



Canadians mixed on impact of carbon tax

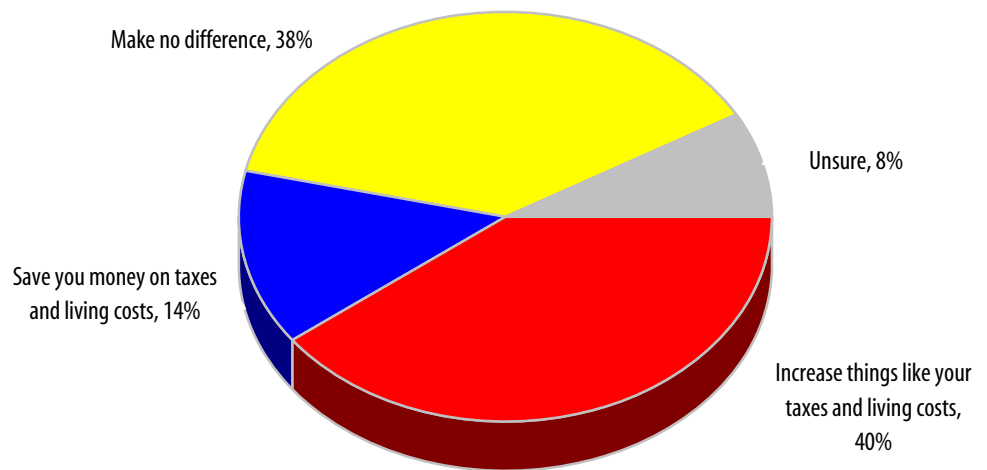


METHODOLOGY

Between September 16th and September 18th, 2008, Nanos Research conducted a random telephone survey of 1,200 Canadians 18 years and older. A random telephone survey of 1,202 Canadians is accurate plus or minus 2.8%, 19 times out of 20. Margins of accuracy are wider for subgroup samples. Readers should note that the data was weighted for gender and age to match the Canadian census results. Results should be considered representative of the Canadian population. Results may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

The research was registered with the Marketing Research and Intelligence Association of which Nanos is a Gold Seal Corporate Member.

QUESTION: In the election there is currently a proposal to tax utilities, oil companies and others that pollute and use the money primarily for income tax cuts and social programs for the poor. Thinking of your personal situation do you think this proposal, if adopted would... [ROTATE]



Group (Margin of accuracy)	Increase things like your taxes and living costs	Save you money on taxes and living costs	Make no difference	Unsure
	%	%	%	%
Canada (±2.8%)	40	14	38	8
Atlantic (±9.1%)	42	10	40	9
Quebec (±5.8%)	33	23	36	8
Ontario (±5.2%)	44	10	39	7
West (±4.8%)	40	13	38	10
Male (±4.0%)	41	15	37	7
Female (±4.0%)	38	14	39	10
Conservative (±5.0%)	49	8	36	8
Liberal (±5.9%)	32	17	43	9
NDP (±7.5%)	41	17	38	4
Bloc (±11.7%)	33	31	32	5
Green (±11.7%)	40	18	32	10

*Note: Percentages may not add up to 100 due to rounding

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