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Thank you for participating in this survey, which is part of an international (27-country) study covering a broad range of topics. The Canadian survey is being conducted by the non-profit Environics Institute and the Institute on Governance.

The survey will take about 20 minutes to complete. You must provide a response to all questions, but some offer a "decline to answer" option.

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More information about the international study is provided at the end of the survey.

1. (LS3) To begin, in general how satisfied are you with your life? Would you say that you are...? (1) Very satisfied (2) Somewhat satisfied (3) Somewhat dissatisfied (4) Very dissatisfied 2. (SOCT1) How would you describe the country's economic situation? (3) Neither good nor bad (fair) (1) Very good (2) Good (4) Bad (5) Very bad 3. (SOCT2) Do you think that the country's current economic situation is better than, the same as or worse than it was 12 months ago? (1) Better (2) Same (3) Worse **4.** (IDIO1) How would you describe your overall economic situation? (1) Very good (2) Good (3) Neither good nor bad (fair) (4) Bad (5) Very bad **5.** (IDIO2) Do you think that your economic situation is better than, the same as, or worse than it was 12 months ago? (1) Better (2) Same (3) Worse

Now let's talk about your local municipality	
6. (NP1) Have you attended a town meeting, city council meeting or other meeting in the past 12 months?	
(1) Yes (2) No	
7. (NP2) Have you sought assistance from or presented a request to any office, official or councillor of the municipality within the past 12 months? (1) Yes (2) No	
8. (SGL1) Would you say that the services the municipality is providing to the people are?	

	Once a week	Once or twice a month	Once or twice a year	Never	
9. (CP5) Now, changing the subject. In the last 12 months have you tried to help to solve a problem in your community or in your neighborhood? Please, tell us if you did it at least once a week, once or twice a month, once or twice a year or never in the last 12 months.	1	2	3	4	

10. For each of the following groups and organizations, please indicate if you attend their meetings at least once a week, once or twice a month, once or twice a year, or never.

	Once a week	Once or twice a month	Once or twice a year	Never	
a. (CP6) Meetings of any religious organization?	1	2	3	4	
b. (CP7) Meetings of a parents' association at school?	1	2	3	4	
c. (CP8) Meetings of a community improvement committee or association?	1	2	3	4	
d. (CP13) Meetings of a political party or political organization	1	2	3	4	
e. (CPSS1) During the last two years, have you participated as a player with other people in the practice of a sport?	1	2	3	4	

11. (IT1) And speaking of the people from around here, would you say that people in your community are very trustworthy, somewhat trustworthy, not very trustworthy or untrustworthy...?

(1) Very trustworthy

(2) Somewhat trustworthy

(3) Not very trustworthy

(4) Untrustworthy

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(2) A few times a w	eek							
(3) A few times a m	onth							
(4) Rarely								
(5) Never								
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14. (GI0) About ho	w often do vo	u pav attent	ion to the	news wh	ether on	TV, the r	adio newspai	pers or
the internet?				, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		,	,	
	few times a w	eek (3)	A few tim	es a mon	th (4)	Rarely	(5) Never	
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any social network					P 4			
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18. (VIC1EXT) No		-	-				:	
the past 12 months		•		•				
blackmail, extortion		•	• •	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		12 month	<u>ns</u> ?	
(1) Yes [Continue]			Skip toVIC	C1HOGAI	R]			
(88) Decline to answ	wer [Skip to	VIC1HOGA	R]					
19. (VIC1EXTA) H	ow many time	es have you	been a cr	ime victin	n during	the last 1	2 months?	
[fill in number]] (88)	Decline to a	answer		(99) N/A			
20. (VIC1HOGAR)	Has any oth	er person liv	ing in you	r househo	old been	a victim o	of any type	
of crime in the past	12 months?	That is, has	any other	person liv	ving in yo	our house	hold been a	
victim of robbery, be	urglary, assaı	ult, fraud, bla	ackmail, e	xtortion, v	iolent th	reats or <u>a</u>	ny other	
type of crime in the								
(1) Yes (2) N	o (99)	No one else	e in house	hold	(88)) Decline	to answer	

