



CRA Atlantic Quarterly® – Autumn 2008
Nova Scotia Political Results

Sample: 1203 Nova Scotians (18 years plus)
Interview Dates: November 6 to November 30, 2008
Margin of Sampling Error: ±2.8 percentage points (95% confidence level)

How satisfied are you with the overall performance of the provincial government led by Premier Rodney MacDonald?					
	November 2007	February 2008	May 2008	August 2008	November 2008
Completely satisfied	3%	5%	3%	3%	4%
Mostly satisfied	47%	50%	43%	46%	55%
Mostly dissatisfied	29%	25%	32%	26%	23%
Completely dissatisfied	12%	9%	13%	11%	9%
Don't know/No answer/Neither	9%	12%	9%	14%	9%

If a provincial election were held today in Nova Scotia, for which party would you vote?					
Party	November 2007	February 2008	May 2008	August 2008	November 2008
NDP	39%	37%	38%	36%	37%
Liberal Party	25%	28%	30%	28%	27%
PC Party	32%	32%	27%	33%	33%
Green Party	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%
Other	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
TOTAL DECIDED VOTE	99%	100%	99%	101%	100%
Undecided/Don't know/No answer/Do not plan to vote	46%	42%	41%	46%	37%

Which one of the following individuals would you most prefer as Premier of Nova Scotia?					
Leader	November 2007	February 2008	May 2008	August 2008	November 2008
Darrell Dexter of the NDP	32%	30%	30%	29%	30%
Next leader/Stephen McNeil of the Liberal Party	14%	20%	23%	17%	21%
Rodney MacDonald of the PC Party	23%	27%	22%	27%	27%
Next leader of the Green Party	2%	3%	5%	4%	6%
None	7%	6%	4%	6%	5%
Don't know/No answer	22%	14%	16%	17%	13%