

1. [SUMMARY - TOP3BOX (1,2,3)]

As you may know, the federal budget is set to be released on March 22nd by Finance Minister Bill Morneau. Please rank the following 15 items from 1 to 15, with 1 being the issue you think should be the highest priority for the budget, and 15 being the lowest priority for the budget.

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		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<HS	HS	Post Sec	Univ Grad
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Base: All Respondents	1008	464	544	244	400	364	46	192	432	338
Weighted	1008	489	519	281	373	354	91	367	395	155
Spending more on Health Care	401	173	228	86	154	161	39	151	153	59
	40%	35%	44%	31%	41%	45%	43%	41%	39%	38%
			A		C	C	*			
Cutting taxes	345	175	171	90	139	116	33	133	137	44
	34%	36%	33%	32%	37%	33%	36%	36%	35%	28%
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Increasing taxes on Canada's wealthiest citizens	286	143	143	76	121	89	23	92	125	46
	28%	29%	28%	27%	32%	25%	26%	25%	32%	30%
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Cutting the deficit	284	137	147	69	97	117	32	87	117	48
	28%	28%	28%	25%	26%	33%	35%	24%	30%	31%
							*			
Spending more to help middle-class families	283	140	143	97	128	59	27	96	123	38
	28%	29%	28%	34%	34%	17%	29%	26%	31%	24%
				E	E		*		I	
Spending more to help seniors	249	101	149	46	74	130	19	115	90	25
	25%	21%	29%	16%	20%	37%	21%	31%	23%	16%
			A			CD	*	HI	I	
Reducing child poverty	247	107	140	81	94	72	24	103	86	35
	25%	22%	27%	29%	25%	20%	26%	28%	22%	22%
				E			*			
Spending more on projects like transit, roads and other infrastructure	228	135	93	59	74	95	20	60	95	53
	23%	28%	18%	21%	20%	27%	22%	16%	24%	34%
		B					*		G	GH
Spending more to help Young Canadians to get work experience	148	78	71	61	43	44	17	57	46	29
	15%	16%	14%	22%	11%	13%	19%	15%	12%	19%
				DE			*			H
Spending more on projects and programs to reduce greenhouse gases that contribute to climate change	139	58	81	53	39	47	5	46	62	27
	14%	12%	16%	19%	10%	13%	5%	12%	16%	17%
				D			*		F	F
Reducing the age of retirement from 67 to 65.	129	67	62	35	56	38	10	56	48	15
	13%	14%	12%	12%	15%	11%	11%	15%	12%	10%
							*			
Increasing the taxes that businesses pay	124	68	56	26	50	47	6	35	61	22
	12%	14%	11%	9%	14%	13%	6%	10%	16%	14%
							*		G	
Spending more to help Canada's First Nations	75	29	45	32	21	22	10	31	21	13

people	7%	6%	9%	11%	6%	6%	11%	8%	5%	9%
				D			*			
Buying new equipment such as fighter jets and ships for Canada's Armed Forces	49	34	15	13	18	19	6	21	16	6
	5%	7%	3%	5%	5%	5%	7%	6%	4%	4%
		B					*			
Spending more on foreign aid to help poor countries	36	21	15	19	11	6	3	19	6	8
	4%	4%	3%	7%	3%	2%	4%	5%	1%	5%
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2. [The government is doing a good job balancing environmental responsibility with economic growth.]

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements:

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The government is doing a good job balancing environmental responsibility with economic growth.										
Strongly agree	73	49	25	23	26	24	9	20	30	14
	7%	10%	5%	8%	7%	7%	10%	5%	8%	9%
		B					*			
Somewhat agree	471	229	242	122	172	177	34	177	184	76
	47%	47%	47%	43%	46%	50%	38%	48%	47%	49%
							*			
Somewhat disagree	286	121	165	94	109	84	23	110	110	43
	28%	25%	32%	33%	29%	24%	26%	30%	28%	28%
			A	E			*			
Strongly disagree	177	90	88	42	67	69	24	60	71	22
	18%	18%	17%	15%	18%	19%	27%	16%	18%	14%
							*			
Summary										
Top2Box (Agree)	544	278	266	146	197	201	43	197	214	90
	54%	57%	51%	52%	53%	57%	48%	54%	54%	58%
							*			
Low2Box (Disagree)	464	211	253	136	176	153	48	170	181	65
	46%	43%	49%	48%	47%	43%	52%	46%	46%	42%
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2. [The government should take action to make it easier for Canadians to buy real estate in expensive markets like Vancouver and Toronto.]

