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	(9)	60 6%	23 5%	37 7%	8 7%	11 7%	10 4%	14 9%	7 5%	11 5%	22 8%	16 7%	7 4%	15 5%	24 8%	22 5%	9 6%	2 2%
	(8)	113 11%	49 10%	64 12%	17 15%	22 14%	30 13%	14 9%	10 7%	21 10%	28 10%	35 16%	13 8%	35 11%	39 13%	50 12%	7 5%	16 14%
	(7)	53 5%	29 6%	24 5%	5 5%	11 7%	19 9%	8 5%	3 2%	8 4%	14 5%	13 6%	12 7%	13 4%	11 4%	25 6%	4 3%	10 8%
	(6)	44 4%	13 3%	32 6%	5 5%	16 10%	12 5%	4 3%	1 1%	6 3%	11 4%	6 3%	12 7%	13 4%	6 2%	21 5%	6 5%	7 7%
	(5)	81 8%	37 8%	43 8%	17 16%	10 6%	16 7%	11 7%	9 6%	17 8%	19 7%	16 7%	14 8%	27 9%	17 6%	27 7%	19 14%	10 9%
	(4)	16 2%	6 1%	9 2%	2 1%	6 4%	4 2%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	4 1%	1 1%	3 2%	7 2%	6 2%	8 2%	-	3 2%
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Definitely would not vote	(1)	103 10%	54 11%	49 9%	18 17%	24 15%	26 12%	12 8%	14 10%	9 4%	14 5%	27 12%	24 14%	33 11%	15 5%	38 9%	22 17%	22 20%
Don't know		18 2%	6 1%	11 2%	2 1%	-	2 1%	1	4 2%	10 5%	3 1%	1	1 1%	13 4%	11 4%	1	4 3%	1 1%
Mean		7.67	7.67	7.67	6.56	6.66	7.59	8.16	8.21	8.39	8.24	7.63	7.36	7.48	8.38	7.70	7.05	6.56
Standard error		0.10	0.15	0.13	0.42	0.28	0.22	0.21	0.23	0.17	0.16	0.21	0.25	0.18	0.14	0.15	0.30	0.34



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	(9)	60 6%	24 6%	10 7%	26 6%	10 7%	9 7%	7 8%	10 7%	6 5%	8 6%	6 5%	5 4%	17 10%	11 5%	3 3%	8 8%	1 3%
	(8)	113 11%	53 13%	23 16%	37 8%	11 8%	21 16%	11 13%	16 12%	13 10%	17 13%	13 10%	11 9%	27 16%	23 10%	11 13%	20 22%	4 10%
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Don't know		18 2%	1	2 2%	14 3%	2 2%	4 3%	1 1%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	6 4%	2 1%	4 2%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	-
Mean		7.67	7.53	7.65	7.79	7.53	7.51	7.74	7.39	7.56	7.59	7.98	8.12	8.36	8.52	8.60	7.98	9.02
Standard error		0.10	0.16	0.24	0.14	0.26	0.28	0.35	0.27	0.28	0.26	0.25	0.26	0.17	0.15	0.24	0.27	0.30



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Table 2
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		Ge	nder			A	ge		SEG						Ter	nure	
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	<u>C1</u>	<u>C2</u>	DE	Owned out-right	Owned with mort-gage	Rented from coun- cil	Other
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Labour	173	82	90	17	28	36	30	25	38	42	39	30	58	36	80	32	19
	17%	17%	17%	15%	18%	16%	19%	17%	18%	15%	18%	18%	19%	12%	20%	23%	17%
SNP	241	130	111	17	28	60	44	43	50	58	55	48	77	70	104	36	25
	24%	27%	21%	15%	18%	27%	28%	30%	24%	21%	25%	28%	25%	24%	26%	27%	22%
Conservative	85	43	42	13	5	19	6	12	30	28	19	11	25	43	23	8	8
	8%	9%	8%	11%	3%	9%	4%	9%	14%	10%	9%	7%	8%	15%	6%	6%	7%
Liberal Democrat	92	34	58	10	23	25	12	10	12	41	22	10	16	26	49	3	9
	9%	7%	11%	9%	15%	11%	8%	7%	6%	15%	10%	6%	5%	9%	12%	2%	8%
Another Party	37	18	19	4	2	13	9	7	2	11	12	3	11	6	18	7	4
	4%	4%	4%	4%	1%	6%	6%	5%	1%	4%	6%	2%	4%	2%	4%	5%	4%
Would not vote at all	110	54	56	26	25	22	11	16	10	15	26	27	37	17	38	24	24
	11%	11%	11%	24%	16%	10%	7%	11%	5%	5%	12%	16%	12%	6%	9%	18%	21%
Refused	88	47	41	2	11	14	17	12	33	34	11	7	29	33	25	11	6
	9%	10%	8%	1%	7%	6%	11%	9%	16%	12%	5%	4%	9%	11%	6%	8%	5%
Don't know	174	71	103	22	37	33	29	19	35	51	35	32	53	64	71	14	18
	17%	15%	20%	20%	23%	15%	18%	13%	17%	18%	16%	19%	17%	22%	17%	11%	16%



