



Conscience Vote on SS-M

Prepared for Australian Marriage Equality

August 2012



Methodology



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- This study was conducted on the Galaxy Telephone Omnibus on the weekend of 3-5 August 2012.
- The sample was 865 Australians aged 18-69 years, distributed throughout Australia, as follows:

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|---------------------|-----|
| ➤ NSW/ACT | 266 |
| ➤ Victoria/Tasmania | 253 |
| ➤ Queensland | 150 |
| ➤ South Australia | 98 |
| ➤ Western Australia | 98 |
- Age, gender and region quotas were applied to the sample.
- Interviews were conducted using CATI (computer assisted telephone interviewing) using the AMSRS gold standard in telephone number selection. All interviewers were personally trained and briefed on the requirements of the study.
- Following the completion of interviewing, the data was weighted by age, gender and region to reflect the latest ABS population estimates using the 2011 Census.

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Main Findings



Main Findings

- **Should same-sex couples be allowed to marry (QC1)**

“Do you agree or disagree that same-sex couples should be allowed to marry?”

- Almost two in three (64%) of Australians believe that same-sex couples should be allowed to marry (and one in three 32% strongly agree with this).
- This proportion is up from 62% recorded in February 2012 and is the highest proportion since measures commenced in 2009.
- Almost nine in ten (87%) of people who tend to support The Greens agree that same-sex couples should be allowed to marry, with 69% strongly agreeing with the statement.



Main Findings *...continued*

- **Would they be more likely to support the Coalition if the federal Coalition allowed a conscience vote on SS-M (QC2)**

“A conscience vote is where politicians do not have to vote according to the official line of their party. If the federal Coalition allows a conscience vote on same-sex marriage would you be more likely or less likely to vote for the Coalition?”

- Overall 41% would be more likely to vote for the Coalition if the federal Coalition allowed a conscience vote on same-sex marriage and 22% would be less likely to vote for the Coalition. One third (32%) say that their vote would not be affected.
- Among people who tend to support the Coalition the proportion who are more likely to vote for the Coalition if there is a conscience vote on same-sex marriage is 42% (versus 22% less likely).
- Among those who support The Greens 49% are more likely to vote for the Coalition if the federal Coalition had a conscience vote on same-sex marriage with only 8% less likely to vote for the Coalition.
- Among the supporters of parties *other than the Coalition*, there is a potential swing towards the Coalition of up to 1.3 million Australians (2.92 million who are more likely to support the Coalition less 1.56 million who are less likely to support Coalition)



Summary and Conclusions

- Support for same-sex marriage continues to firm.
- If the federal Coalition were to hold a conscience vote on same-sex marriage then overall 41% would be more likely to vote for the Coalition and 22% would be less likely, with a strong swing among supporters of 'The Greens' party (49% more likely to vote Coalition, 8% less likely)

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Questionnaire

SECTION C – ASK IF AGED 18-69 YEARS

- C1. Now some questions about your views on various issues. Do you agree or disagree that same sex couples should be allowed to marry? SR
Strongly agree..... 1
Agree 2
Disagree..... 3
Strongly Disagree..... 4
Don't know 5
- IF AGREE:** Is that strongly agree or just agree?
- IF DISAGREE:** Is that strongly disagree or just disagree?

- C2. A conscience vote is where politicians do not have to vote according to the official line of their party. If the federal Coalition allows a conscience vote on same-sex marriage would you be more likely or less likely to vote for the Coalition? SR
More likely to vote the Coalition1
Less likely to vote the Coalition2
Your vote would not be affected.....3
None/Don't know4

- C3. Thinking about politics generally. Which political party do you tend to support or feel comes closest to representing your opinions? SR
Labor1
Liberal2
The Nationals3
The Greens4
Or, some other party5
None/ Don't know6
Refused7
- READ OUT 1-5 AND ROTATE 1-4**

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Detailed Tabular Findings



Tables

The tables of findings are set out such that they include the following details:

➤ **Base Weight Sample (000s):**

The number of completed interviews has been weighted to reflect the latest ABS population estimates. These estimates are shown in thousands (000's). The percentages in the table are based on these weighted figures.