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Weighted	1008	489	519	281	373	354	91	367	395	155
The government should take action to make it easier for Canadians to buy real estate in expensive markets like Vancouver and Toronto.										
Strongly agree	144	54	90	55	52	37	16	51	56	22
	14%	11%	17%	20%	14%	10%	17%	14%	14%	14%
Somewhat agree			A	E			*			
	332	165	167	115	118	98	34	122	133	44
	33%	34%	32%	41%	32%	28%	38%	33%	34%	28%
Somewhat disagree				DE			*			
	341	159	182	85	122	135	29	129	130	54
	34%	32%	35%	30%	33%	38%	32%	35%	33%	35%
Strongly disagree							*			
	191	111	80	26	81	84	12	66	77	35
	19%	23%	15%	9%	22%	24%	13%	18%	20%	23%
Summary		B			C	C	*			
	476	219	257	171	170	135	50	172	188	66
Top2Box (Agree)	47%	45%	50%	61%	46%	38%	55%	47%	48%	42%
				DE			*			
Low2Box (Disagree)	532	269	262	110	202	219	41	194	207	89
	53%	55%	50%	39%	54%	62%	45%	53%	52%	58%
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2. [The government should invest tax-dollars in large corporations in Canada who are struggling to make money and keep Canadians employed.]

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Weighted	1008	489	519	281	373	354	91	367	395	155
The government should invest tax-dollars in large corporations in Canada who are struggling to make money and keep Canadians employed.										
Strongly agree	128	58	70	48	45	35	12	55	47	14
	13%	12%	13%	17%	12%	10%	14%	15%	12%	9%
				E			*			
Somewhat agree	435	186	249	125	157	153	46	166	163	58
	43%	38%	48%	45%	42%	43%	51%	45%	41%	38%
			A				*			
Somewhat disagree	317	156	161	72	126	119	22	109	131	55
	31%	32%	31%	26%	34%	34%	24%	30%	33%	35%
							*			
Strongly disagree	128	89	39	36	45	47	10	37	53	28
	13%	18%	8%	13%	12%	13%	11%	10%	14%	18%
		B					*			G
Summary										
Top2Box (Agree)	563	244	319	173	202	188	59	221	210	73
	56%	50%	61%	62%	54%	53%	65%	60%	53%	47%
			A				I*	I		
Low2Box (Disagree)	445	245	200	108	171	166	32	146	185	82
	44%	50%	39%	38%	46%	47%	35%	40%	47%	53%
		B					*			FG

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2. [Given the collapse of oil prices, the Liberal government should spend more to help the Alberta economy.]

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Weighted	1008	489	519	281	373	354	91	367	395	155
Given the collapse of oil prices, the Liberal government should spend more to help the Alberta economy.										
Strongly agree	118	49	69	36	42	40	10	53	39	15
	12%	10%	13%	13%	11%	11%	11%	14%	10%	10%
							*			
Somewhat agree	415	211	204	129	138	148	43	148	158	66
	41%	43%	39%	46%	37%	42%	47%	40%	40%	43%
							*			
Somewhat disagree	348	156	192	85	132	131	27	135	136	50
	35%	32%	37%	30%	36%	37%	30%	37%	34%	32%
							*			
Strongly disagree	127	73	54	32	61	34	11	31	61	24
	13%	15%	10%	11%	16%	10%	12%	9%	16%	15%
					E		*		G	G
Summary										
Top2Box (Agree)	532	260	272	164	180	188	52	201	198	81
	53%	53%	52%	58%	48%	53%	58%	55%	50%	52%
				D			*			
Low2Box (Disagree)	476	229	247	117	193	165	38	166	197	74
	47%	47%	48%	42%	52%	47%	42%	45%	50%	48%
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