on health and social services				DK
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	X	

Q.7 On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means you strongly believe that the government SHOULD ACT to reduce differences in income and wealth, and 10 means that you strongly believe that the government SHOULD NOT ACT to reduce differences in income and wealth, where would you place your view?

SINGLE CODE ONLY

The Government SHOULD ACT to reduce differences in income and wealth							The Government SHOULD NOT ACT to reduce the differences in income and wealth				DK	
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	X

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Q.8 Which of these religious denominations/faiths, if any, do you adhere to?
SHOW CARD

Catholic church	1
Church of Ireland/Anglican/Episcopal	2
Methodist	3
Presbyterian Church	4
Free Presbyterian	5
Other Protestant (write in _____)	6
Jewish	7
Muslim	8
Agnostic	9
Atheist	10
I'm not religious, although I do consider myself a spiritual person	11
Would rather not say	12

Q.9 How often nowadays do you attend religious services? **SHOW CARD**

Several times a week	1
Once a week	2
Once a month	3
A few times a year	4
Never/hardly ever	5

Q.10 Do you usually think of yourself as close to any political party?

Yes	1
No	2

IF YES ASK

Q.11 Which party is that? **DO NOT PROMPT. SINGLE CODE ONLY**

<u>Fianna Fail</u>	1
Fine Gael	2
Labour	3
Green Party	4
Sinn Féin	5
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Anti-Austerity Alliance - People Before Profit Alliance (AAA-PBP)	9
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Social Democrats	11
Independent Alliance	12
Independents 4 Change	13
Other (specify)	14
Can't remember/refused	15

Constituency Code Assignment No.



Classification			
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Male	1	A8	1
Female	2	C1	2
		C2	3
MARITAL STATUS		D	4
Married	1	E	5
Living as married	2	F8+	6
Single	3	F9+	7
Widowed/Divorced/Separated	4		
		AGE (STATE EXACT AGE & CODE)	
WHETHER RESPONDENT IS WORKING		EXACT AGE	<input type="text"/>
Housewife (Full-time)	1		
Full-time student (third level)/at school	2		
Temporarily unemployed (actively seeking work)	3	18-22	1
Permanently unemployed	4	23-24	2
Retired	5	25-29	3
Full-time (30 hours per week or more)	6	30-34	4
Part-time (9-29 hours per week)	7	35-44	5
Self-employed	8	45-49	6
		50-54	7
		55+	8
RESPONDENT IS		DEPENDENT CHILDREN (Regardless of age)	
Chief Income Earner	1	Respondent has...	
Not Chief Income Earner	2	Any dependent children	1
		No dependent children	2
*OCCUPATION OF CHIEF INCOME EARNER			
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		3.00pm - 6.30pm	3
		6.30pm - 10.00pm	4
IF FARMER, STATE ACREAGE	<input type="text"/>		
IF EMPLOYED ASK:		LEVEL FINISHED EDUCATION	
Are you a public servant or do you work in the private sector?		Finished 2nd level	1
Public/Civil Servant	1	Finished secondary school	2
Private sector	2	Did not finish secondary school	3
IF UNEMPLOYED, ASK:		Would you mind just giving me your name and address for verification. NOTE TO INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT REFUSES, WRITE IN 'REFUSED' AND COUNT TOWARDS QUOTA	
How long have you been unemployed?		Name (Mr/Mrs/Ms)	<input type="text"/>
Less than 6 months	1		
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Over 1 year but less than 3 years	3	Address	<input type="text"/>
Longer than 3 years	4		

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Version 3 Questionnaire



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BEHAVIOUR & ATTITUDES EXIT POLL QUESTIONNAIRE

FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE
VERSION 3

Good Morning/afternoon/evening my name is from Behaviour & Attitudes, the independent market research company. We are carrying out a short survey about the General Election, for RTE. The results of this survey will be broadcast on RTE's Election Special programmes.

The interview will be conducted in accordance with Irish and International Market Research Society guidelines, and any information you give will be treated in complete confidence.

INTERVIEWER: PLEASE HAND THE BALLOT PAPER TO THE RESPONDENT

Q.1 The candidates for election in the General Election are listed on this ballot paper. Please mark the ballot paper giving your order of preference as you have just voted.

NB: KEEP HARD COPY OF BALLOT PAPER. ENTER RESULTS ON SCREEN.

Q.2 Did you vote in the last General Election in 2011?

Yes – I voted in 2011	1	- ASK Q.3 } GO TO Q.4
No – I was too young to vote in 2011	2	
No – I did not vote in 2011	3	
Can't recall	4	

ALL VOTED IN 2011

Q.3 To which party or independent candidate did you give your first preference vote in the 2011 General Election? **DO NOT READ OUT**

Fine Gael	1
Labour Party	2
Fianna Fáil	3
Sinn Féin	4
Green Party	5
Socialist Party	6
People Before Profit Alliance	7
United Left Alliance (ULA)	8
Independent	9
Other specify _____	10
Don't know	11
Did not vote	12



Q.4 What was the **one issue** or problem that **most influenced** your decision as to how you voted? **PROBE TO PRE-CODES. SINGLE CODE ONLY.**

Q.5 And what issue or problem was the **second most influential** in your decision as to how you voted? **SINGLE CODE ONLY**

	Q.4 Most Influence	Q.5 Second Most Influence
Crime/Law and Order	1	1
Management of the economy	2	2
Health Services/Hospitals	3	3
Mortgage Repayment Rates/House prices/Cost of Rent	4	4
The homeless situation/Lack of Local Authority Housing	5	5
Unemployment/jobs	6	6
Water Charges	7	7
Childcare	8	8
Abortion	9	9
Issues within my own constituency	10	10
Education	11	11
Taxation/ Structure of taxation/USC	12	12
Stable government	13	13
Other specify _____	14	14
Don't know	15	15

Q.6 Can you remember exactly when you finally made up your mind about which party or independent candidate you would give your first preference vote to in this election?



