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At what age do you hope to retire?

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	Total	BC	Prair	Ont	PQ	Atl	18-29	30-34	18-34	35-54	55+	55-69	70+	Yes	No	45+	55+	Yes
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	
Base: Not currently retired	944	130	161	350	234	69	165	127	292	531	116	111	5	0	944	360	116	147
Weighted	942	132	159	352	228	71*	198	152	350	468	119	114	5**	-**	942	334	119	141
<45	7 1%	2 2% D	2 1%	3 1%	0 -	0 -	3 1%	2 1%	4 1%	3 1%	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	7 1%	0 -	0 -	3 2%
45 - 54	65 7%	21 16% BCD	12 8%	19 5%	8 4%	5 7%	18 9% IJK	26 17% IJK	44 13% IJK	21 5% JKJK	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	65 7% OP	4 1%	0 -	20 14%
55 - 59	257 27%	37 28%	42 26%	93 26%	63 27%	23 32%	72 36% IJK	47 31% JK	120 34% IJK	126 27% JKJK	9 8%	9 8%	0 -	0 -	257 27% OP	63 19%	9 8%	32 22%
60 - 64	288 31%	28 21%	49 31%	101 29%	87 38% AC	23 33%	47 24%	44 29%	91 26%	161 34% FFHH	34 28%	34 30%	0 -	0 -	288 31%	110 33%	34 28%	34 24%
65 - 69	242 26%	36 27%	39 24%	97 27%	56 24%	15 22%	41 20%	25 16%	65 19%	125 27% GGHH	52 44% FGIHI	52 45% FGIHI	0 -	0 -	242 26%	117 35% N	52 44% N	28 20%
70 - 74	23 2%	3 2%	4 3%	12 3%	4 2%	1 1%	6 3%	2 2%	8 2%	8 2%	7 6% II	7 6% IHI	0 -	0 -	23 2%	10 3%	7 6% N	6 4%
75 +	20 2%	3 2%	3 2%	11 3% D	1 0	2 3%	3 1%	1 1%	4 1%	11 2%	5 4% H	2 2%	3 60%	0 -	20 2%	10 3%	5 4%	5 4%
(DK/NS)	40 4%	2 2%	9 6%	17 5%	10 4%	2 3%	9 4%	6 4%	14 4%	13 3%	12 10% IHI	10 9% II	2 40%	0 -	40 4%	20 6%	12 10% N	14 10%
Median	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	58	60	60	65	65	0	0	60	62	65	60
Mean	59.6	58.8	59.5	60.1 A	59.8	58.9	58.4	57.7	58.1	59.9 FGFG HH	63.4 FGIHI	63.4 FGIHI	0	0	59.6	61.6 N	63.4 N	58.8
Std.Dev	4.99	5.70	5.08	4.97	4.52	4.79	5.45	5.27	5.37	4.48	3.35	3.35	0	0	4.99	4.08	3.35	6.14
Std.Err	0.17	0.52	0.42	0.28	0.30	0.59	0.44	0.48	0.32	0.20	0.33	0.33	0	0	0.17	0.23	0.33	0.55

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Do you have a formal written retirement plan prepared by yourself or with a financial advisor? Would it be:

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		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	
Base: All respondents	1201	159	197	456	296	93	165	128	293	554	346	255	91	255	944	360	116	164
Weighted	1201	159	198	455	296	93*	198	154	352	489	353	260	93*	258	942	334	119	159
Yes (net)	294 24%	31 20%	56 28%	124 27%	67 22%	16 17%	18 9%	25 16%	42 12%	117 24%	131 37%	92 35%	39 42%	101 39%	193 20%	93 28%	36 30%	45 28%
- prepared by yourself	77 6%	5 3%	14 7%	34 7%	19 6%	4 5%	4 2%	6 4%	10 3%	20 4%	FFHH FGIHI	25 10%	21 22%	38 15%	39 4%	21 6%	9 8%	13 8%
- prepared with a financial advisor	217 18%	26 17%	42 21%	90 20%	48 16%	12 13%	14 7%	19 12%	33 9%	97 20%	85 24%	67 26%	18 20%	63 25%	153 16%	72 22%	26 22%	32 20%
No	901 75%	127 80%	141 71%	329 72%	229 77%	77 83%	179 91%	128 83%	308 87%	372 76%	218 62%	166 64%	53 57%	153 60%	747 79%	241 72%	83 70%	114 72%
(DK/NS)	5 0	1 1%	1 0	2 0	1 0	0 -	1 0	1 1%	2 1%	0 -	3 1%	2 1%	1 1%	3 1%	2 0	0 -	0 -	0 -

Have you determined the amount of money that you would need to accumulate in savings or investments in order for you to have a comfortable retirement?