➤ **Weights:**

This indicates that in order to reflect the latest ABS population estimates the data has been weighted by age, gender and area.

➤ **Filters (where applicable):**

If the table is based on a subset of respondents then this will be titled as a Filter and accompanied by a description of the sample upon which the table is based.

➤ **Respondents:**

These figures show the actual sample size, indicating the total number of respondents who were asked the relevant question.



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Each question has been analysed by a series of demographic variables as follows:

➤ **SEX:**

- Male
- Female

➤ **AGE:**

- 16-24 year
- 24-34 years
- 35-49 years
- 50-69 years

➤ **MARITAL STATUS:**

- Married (Married/de facto, living together)
- Not married (Never married, separated, divorced, widowed)

➤ **MAIN GROCERY BUYER:**

- Main or shared
- No

➤ **CHILDREN LIVING AT HOME:**

- Children aged under eighteen years living in the household
- No Children aged under eighteen years living in the household



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➤ **WORK STATUS :**

- Full time
- Part time
- Not working

➤ **SOCIO-ECONOMIC STATUS :**

- Occupation of the household's main income earner
 - White collar (professional/senior management, upper white collar, lower white collar)
 - Blue collar (upper blue collar, lower blue collar)

➤ **LOCATION :**

- NSW/ACT
- Victoria/Tasmania
- Queensland
- West Australia
- South Australia

➤ **CAPITAL CITY:**

- Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Perth, Adelaide
- Rest of Australia



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- **HOUSEHOLD INCOME:**
 - Under \$40,000
 - \$40,000 -\$89,999
 - \$90,000 or above

- **HIGHEST LEVEL OF SCHOOLING:**
 - Below Year 12
 - Year 12

- **POLITICAL PARTY THEY TEND TO SUPPORT:**
 - Labor
 - Coalition (Liberal/National)
 - The Greens
 - Another party

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National Tables

GALAXY RESEARCH

TABLE 1 Standard Banner 1 *BY* C1. Agree/ disagree that same sex couples should be allowed to marry
 BASE: WGHT SAMPLE (000s)
 WEIGHTS: Age/Sex/Area