21. (POLE2N) In general, are you very satisfied, satisfied, dissatisfied, or very dissatisfied with the performance of the police in your neighborhood?
 (1) Very satisfied (2) Satisfied (3) Dissatisfied (4) Very dissatisfied
22. (AOJ8) In order to catch criminals, do you believe that the authorities should always abide by the law or that occasionally they can cross the line?(1) Should always abide by the law (2) Occasionally can cross the line
23. (INFRAX) Suppose someone enters your home to burglarize it and you call the police. How long do you think it would take the police to arrive at your house on a typical day around noon? (1) Less than 10 minutes (2) Between 10 and 30 minutes (3) More than 30 minutes and up to an hour (4) More than an hour and up to three hours (5) More than three hours (6) There are no police/they would never arrive
 24. (INFRA2) Suppose now that your house catches fire. How long do you think it would take the firefighters to arrive at your house on a typical day around noon? (1) Less than 10 minutes (2) Between 10 and 30 minutes (3) More than 30 minutes and up to an hour (4) More than an hour and up to three hours (5) More than three hours (6) There are no firefighters/they would never arrive
25. (AOJ11) Speaking of the neighborhood where you live and thinking of the possibility of being assaulted or robbed, do you feel very safe, somewhat safe, somewhat <u>un</u> safe or very <u>un</u> safe? (1) Very safe (2) Somewhat safe (3) Somewhat unsafe (4) Very unsafe
26. (AOJ17) To what extent do you think your neighborhood is affected by gangs? (1) A lot (2) Somewhat (3) Little (4) None

	Yes	No	
27. (FEAR10) In order to protect yourself from crime, in the last 12 months, have you taken any measures such as avoiding walking through some areas <u>in your neighbourhood</u> because they are dangerous?	1	0	
28. (VIC44) In the last 12 months, out of fear of crime, have you organized with the neighbors of your community?	1	0	

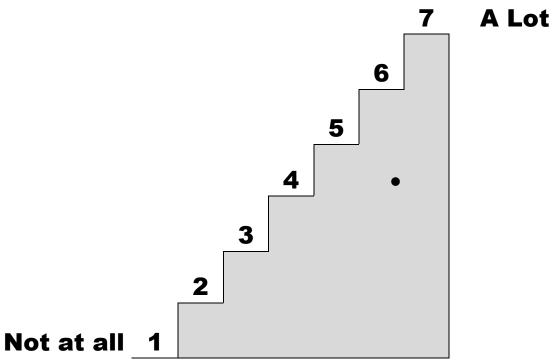
29. (AOJ12) If you were a victim of a robbery or assault how much faith do you have that the judicial system would punish the guilty?

(1) A lot

(2) Some

(3) Little

(4) None



30. Here is a staircase with steps numbered 1 to 7, where "1" is the lowest step and means NOT AT ALL and "7" the highest and means A LOT.

x. FOR EXAMPLE: If we asked you to what extent do <u>you like watching television</u>, if you don't like watching it at all, you would choose a score of 1, and if, in contrast, you like watching television a lot, you would indicate the number 7. If your opinion is between not at all and a lot, you would choose an intermediate score. So, to what extent do you like watching television?

a. (B1) To what extent do you think the courts in Canada guarantee a fair trial?

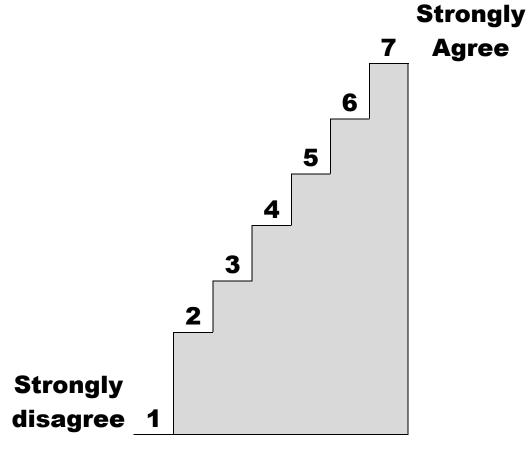
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b. (B2) To what extent do you respect the political institutions of Canada?