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Weighted	942	132	159	352	228	71*	198	152	350	468	119	114	5**	-**	942	334	119	141
Yes, have determined	293 31%	39 29%	57 36%	126 36%	55 24%	17 24%	32 16%	29 19%	61 17%	180 38%	51 43%	48 42%	3 60%	0 -	293 31%	134 40%	51 43%	57 40%
No, have not determined	644 68%	93 71%	99 62%	225 64%	173 76%	54 76%	166 84%	121 80%	288 82%	286 61%	66 56%	65 58%	1 21%	0 -	644 68%	198 59%	66 56%	83 59%
(DK/NS)	4 0	0 -	3 2%	2 0	0 -	0 -	0 -	2 1%	2 1%	2 0	1 1%	0 -	1 19%	0 -	4 0	2 1%	1 1%	2 1%

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Which of the following is your most important financial priority at this time? Is it ...

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Base: All respondents Weighted	1201	159	197	456	296	93	165	128	293	554	346	255	91	255	944	360	116	164	
	1201	159	198	455	296	93*	198	154	352	489	353	260	93*	258	942	334	119	159	
Home ownership	173 14%	31 20% DE	32 16% E	71 16% E	35 12% E	3 3%	48 24% IJKL	36 23% IJKL	84 24% IJKL	67 14% JKLJK L	22 6% FGFG LHHL	18 7% FGLH L	4 4%	11 4% N	162 17% MO	34 10% N	12 10% N	19 12%	
Retirement savings	152 13%	17 11%	29 15%	60 13%	37 13%	9 10%	11 5%	8 5%	18 5%	75 15% FGFG LHHL	58 16% FGH	52 20% FGLH L	6 6%	24 9%	128 14%	81 24% N	39 33% N	23 14%	
Building an investment portfolio	103 9%	18 11%	27 14% CDE	30 7%	23 8%	5 5%	15 8%	12 8%	27 8%	47 10%	28 8%	23 9%	5 5%	18 7%	85 9%	32 9%	12 10%	26 17%	
Saving for children or grandchildren's education	175	19	23	75	43	16	28	40	68	88	17	13	4	16	159	38	3	19	
	15%	12%	11%	16%	14%	17%	14% JKL	26% FJFKL	19% JKL	18% JKLJK L	5%	5%	5%	6%	17% MOP	11%	3%	12%	
Health care savings	24 2%	4 2%	1 1%	10 2%	7 2%	2 2%	0 -	0 -	0 -	7 1% HH	17 5% FGIHI	12 5% FGIHI	5 5% FGIHI	12 5% N	12 1% N	11 3% N	6 5% N	5 3%	
General savings for a rainy day	147 12%	18 11%	30 15% D	64 14% D	20 7%	15 16% D	29 15%	20 13%	49 14%	50 10%	47 13%	33 13%	14 15%	39 15%	107 11%	34 10%	11 9%	26 16%	
Just trying to keep your head above water	392 33%	50 31%	52 26%	133 29%	117 39% BC	40 44% BC	64 33%	38 25%	103 29%	148 30%	139 39% GIHI	97 37% GIHI	41 45% GIHI	112 43% N	280 30%	100 30%	34 29%	35 22%	
DK/NS	36 3%	3 2%	4 2%	13 3%	14 5%	3 3%	3 1%	1 1%	4 1%	6 1%	26 7% FGIHI	12 5% GIHI	14 15% FGIK HIK	26 10% N	9 1%	4 1%	1 1%	6 4%	

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Right now, do you think you are behind, ahead or about right in terms of saving for your retirement? Would you say that you are?

