

Majority support or somewhat support the government's decision to recognize Palestinian statehood – They expect recognition to have a negative or somewhat negative impact on trade relations with the US.

This research gauge the opinion of Canadians on the recognition of Palestinian statehood by the federal government and its impact on Canada's trade relationship with the US.

Nanos conducted an RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) hybrid telephone and online random survey of 1052 Canadians, 18 years of age or older, between September 29th and October 1st, 2025, as part of an omnibus survey.

The margin of error for this survey is ± 3.0 percentage points, 19 times out of 20.

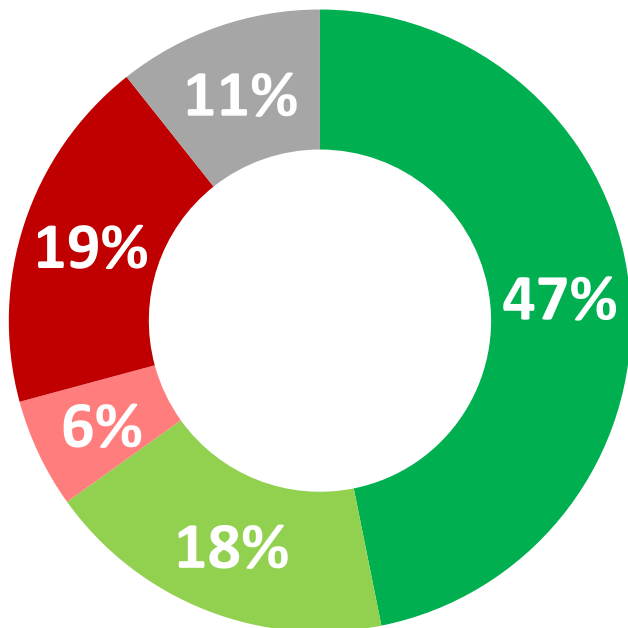
The statistical tabulations including the unweighted and weighted number of interviews can be accessed [here](#).

The research was commissioned by CTV News and the Globe and Mail and was conducted by Nanos Research.

Support for the government's decision to recognize Palestinian statehood

2 in 3 Canadians

support (47%) or somewhat (18%) support the government's decision to recognize Palestinian statehood. About one in four Canadians oppose (19%) or somewhat oppose (6%) this decision. One in ten Canadians (11%) remain unsure.



■ Support
■ Somewhat support
■ Somewhat oppose
■ Oppose
■ Unsure

*Weighted to the true population proportion.

*Charts may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

Q – Do you support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose or oppose the government's decision to officially recognize Palestinian statehood?

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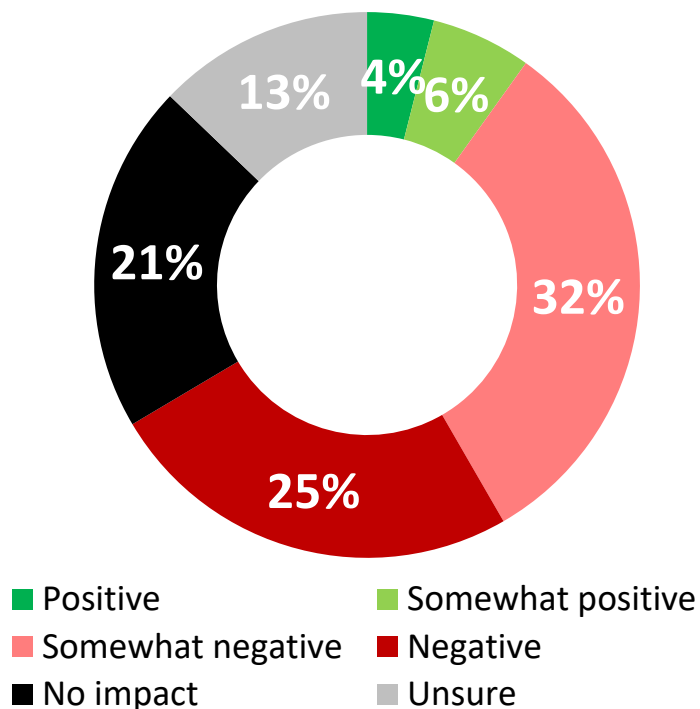
Q – Do you support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose or oppose the government's decision to officially recognize Palestinian statehood?

Support/ Somewhat support				
Atlantic (n=106)	Quebec (n=206)	Ontario (n=360)	Prairies (n=218)	BC (n=162)
68.3%	75.2%	65.2%	49.5%	66.1%
Men (n=557)	Women (n=495)	18 to 34 (n=154)	35 to 54 (n=416)	55 plus (n=482)
63.9%	66.2%	65.0%	58.3%	70.5%
Oppose/ Somewhat oppose				
Atlantic (n=106)	Quebec (n=206)	Ontario (n=360)	Prairies (n=218)	BC (n=162)
24.3%	11.1%	25.2%	38.6%	25.3%
Men (n=557)	Women (n=495)	18 to 34 (n=154)	35 to 54 (n=416)	55 plus (n=482)
29.4%	19.2%	19.8%	28.4%	23.8%

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Impact of recognizing Palestinian statehood on trade relationship with the United States

Q – Do you think Canada recognizing Palestinian statehood will have a positive, somewhat positive, somewhat negative, negative or no impact on Canada's trade relationship with the United States?