1-7

c. (B3) To what extent do you think that <u>citizens' basic rights are well protected by the political system of Canada?</u>	Coded 1-7
d. (PR4) To what degree do you feel that the Canadian government respects the private property of its citizens?	Coded 1-7
e. (B4) To what extent do you feel proud of living under the political system of Canada?	Coded 1-7
f. (B6) To what extent do you think that one should support the political system of Canada?	Coded 1-7
g. (B10A) To what extent do you <u>trust the justice system?</u>	Coded 1-7
h. (B12) To what extent do you trust the Canadian Armed Forces?	Coded 1-7
i. (B13) To what extent do you trust the Parliament?	Coded 1-7 Coded
j. (B18) To what extent do you trust the RCMP?	1-7 Coded
k. (B21) To what extent do you <u>trust political parties</u> ?	1-7 Coded
I. (B21A) To what extent do you trust the Prime Minister?	1-7 Coded
m . (B31) To what extent do you <u>trust the Supreme Court</u> ?	1-7 Coded
n. (B32) To what extent do you trust your municipal government?	1-7 Coded
o. (B43) To what extent are you <u>proud of being a Canadian</u> ?	1-7 Coded
p. (B37) To what extent do you <u>trust the mass media</u> ?	1-7 Coded
q. (B47A) To what extent do you <u>trust elections in this country</u> ?	1-7
31. (CAND3) How concerned are you about one or more political parties manipulating the outcome of future elections in this country?	
(1) Very worried (2) Somewhat worried (3) Not very worried (4) Not at all worried	

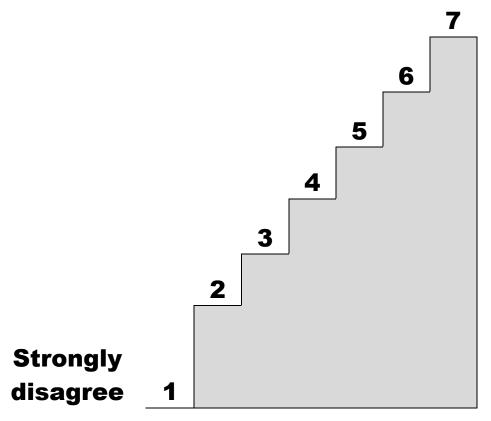
32. Now we will use a similar staircase, but this time "1" means STRONGLY DISAGREE and "7" means STRONGLY AGREE. A number in between 1 and 7 represents an intermediate score.



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Taking into account the current situation of this country, and using the staircase, we would like you to tell us how much you agree or disagree with the following statements.	1-7
a. (POP101) It is necessary for the progress of this country that our prime ministers limit the voice and vote of opposition parties.	
	Coded
b. (POP107) The people should govern directly <u>rather than</u> through elected representatives.	1-7
	Coded
c. (POP113) Those who disagree with the majority represent a threat to the country.	1-7
33. (M1) Speaking in general of the current government, how would you rate the job	
performance of Prime Minister Harper?	
(1) Very good (2) Good (3) Neither good nor bad (fair) (4) Bad (5) Very bad	

- **34**. The powers of the federal government are divided among several institutions, including Parliament, the Supreme Court, and the Prime Minister (who oversees the government's departments and agencies). The distribution of power across these institutions is to ensure the government overall represents the interests of all Canadians.
- **a.** (CANA1) Which of the following best reflects your view about the current balance of power between the Prime Minister and Parliament?
- (1) Prime Minister has too much power
- (2) Parliament has too much power
- (3) The balance of power is about right
- **b.** (CANA2) Which of the following best reflects your view about the current balance of power between the <u>Prime Minister</u> and the <u>Supreme Court?</u>
- (1) Prime Minister has too much power
- (2) Supreme Court has too much power
- (3) The balance of power is about right
- **c.** (CANA3) Which of the following best reflects your view about the current balance of power between the <u>Supreme Court</u> and <u>Parliament</u>?
- (1) Supreme Court has too much power
- (2) Parliament has too much power
- (3) The balance of power is about right

