

PRIMARY VOTE+

%	2016		2018				
	Election July 2	Feb 15-18	Mar 1-4	Mar 22-25	Apr 5-8	Apr 19-22	May 10-13
Coalition	42.1	36	37	37	38	38	39
Labor	34.7	37	38	39	37	37	38
Greens	10.2	10	9	9	10	9	9
One Nation	1.3	8	7	7	7	7	6
Others	11.7	9	9	8	8	9	8

5 per cent 'uncommitted' excluded

Question: If a federal election for the House of Representatives were held today, which one of the following would you vote for? If 'uncommitted', to which one of these do you have a leaning?

TWO-PARTY PREFERRED

%	2016		2018				
	Election July 2	Feb 15-18	Mar 1-4	Mar 22-25	Apr 5-8	Apr 19-22	May 10-13
Coalition	50.4	47	47	47	48	49	49
Labor	49.6	53	53	53	52	51	51

Based on preference flows at recent federal and state elections

TURNBULL'S PERFORMANCE

%	2018						
	Feb 15-18	Mar 1-4	Mar 22-25	Apr 5-8	Apr 19-22	May 10-13	
Satisfied	34	32	32	32	36	39	
Dissatisfied	54	57	56	57	53	50	
Uncommitted	12	11	12	11	11	11	

Question: Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Malcolm Turnbull is doing his job as Prime Minister?

SHORTEN'S PERFORMANCE

%	2018						
	Feb 15-18	Mar 1-4	Mar 22-25	Apr 5-8	Apr 19-22	May 10-13	
Satisfied	34	33	34	32	34	33	
Dissatisfied	54	56	54	57	54	55	
Uncommitted	12	11	12	11	12	12	

Question: Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way Bill Shorten is doing his job as Opposition Leader?

BETTER PRIME MINISTER

%	2018						
	Feb 15-18	Mar 1-4	Mar 22-25	Apr 5-8	Apr 19-22	May 10-13	
Turnbull	40	37	39	38	38	46	
Shorten	33	35	36	36	35	32	
Uncommitted	27	28	25	26	27	22	

Question: Who do you think would make the better PM?

These surveys were conducted in all states of Australia and in both city and country areas. The data has been weighted to reflect the population distribution. The latest survey is based on 1728 interviews among voters. The maximum sampling error is plus or minus 2.4 percentage points. Copyright at all times remains with Newspoll.

MORE CAPABLE OF HANDLING ECONOMY

	10-13 May 2018						Political Support		
	18-21 Feb 2016	17-20 Mar 2016	19-22 May 2016	17-20 Nov 2016	14-17 Dec 2017	2018	Total	Coalition	Labor
	Malcolm Turnbull	58	54	55	48	51	48	87	21
Bill Shorten	22	20	29	32	31	31	7	59	
Uncommitted	20	26	16	20	18	21	6	20	

Question: Which of Malcolm Turnbull or Bill Shorten do you think is more capable of handling Australia's economy?

FEDERAL BUDGET

	May																			
	1999	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	2018
Extremely good	6	2	4	3	4	4	6	6	9	3	3	5	3	3	3	9	5	7	7	8
Quite good	40	33	35	33	39	46	44	45	51	46	42	39	34	34	32	30	41	27	29	33
Total good	46	35	39	36	43	50	50	51	60	49	45	44	37	37	35	39	46	34	36	41
Quite bad	15	22	21	22	17	17	19	17	10	18	23	21	23	26	24	25	21	19	19	18
Extremely bad	5	9	6	12	4	5	7	3	2	5	10	10	9	11	13	23	7	10	8	8
Total bad	20	31	27	34	21	22	26	20	12	23	33	31	32	37	37	48	28	29	27	26
Uncommitted	34	34	34	30	36	28	24	29	28	28	22	25	31	26	28	13	26	37	37	33

Thinking of the federal budget handed down by the treasurer, Scott Morrison, recently. Overall do you believe the budget will be good or bad for the Australian economy?

