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Canadians on Foreign Policy Issues CTV News / Nanos Survey November 2014 (Submission 2014-562)

Jobs/Economy More Than Four Times More Important Than Foreign Policy in Influencing Voters

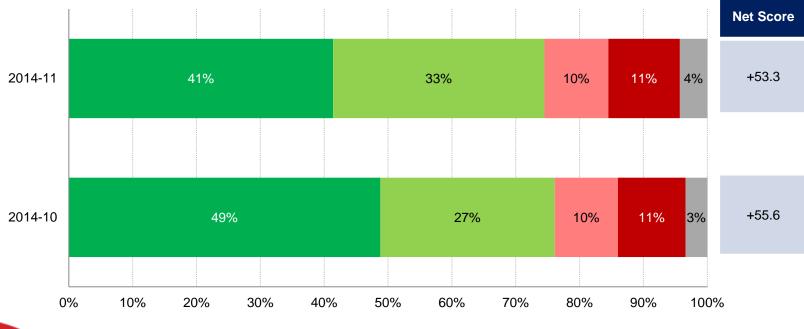
Opposition to Ground Troops and Support for Jet Deployment Stable

The latest CTV News / Nanos survey, which compares the opinions of Canadians before and after the October 22nd shooting in Ottawa, suggests Canadians continue to oppose deploying troops in Iraq and Syria to fight ISIS but largely support the deployment of fighter jets. Since they were first asked in October, prior to the shooting, Canadians have become less intense in their support for a non-combat role and for only humanitarian aid.

- six in ten Canadians, which is unchanged from October, oppose (41.2%) or somewhat oppose (16.0%) deploying Canadian troops in Iraq and Syria to fight ISIS;
- three of four Canadians support (41.4%) or somewhat support (33.1%) a non-combat role to support our allies in the region but the intensity of support has declined since October when 49% supported a non-combat role;
- two of three Canadians support (42.7%) or somewhat support (22.6%) the deployment of fighter jets to support the military mission, which is unchanged from October;
- six in ten Canadians support (32.3%) or somewhat support (26.6%) providing ONLY humanitarian aid with no combat role but the intensity of support for only humanitarian aid has declined from 37.7% last month; and,
- consistent with last month, 72.4% said they were more likely to be influenced in their vote by the Harper government's track record on jobs and the economy rather than foreign policy issues like the war on terrorism (16.1%).

Non-Combat Military Support

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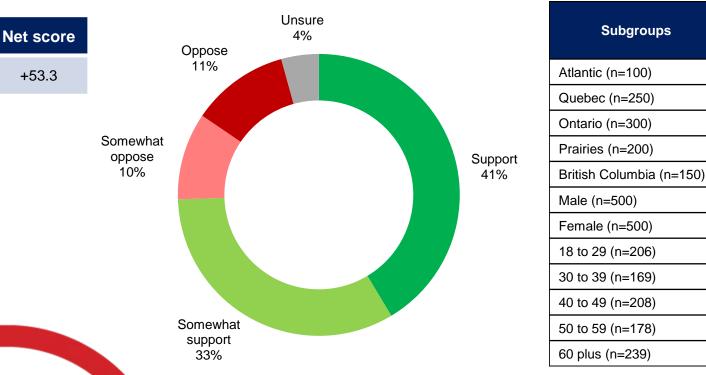
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Support/

