

Summer 2020 Provincial 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.

Provincial Politics

According to the latest polling numbers, the Liberals have gained a double-digit lead in NS. Among decided and leaning voters:

- Current Liberal support increased by 7 percentage points to 41%.
- PC Party support held relatively steady at 30%.
- NDP support edged down 3 percentage points to 19%.
- Support for the Green Party held steady at 9%.

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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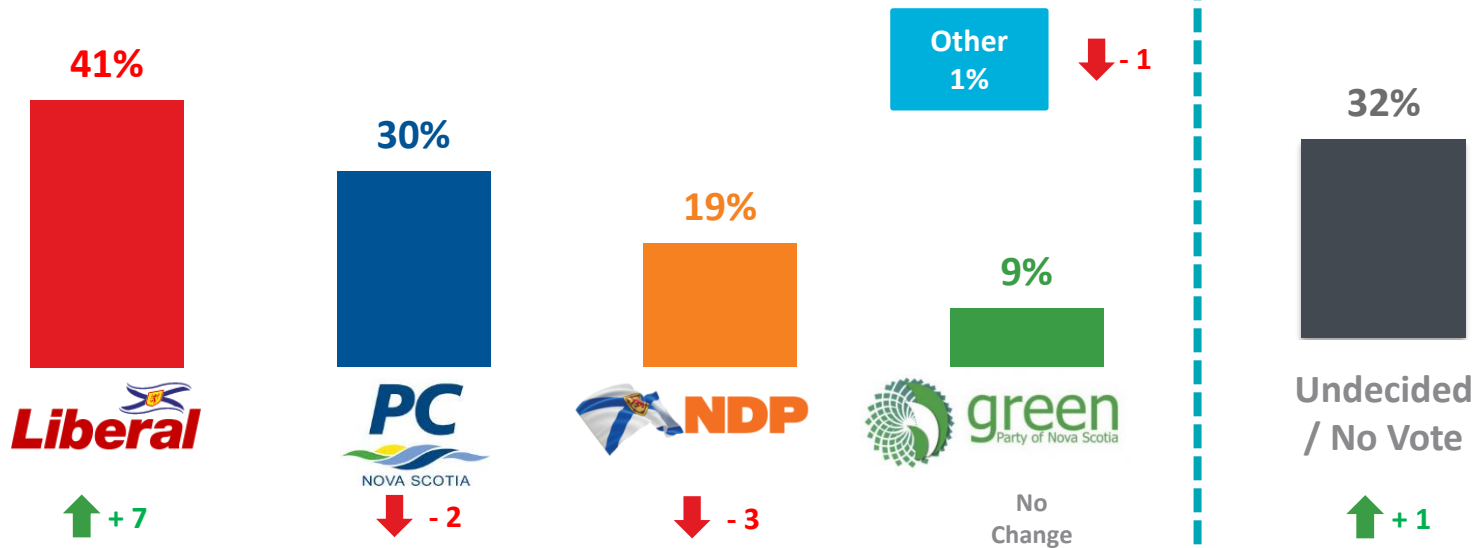
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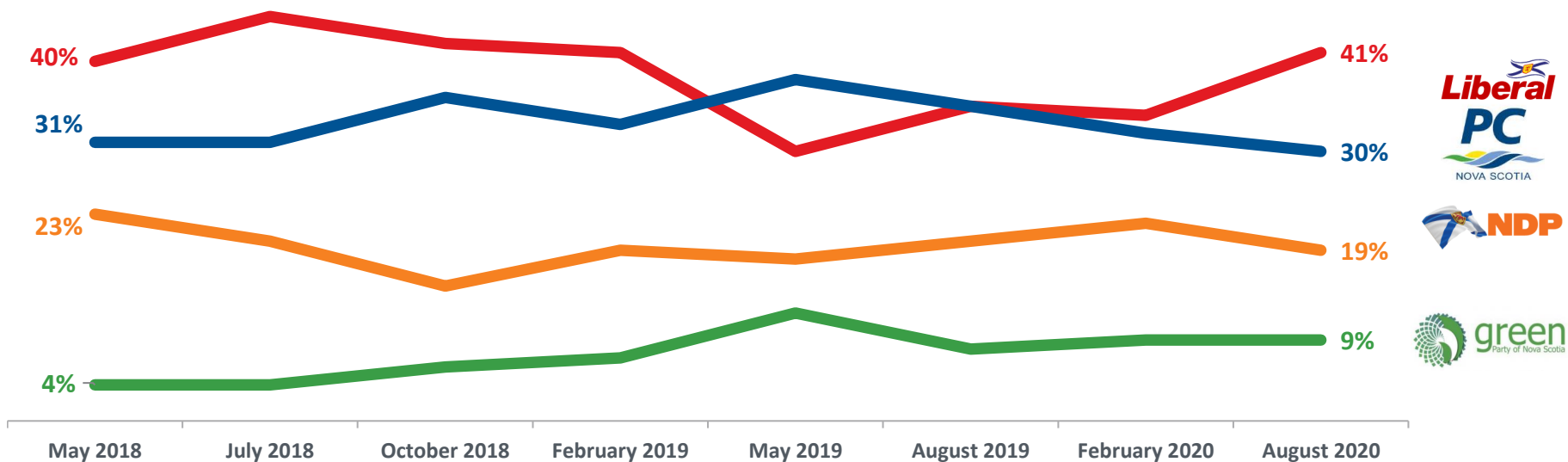
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% point change
vs. February
2020

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	May 2018	July 2018	October 2018	February 2019	May 2019	August 2019	February 2020	August 2020
Liberal	40%	45%	42%	41%	30%	35%	34%	41%
PC	31%	31%	36%	33%	38%	35%	32%	30%
NDP	23%	20%	15%	19%	18%	20%	22%	19%
Green	4%	4%	6%	7%	12%	8%	9%	9%