Strongly Agree



35. Now we are going to show you some items about the role of the federal government. Please tell us to what extent you agree or disagree with the following statements. We will continue using the same staircase from 1 to 7.

a (ROS1) The Canadian government, instead of the private sector, should own the most important enterprises and industries of the country.	Coded 1-7
b. (ROS3) The Canadian government, more than the private sector, should be primarily responsible for creating jobs.	Coded 1-7
c. (ROS4) The Canadian government should implement <u>strong policies</u> to reduce income inequality between the rich and the poor.	Coded 1-7

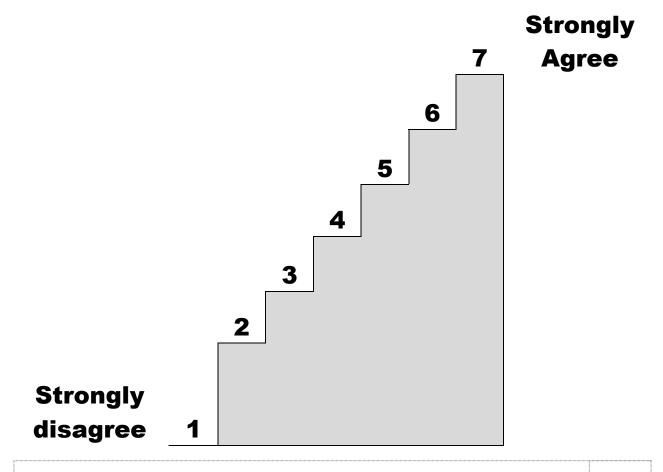
Please tell us how much you agree or disagree with the following statements?

d. (ING4) Democracy may have problems, but it is better than any other form of government.	Coded 1-7
e. (CANAB2008) Despite our differences, we Canadians have many things that unite us as a country.	Coded 1-7

f. (EFF1) Those who govern this country are interested in what people like you think.		
	1-7	
	Coded	
g. (EFF2) You feel that you understand the most important political issues of this country.	1-7	

36. (PN4) And now,	changing the subjec	t, in general, would yo	ou say that you are very satisfied,	
satisfied, dissatisfied	or very dissatisfied v	with the way democra	cy works in Canada?	
(1) Very satisfied	(2) Satisfied	(3) Dissatisfied	(4) Very dissatisfied	

- **37.** (DEM2) Which of the following statements do you agree with the most:
- (1) For people like me it doesn't matter whether a government is democratic or non-democratic
- (2) Democracy is preferable to any other form of government
- (3) Under some circumstances an authoritarian government may be preferable to a democratic one.



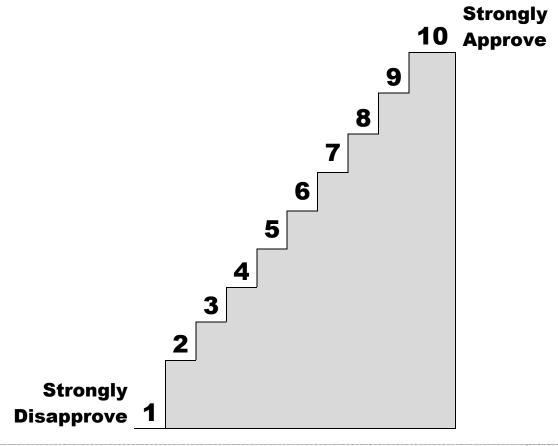
We would now like to ask you about the role of Members of Parliament in our democratic system. Please tell us to what extent you agree or disagree with the following statements using the same staircase, where 1" means STRONGLY DISAGREE and "7" means STRONGLY AGREE.