Today/yesterday	1
During the past week	2
2 – 3 weeks ago/Since the election was called	3
Sometime before the election was called	4
Always vote for that party/the same way	5
Can't remember	6

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Q.7 There are various ways in which a Government might be formed after this election. Which one of these would you prefer? **SHOW CARD – ORDER ROTATED. SINGLE CODE**

Fine Gael single party Government	1
Fine Gael and Labour	2
Fine Gael and <u>Fianna Fáil</u>	4
<u>Fianna Fáil</u> and Sinn Féin	6
<u>Fianna Fáil</u> and other parties or independents	7
Fine Gael, Labour and other parties or independents	8
Sinn Féin and other parties or independents	9
Other specify _____	10
Don't know	11

Q.8 Do you think there is likely to be another election in the next twelve months, or not?

Election likely	1
Election not likely	2
Don't know	3

Q.9 Which of these was most important to you in making up your mind how to vote in this election? **SINGLE CODE**

READ OUT – ORDER ROTATED	
Choosing who will be Taoiseach	1
Choosing the set of Ministers who will form the Government	2
Choosing between the policies as set out by the parties	3
Choosing a candidate to look after the needs of the constituency	4
Don't know (DO NOT READ OUT)	5

Q.10 Did you watch any of the televised leaders' debates or not?

Yes – watched any TV debate	1
No – did not watch any TV debate	2



IF YES

Q.11 Who do you feel came out best overall? **DO NOT PROMPT**

Gerry Adams	1
Joan Burton	2
Lucinda Creighton	3
<u>Enda</u> Kenny	4
<u>Micheál</u> Martin	5
Richard Boyd Barrett	6
Stephen Donnelly	7
No one came out best	8

ASK ALL

Q.12 Do you usually think of yourself as close to any political party?

Yes	1
No	2

IF YES ASK

Q.13 Which party is that? **DO NOT PROMPT. SINGLE CODE ONLY**

<u>Fianna Fáil</u>	1
Fine Gael	2
Labour	3
Green Party	4
Sinn Féin	5
Independent Candidate	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
Independents 4 Change	13
Other (specify)	14
Can't remember/refused	15

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Constituency Code Assignment No.



Classification			
SEX:		SOCIAL CLASS:	
Male	1	AB	1
Female	2	C1	2
		C2	3
		D	4
MARITAL STATUS		E	5
Married	1	F30+	6
Living as married	2	F30-	7
Single	3		
Widowed/Divorced/Separated	4		
		AGE (STATE EXACT AGE & CODE)	
WHETHER RESPONDENT IS WORKING		EXACT AGE	<input type="text"/>
Housewife (full-time)	1		
Full-time student (third level)/at school	2		
Temporarily unemployed (actively seeking work)	3	18-22	1
Permanently unemployed	4	23-24	2
Retired	5	25-29	3
Full-time (30 hours per week or more)	6	30-34	4
Part-time (9-29 hours per week)	7	35-44	5
Self-employed	8	45-49	6
		50-64	7
RESPONDENT IS		65+	8
Chief Income Earner	1		
Not Chief Income Earner	2	DEPENDENT CHILDREN (Regardless of age)	
		Respondent has...	
*OCCUPATION OF CHIEF INCOME EARNER		Any dependent children	1
(see below) (Record full job details)		No dependent children	2
		TIME OF INTERVIEW	
IF MANAGER/SELF-EMPLOYED, STATE NO OF EMPLOYEES. SPECIFY QUALIFICATIONS/TRAINING		7.00am - 11.am	1
		11.00am - 3.00pm	2
		3.00pm - 6.30pm	3
		6.30pm - 10.00pm	4
IF FARMER, STATE ACREAGE	<input type="text"/>		
IF EMPLOYED ASK:		LEVEL FINISHED EDUCATION	
Are you a public servant or do you work in the private sector?		Finished 3rd level	1
Public/Civil Servant	1	Finished secondary school	2
Private sector	2	Did not finish secondary school	3
		Would you mind just giving me your name and address for verification. NOTE TO INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT REFUSES, WRITE IN 'REFUSED' AND COUNT TOWARDS QUOTA	
IF UNEMPLOYED, ASK:		Name (Mr/Mrs/Ms)	
How long have you been unemployed?		Address	
Less than 6 months	1		
7-12 months	2		
Over 1 year but less than 3 years	3		
Longer than 3 years	4		

*Chief Income Earner: Which member of your household would you say is the Chief Income Earner - that is, the person with the largest income whether from employment, pensions, state benefits, investment or any other source? If 'EQUAL INCOME' relate to OLDEST.

Thank You



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