Somewhat

support

77.2%

73.1%

72.2%

81.5%

70.3%

77.0%

72.1%

79.3%

71.6%

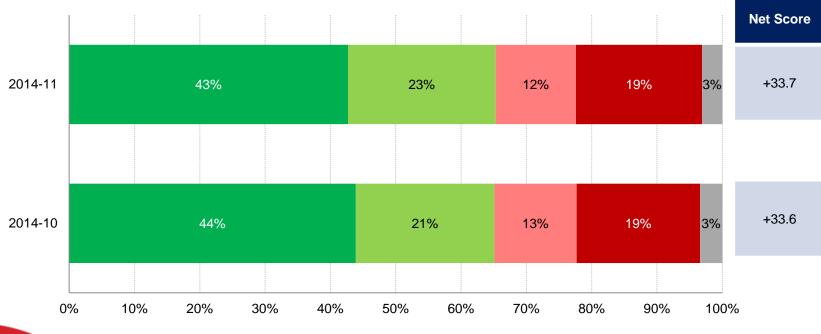
74.7%

71.6%

74.4%

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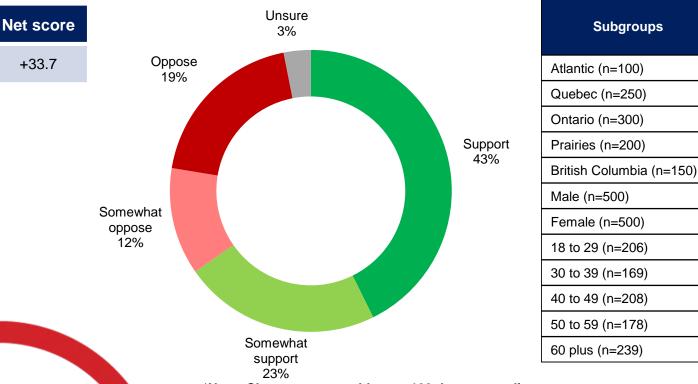
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Support/

Somewhat

support

64.9%

63.5%

65.8%

72.1%

58.8%

70.6%

60.1%

63.2%

66.1%

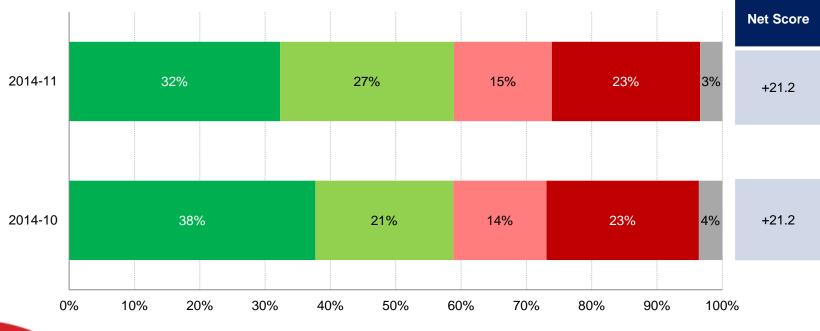
68.9%

60.6%

67.1%

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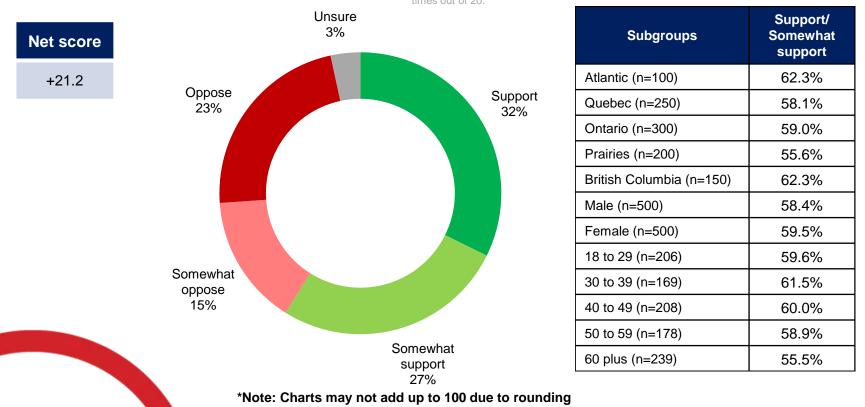
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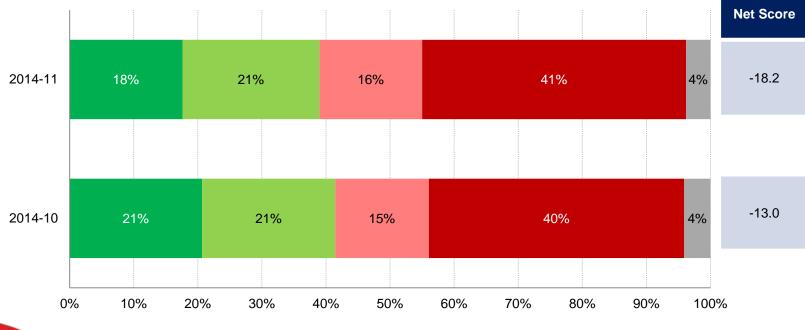


