

Which of the following would you like to see as priorities for the upcoming federal budget presented by Finance Minister Chrystia Freeland?

| | | REGION | | | | | | HOUSEHOLD INCOME | | | | HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION | |
|---|-------|--------|------|-------|---------|--------|----------|------------------|----------------|-----------------|---------|-----------------------|---------|
| | Total | BC | AB | SK/MB | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic | <\$40K | \$40K - <\$60K | \$60K - <\$100K | \$100K+ | Kids | No Kids |
| | | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | I | J | K | L |
| Base: All Respondents (unwtd) | 1000 | 123 | 101 | 102 | 348 | 231 | 95 | 245 | 193 | 268 | 236 | 270 | 730 |
| Base: All Respondents (wtd) | 1000 | 134 | 113 | 62 | 385 | 239 | 67 | 295 | 208 | 243 | 192 | 263 | 737 |
| Help for businesses still struggling with the impact of the pandemic | 77 | 13 | 7 | 3 | 27 | 22 | 5 | 33 | 14 | 15 | 11 | 19 | 58 |
| | 8% | 10% | 6% | 4% | 7% | 9% | 7% | 11% | 7% | 6% | 6% | 7% | 8% |
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| Reduce the deficit | 181 | 16 | 27 | 15 | 65 | 51 | 6 | 39 | 43 | 49 | 35 | 42 | 139 |
| | 18% | 12% | 24% | 24% | 17% | 21% | 9% | 13% | 21% | 20% | 18% | 16% | 19% |
| | | * | F* | AF* | | F | * | | | | | | |
| Reduce overall government spending | 191 | 22 | 20 | 9 | 68 | 62 | 10 | 34 | 52 | 51 | 38 | 51 | 141 |
| | 19% | 16% | 18% | 14% | 18% | 26% | 15% | 11% | 25% | 21% | 20% | 19% | 19% |
| | | * | * | * | | CD | * | | G | G | G | | |
| Spending to support the transition to greener energy | 98 | 21 | 6 | 10 | 32 | 24 | 5 | 25 | 19 | 27 | 21 | 17 | 81 |
| | 10% | 16% | 5% | 16% | 8% | 10% | 7% | 8% | 9% | 11% | 11% | 7% | 11% |
| | | BD* | * | BD* | | | * | | | | | | |
| Incentives for Canadians to lower their carbon footprint | 90 | 13 | 13 | 6 | 37 | 17 | 4 | 28 | 14 | 21 | 25 | 22 | 68 |
| | 9% | 10% | 11% | 10% | 10% | 7% | 6% | 9% | 7% | 8% | 13% | 9% | 9% |
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| Greater investments in healthcare | 380 | 55 | 37 | 28 | 150 | 83 | 28 | 109 | 78 | 94 | 74 | 69 | 311 |
| | 38% | 41% | 32% | 46% | 39% | 35% | 41% | 37% | 37% | 39% | 38% | 26% | 42% |
| | | * | * | * | | | * | | | | | | K |
| Investing in Canada's Armed Forces and defence | 113 | 18 | 16 | 7 | 39 | 23 | 10 | 33 | 31 | 23 | 22 | 14 | 99 |
| | 11% | 13% | 14% | 11% | 10% | 10% | 14% | 11% | 15% | 9% | 11% | 5% | 13% |
| | | * | * | * | | | * | | | | | | K |
| Expand GST rebate for homebuyers | 52 | 6 | 10 | * | 20 | 12 | 4 | 15 | 10 | 13 | 11 | 20 | 32 |
| | 5% | 4% | 9% | 1% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 6% | 8% | 4% |
| | | * | C* | * | | | * | | | | | | |
| Help with the increasing cost of everyday expenses | 443 | 65 | 58 | 27 | 156 | 102 | 35 | 159 | 86 | 96 | 82 | 117 | 327 |
| | 44% | 49% | 52% | 44% | 40% | 43% | 52% | 54% | 42% | 39% | 43% | 44% | 44% |
| | | * | * | * | | | * | HIJ | | | | | |
| Measures to cool the housing market | 147 | 22 | 9 | 9 | 72 | 29 | 6 | 44 | 35 | 37 | 26 | 46 | 100 |
| | 15% | 16% | 8% | 15% | 19% | 12% | 9% | 15% | 17% | 15% | 13% | 18% | 14% |
| | | * | * | * | B | | * | | | | | | |
| Freeze hiring in the federal public service | 60 | 10 | 8 | 4 | 25 | 11 | 1 | 11 | 15 | 20 | 12 | 17 | 43 |
| | 6% | 8% | 7% | 6% | 7% | 5% | 2% | 4% | 7% | 8% | 6% | 6% | 6% |
| | | * | * | * | | | * | | | | | | |
| Reduce personal taxes | 331 | 51 | 40 | 24 | 113 | 84 | 19 | 91 | 48 | 103 | 72 | 102 | 229 |
| | 33% | 38% | 36% | 39% | 29% | 35% | 28% | 31% | 23% | 42% | 38% | 39% | 31% |
| | | * | * | * | | | * | | | GH | H | | |
| Provide significant funding to build new homes | 121 | 14 | 9 | 7 | 58 | 22 | 10 | 36 | 24 | 27 | 30 | 34 | 87 |
| | 12% | 11% | 8% | 12% | 15% | 9% | 16% | 12% | 11% | 11% | 16% | 13% | 12% |
| | | * | * | * | | | * | | | | | | |
| Increase the GST by 1% to help pay for new government services such as pharmacare | 55 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 20 | 15 | 4 | 18 | 13 | 11 | 11 | 22 | 33 |
| | 5% | 4% | 5% | 8% | 5% | 6% | 6% | 6% | 6% | 4% | 6% | 8% | 4% |
| | | * | * | * | | | * | | | | | L | |
| Freeze the carbon tax | 195 | 28 | 28 | 14 | 92 | 17 | 16 | 29 | 46 | 71 | 38 | 36 | 159 |
| | 20% | 21% | 25% | 23% | 24% | 7% | 24% | 10% | 22% | 29% | 20% | 14% | 22% |
| | | E* | E* | E* | E | | E* | | G | GJ | G | | K |
| Some other issue | 51 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 18 | 14 | 5 | 19 | 8 | 10 | 14 | 19 | 32 |
| | 5% | 6% | 2% | 5% | 5% | 6% | 8% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 7% | 7% | 4% |
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| None of the above | 13 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 2 | - | 4 | 3 | 9 |
| | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 2% | 1% | 1% | 2% | 1% | - | 2% | 1% | 1% |
| | | * | * | * | | | * | | | | I | | |
| Don't know | 48 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 23 | 11 | 5 | 25 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 14 | 34 |
| | 5% | * | 6% | 2% | 6% | 5% | 8% | 8% | 2% | 2% | 3% | 5% | 5% |
| | | * | A* | * | A | | A* | HIJ | | | | | |
| Sigma | 2646 | 371 | 303 | 174 | 1022 | 603 | 173 | 753 | 545 | 671 | 531 | 665 | 1981 |
| | 265% | 277% | 268% | 281% | 265% | 252% | 258% | 255% | 262% | 276% | 277% | 253% | 269% |
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