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Progressive Conservative Majority

Toronto, May 15th, 2019 – In a random sampling of public opinion taken by The Forum Poll™ among 898 Newfoundland and Labrador voters, amongst those decided and leaning, 47% say they will vote for the PCs, 38% says they will vote for the Liberals, 7% says they will vote for the NDP, and 8% says they will support other.

The PCs will win 24 seats

The Liberals will win 14 seats

The NDP will win 2 seats.

“The Progressive Conservatives have a strong lead over the Liberals as we wrap up the Newfoundland and Labrador campaign,” said Forum Research President, Dr. Lorne Bozinoff. “We project that another province will be turned over to the PCs.”

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Methodology

The Forum Poll™ was conducted by Forum Research with the results based on an interactive voice response telephone survey of 898 randomly selected Newfoundland and Labrador voters. This poll was not sponsored by a third party and was conducted on May 15th, 2019.

Results based on the total sample are considered accurate +/- 4%, 19 times out of 20, measured as the average deviation across all response categories. Subsample results will be less accurate. Margins of error for subsample (such as age, gender) results are available at www.forumresearch.com/samplestim.asp

Where appropriate, the data has been statistically weighted by age, region, and other variables to ensure that the sample reflects the actual population according to the latest Census data.

This research is not necessarily predictive of future outcomes, but rather, captures opinion at one point in time. Actual results depend on a Candidate's ability to get their voters out. Forum Research conducted this poll as a public service and to demonstrate our survey research capabilities. Forum houses its poll results in the Data Library of the Department of Political Science at U of T.

With offices across Canada and around the world, 100% Canadian-owned Forum Research is one of the country's leading survey research firms. This Forum Poll™ and others, can be found at forumpoll.com.

Top2/Btm2 (or 3 or 4 where applicable) refers to the combined results of the most answered positive and negative responses:

%	Total	18-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Male	Female
Sample	631	112	91	133	119	176	303	315
NET: TOP3	66	57	60	68	78	86	67	64
NET: BTM3	34	43	39	32	21	14	32	36
Very satisfied	9	9	6	6	13	20	11	8
Satisfied	28	17	29	35	32	45	25	31
Somewhat satisfied	28	31	26	28	32	20	31	25
Somewhat dissatisfied	12	11	16	14	11	8	13	12
Dissatisfied	11	15	15	9	5	3	9	13
Very dissatisfied	11	18	9	8	5	3	9	12
Don't know	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0

Top 3 here collects very satisfied, satisfied, and somewhat satisfied into one category, and Btm 3 collects very dissatisfied, dissatisfied, and somewhat dissatisfied.

Due to rounding some numbers may not add up to 100

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Voter Intent

If a provincial election were held today, which party are you most likely to vote for? + Even though you may not have made up your mind, which party are you leaning towards at this time?

[Base=decided and leaning]

Age/Gender

%	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over	Male	Female	Other
Sample	825	51	69	105	157	205	238	431	374	20
Liberal	38	34	44	37	33	38	42	35	42	28
Progressive Conservative	47	44	39	43	51	49	48	53	42	44
New Democratic Party	7	13	7	12	8	3	4	6	7	5
Other Parties	8	8	11	7	8	10	6	7	8	23

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