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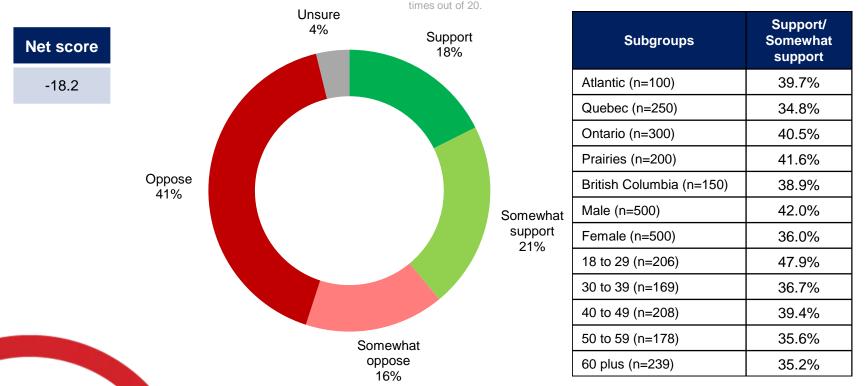
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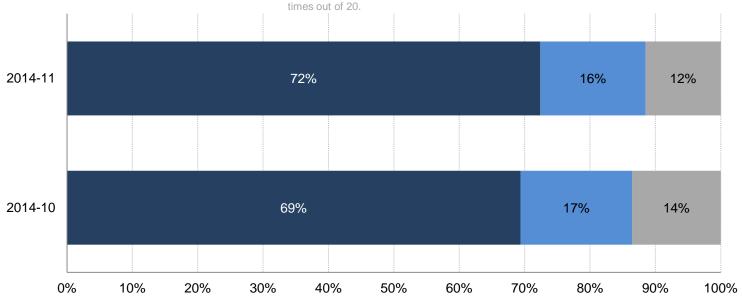
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Influence on vote

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Track record of the government on issues like the economy and jobs

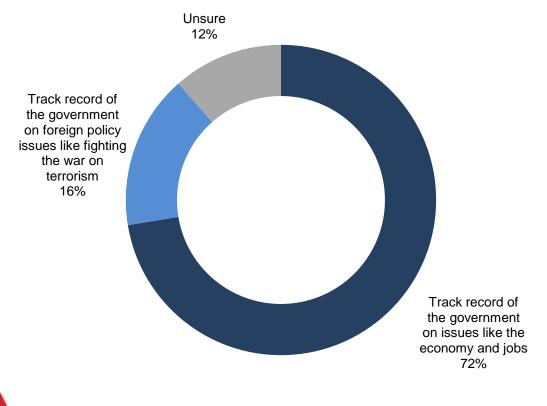
Track record of the government on foreign policy issues like fighting the war on terrorism
Unsure

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QUESTION – If a federal election were held today, which of the following would be more important in influencing your vote [ROTATE] the track record of the government on issues like the economy and jobs or the track record of the government on foreign policy issues like fighting the war on terrorism?

Influence on Vote

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Methodology

Readers should note that the first wave of research was conducted prior to the October 22nd shooting in Ottawa with the second wave completed after the shooting.

Nanos conducted an RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) hybrid telephone and online random survey of 1,000 Canadians between November 15th and 18th, 2014 as part of a Canadian omnibus survey. Participants were randomly recruited by telephone using live agents and administered a survey online. The sample included both land- and celllines across Canada. The results were statistically checked and weighted by age and gender using the latest Census information and the sample is geographically stratified to be representative of Canada.

Individuals randomly called using random digit dialling with a maximum of five call backs.

The margin of error for a random survey of 1,000 Canadians is ±3.1 percentage points, 19 times out of 20.

The data presented in this research is part of a joint project by CTV News and Nanos Research.

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The previous wave of research was conducted by means of an RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) hybrid telephone and online random survey of 1,000 Canadians between October 18th and 21st, 2014 as part of a Canadian omnibus survey. Participants were randomly recruited by telephone using live agents and administered a survey online. The sample included both land- and cell-lines across Canada. The results were statistically checked and weighted by age and gender using the latest Census information and the sample is geographically stratified to be representative of Canada.