| | Total | Sex | | Age | | | | Marital Status | | Grocery Buyer | | Children | | Work Status | | | S.E.S. | |
|--|-------|------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------|--------------|---------------|------|----------|------|-------------|-----------|-------------|--------|------|
| | | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-49 | 50-69 | Marr-ied | Not Marr-ied | Yes | No | Yes | No | Full Time | Part Time | Not Working | White | Blue |
| RESPONDENTS | 865 | 424 | 441 | 91 | 110 | 380 | 284 | 586 | 279 | 573 | 292 | 373 | 492 | 443 | 214 | 208 | 538 | 327 |
| WGHT SAMPLE (000s) | 15010 | 7431 | 7579 | 2053 | 2994 | 5105 | 4858 | 9886 | 5124 | 9715 | 5295 | 6241 | 8769 | 7454 | 3838 | 3718 | 9234 | 5776 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| C1. Agree/ disagree that same sex couples should be allowed to marry | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL AGREE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Strongly agree | 4791 | 1910 | 2882 | 847 | 1154 | 1728 | 1062 | 2861 | 1930 | 3147 | 1644 | 1883 | 2909 | 2450 | 1323 | 1019 | 3242 | 1550 |
| | 32% | 26% | 38% | 41% | 39% | 34% | 22% | 29% | 38% | 32% | 31% | 30% | 33% | 33% | 34% | 27% | 35% | 27% |
| Agree | 4832 | 2408 | 2423 | 738 | 991 | 1607 | 1495 | 3174 | 1658 | 3284 | 1547 | 2344 | 2487 | 2466 | 1325 | 1041 | 2987 | 1845 |
| | 32% | 32% | 32% | 36% | 33% | 31% | 31% | 32% | 32% | 34% | 29% | 38% | 28% | 33% | 35% | 28% | 32% | 32% |
| **SUBTOTALS | 9623 | 4318 | 5305 | 1585 | 2145 | 3335 | 2558 | 6035 | 3588 | 6431 | 3192 | 4227 | 5396 | 4915 | 2647 | 2060 | 6229 | 3394 |
| | 64% | 58% | 70% | 77% | 72% | 65% | 53% | 61% | 70% | 66% | 60% | 68% | 62% | 66% | 69% | 55% | 67% | 59% |
| TOTAL DISAGREE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Disagree | 1914 | 1125 | 789 | 281 | 326 | 598 | 709 | 1237 | 677 | 1191 | 723 | 708 | 1206 | 1072 | 384 | 459 | 1078 | 836 |
| | 13% | 15% | 10% | 14% | 11% | 12% | 15% | 13% | 13% | 12% | 14% | 11% | 14% | 14% | 10% | 12% | 12% | 14% |
| Strongly Disagree | 2661 | 1613 | 1048 | 126 | 432 | 887 | 1216 | 2047 | 614 | 1552 | 1109 | 1043 | 1618 | 1159 | 582 | 920 | 1539 | 1122 |
| | 18% | 22% | 14% | 6% | 14% | 17% | 25% | 21% | 12% | 16% | 21% | 17% | 18% | 16% | 15% | 25% | 17% | 19% |
| **SUBTOTALS | 4575 | 2738 | 1837 | 406 | 758 | 1486 | 1925 | 3284 | 1291 | 2743 | 1832 | 1751 | 2824 | 2230 | 966 | 1379 | 2617 | 1958 |
| | 30% | 37% | 24% | 20% | 25% | 29% | 40% | 33% | 25% | 28% | 35% | 28% | 32% | 30% | 25% | 37% | 28% | 34% |
| Don't know | 812 | 375 | 437 | 62 | 91 | 284 | 375 | 567 | 245 | 540 | 272 | 263 | 548 | 308 | 225 | 279 | 388 | 424 |
| | 5% | 5% | 6% | 3% | 3% | 6% | 8% | 6% | 5% | 6% | 5% | 4% | 6% | 4% | 6% | 8% | 4% | 7% |
| TOTALS | 15010 | 7431 | 7579 | 2053 | 2994 | 5105 | 4858 | 9886 | 5124 | 9715 | 5295 | 6241 | 8769 | 7454 | 3838 | 3718 | 9234 | 5776 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |

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TABLE 2 Standard Banner 2 *BY* C1. Agree/ disagree that same sex couples should be allowed to marry

BASE: WGHT SAMPLE (000s)

