

NZES Pre-election Internet Survey September 12-16, 2005

Intended Party Vote

|                           | %   |
|---------------------------|-----|
| Would Not Vote            | 1   |
| Labour                    | 34  |
| National                  | 39  |
| Green                     | 9   |
| NZ First                  | 5   |
| Act                       | 3   |
| United Future             | 5   |
| Progressive Coalition     | 1   |
| Maori                     | 1   |
| Destiny                   | 2   |
| Number of Respondents (N) | 743 |

Between National and Labour, which party do you expect to get the most votes at the 2005 election?

|            | %   |
|------------|-----|
| National   | 41  |
| Labour     | 40  |
| Don't know | 19  |
| Total      | 100 |
| N          | 737 |

Generally, do you think of yourself as someone who is quite cautious, or someone willing to take calculated risks, or someone willing to take a gamble?

|                 | %   |
|-----------------|-----|
| Cautious        | 37  |
| Calculated Risk | 55  |
| Gambler         | 7   |
| Don't know      | 1   |
| N               | 676 |

Intended Party Vote by Risk Taking

|                 | Cautious | Calculated Risk | Gambler |
|-----------------|----------|-----------------|---------|
| Labour          | 38       | 33              | 26      |
| National        | 39       | 37              | 40      |
| Any small party | 22       | 29              | 30      |
| N               | 248      | 366             | 47      |

If there was a referendum to be held on the electoral system at the same time as the 2005 election, how would you vote?

|            | <u>%</u> |
|------------|----------|
| Keep MMP   | 43       |
| FPP        | 32       |
| Other      | 11       |
| Don't know | 14       |
| N          | 748      |

After the election, what sort of government would you prefer - prefer- a government made up of a single party or a coalition government made up of more than one party?

|              | <u>%</u> |
|--------------|----------|
| Single Party | 38       |
| Coalition    | 57       |
| Don't know   | 5        |
| N            | 748      |

Age Groups

|             | <u>%</u> |
|-------------|----------|
| 18 to 29    | 23       |
| 30 to 39    | 17       |
| 40 to 49    | 20       |
| 50 to 59    | 19       |
| 60 to 69    | 14       |
| 70 and over | 7        |
| N           | 722      |

Gender of Respondents

|        | <u>%</u> |
|--------|----------|
| Male   | 48       |
| Female | 52       |
| N      | 732      |