38. (CANB1) MPs should vote in Parliament according to what they believe is right, even if this may not reflect the majority view in the community they represent.	Coded 1-7
39. (CANB2) Political parties should allow MPs to vote in Parliament according to what they believe is right, even if this is not consistent with their party's position.	Coded 1-7

40. (JC15A) Do you believe that when the country is facing very difficult times it is justifiable for the Prime Minister to close the Parliament, and govern without Parliament?	(1) Yes, it is justified	(2) No, it is not justified	
41. (JC16A) Do you believe that when the country is facing very difficult times it is justifiable for the Prime Minister to dissolve the Supreme Court, and govern without the Supreme Court?	(1) Yes, it is justified	(2) No, it is not justified	

42. Now here is a 10-point staircase, which goes from 1 to 10, where "1" means that you STRONGLY DISAPPROVE and "10" means that you STRONGLY APPROVE.

Below is a list of some actions that people can take to achieve their political goals and objectives. Please tell us how strongly you would approve or disapprove of people taking the following actions.



a. (E5) Of people participating in legal demonstrations, how much do you approve or	Coded	
disapprove?	1-10	

b . (E8) Of people participating in an organization or group to try and solve community problems	Coded 1-10
c. (E11) Of people working for campaigns for a political party or candidate	Coded 1-10
d . (E15) Of people participating in the blocking of roads to protest.	Coded 1-10
e. (E3) Of people participating in a group working to violently overthrow an elected government.	Coded 1-10
f. (E16) Of people taking the law into their own hands when the government does not punish criminals.	Coded 1-10
43. The following questions are to find out about the different ideas of the people who live in Canada. Please continue using the 10 point staircase, with "1" meaning STRONGLY DISAPPROVE, and "10" meaning "STRONGLY APPROVE."	
a. (D1) There are people who only say bad things about the Canadian form of government, not just the incumbent government but the system of government. How strongly do you approve or disapprove of such people's right to vote?	Coded 1-10
b. (D2) How strongly do you approve or disapprove that such people be allowed to conduct peaceful demonstrations in order to express their views?	Coded 1-10
c. (D3) Still thinking of those who only say bad things about the Canadian form of government, how strongly do you approve or disapprove of such people being permitted to run for public office?	Coded 1-10
d. (D4) How strongly do you approve or disapprove of such people appearing on television to make speeches?	Coded 1-10
e. (D5) And now on a different topic, thinking about homosexuals, how strongly do you approve or disapprove of such people being permitted to <u>run for public office</u> ?	Coded 1-10
f. (D6) How strongly do you approve or disapprove of same-sex couples having the right to marry?	Coded 1-10

And now on another topic.

44. (CANC1) How confident are you that the federal government protects the privacy of the personal information about you that it collects for various purposes (such as tax returns, social insurance and passports)?	
(1) Very confident	
(2) Somewhat confident	
(3) Not very confident	
(4) Not at all confident	

- **45**. (CANC2) Do you believe that the federal government does a better job, a worse job, or does about the same as private sector companies (such as banks and cable providers) in protecting your personal information?
- (1) Federal government does a better job than private sector
- (2) Federal government does a worse job than private sector
- (3) Federal government does about the same as private sector
- **46.** (CANC3) Do you think it is a good idea or a bad idea for federal government departments to share with each other the personal information they each collect, in order to improve the efficiency and speed of the services they provide to citizens?
- (1) Good idea
- (2) Bad idea
- **47.** (CANC4) As in other countries, the federal government collects information (such as phone records and Internet use) on Canadian organizations and individuals for security purposes. To what extent do you think this type of government surveillance is important for protecting Canada and its citizens from potential security threats?
- (1) Very important
- (2) Somewhat important
- (3) Not very important
- **48.** (CANC5) Do you think the government's collection of personal information on citizens:
- (1) Helps protect our country's democracy (2) Is a threat to our country's democracy
- **49.** (CANC6) If you knew that the federal government had collected data about your telephone or internet activity, would you feel that your personal privacy had been violated, or not?
- (1) Yes, would feel like a violation of my privacy
- (2) No, would not feel like a violation of my privacy

