

As you may know, a "Live 8" rock concert will be held in Canada on July 2nd. This concert will take place along side concerts in eight major venues around the world with the intention of putting pressure on the G-8 nations' leaders to come up with more aid for Africa. Do you think this type of concert event will actually accomplish something and help African poverty relief ? OR Do you think this type of concert event will probably not accomplish much and is probably not worthwhile ?

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested
(5% risk level) - A/B/C - D/E - F/G/H/I - J/K/L

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Base: All respondents													
Unweighted Base	851	206	346	271	364	487	77	211	262	284	150	259	293
Weighted Base	851	250	327	250	411	440	78*	198	275	282	149	254	303
Will accomplish something	499 59%	162 65% C	197 60% C	129 51%	231 56%	268 61%	49 62%	106 54%	166 60%	169 60%	87 58%	149 59%	185 61%
Not really worthwhile	285 34%	71 29%	109 33%	97 39% A	158 38% E	127 29%	22 27%	71 36%	94 34%	90 32%	50 33%	91 36%	98 32%
Neither	54 6%	12 5%	17 5%	21 9%	18 4%	36 8% D	7 10%	20 10% I	14 5%	12 4%	13 8%	12 5%	15 5%
Don't know/Refused	13 2%	4 2%	5 1%	2 1%	4 1%	9 2%	1 1%	1 0	1 0	11 4% GH	0 -	2 1%	5 2%

Live 8 concert organizers are calling on all G-8 countries, including Canada, to raise their foreign aid contributions to 0.7 per cent of their GDP by 2015. To reach the 0.7 figure, Canada would have to devote \$15-billion a year to foreign aid, substantially more than the \$3-billion it currently gives. Some people say that given the current state of Canada's healthcare system and other social spending programs, we simply cannot afford to spend an additional \$12 billion a year on foreign aid. Other people say that although it is substantial increase in foreign aid spending, Canada is a rich country and has an obligation to increase foreign aid to these higher levels. Which statement is closer to your personal point of view ?

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Cannot afford to spend an additional \$12 billion a year on foreign aid	498 59%	107 43%	211 65% A	164 66% A	244 59%	254 58%	55 70% I	136 69% I	176 64% I	119 42%	95 64%	150 59%	169 56%
Has an obligation to increase foreign aid to these higher levels	285 34%	117 47% BC	96 29%	68 27%	140 34%	146 33%	15 19%	51 26%	75 27%	139 49% FGH	44 30%	92 36%	114 38%
Don't know/Refused	68 8%	26 10%	20 6%	18 7%	28 7%	40 9%	9 11%	11 6%	24 9%	24 8%	10 7%	12 5%	20 7%

In your opinion, does Canada do too much, too little, or just the right amount when it comes to contributing to African poverty relief ?

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Too much	100 12%	18 7%	45 14% A	32 13%	61 15% E	39 9%	15 19% HI	29 15% I	27 10%	23 8%	25 17% KL	25 10%	29 10%
Too little	315 37%	117 47% BC	110 34%	83 33%	145 35%	170 39%	17 22%	66 33%	94 34%	134 47% FGH	48 32%	103 41%	125 41%
Right amount	311 37%	78 31%	123 37%	105 42% A	163 40%	148 34%	39 49% I	73 37% I	119 43% I	75 27%	53 36%	103 41%	104 34%
Don't know/Refused	125 15%	37 15%	50 15%	29 12%	42 10%	82 19% D	8 10%	31 16%	35 13%	50 18%	22 15%	23 9%	45 15%