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SNP	241 24%	99 25%	30 20%	110 25%	44 33%	32 25%	20 24%	27 20%	29 23%	37 28%	23 18%	28 22%	-	241 100%	-	-	-
Conservative	85 8%	29 7%	11 7%	43 10%	3 3%	5 4%	9 10%	14 10%	14 11%	10 7%	19 15%	12 10%	-	-	85 100%	-	-
Liberal Democrat	92 9%	48 12%	20 13%	24 5%	7 5%	6 5%	14 17%	15 11%	17 13%	15 11%	10 8%	8 7%	-	-	-	92 100%	-
Another Party	37 4%	17 4%	6 4%	14 3%	5 4%	3 2%	4 5%	6 5%	5 4%	3 2%	4 3%	7 6%	-	-	-	-	37 100%
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Refused	88 9%	32 8%	8 5%	48 11%	14 11%	8 6%	2 2%	17 13%	17 13%	10 8%	11 9%	9 7%	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	174 17%	62 15%	33 22%	78 17%	23 17%	32 24%	10 12%	19 14%	19 15%	27 20%	24 18%	21 17%	-	- -	-	-	-



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SNP	228 23%	125 26%	102 20%	18 16%	31 19%	56 25%	43 27%	38 26%	42 20%	61 22%	57 26%	41 24%	65 21%	67 23%	101 25%	34 25%	19 17%
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Scottish Socialist	8 1%	6 1%	2	-	-	3 1%	2 2%	3 2%	-	1	2 1%	3 2%	3 1%	2 1%	4 1%	1 1%	-
Green	25 2%	12 2%	13 3%	4 4%	5 3%	5 2%	5 3%	3 2%	3 1%	11 4%	6 3%	2 1%	3 1%	9 3%	10 2%	-	3 3%
Solidarity	1	1	-	- -	-	-	-	1 1%	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
Scottish Senior Citizens Unity Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Another Party	11 1%	8 2%	3 1%	2 2%	-	4 2%	1	-	4 2%	2 1%	2 1%	4 3%	3 1%	3 1%	4 1%	4 3%	-
Would not vote at all	111 11%	58 12%	53 10%	22 20%	25 16%	25 11%	15 9%	17 12%	8 4%	19 7%	24 11%	27 16%	36 12%	17 6%	40 10%	25 19%	24 22%
Refused	84 8%	46 9%	38 7%	2 1%	13 8%	12 5%	16 10%	15 10%	27 13%	32 11%	11 5%	7 4%	25 8%	29 10%	25 6%	11 8%	6 5%
Don't know	159 16%	60 13%	98 19%	20 18%	32 20%	31 14%	25 16%	14 10%	36 17%	41 15%	34 15%	25 15%	56 18%	56 19%	62 15%	13 9%	17 15%