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Over **1 in 2** Canadians

think Canada recognizing Palestinian statehood will have a negative (25%) or somewhat negative (32%) impact on Canada's trade relationship with the United States. One in five Canadians think it will have no impact (21%), and only about one in ten think it will have a positive or somewhat positive impact on Canada's trade relationship with the United States (10%).

Another one in ten remain unsure about the impact (13%).

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, September 29th to October 1st, 2025, n=1052, accurate 3.0 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.

Impact of recognizing Palestinian statehood on trade relationship with the United States – By demographics

Q – Do you think Canada recognizing Palestinian statehood will have a positive, somewhat positive, somewhat negative, negative or no impact on Canada's trade relationship with the United States?

Positive/Somewhat positive

Atlantic (n=106)	Quebec (n=206)	Ontario (n=360)	Prairies (n=218)	BC (n=162)
14.0%	12.4%	7.9%	6.9%	13.0%
Men (n=557)	Women (n=495)	18 to 34 (n=154)	35 to 54 (n=416)	55 plus (n=482)
9.4%	10.4%	8.3%	9.2%	11.5%

Negative/ Somewhat negative

Atlantic (n=106)	Quebec (n=206)	Ontario (n=360)	Prairies (n=218)	BC (n=162)
54.9%	45.2%	61.1%	62.3%	56.6%
Men (n=557)	Women (n=495)	18 to 34 (n=154)	35 to 54 (n=416)	55 plus (n=482)
61.7%	51.7%	47.0%	59.8%	60.3%

Source: Nanos Research, RDD dual frame hybrid telephone and online random survey, September 29th to October 1st, 2025, n=1052, accurate 3.0 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.



Impact of recognizing Palestinian statehood on trade relationship with the United States - Continued

Q – Do you think Canada recognizing Palestinian statehood will have a positive, somewhat positive, somewhat negative, negative or no impact on Canada's trade relationship with the United States?

No impact

Atlantic (n=106)	Quebec (n=206)	Ontario (n=360)	Prairies (n=218)	BC (n=162)
16.9%	32.2%	18.2%	13.7%	19.0%
Men (n=557)	Women (n=495)	18 to 34 (n=154)	35 to 54 (n=416)	55 plus (n=482)
21.3%	20.1%	23.7%	19.5%	19.6%

Unsure

Atlantic (n=106)	Quebec (n=206)	Ontario (n=360)	Prairies (n=218)	BC (n=162)
14.1%	10.2%	12.8%	17.1%	11.4%
Men (n=557)	Women (n=495)	18 to 34 (n=154)	35 to 54 (n=416)	55 plus (n=482)
7.6%	17.8%	21.0%	11.5%	8.6%

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METHODOLOGY

Nanos conducted an RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) hybrid telephone and online random survey of 1,052 Canadians, 18 years of age or older, between September 29th and October 1st, 2025 as part of an 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.

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

The margin of error for this survey is ± 3.0 percentage points, 19 times out of 20.

This study was commissioned by CTV News and the Globe and Mail and the research was conducted by Nanos Research.

Full data tables with weighted and unweighted number of interviews are [here](#).

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Element	Description
Research sponsor	CTV News and The Globe and Mail
Population and Final Sample Size	1056 Randomly selected individuals.
Source of Sample	Nanos Insights Lab
Type of Sample	Probability
Margin of Error	±3.0 percentage points, 19 times out of 20.
Mode of Survey	RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) hybrid telephone and online omnibus survey
Sampling Method Base	The sample included both land- and cell-lines RDD (Random Digit Dialed) across Canada.
Demographics (Captured)	Atlantic Canada, Quebec, Ontario, Prairies, British Columbia; Men and Women; 18 years and older. Six-digit postal code was used to validate geography.
Fieldwork/Validation	Individuals were recruited using live interviews with live supervision to validate work, the research questions were administered online
Number of Calls	Maximum of five call backs to those recruited.
Time of Calls	Individuals recruited were called between 12-5:30 pm and 6:30-9:30pm local time for the respondent.
Field Dates	September 29 th to October 1 st , 2025
Language of Survey	The survey was conducted in both English and French.
Standards	Nanos Research is a member of the Canadian Research Insights Council (CRIC) and confirms that this research fully complies with all CRIC Standards including the CRIC Public Opinion Research Standards and Disclosure Requirements. https://canadianresearchinsightscouncil.ca/standards/

Element	Description
Weighting of Data	The results were weighted by age and gender using the latest Census information (2021) and the sample is geographically stratified to ensure a distribution across all regions of Canada. See tables for full weighting disclosure
Screening	Screening ensured potential respondents did not work in the market research industry, in the advertising industry, in the media or a political party prior to administering the survey to ensure the integrity of the data.
Excluded Demographics	Individuals younger than 18 years old; individuals without land or cell lines, and individuals without internet access could not participate.
Stratification	By age and gender using the latest Census information (2021) and the sample is geographically stratified to be representative of Canada. Smaller areas such as Atlantic Canada were marginally oversampled to allow for a minimum regional sample.
Estimated Response Rate	12 percent, consistent with industry norms.
Question Order	Question order in the preceding report reflects the order in which they appeared in the original questionnaire.
Question Content	Topics on the omnibus ahead of the survey content included: views on political issues, views on economic issues, views on relationship with the US, COVID-19 vaccines, homeless encampments, public servants, and the notwithstanding clause.
Question Wording	The questions in the preceding report are written exactly as they were asked to individuals.
Research/Data Collection Supplier	Nanos Research
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Tabulations	By region, age and gender



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