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Tabulations

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		Question 1 – The deployment of Canadian fighter jets to support the international mission					
		Total	Support	Somewhat support	Somewhat oppose	Oppose	Unsure
		Responses	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage
Region	Canada 2014-11	1000	42.7	22.6	12.3	19.3	3.1
	Atlantic Canada	100	45.2	19.7	10.5	22.1	2.5
	Quebec	250	39.2	24.3	14.0	18.4	4.1
	Ontario	300	41.4	24.4	13.3	17.9	3.0
	Prairies	200	53.3	18.8	9.2	16.4	2.3
	British Columbia	150	35.2	23.6	12.8	25.6	2.8
Gender	Male	500	48.7	21.9	10.5	16.8	2.1
	Female	500	36.7	23.4	14.1	21.8	4.1
Age	18 to 29	206	39.3	23.9	17.8	17.2	1.7
	30 to 39	169	43.5	22.6	8.5	21.3	4.2
	40 to 49	208	46.9	22.0	10.9	17.6	2.7
	50 to 59	178	39.6	21.0	12.9	22.2	4.3
	60 plus	239	43.7	23.4	11.1	19.1	2.7



		Question 2 - The deployment of non-combat military support to our allies in the region					
		Total	Support	Somewhat support	Somewhat oppose	Oppose	Unsure
		Responses	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage
Region	Canada 2014-11	1000	41.4	33.1	10.0	11.2	4.3
	Atlantic Canada	100	50.9	26.3	10.0	9.7	3.1
	Quebec	250	38.2	34.9	10.3	11.4	5.3
	Ontario	300	39.5	32.7	11.1	12.7	4.0
	Prairies	200	43.7	37.8	7.5	8.7	2.3
	British Columbia	150	41.3	29.0	10.7	12.1	6.8
Gender	Male	500	43.1	33.9	9.3	10.7	3.1
	Female	500	39.8	32.3	10.7	11.7	5.5
Age	18 to 29	206	45.0	34.3	11.0	7.9	1.7
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		Question 3 – The deployment of Canadian troops on the ground in Iraq and Syria to fight ISIS					
		Total	Support	Somewhat support	Somewhat oppose	Oppose	Unsure
		Responses	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage
Region	Canada 2014-11	1000	17.6	21.4	16.0	41.2	3.8
	Atlantic Canada	100	19.6	20.1	13.4	43.3	3.6
	Quebec	250	15.6	19.2	20.1	41.6	3.6
	Ontario	300	18.2	22.3	14.0	41.1	4.3
	Prairies	200	19.3	22.3	16.8	37.4	4.2
	British Columbia	150	15.9	23.0	13.8	44.6	2.6
Gender	Male	500	18.3	23.7	15.4	40.6	2.0
	Female	500	16.8	19.2	16.7	41.8	5.6
Age	18 to 29	206	19.0	28.9	14.4	36.0	1.8
	30 to 39	169	19.1	17.6	18.7	38.0	6.6
	40 to 49	208	22.4	17.0	16.7	40.5	3.4
	50 to 59	178	15.2	20.4	15.9	44.2	4.3
	60 plus	239	12.9	22.3	14.9	46.4	3.5



		Question 4 – Providing only humanitarian support and offering no military involvement					
		Total	Support	Somewhat support	Somewhat oppose	Oppose	Unsure
		Responses	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage
Region	Canada 2014-11	1000	32.3	26.6	15.0	22.7	3.4
	Atlantic Canada	100	30.5	31.8	19.0	14.3	4.4
	Quebec	250	32.7	25.4	15.0	24.3	2.6
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	50 to 59	178	30.9	28.0	12.0	23.8	5.4
	60 plus	239	29.5	26.0	17.9	23.5	3.0



		Question 5 – If a federal election were held today, which of the following would be more important in influencing your vote?						
		Total	The track record of the government on issues like the economy and jobs	The track record of the government on foreign policy issues like fighting the war on terrorism	Unsure			
		Responses	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage			
Region	Canada 2014-11	1000	72.4	16.1	11.5			
	Atlantic Canada	100	74.0	22.3	3.7			
	Quebec	250	70.5	17.7	11.8			
	Ontario	300	77.9	8.9	13.1			
	Prairies	200	67.0	20.6	12.4			
	British Columbia	150	71.0	17.2	11.8			
Gender	Male	500	75.7	14.5	9.8			
	Female	500	69.2	17.6	13.2			
Age	18 to 29	206	69.3	16.0	14.7			
	30 to 39	169	71.7	20.7	7.6			
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