WEIGHTS: Age/Sex/Area

| | Total | State | | | | | Capital City | | Household Income | | | Schooling | | Party Support | | | |
|--|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| | | NSW | Vic/Tas | Qld | SA | WA | Yes | No | < \$40K | \$40K-\$89K | \$90K+ | Below Year 12 | Year 12 | Labor | Coal -ition | Greens | Other |
| RESPONDENTS | 865 | 266 | 253 | 150 | 98 | 98 | 566 | 299 | 185 | 294 | 308 | 219 | 646 | 242 | 335 | 100 | 65 |
| WGHT SAMPLE (000s) | 15010 | 5231 | 4142 | 2980 | 1149 | 1508 | 9338 | 5672 | 3238 | 5328 | 5103 | 3625 | 11385 | 4303 | 5690 | 1714 | 1000 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| C1. Agree/ disagree that same sex couples should be allowed to marry | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL AGREE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Strongly agree | 4791 32% | 1464 28% | 1608 39% | 819 27% | 351 31% | 550 36% | 3198 34% | 1593 28% | 851 26% | 1679 32% | 1827 36% | 771 21% | 4020 35% | 1421 33% | 1180 21% | 1190 69% | 280 28% |
| Agree | 4832 32% | 1765 34% | 1188 29% | 1045 35% | 374 33% | 460 30% | 3022 32% | 1809 32% | 1046 32% | 1720 32% | 1623 32% | 1403 39% | 3429 30% | 1711 40% | 1766 31% | 296 17% | 339 34% |
| **SUBTOTALS | 9623 64% | 3229 62% | 2796 68% | 1864 63% | 725 63% | 1010 67% | 6221 67% | 3402 60% | 1897 59% | 3399 64% | 3450 68% | 2174 60% | 7449 65% | 3132 73% | 2946 52% | 1486 87% | 620 62% |
| TOTAL DISAGREE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Disagree | 1914 13% | 780 15% | 451 11% | 399 13% | 137 12% | 147 10% | 1142 12% | 772 14% | 389 12% | 621 12% | 755 15% | 385 11% | 1529 13% | 401 9% | 1155 20% | 58 3% | 100 10% |
| Strongly Disagree | 2661 18% | 903 17% | 778 19% | 433 15% | 248 22% | 299 20% | 1531 16% | 1130 20% | 689 21% | 1102 21% | 691 14% | 805 22% | 1856 16% | 575 13% | 1338 24% | 134 8% | 234 23% |
| **SUBTOTALS | 4575 30% | 1683 32% | 1229 30% | 832 28% | 385 34% | 446 30% | 2673 29% | 1902 34% | 1078 33% | 1722 32% | 1446 28% | 1190 33% | 3385 30% | 976 23% | 2493 44% | 192 11% | 334 33% |
| Don't know | 812 5% | 320 6% | 117 3% | 284 10% | 39 3% | 52 3% | 444 5% | 368 6% | 263 8% | 207 4% | 207 4% | 261 7% | 550 5% | 195 5% | 251 4% | 36 2% | 46 5% |
| TOTALS | 15010 100% | 5231 100% | 4142 100% | 2980 100% | 1149 100% | 1508 100% | 9338 100% | 5672 100% | 3238 100% | 5328 100% | 5103 100% | 3625 100% | 11385 100% | 4303 100% | 5690 100% | 1714 100% | 1000 100% |

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TABLE 3 Standard Banner 1 *BY* C2. More/ less likely to vote for the Coalition if they have a conscience vote on same sex marriage

BASE: WGHT SAMPLE (000s)

WEIGHTS: Age/Sex/Area

| | Sex | | Age | | | | Marital Status | | Grocery Buyer | | Children | | Work Status | | | S.E.S. | | |
|---|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-49 | 50-69 | Marr-ied | Not Marr-ied | Yes | No | Yes | No | Full Time | Part Time | Not Working | White | Blue |
| RESPONDENTS | 865 | 424 | 441 | 91 | 110 | 380 | 284 | 586 | 279 | 573 | 292 | 373 | 492 | 443 | 214 | 208 | 538 | 327 |
| WGHT SAMPLE (000s) | 15010 | 7431 | 7579 | 2053 | 2994 | 5105 | 4858 | 9886 | 5124 | 9715 | 5295 | 6241 | 8769 | 7454 | 3838 | 3718 | 9234 | 5776 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| C2. More/ less likely to vote for the Coalition if they have a conscience vote on same sex marriage | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| More likely to vote the Coalition | 6137 41% | 2773 37% | 3364 44% | 1112 54% | 1215 41% | 2081 41% | 1728 36% | 3916 40% | 2220 43% | 3948 41% | 2189 41% | 2445 39% | 3692 42% | 3162 42% | 1547 40% | 1427 38% | 4145 45% | 1991 34% |
| Less likely to vote the Coalition | 3244 22% | 1878 25% | 1366 18% | 492 24% | 568 19% | 1003 20% | 1181 24% | 2026 20% | 1218 24% | 1942 20% | 1302 25% | 1312 21% | 1932 22% | 1515 20% | 809 21% | 921 25% | 1662 18% | 1582 27% |
| Your vote would not be affected | 4820 32% | 2487 33% | 2333 31% | 386 19% | 892 30% | 1813 36% | 1729 36% | 3352 34% | 1468 29% | 3320 34% | 1500 28% | 2028 32% | 2792 32% | 2427 33% | 1247 32% | 1147 31% | 2944 32% | 1877 32% |
| None/Don't know | 809 5% | 293 4% | 516 7% | 63 3% | 319 11% | 208 4% | 219 5% | 592 6% | 217 4% | 505 5% | 304 6% | 456 7% | 353 4% | 350 5% | 236 6% | 223 6% | 483 5% | 326 6% |
| TOTALS | 15010 100% | 7431 100% | 7579 100% | 2053 100% | 2994 100% | 5105 100% | 4858 100% | 9886 100% | 5124 100% | 9715 100% | 5295 100% | 6241 100% | 8769 100% | 7454 100% | 3838 100% | 3718 100% | 9234 100% | 5776 100% |