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Labour	195 19%	73 18%	31 21%	90 20%	26 19%	38 29%	16 19%	19 14%	11 9%	24 18%	29 23%	32 26%	151 87%	14 6%	1 1%	4 5%	4 10%
SNP	228 23%	101 25%	30 20%	93 21%	41 30%	24 18%	23 27%	25 19%	31 25%	36 27%	23 18%	24 19%	4 2%	202 84%	1 1%	7 8%	3 9%
Conservative	90 9%	29 7%	11 7%	48 11%	4 3%	5 4%	12 14%	14 11%	13 10%	10 8%	18 14%	13 10%	3 2%	2 1%	73 85%	3 3%	2 4%
Liberal Democrat	90 9%	45 11%	16 11%	29 6%	10 7%	8 6%	11 13%	14 10%	17 14%	12 9%	10 8%	7 6%	2 1%	7 3%	1 1%	71 77%	2 7%
Scottish Socialist	8 1%	5 1%	1 1%	2	2 1%	-	-	1 1%	-	1 1%	2 2%	2 2%	1	3 1%	-	-	4 12%
Green	25 2%	13 3%	2 2%	9 2%	2 2%	4 3%	1 1%	8 6%	1 1%	1 1%	3 2%	5 4%	1	1	3 4%	3 4%	11 31%
Solidarity	1	-	-	1	-	1 1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Scottish Senior Citizens Unity Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Another Party	11 1%	3 1%	2 1%	6 1%	3 2%	-	1 1%	1 1%	4 3%	-	1 1%	2 1%	1 *	-	1 1%	-	5 14%
Would not vote at all	111 11%	44 11%	14 9%	54 12%	12 9%	15 11%	8 10%	19 14%	20 16%	13 10%	11 8%	13 10%	2 1%	3 1%	2 3%	1 1%	2 6%
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Too much power has already been devolved to Scotland from Westminster	61 6%	36 7%	26 5%	11 10%	4 3%	12 5%	13 8%	12 8%	10 5%	26 9%	15 7%	4 2%	15 5%	22 7%	25 6%	7 5%	5 5%
The current situation with a devolved parliament in Scotland works well	115 12%	54 11%	62 12%	9 9%	24 15%	26 12%	12 8%	18 12%	27 13%	41 15%	28 13%	14 8%	29 10%	41 14%	52 13%	10 7%	5 4%
Scotland should remain in the United Kingdom, but the Scottish Parliament should have more power to run affairs in Scotland	516 52%	215 45%	300 58%	43 39%	80 50%	119 54%	88 56%	68 47%	117 56%	145 52%	109 50%	85 51%	164 54%	147 50%	216 53%	62 46%	68 60%
Scotland should be a fully independent state, separate from the rest of the United Kingdom	268 27%	164 34%	104 20%	42 38%	42 27%	60 27%	35 22%	40 28%	49 24%	63 23%	58 26%	57 34%	81 26%	70 24%	104 25%	49 37%	31 28%
None of these	10 1%	4 1%	6 1%	-	3 2%	3 1%	2 1%	1 1%	1	-	3 2%	2 1%	5 2%	5 2%	3 1%	3 2%	-
Refused	3	3 1%	-	-	-	-	2 1%	-	2 1%	2 1%	-	-	1	2 1%	-	-	-
Don't know	27 3%	4 1%	23 4%	5 4%	5 3%	3 1%	5 3%	5 3%	4 2%	3 1%	6 3%	6 4%	11 4%	8 3%	9 2%	3 3%	3 3%



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None of these	10 1%	5 1%	-	4 1%	2 2%	2 2%	1 1%		2 1%	-	1 1%	2 2%	1 1%	2 1%	1 1%	2 2%	2 6%
Refused	3	-	-	3 1%	-	1 1%	-		1 1%	-	-	2 1%	-	:	-	-	1 2%
Don't know	27 3%	10 2%	6 4%	11 2%	4 3%	6 5%	1 1%	2 1%	4 3%	2 2%	4 3%	3 2%	3 2%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	1 2%



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Table 5
Q.5 Which of the following do you think would make the best First Minister of Scotland?
Base: All respondents

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	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Owned out-	Owned with mort-	Rented from coun- cil	Other
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Weighted base	1000	480	520	110	158	222	157	143	210	280	219	169	306	295	409	134	113
Jack McConnell	272	125	147	41	50	64	43	27	47	68	67	51	83	50	136	44	31
	27%	26%	28%	37%	32%	29%	28%	19%	22%	24%	31%	30%	27%	17%	33%	33%	28%
Alex Salmond	272	154	118	25	32	55	51	48	61	89	59	42	79	93	118	34	24
	27%	32%	23%	23%	20%	25%	33%	34%	29%	32%	27%	25%	26%	31%	29%	25%	21%
Annabel Goldie	97	46	50	10	9	18	14	17	29	24	20	16	35	45	27	14	6
	10%	10%	10%	9%	6%	8%	9%	12%	14%	9%	9%	10%	12%	15%	7%	10%	6%
Nicol Stephen	54	23	31	5	9	19	7	8	4	17	15	14	6	10	24	7	10
	5%	5%	6%	5%	6%	9%	5%	6%	2%	6%	7%	9%	2%	3%	6%	5%	9%
None of these	90	55	35	10	11	19	17	12	22	23	22	14	28	32	23	13	12
	9%	12%	7%	9%	7%	8%	11%	8%	11%	8%	10%	8%	9%	11%	6%	10%	11%
Refused	30 3%	20 4%	10 2%	-	6 4%	4 2%	7 5%	3 2%	8 4%	18 6%	2 1%	3 2%	4 1%	14 5%	8 2%	2 1%	2 2%
Don't know	186	57	129	19	40	43	17	28	38	42	35	28	71	51	73	21	27
	19%	12%	25%	17%	25%	19%	11%	19%	18%	15%	16%	17%	23%	17%	18%	16%	24%



