

## FOREIGN OWNERSHIP

1. Thinking about the amount of foreign ownership of Canadian companies and property, generally speaking, which of the following statements best describes your own opinion regarding the issue of foreign ownership here in Canada...

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

\* small base

		REGION						AGE			GENDER	
	TOTAL	BC	ALB	SK/MN	ONT	QUE	ATL	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Base: All Respondents												
Unweighted Base	1000	131	104	65	380	250	70	239	413	341	465	535
Weighted Base	1000	139*	96*	67*	385	237	76*	294	392	308	490	510
Foreign ownership is not a problem in Canada. We should be trying to attract more foreign investment	159	26	15	15	50	46	8	57	62	39	97	62
	16%	19%	15%	22%	13%	20% D	11%	20% I	16%	13%	20% K	12%
The current level of foreign ownership in Canada is just about right. We don't need to try to reverse it, but we shouldn't try to attract more either	266	32	31	15	97	66	25	94	102	69	125	141
	27%	23%	32%	23%	25%	28%	33%	32% I	26%	23%	26%	28%
Foreign ownership is definitely a problem in Canada. We should be watching it carefully and trying to increase Canadian ownership	560	80	49	36	231	121	43	140	223	194	264	296
	56%	57%	51%	54%	60% E	51%	57%	48%	57% G	63% G	54%	58%
Don't know/Refused	15	1	2	1	7	5	0	3	5	6	4	11
	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	-	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%

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## 2. What kind of impact do you think foreign ownership has on the Canadian economy?

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Present level of foreign ownership benefits the Canadian economy	400	69	40	28	126	108	29	130	162	103	198	201
	40%	49% D	42%	42%	33%	45% D	38%	44% I	41% I	34%	40%	39%
Present level of foreign ownership hurts the Canadian economy	373	44	29	25	167	76	31	98	141	133	193	180
	37%	32%	31%	37%	43% ABE	32%	41%	33%	36%	43% G	39%	35%
Present level of foreign ownership does not have an impact one way or the other on the Canadian economy	176	18	23	8	73	44	11	52	68	55	84	92
	18%	13%	23%	13%	19%	19%	14%	18%	17%	18%	17%	18%
Don't know/Refused	51	8	4	6	19	9	5	14	20	17	14	37
	5%	6%	4%	9%	5%	4%	6%	5%	5%	5%	3%	7% J

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3. And now, I would like to know what you think about what the federal government is doing to regulate foreign investment and ownership in Canada. Would you say the...

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Federal government is too strict in its regulation of foreign investment and ownership in Canada	66	8	6	2	28	16	7	22	25	18	38	28
	7%	5%	6%	3%	7%	7%	9%	7%	6%	6%	8%	5%
Federal government is not strict enough in its regulation of foreign investment and ownership in Canada	477	60	33	33	200	111	40	119	187	170	223	254
	48%	43%	34%	49%	52% B	47% B	53% B	40%	48%	55% GH	46%	50%
There is about the right amount of Federal government regulation in this area	345	59	43	22	113	83	25	122	125	96	187	158
	34%	42% D	44% D	33%	29%	35%	33%	41% HI	32%	31%	38% K	31%
Don't know/Refused	112	13	15	10	44	27	4	32	55	24	41	71
	11%	9%	15% F	15%	11%	11%	5%	11%	14% I	8%	8%	14% J