	No	Yes	Decline to answer	
Now we want to talk about your personal experience with things that happen in everyday life				
50. (EXC2) Has a police officer asked you for a bribe in the last 12 months?	0	1	88	
51. (EXC6) Did any government employee ask you for a bribe in the last 12 months?	0	1	88	
52. (EXC18) Do you think given the way things are, sometimes paying a bribe is justified?	0	1	88	

53. (EXC7) Taking into account your own experience or what you have heard, corruption amor officials is	ng <u>public</u>
(1) Very common (2) Common (3) Uncommon (4) Very uncommon	
54. (POL1) How much interest do you have in politics: a lot, some, little or none? (1) A lot (2) Some (3) Little (4) None	
55. (CANVB1) People have different views about voting. For some, voting is a DUTY. They feel that they should vote in every election. For others, voting is a CHOICE. They only vote when they feel strongly about that election. For you personally, is voting FIRST AND FOREMOST a Duty or a Choice? (1) A duty (2) A choice	
56. (CANAD1) Do you think voters in Canada should have the option of voting in elections online through a secure website? (1) Yes (2) No	
57 . (CANAD2) To encourage voter turnout, some countries have passed a law making it mandatory for all citizens to vote in national elections, with those failing to do subject to a modest fine. Would you favour or oppose making it mandatory for Canadians to vote in federal elections?	
(1) Favour (2) Oppose	
58. (CANVB2) In some countries, including Canada, when no single party wins a majority of seats in an election, several parties come together to form a coalition government. Do you think this is an option that the Canadian parties should consider if none wins a majority in an election?	
(1) Yes, parties should consider coalitions (2) No, parties should not consider coalitions	
59. (CANPOL2) If a federal election results in the second and third place parties together having a majority of seats in the new Parliament, do you believe they should be allowed to form a coalition government? Or do you believe that only the party with the most seats should be allowed to form a government? (1) Second and third place party should be allowed to form a government (2) Only the party with the most seats should be allowed to form a government	
60. (BVUQ30) In thinking about the issue of climate change (sometimes known as global warming), which comes closest to your own view? (1) Climate change is not occurring (2) Climate change is occurring mostly because of human activities (3) Climate change is occurring mostly because of natural changes in the environment	

And now a few questions about yourself for classification purposes.

- **61.** (Q3C) What is your religion, if any? (1) Catholic (4114) Greek Orthodox/Eastern Orthodox (2) Protestant, Mainline Protestant or Protestant non-Evangelical (Anglican; Calvinist; Lutheran; Methodist; Presbyterian; Episcopalian) (5) Evangelical and Pentecostal (Evangelical; Pentecostals; Church of God; Assemblies of God; Universal Church of the Kingdom of God; Gospel; Christ Pentecostal Church; Christian Congregation; Mennonite; Brethren; Christian Reformed Church; Charismatic non-Catholic) (6) Church of Latter Day Saints (LDS) (Mormon) (12) Jehovah's Witness. (4113) Muslim (10) Jewish (Orthodox; Conservative; Reform, Reconstructionist, Renewal) (3) Other Non-Christian Eastern Religions (Buddhist; Hinduism; Taoist; Confucianism; Baha'i) (7) Traditional or Aboriginal Religions (4) None (Believe in a Supreme Entity but do not belong to any religion) (11) Agnostic, atheist (Do not believe in God). (15) Other (88) Decline to answer **62.** (Q5B) How important is religion in your life? (1) Very important (2) Rather important (3) Not very important (4) Not at all important
- **63.** (Q10NEW) Which of the following best describes the total annual income before taxes of all members in your household for 2013? (01) Less than \$10,000 (02) \$10,000 to \$19,999 (03) \$20,000 to \$29,999 (04) \$30,000 to \$39,999 (05) \$40,000 to \$49,999 (06) \$50,000 to \$59,999 (07) \$60,000 to \$69,999 (08) \$70,000 to \$79,999 (09) \$80,000 to \$99,999 (10) \$100,000 to \$119,999 (11) \$120,000 to \$139,999 (12) \$140,000 to \$159,999 (13) \$160,000 to \$189,999 (14) \$190,000 to \$219,999 (15) \$220,000 to \$249,999 (16) More than \$250,000 (88) Decline to answer