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Table 5
Q.5 Which of the following do you think would make the best First Minister of Scotland?
Base: All respondents

		Wc	orking Stat	us				Reg	jion					Constitue	ency Vote	Intention	
		Work- ing	Work- ing	Not	Cent- ral	01	High- lands	Lada	Fife & Mid	NE	South of	West of			Con-	Lib- eral	
	Total	full time	part time	work- ing	Scot- land	Glas- gow	& Isl- ands	Loth- ians	Scot- land	Scot- land	Scot- land	Scot- land	Labour	SNP	ser- vative	Demo- crat	Other
Unweighted base	1000	380	145	468	139	115	88	137	127	134	132	128	187	254	81	77	34
Weighted base	1000	398	148	448	136	132	84	135	127	133	129	126	173	241	85	92	37
Jack McConnell	272 27%	119 30%	39 27%	113 25%	44 32%	47 36%	16 20%	32 24%	27 21%	33 25%	38 30%	35 27%	122 71%	29 12%	11 13%	22 24%	10 27%
Alex Salmond	272 27%	112 28%	31 21%	130 29%	34 25%	30 22%	23 28%	43 32%	35 27%	39 29%	36 28%	33 26%	14 8%	158 66%	10 11%	23 25%	7 20%
Annabel Goldie	97 10%	35 9%	12 8%	49 11%	7 5%	15 12%	12 14%	12 9%	11 8%	8 6%	13 10%	20 16%	11 6%	10 4%	32 37%	7 8%	5 14%
Nicol Stephen	54 5%	25 6%	13 9%	16 4%	3 2%	1	4 5%	10 7%	12 9%	15 11%	1 1%	8 7%	7 4%	4 2%	5 6%	17 19%	4 10%
None of these	90 9%	33 8%	11 8%	43 10%	17 13%	11 8%	7 8%	14 10%	11 9%	8 6%	12 9%	11 8%	5 3%	10 4%	17 20%	5 6%	7 20%
Refused	30 3%	15 4%	2 2%	12 3%	4 3%	4 3%	-	3 2%	5 4%	6 5%	4 3%	5 4%	-	2 1%	-	-	1 2%
Don't know	186 19%	59 15%	39 27%	84 19%	27 20%	25 19%	22 26%	21 16%	27 21%	24 18%	26 20%	15 12%	13 8%	27 11%	10 12%	18 19%	2 7%



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Table 6
Q.6 Voting at May 2005 Westminster General Election
Base: All respondents

	Unweighted Total	Weighted Total
Unweighted base	1000	1000
Weighted base	1000	1000
Labour	318 32%	271 27%
SNP	121 12%	109 11%
Conservative	91 9%	90 9%
Liberal Democrats	74 7%	104 10%
Another party	20 2%	25 3%
Did not vote	232 23%	260 26%
Refused	88 9%	81 8%
Don't know	56 6%	59 6%

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Table 7 **Region**

	Unweighted Total	Weighted Total
Unweighted base	1000	1000
Weighted base	1000	1000
Central Scotland	139 14%	136 14%
Glasgow	115 12%	132 13%
Highlands & Islands	88 9%	84 8%
Lothians	137 14%	135 13%
Fife & Mid Scotland	127 13%	127 13%
NE Scotland	134 13%	133 13%
South of Scotland	132 13%	129 13%
West of Scotland	128 13%	126 13%



Table 8 **Age**

Base: All respondents

	Unweighted Total	Weighted Total
Unweighted base	1000	1000
Weighted base	1000	1000
18 - 24	62 6%	110 11%
25 - 34	139 14%	158 16%
35 - 44	196 20%	222 22%
45 - 54	187 19%	157 16%
55 - 64	171 17%	143 14%
65+	245 25%	210 21%



Absolutes/col percents

Absolutes/col percents

Table 9 **Gender**

	Unweighted Total	Weighted Total
Unweighted base	1000	1000
Weighted base	1000	1000
Male	469 47%	480 48%
Female	531 53%	520 52%