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		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P		
Base: Not retired Weighted	944	130	161	350	234	69	165	127	292	531	116	111	5	0	944	360	116	147	
	942	132	159	352	228	71*	198	152	350	468	119	114	5**	-**	942	334	119	141	
Far ahead	18 2%	0 -	4 2%	9 3%	5 2%	0 -	8 4%	1 1%	9 2%	8 2%	2 2%	2 2%	0 -	0 -	18 2%	6 2%	2 2%	4 2%	
Somewhat ahead	61 7%	10 8%	7 4%	20 6%	19 8%	6 8%	19 10%	9 6%	28 8%	28 6%	5 4%	5 5%	0 -	0 -	61 7%	20 6%	5 4%	17 12%	
About right	294 31%	29 22%	51 32%	121 34% A	73 32%	20 28%	59 30%	55 36%	114 32%	135 29%	46 38% II	44 38% II	2 39%	0 -	294 31%	115 34%	46 38%	51 36%	
Somewhat behind	318 34%	59 45% BCD	43 27%	119 34%	74 33%	23 33%	70 35%	43 28%	112 32%	172 37% JKJK	30 25%	29 25%	1 21%	0 -	318 34%	105 32%	30 25%	34 24%	
Far behind	238 25%	33 25%	52 33% CD	82 23%	50 22%	21 29%	42 21%	42 28%	84 24%	122 26%	31 26%	29 26%	2 40%	0 -	238 25%	80 24%	31 26%	34 24%	
Not applicable/already retired	1 0	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 1%	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 1% II	1 1% II	0 -	0 -	1 0	0 1%	1 0	1 1%	0 -	
(DK/NS)	10 1%	0 -	3 2% C	0 -	5 2% C	1 2% C	0 -	3 2%	3 1%	3 1%	4 3% FII	4 3% FII	0 -	0 -	10 1%	5 2%	4 3%	1 1%	
SUMMARY																			
Ahead	80 8%	10 8%	10 6%	29 8%	24 11%	6 8%	27 14% GIJGI	9 6%	37 10%	36 8%	7 6%	7 6%	0 -	0 -	80 8%	27 8%	7 6%	21 15%	
	294 31%	29 22%	51 32%	121 34% A	73 32%	20 28%	59 30%	55 36%	114 32%	135 29%	46 38% II	44 38% II	2 39%	0 -	294 31%	115 34%	46 38%	51 36%	
Behind	557 59%	93 70% CD	95 60%	202 57%	124 54%	44 62%	112 57%	85 56%	197 56%	294 63% JKJK	61 51%	58 51%	3 61%	0 -	557 59%	185 56%	61 51%	69 49%	
NET AHEAD (Ahead - Behind)	-477 -51%	-83 -63%	-85 -53%	-172 -49%	-100 -44%	-38 -54%	-85 -43%	-75 -50%	-160 -46%	-259 -55%	-54 -45%	-51 -45%	-3 -61%	0 0%	-477 -51%	-159 -48%	-54 -45%	-48 -34%	

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Thinking about your retirement, what is or what do you expect to be your single, primary source of income? Is it ...?

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Base: All respondents Weighted																			
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	1201	159	198	455	296	93*	198	154	352	489	353	260	93*	258	942	334	119	159	
Pension income from an employer	362 30%	46 29%	54 27%	151 33%	79 26%	32 34%	52 26%	45 29%	96 27%	147 30%	117 33%	95 36% FLHL	22 24%	85 33%	275 29%	105 31%	39 33%	11 7%	
Income from your own investments	288 24%	44 28% E	49 25%	99 22%	81 27% E	15 16%	75 38% IJKL	44 29% JKL	120 34% IJKL	128 26% JKLJK L	39 11%	29 11%	11 12%	32 12%	256 27% MOP	61 18%	11 10%	58 36%	
Government pension income	243 20%	23 14%	35 18%	76 17%	77 26% ABC	33 35% ABC	21 11%	16 10%	37 10%	82 17% HH	123 35% FGIHI	84 32% FGIHI	39 42% FGIHI	98 38% N	145 15%	77 23% N	32 27% N	22 14%	
Money obtained by cashing in your investments	137 11%	15 10%	28 14% DE	65 14% DE	23 8%	5 5%	24 12%	28 18% JKL	52 15% JKL	57 12%	27 8%	22 9%	5 6%	14 5%	123 13% M	38 12%	17 14%	31 20%	
Money obtained by selling a house or making use of home equity	110 9%	24 15% BDE	15 8%	43 9% E	25 8%	3 3%	18 9%	14 9%	32 9%	52 11% JLJL	22 6%	19 7%	3 3%	12 5%	98 10% M	36 11%	11 9%	22 14%	
Combination of pension & investments	2 0	0 -	1 1%	1 0	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 0	1 0	0 -	1 1%	1 0	1 0	1 0	0 -	0 -	
Working/ not planning on retiring	7 1%	1 0	1 1%	4 1%	0 -	1 1% D	0 -	1 1%	1 0	4 1%	1 0	0 -	1 1%	0 -	7 1%	3 1%	1 1%	4 2%	
Other	20 2%	3 2%	3 2%	7 2%	5 2%	1 1%	2 1%	3 2%	5 1%	6 1%	9 2%	4 2%	4 5% II	4 2%	15 2%	7 2%	4 4%	8 5%	
All of the above	6 1%	0 -	2 1%	3 1%	1 0	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	2 0	4 1%	2 1%	2 2% H	4 2% N	2 0	0 -	0 -	0 -	
Nothing	2 0	0 -	0 -	0 -	1 0	1 1% C	0 -	1 1%	1 0	1 0	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	2 0	0 -	0 -	0 -	
(DK/NS)	25 2%	3 2%	9 4% C	7 1%	5 2%	2 2%	5 3%	3 2%	8 2%	8 2%	9 3%	5 2%	4 4%	7 3%	17 2%	5 2%	2 2%	4 2%	