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TABLE 4 Standard Banner 2 *BY* C2. More/ less likely to vote for the Coalition if they have a conscience vote on same sex marriage

BASE: WGHT SAMPLE (000s)

WEIGHTS: Age/Sex/Area

| | Total | State | | | | | Capital City | | Household Income | | | Schooling | | Party Support | | | |
|---|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | | NSW | Vic/Tas | Qld | SA | WA | Yes | No | < \$40K | \$40K-\$89K | \$90K+ | Below Year 12 | Year 12 | Labor | Coalition | Greens | Other |
| RESPONDENTS | 865 | 266 | 253 | 150 | 98 | 98 | 566 | 299 | 185 | 294 | 308 | 219 | 646 | 242 | 335 | 100 | 65 |
| WGHT SAMPLE (000s) | 15010 | 5231 | 4142 | 2980 | 1149 | 1508 | 9338 | 5672 | 3238 | 5328 | 5103 | 3625 | 11385 | 4303 | 5690 | 1714 | 1000 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| C2. More/ less likely to vote for the Coalition if they have a conscience vote on same sex marriage | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| More likely to vote the Coalition | 6137 41% | 2135 41% | 1688 41% | 1296 43% | 423 37% | 594 39% | 3674 39% | 2463 43% | 1143 35% | 2242 42% | 2200 43% | 1237 34% | 4900 43% | 1637 38% | 2390 42% | 847 49% | 434 43% |
| Less likely to vote the Coalition | 3244 22% | 1126 22% | 945 23% | 551 18% | 233 20% | 389 26% | 2055 22% | 1189 21% | 951 29% | 1193 22% | 939 18% | 990 27% | 2254 20% | 1226 28% | 1241 22% | 139 8% | 194 19% |
| Your vote would not be affected | 4820 32% | 1631 31% | 1396 34% | 907 30% | 422 37% | 465 31% | 3155 34% | 1665 29% | 966 30% | 1610 30% | 1746 34% | 1124 31% | 3696 32% | 1282 30% | 1870 33% | 685 40% | 339 34% |
| None/Don't know | 809 5% | 339 6% | 113 3% | 226 8% | 70 6% | 60 4% | 454 5% | 355 6% | 177 5% | 283 5% | 219 4% | 275 8% | 534 5% | 159 4% | 189 3% | 43 3% | 33 3% |
| TOTALS | 15010 100% | 5231 100% | 4142 100% | 2980 100% | 1149 100% | 1508 100% | 9338 100% | 5672 100% | 3238 100% | 5328 100% | 5103 100% | 3625 100% | 11385 100% | 4303 100% | 5690 100% | 1714 100% | 1000 100% |

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TABLE 5 Standard Banner 1 *BY* C3. Political party support

BASE: WGHT SAMPLE (000s)