	May 2018								
	Total	Political Support			Sex		Age		
		Coalition	Labor	Uncommitted	Male	Female	18-34	35-49	50+
Extremely good	8	14	2	10	5	7	8	8	
Quite good	33	57	19	35	32	38	32	30	
Total good	41	71	21	45	37	45	40	38	
Quite bad	18	5	29	16	20	18	19	19	
Extremely bad	8	1	12	8	7	5	6	9	
Total bad	26	6	41	24	27	23	25	28	
Uncommitted	33	23	38	31	36	32	35	34	

BETTER/WORSE OFF FINANCIALLY

	May																			
	1999	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	2018
Lot better off	2	2	2	1	0	3	5	4	4	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	3	3	5	4
Little better off	13	15	15	6	15	26	29	31	32	27	20	17	10	16	10	4	17	15	14	25
Total better off	15	17	17	7	15	29	34	35	36	29	22	19	11	18	11	5	20	18	19	29
Little worse off	20	25	17	31	22	14	14	15	9	21	24	20	26	24	30	43	23	26	33	18
Lot worse off	9	18	12	13	10	8	7	9	5	11	9	10	15	17	14	26	7	13	12	9
Total worse off	29	43	29	44	32	22	21	24	14	32	33	30	41	41	44	69	30	39	45	27
Uncommitted	56	40	54	49	53	49	45	41	50	39	45	51	48	41	45	26	50	43	36	44

How do you think the budget will affect your own financial position in the next twelve months? Do you believe you personally will be better or worse off?

	May 2018								
	Total	Political Support			Sex		Age		
		Coalition	Labor	Uncommitted	Male	Female	18-34	35-49	50+
Lot better off	4	5	3	6	2	6	5	2	
Little better off	25	33	21	28	22	30	27	20	
Total better off	29	38	24	34	24	36	32	22	
Little worse off	18	10	26	17	20	18	20	19	
Lot worse off	9	3	12	8	10	7	8	10	
Total worse off	27	13	38	25	30	25	28	29	
Uncommitted	44	49	38	41	46	39	40	49	

OPPOSITION DELIVER A BETTER BUDGET

	May																			
	1999	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	2018
Yes	26	28	28	29	27	29	31	26	31	29	33	36	38	37	41	39	36	34	33	37
No	50	49	51	46	51	46	49	51	44	52	51	46	41	42	41	46	51	46	47	44
Uncommitted	24	23	21	25	22	25	20	23	25	19	16	18	21	21	18	15	13	20	20	19

Do you believe the Labor Party would have delivered a better budget for Australia's current economic conditions?

	May 2018								
	Total	Political Support			Sex		Age		
		Coalition	Labor	Uncommitted	Male	Female	18-34	35-49	50+
Yes	37	10	69	37	36	43	38	31	
No	44	78	13	48	40	38	42	50	
Uncommitted	19	12	18	15	24	19	20	19	

BEST ECONOMIC MANAGER

	May 2018								
	Political Support			Sex		Age			
	Total	Coalition	Labor	Male	Female	18-34	35-49	50+	
Scott Morrison	38	70	12	42	34	33	38	41	
Chris Bowen	31	11	56	34	28	31	27	34	
Uncommitted	31	19	32	24	38	36	35	25	

Question: As far as you can tell, which of the two, Scott Morrison or Chris Bowen, would be the best economic manager?

SEVEN-YEAR TAX-CUT PACKAGE

	May 2018								
	Political Support			Sex		Age			
	Total	Coalition	Labor	Male	Female	18-34	35-49	50+	
Support	51	77	31	54	49	52	56	48	
Oppose	28	8	50	27	28	24	24	32	
Uncommitted	21	15	19	19	23	24	20	20	

Question: Scott Morrison announced a tax-cut package that will be implemented in stages over the next seven years. In your opinion, should Labor support or oppose the government's seven-year tax-cut package?