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		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	
Base: Have made or plan to make a contribution this year	577	79	104	239	119	36	71	75	146	339	88	86	2	37	539	210	60	79
Weighted	569	78*	105*	237	113	36*	88*	90*	178	299	89*	87*	2**	36*	532	193	61*	75*
Less than \$1,000	32 6%	6 7%	2 2%	9 4%	14 12% BC	1 2%	6 7%	3 4%	9 5%	19 6%	3 4%	3 4%	0 -	2 5%	30 6%	8 4%	3 6%	0 -
\$1,000 - \$1,999	95 17%	14 18%	15 15%	36 15%	22 19%	8 24%	22 25% II	23 26% IJK	45 25% IJK	39 13%	11 13%	11 13%	0 -	4 11%	91 17%	26 13%	7 12%	4 6%
\$2,000 - \$2,999	75 13%	14 17%	10 9%	27 11%	21 19% B	3 9%	10 12%	10 11%	20 11%	40 13%	13 15%	13 15%	0 -	5 13%	70 13%	25 13%	9 15%	10 13%
\$3,000 - \$3,999	49 9%	5 6%	8 8%	17 7%	12 10%	7 19% C	6 6%	5 6%	11 6%	30 10%	9 10%	9 10%	0 -	3 8%	46 9%	23 12%	7 11%	6 8%
\$4,000 - \$5,999	83 15%	9 12%	19 18%	32 14%	15 13%	7 21%	12 14%	13 14%	25 14%	48 16%	11 12%	11 12%	0 -	4 12%	79 15%	28 14%	8 13%	10 13%
\$6,000 - \$9,999	58 10%	6 7%	12 12%	31 13%	9 8%	1 3%	7 7%	18 20% FIJFIK	24 14%	28 9%	6 7%	6 7%	0 -	4 11%	54 10%	15 8%	4 7%	11 15%
\$10,000 - \$14,499	54 9%	8 10%	10 10%	28 12% E	8 7%	0 -	5 5%	12 13%	16 9%	30 10%	8 9%	8 9%	0 -	1 3%	53 10%	21 11%	7 11%	12 16%
\$14,500	3 0	0 -	1 1%	2 1%	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	0 -	0 -	3 1%	2 1%	1 2%	2 3%
\$14,501 - \$17,499	11 2%	1 1%	3 3%	5 2%	1 1%	1 3%	2 2%	0 -	2 1%	8 3%	1 1%	1 1%	0 -	0 -	11 2%	4 2%	1 2%	2 2%
\$17,500 - \$19,999	9 2%	0 -	0 -	7 3%	1 1%	0 -	1 1%	2 2%	3 2%	6 2%	0 -	0 -	0 -	0 -	9 2%	4 2%	0 -	3 4%
More than \$20,000	10 2%	0 -	2 2%	6 3%	0 -	2 5% D	0 -	0 -	0 -	6 2%	4 5% H	4 5% H	0 -	1 2%	9 2%	6 3%	3 5%	1 2%
(DK/NS)	91 16%	16 20% D	22 21% D	37 15%	11 10%	6 16%	18 20% GG	5 6%	23 13%	45 15% GG	21 24% GH	19 22% G	2 100%	13 35% N	78 15%	32 17%	10 17%	13 18%
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Mean	5560. 2	4371. 7	6105. 3	6600. 4	3974. 7	4933. 8	4092. 8	5259. 7	4733. 0	5918. 4	6206. 4	6206. 4	0	4894. 2	5594. 8	6332. 3	6505. 7	7985. 7
Std. Dev.	5465. 23	3989. 65	5441. 91	6100. 69	3820. 25	6776. 14	4010. 24	4236. 87	4163. 77	5767. 08	6703. 55	6703. 55	0	5673. 72	5458. 44	6262. 15	6798. 39	5993. 88
Std. Err.	248.1 6	502.6 5	597.3 3	429.2 4	369.3 2	1237. 15	531.1 7	502.8 2	368.0 3	339.8 3	818.9 7	818.9 7	0	1158. 14	254.2 2	473.3 7	961.4 4	749.2 3