


### AmericasBarometer: Canada, 2017

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#### SPLASH PAGE

Thank you for participating in this survey, which is part of an international (29 country) study covering a broad range of topics. The Canadian survey is being conducted by the non-profit Environics Institute for Survey Research.

The survey will take about 15 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 study is provided at the end of the survey.

1. (LS3) [10/12/14] 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.

**11. (IT1) [06/08/10/12/14]** And speaking of the people from around where you live, 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

**12. (L1) [12/14]** Now, to change the subject...The following scale goes from left to right, where "1" means LEFT and "10" means RIGHT. Nowadays, when we speak of political leanings, we talk of those on the left and those on the right. In other words, some people sympathize more with the left and others with the right.

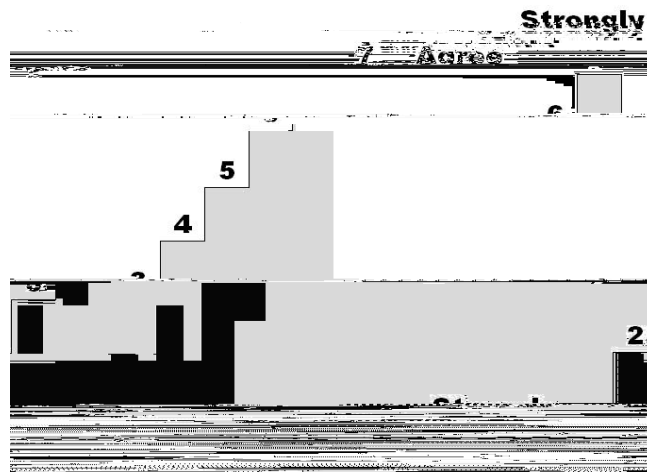
According to the meaning that the terms "left" and "right" have for you, and thinking of your own political leanings, where would you place yourself on this scale?

**23. (INFRA) [14]** 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.**

<b>30.</b> 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.	
<b>a.</b> (B1) [06/08/10/12/14] To what extent do you think <u>the courts in Canada guarantee a fair trial</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>b.</b> (B2) [06/08/10/12/14] To what extent do you respect <u>the political institutions of Canada</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>c.</b> (B3) [06/08/10/12/14] To what extent do you think that <u>citizens’ basic rights are well protected by the political system of Canada</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>e.</b> (B4) [06/08/10/12/14] To what extent do you <u>feel proud of living under the political system of Canada</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>f.</b> (B6) [06/08/10/12/14] To what extent do you think that <u>one should support the political system of Canada</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>g.</b> (B10A) [06/08/10/12] To what extent do you <u>trust the justice system</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>h.</b> (B12) [06/08/10/12/14] To what extent do you <u>trust the Canadian Armed Forces</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>i.</b> (B13) [06/08/10/12/14] To what extent do you <u>trust the Parliament</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>j.</b> (B18) [10/12] To what extent do you <u>trust the RCMP</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>k.</b> (B21) [06/08/10/12] To what extent do you <u>trust political parties</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>l.</b> (B21A) [10/12/14] To what extent do you <u>trust the Prime Minister</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>m.</b> (B31) [06/08/10/12/14] To what extent do you <u>trust the Supreme Court</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>n.</b> (B32) [10/12] To what extent do you <u>trust your municipal government</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7
<b>o.</b> (B43) [06/08/10/12/14] To what extent are you <u>proud of being a Canadian</u> ?	<b>Coded</b> 1-7



<p><b>32.</b> 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.</p> <p>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.</p>	
<p><b>a.</b> (POP101) [10/12/14] It is necessary for the progress of this country that our prime ministers limit the voice and vote of opposition parties.</p>	<p><b>Coded</b> 1-7</p>
<p><b>b.</b> (POP107) [08/10/12/14] The people should govern directly <u>rather than</u> through elected representatives.</p>	<p><b>Coded</b> 1-7</p>
<p><b>c.</b> (POP113) [08/10/12/14] Those who disagree with the majority represent a threat to the country.</p>	<p><b>Coded</b> 1-7</p>

<p><b>33.</b> (M1) [10/12/14] Speaking in general of the current government, how would you rate the job performance of Prime Minister Justin Trudeau?</p> <p>(1) Very good    (2) Good    (3) Neither good nor bad (fair)    (4) Bad    (5) Very bad</p>	
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**34.** Please tell us how much you agree or disagree with the following statements

**d.** (ING4) [06/08/10/12/14] Democracy may have problems, but it is better than any other form of government.

**Coded**  
**1-7**

**e.** (CANAB2008) [08/12/14]

[Order of 41 and 40 is switched

For Q.41 – label the crime option JC10, corruption option  
JC13]

**41.** (JC10/JC13) [NEW] Some people say that under some circumstances it would be justified for the military of this country to take power by a coup d'état (military coup).





Moving to another topic...

**[Use 7 point “agree – disagree” scale (from previous)]**

**For this question please use the 7 point scale, with "1" meaning STRONGLY DISAGREE and "7" meaning STRONGLY AGREE.**

And now a few questions about yourself for classification purposes. .

**61. (Q3C) [12/14]** 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



XX. (Q12) [10/12/14]. How many children, if any, do you have?

\_\_ \_\_ [Continue]

(000000 = none) [Skip to CANETID]

(888888) Decline to answer

XX. (12M/F) [NEW] How many sons and how many daughters do you have?

Q12M. [Number of sons] \_\_\_\_\_

Q12F. [Number of daughters] \_\_\_\_\_

(888888) Decline to answer

69. (CANETID) [10/12/14] 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 \_\_\_\_\_)

(888888) Decline to answer

70. (CANNC4) [10/12/14] Were you born in Canada?

(1) Yes (2) No (888888) Decline to answer

73. (Q2Y) [10/12/14] In what year were you born? \_\_\_\_ \_

(888888) Decline to answer

74. (Q1) [10/12/14] Please indicate your gender.

(1) Male (2) Female (3) Other (888888) Decline to answer

**75. (EDCAN) [06/08/12/14]** 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

(888888) Decline to answer

**76. (PROV) [10/12/14]** 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) [10/12/14]** Please indicate your postal code: *(Do not include any spaces)*

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(888888) Decline to answer

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

This survey is part of an international study called the "AmericasBarometer" and is being conducted in 29 countries across the Western Hemisphere. The results for the Canadian survey (and international comparisons) will be published by the Environics Institute for Survey Research and the Institute on Governance later this year.

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