WEIGHTS: Age/Sex/Area

| | Total | Sex | | Age | | | | Marital Status | | Grocery Buyer | | Children | | Work Status | | | S.E.S. | |
|-----------------------------|-------|------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------|--------------|---------------|------|----------|------|-------------|-----------|-------------|--------|------|
| | | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-49 | 50-69 | Marr-ied | Not Marr-ied | Yes | No | Yes | No | Full Time | Part Time | Not Working | White | Blue |
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| WGHT SAMPLE (000s) | 15010 | 7431 | 7579 | 2053 | 2994 | 5105 | 4858 | 9886 | 5124 | 9715 | 5295 | 6241 | 8769 | 7454 | 3838 | 3718 | 9234 | 5776 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| C3. Political party support | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Labor | 4303 | 2283 | 2021 | 583 | 940 | 1328 | 1451 | 2376 | 1928 | 2732 | 1571 | 1838 | 2466 | 2054 | 1130 | 1119 | 2732 | 1571 |
| | 29% | 31% | 27% | 28% | 31% | 26% | 30% | 24% | 38% | 28% | 30% | 29% | 28% | 28% | 29% | 30% | 30% | 27% |
| COALITION | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Liberal | 4981 | 2385 | 2596 | 569 | 882 | 1673 | 1856 | 3813 | 1168 | 3155 | 1826 | 2248 | 2733 | 2780 | 1110 | 1091 | 3320 | 1661 |
| | 33% | 32% | 34% | 28% | 29% | 33% | 38% | 39% | 23% | 32% | 34% | 36% | 31% | 37% | 29% | 29% | 36% | 29% |
| The Nationals | 709 | 449 | 261 | 54 | 20 | 266 | 369 | 534 | 176 | 454 | 256 | 228 | 481 | 288 | 236 | 185 | 367 | 343 |
| | 5% | 6% | 3% | 3% | 1% | 5% | 8% | 5% | 3% | 5% | 5% | 4% | 5% | 4% | 6% | 5% | 4% | 6% |
| **SUBTOTALS | 5690 | 2834 | 2856 | 623 | 903 | 1939 | 2225 | 4347 | 1343 | 3609 | 2081 | 2476 | 3214 | 3067 | 1347 | 1276 | 3687 | 2004 |
| | 38% | 38% | 38% | 30% | 30% | 38% | 46% | 44% | 26% | 37% | 39% | 40% | 37% | 41% | 35% | 34% | 40% | 35% |
| The Greens | 1714 | 666 | 1048 | 479 | 348 | 583 | 304 | 938 | 776 | 1057 | 658 | 617 | 1097 | 742 | 514 | 459 | 1138 | 576 |
| | 11% | 9% | 14% | 23% | 12% | 11% | 6% | 9% | 15% | 11% | 12% | 10% | 13% | 10% | 13% | 12% | 12% | 10% |
| Some other party | 1000 | 602 | 398 | 121 | 79 | 495 | 305 | 677 | 323 | 633 | 367 | 359 | 641 | 604 | 218 | 177 | 549 | 451 |
| | 7% | 8% | 5% | 6% | 3% | 10% | 6% | 7% | 6% | 7% | 7% | 6% | 7% | 8% | 6% | 5% | 6% | 8% |
| None/ don't know | 2043 | 896 | 1147 | 205 | 666 | 664 | 508 | 1407 | 636 | 1461 | 582 | 868 | 1175 | 852 | 522 | 669 | 908 | 1135 |
| | 14% | 12% | 15% | 10% | 22% | 13% | 10% | 14% | 12% | 15% | 11% | 14% | 13% | 11% | 14% | 18% | 10% | 20% |
| Refused | 259 | 150 | 110 | 42 | 58 | 95 | 64 | 142 | 117 | 223 | 36 | 84 | 176 | 134 | 107 | 18 | 220 | 40 |
| | 2% | 2% | 1% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 1% | 1% | 2% | 2% | 1% | 1% | 2% | 2% | 3% | 0% | 2% | 1% |
| TOTALS | 15010 | 7431 | 7579 | 2053 | 2994 | 5105 | 4858 | 9886 | 5124 | 9715 | 5295 | 6241 | 8769 | 7454 | 3838 | 3718 | 9234 | 5776 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |

