

## Government Performance

*"Now I have a question on the performance of the Government. Do you approve or disapprove of the Government's performance?"*

	22-25 AUG 2005	29 AUG-1 SEP 2005	5-8 SEP 2005	12-14 SEP 2005	14-17 NOV 2005
Approve	52%	47%	50%	47%	45%
Disapprove	33%	38%	37%	38%	37%
Neither approve nor disapprove	13%	13%	12%	13%	15%
Don't know	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%
	<b>100%</b>	<b>99%*</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

Base: N=1001 New Zealanders 14-17 November 2005

## Economic Outlook

*"And do you think during the next 12 months the economy will be in a better state than at present, or in a worse state?"*

	15-18 AUG 2005	22-25 AUG 2005	29 AUG-1 SEP 2005	5-8 SEP 2005	12-14 SEP 2005	14-17 NOV 2005
Better	35%	38%	37%	37%	42%	24%
Same	31%	31%	31%	29%	31%	25%
Worse	35%	30%	32%	33%	28%	51%
	<b>101%*</b>	<b>99%*</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>99%*</b>	<b>101%*</b>	<b>100%</b>

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