

Summer 2020 Federal Report Nova Scotia



Introduction

MQO Research spoke with 400 residents of Nova Scotia to gauge the political temperature in the province for the Summer edition of our quarterly political poll: Atlantic Matters.

Federal Politics

According to the latest polling numbers, the federal Liberals have a strong lead in NS. Among decided and leaning voters:

- Support for the Liberal Party increased 16 percentage points to 49%.
- Conservative support dropped 10 percentage points to 29%.
- NDP support remained unchanged at 16%.
- Support for the Green Party dropped 4 percentage points to 6%.

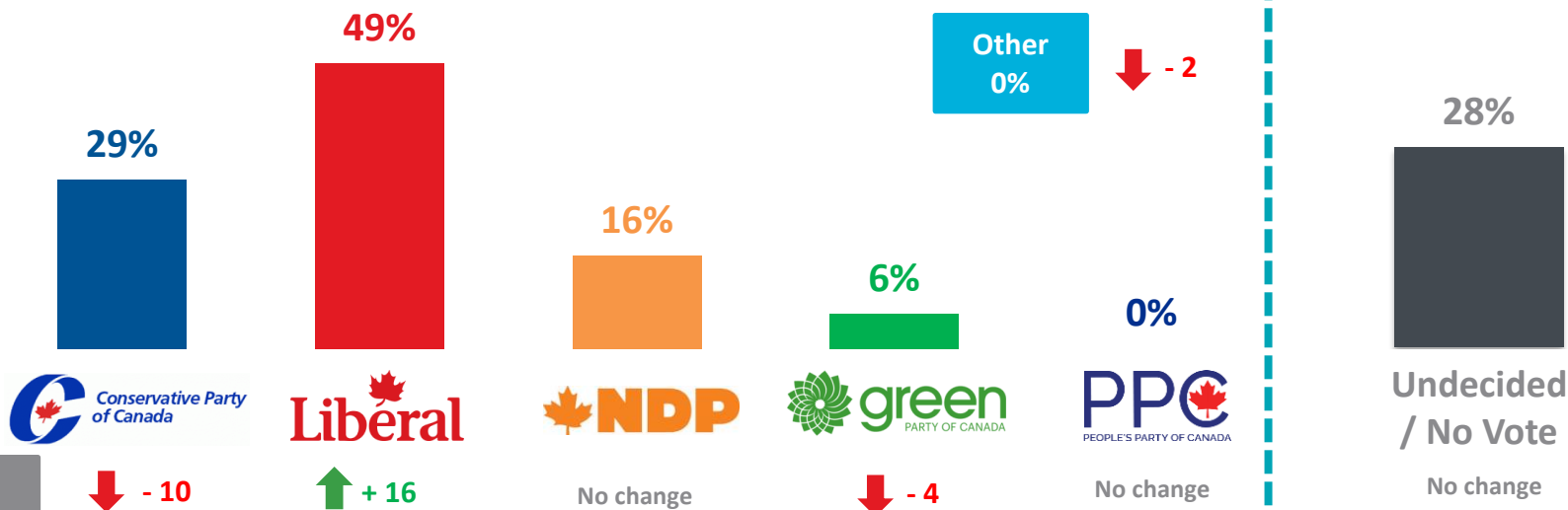
The Atlantic Matters poll was conducted by telephone from August 25th to August 31st, 2020 and included 400 randomly selected eligible voters from across the province. The margin of error for the total sample is ± 4.9 percentage points, 19 times out of 20.

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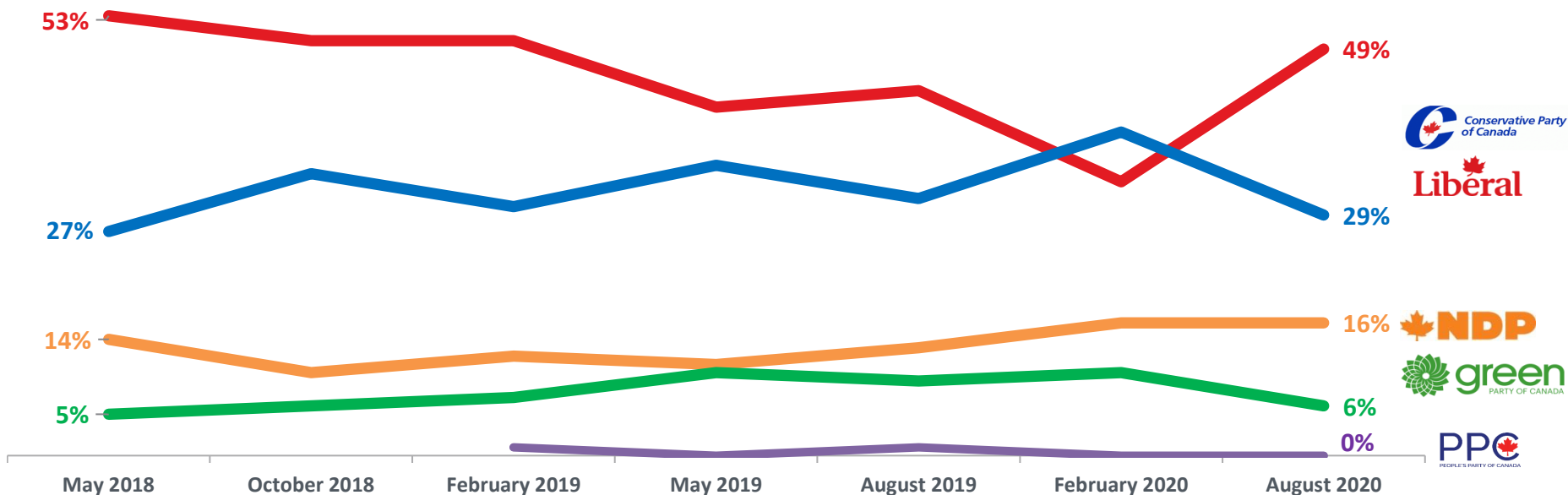
Decided and Leaning Voters



% point change vs. February 2020

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August 2020 (n=293): Margin of error is ± 5.7 percentage points at 95% CI

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Decided and Leaning Voters

	May 2018	October 2018	February 2019	May 2019	August 2019	February 2020	August 2020
Liberal	53%	50%	50%	42%	44%	33%	49%
Conservative	27%	34%	30%	35%	31%	39%	29%
NDP	14%	10%	12%	11%	13%	16%	16%
Green	5%	6%	7%	10%	9%	10%	6%
PPC	-	-	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%