

## REFERENDUM

1. Overall, do you support or oppose a referendum be undertaken to determine whether the Senate should remain or be abolished as a parliamentary institution?

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	232	409	347	491	509
Weighted Base	1000	134	102*	65*	381	246	72*	272	383	331	489	511
Strongly support	345 35%	57 43% D	48 47% DEF	20 31%	121 32%	78 32%	21 29%	52 19%	147 38% G	146 44% G	197 40% K	148 29%
Somewhat support	299 30%	34 25%	25 25%	29 45% ABDF	112 30%	80 32%	19 27%	107 39% HI	118 31% I	73 22%	127 26% J	172 34%
Somewhat oppose	132 13%	10 7%	14 14%	6 10%	60 16% A	36 15%	6 9%	54 20% HI	45 12%	31 9%	61 12%	72 14%
Strongly oppose	126 13%	9 6%	10 10%	8 13%	48 13%	40 16% A	11 15%	24 9%	45 12%	54 16% G	67 14%	59 11%
Don't know/Refused	97 10%	25 19% BCDE	4 4%	1 2%	40 10% CE	12 5%	15 20% BCDE	35 13%	29 8%	26 8%	36 7%	61 12% J
TOPBOX & LOWBOX SUMMARY												
Support (Top2Box)	644 64%	91 68%	73 72%	49 76% DF	234 61%	158 64%	40 56%	159 59%	264 69% G	219 66%	324 66%	320 63%
Oppose (Low2Box)	258 26%	18 13%	25 24%	14 22%	108 28% A	76 31% A	17 24%	78 29%	90 23%	85 26%	128 26%	130 25%

## REFERENDUM

2. And let's suppose that you could vote in a referendum in the next election to either keep the Senate or have it abolished, how would you vote?

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	232	409	347	491	509
Weighted Base	1000	134	102*	65*	381	246	72*	272	383	331	489	511
Keep the Senate	415 41%	55 41%	44 43%	27 42%	176 46%	77 31%	35 48%	147 54%	144 38%	115 35%	186 38%	229 45%
Abolish the Senate	448 45%	55 41%	47 47%	30 47%	138 36%	147 60%	30 42%	76 28%	182 48%	188 57%	252 52%	196 38%
Don't know/Refused	138 14%	24 18%	10 10%	7 11%	67 18%	22 9%	7 10%	50 18%	57 15%	29 9%	50 10%	87 17%

## REFERENDUM

3. Now, regardless of a referendum, which is closer to what you feel should be done with the Senate? Do you think the Senate should...

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	232	409	347	491	509
Weighted Base	1000	134	102*	65*	381	246	72*	272	383	331	489	511
Be done away with completely	239 24%	25 19%	25 24% D	11 17%	58 15%	103 42% ABCDEF	17 24%	37 14%	98 25% G	102 31% G	135 28% K	104 20%
Be kept as it is	159 16%	13 10%	8 8%	5 8%	85 22% ABCE	35 14%	14 19%	65 24% HI	49 13%	45 14%	64 13% J	95 19%
Be reformed to make it, for instance, an elected body	520 52%	83 62% E	64 63% E	43 67% E	202 53% E	92 37%	36 50%	143 53%	204 53%	164 50%	265 54%	256 50%
Don't know/Refused	82 8%	13 10%	4 4%	5 8%	37 10%	16 7%	5 7%	27 10%	33 9%	20 6%	25 5%	56 11% J