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TABLE 6 Standard Banner 2 *BY* C3. Political party support

BASE: WGHT SAMPLE (000s)

WEIGHTS: Age/Sex/Area

| | Total | State | | | | | Capital City | | Household Income | | | Schooling | | Party Support | | | |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------------|------|------|------|------|--------------|------|------------------|-------------|--------|---------------|---------|---------------|-----------|--------|-------|
| | | NSW Vic/Tas | Qld | SA | WA | | Yes | No | < \$40K | \$40K-\$89K | \$90K+ | Below Year 12 | Year 12 | Labor | Coalition | Greens | Other |
| RESPONDENTS | 865 | 266 | 253 | 150 | 98 | 98 | 566 | 299 | 185 | 294 | 308 | 219 | 646 | 242 | 335 | 100 | 65 |
| WGHT SAMPLE (000s) | 15010 | 5231 | 4142 | 2980 | 1149 | 1508 | 9338 | 5672 | 3238 | 5328 | 5103 | 3625 | 11385 | 4303 | 5690 | 1714 | 1000 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| C3. Political party support | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Labor | 4303 | 1683 | 1123 | 765 | 278 | 454 | 2761 | 1542 | 972 | 1637 | 1510 | 808 | 3495 | 4303 | | | |
| | 29% | 32% | 27% | 26% | 24% | 30% | 30% | 27% | 30% | 31% | 30% | 22% | 31% | 100% | | | |
| COALITION | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Liberal | 4981 | 1773 | 1297 | 998 | 392 | 521 | 3350 | 1631 | 744 | 1634 | 2181 | 1206 | 3775 | | 4981 | | |
| | 33% | 34% | 31% | 33% | 34% | 35% | 36% | 29% | 23% | 31% | 43% | 33% | 33% | | 88% | | |
| The Nationals | 709 | 254 | 117 | 254 | | 85 | 162 | 547 | 324 | 168 | 156 | 346 | 363 | | 709 | | |
| | 5% | 5% | 3% | 9% | | 6% | 2% | 10% | 10% | 3% | 3% | 10% | 3% | | 12% | | |
| **SUBTOTALS | 5690 | 2027 | 1414 | 1251 | 392 | 605 | 3512 | 2178 | 1069 | 1802 | 2337 | 1553 | 4138 | | 5690 | | |
| | 38% | 39% | 34% | 42% | 34% | 40% | 38% | 38% | 33% | 34% | 46% | 43% | 36% | | 100% | | |
| The Greens | 1714 | 573 | 685 | 163 | 127 | 166 | 1132 | 582 | 433 | 719 | 509 | 203 | 1511 | | | 1714 | |
| | 11% | 11% | 17% | 5% | 11% | 11% | 12% | 10% | 13% | 14% | 10% | 6% | 13% | | 100% | | |
| Some other party | 1000 | 377 | 331 | 105 | 155 | 31 | 617 | 383 | 187 | 474 | 248 | 278 | 722 | | | | 1000 |
| | 7% | 7% | 8% | 4% | 14% | 2% | 7% | 7% | 6% | 9% | 5% | 8% | 6% | | | | 100% |
| None/ don't know | 2043 | 538 | 480 | 576 | 197 | 251 | 1106 | 936 | 517 | 633 | 432 | 678 | 1365 | | | | |
| | 14% | 10% | 12% | 19% | 17% | 17% | 12% | 17% | 16% | 12% | 8% | 19% | 12% | | | | |
| Refused | 259 | 32 | 109 | 119 | | | 210 | 50 | 60 | 63 | 67 | 106 | 153 | | | | |
| | 2% | 1% | 3% | 4% | | | 2% | 1% | 2% | 1% | 1% | 3% | 1% | | | | |
| TOTALS | 15010 | 5231 | 4142 | 2980 | 1149 | 1508 | 9338 | 5672 | 3238 | 5328 | 5103 | 3625 | 11385 | 4303 | 5690 | 1714 | 1000 |
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