

WHO SHOULD FORM A MINORITY GOVERNMENT?

Percentage support	August 24-26, 2010											
	Total	Seat			Political support		Voted for Bob Katter/ Rob Oakeshott/ Tony Windsor	Sex		Age		
		Kennedy	Lyne	New England	Labor	Coalition		Male	Female	18-34	35-49	50+
Liberal/Nationals Coalition	54	56	52	55	2	96	52	56	53	47	51	59
Labor	34	29	38	35	95	3	34	33	34	40	36	30
Uncommitted	12	15	10	10	3	1	14	11	13	13	13	11

Question: About the election result in the House of Representatives, which is likely to be a hung parliament, which of the following parties would you most prefer your local member Bob Katter/Rob Oakeshott/Tony Windsor to help form a minority government?

These polls were conducted on the telephone over the period of August 24-26, 2010 by trained interviewers among 1396 voters in the electorates of Kennedy, Lyne and New England. Individual electorate sample sizes are 465 voters in Kennedy, 465 voters in Lyne and 466 voters in New England. Telephone numbers and the person within the household were selected at random. The data has been weighted to reflect the population distribution. The maximum margin of sampling error is approximately plus or minus 2.7 percentage points on the total sample. Copyright at all times remains with Newspoll. More poll information available at www.newspoll.com.au

How the demographics of the three independents' seats line up against the national average

Percentage	State	Seat type	Age			Grey (ranked 1-150 oldest to youngest)	Paying off home	Voters with jobs	Women in the labour force	Population density (ranked 1-150 most to least dense)	Non- English speakers
			18-34	35-49	50+						
Kennedy	Qld	Rural and regional	22.4	28.2	49.3	39	27	57.1	44	145	5.8
New England	NSW	Rural and regional	23.3	24.8	51.9	20	28.3	53	45.9	137	2.4
Lyne	NSW	Sandbelt	17.6	22.9	59.5	1	26.9	44.9	47	120	3
AUSTRALIA			26.3	27.6	46.1		34.1	57.2	46.1		13.8

Source, AEC, ABS, George Megalogenis