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Currently, is it a good time to buy a home?

	Total n=1643	Lower Mainland n=948	Rest of BC n=694
Very Good	12.5%	13.5%	11.0%
Somewhat Good	47.0%	47.6%	46.2%
Not Very Good	23.8%	23.0%	24.8%
Not Good At All	12.0%	11.8%	12.2%
Don't Know	4.8%	4.1%	5.8%
Very/Somewhat Good	59.5%	61.1%	57.2%
Not Very/Not Good At All	35.8%	34.8*	37.0%

Currently, is it a good time to sell a home?

	Total	Lower Mainland n=948	Rest of BC n=694
	n=1643		
Very Good	2.3%	1.8%	3.0%
Somewhat Good	16.3%	14.6%	18.5%
Not Very Good	47.2%	47.3%	47.1%
Not Good At All	30.8%	33.3%	27.4%
Don't Know	3.4%	3.0%	4.0%
Very/Somewhat Good	18.6%	16.4%	21.5%
Not Very/Not Good At All	78.0%	80.6%	74.5%



Thinking about this time next year, do you expect that housing prices in your local community will be higher, lower or the same as they are today?

	Total	Lower Mainland	Rest of BC
	n=1643	n=948	n=694
Higher	14.0%	15.1%	12.5%
The same	24.1%	24.9%	23.0%
Lower	56.5%	55.7%	57.6%
Don't Know	5.4%	4.3%	6.9%

How much (higher/lower) do you think housing prices will be in your local community at this time next year?

Expected Average Change in Home Prices

BC Total	-6.7%
Rest of BC	-7.9%
Southern BC	-8.2%
North	-8.1%
Vancouver Island	-7.0%
Lower Mainland	-5.9%
Fraser Valley	-8.1%
Vancouver	-6.7%
South of Fraser	-6.1%
Northeast	-5.6%
Burnaby/New West	-4.0%
North Shore	-3.6%
Elsewhere	-7.9%

Would you say you are more or less likely to consider purchasing a home or another home today, compared to 12 months ago, or has there been no change?

	Total n=920	Considering buying in next two years n=328	Not considering buying in next two years
			n=592
More likely	27.3%	51.1%	14.1%
No change	53.4%	31.8%	65.4%
Less likely	17.6%	16.3%	18.4%
Don't Know	1.6%	0.8%	2.1%