64. (Q10D) The salary that you receive and total household income:	
(1) Is good enough for you and you can save from it	
(2) Is just enough for you, so that you do not have major problems	
(3) Is not enough for you and you are stretched	
(4) Is not enough for you and you are having a hard time (88) Decline to answer	
65. (WF1) Do you or someone in your household receive regular assistance in the form of	
money, food, or products from the government, not including pensions?	
(1) Yes (2) No (88) Decline to answer	
66. (Q11n) What is your marital status?	
(1) Single (2) Married	
(3) Domestic partnership (living with an unmarried partner)	
(4) Divorced (5) Separated (6) Widowed (88) Decline to answer	
67 (0130) How many popula in total live in your boundhold at this time?	
67. (Q12C) How many people in total live in your household at this time?	
(88) Decline to answer	
68. (Q12) How many children, if any, do you have?	
(00 = none) (88) Decline to answer	
(constant)	
69. (CANETID) In addition to being Canadian, what is your primary ethnic or cultural	
background? (If more than one, please indicate your primary background)	
(1) English/Scottish/Irish Welsh	
(2) French/Quebecois	
(3) Italian	
(4) Portuguese	
(5) Other European (Russian, German, Dutch, Scandinavian, Polish, Spanish, Hungarian)	
(6) Aboriginal (First Nations, Metis, Inuit)	
(7) African	
(8) Greek	
(9) Jewish	
(10) West Indian (Caribbean, Jamaican, Guyanese)	
(11) South Asian (East Indian, Sri Lankan, Pakistan)	
(12) Southeast Asian (Vietnamese, Cambodian, Malaysian, Filipino)	
(13) Chinese	
(14) Other East Asian (Japanese, Korean)	
(15) West Asian/Middle Eastern/Arab	
(16) American	
(17) Canadian	
(18) Latin American (Mexican, Central/South American)	
(20) Acadian	
(21) Mixed Race	
(97) Other (SPECIFY)	
(00) Dealine to enguer	
(88) Decline to answer	

70. (CANNC4) Were you born in Canada?	
(1) Yes (2) No (88) Decline to answer	
(-)	
71. (CANNC5) Was your mother born in Canada?	
(1) Yes (2) No (88) Decline to answer	
(-)	
72. (CANNC6) Was your <u>father</u> born in Canada?	
(1) Yes (2) No (88) Decline to answer	
(-)	
73. (Q2Y) In what year were you born?	
(8888) Decline to answer	
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74. (Q1) Please indicate your gender.	
(1) Male (2) Female (88) Decline to answer	
(1) Male (2) Female (60) Bealine to disswer	
75. (ED) What is the highest level of education that you have reached?	
(01) Some elementary	
(02) Completed elementary(03) Some high school	
(04) Completed high school	
(05) Community college/ vocational/ trade school/ commercial/ CEGEP	
(06) Some university	
(07) Completed university	
(08) Post-graduate university/professional school	
(88) Decline to answer	
76. (PROV) In which province do you currently live?	
(01) Alberta	
(02) British Columbia	
(03) Manitoba	
(04) New Brunswick	
(05) Newfoundland	
(06) Nova Scotia	
(07) Ontario	
(08) Prince Edward Island	
(09) Quebec	
(10) Saskatchewan	
77. (CANPOS) Please indicate your postal code: (Do not include any spaces)	
(888888) Decline to answer	

This completes the survey. Thank you very much for your cooperation.

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For more information about the Americas Barometer, visit: http://www.vanderbilt.edu/lapop/about-americasbarometer.php

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