

EKOS Questionnaire (June 10-16, 2015)

Note: Respondents can skip any question by pressing "0".

- 1.** [ALTERNATE WITH B – HALF-SAMPLE EACH] First, all things considered, would you say the country is moving in the right direction or the wrong direction?
- A**

Right direction 1
Wrong direction 2

- B** [ALTERNATE WITH A – HALF-SAMPLE EACH] First, all things considered, would you say the Government of Canada is moving in the right direction or the wrong direction?

Right direction 1
Wrong direction 2

- 2.** If a federal election were held tomorrow, which party would you vote for?

Liberal Party 1
Conservative Party 2
New Democratic Party 3
Green Party 4
[QUEBEC ONLY] Bloc Québécois 5
Other 6
Undecided 7
Not eligible to vote 8

- 3.** [IF Q2=7] Even if you do not have a firm idea, are you leaning towards a party?

Yes 1
No 2

4. [IF Q3=1] As it stands, towards which party are you leaning?

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| Liberal Party..... | 1 |
| Conservative Party..... | 2 |
| New Democratic Party | 3 |
| Green Party..... | 4 |
| [QUEBEC ONLY] Bloc Québécois | 5 |
| Other | 6 |
| Undecided..... | 7 |

5. [IF Q2=1-6 OR Q4=1-6] Talking again in terms of a federal election, which party would be your second choice?

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| No second choice | 1 |
| Liberal Party..... | 2 |
| Conservative Party..... | 3 |
| New Democratic Party | 4 |
| Green Party..... | 5 |
| [QUEBEC ONLY] Bloc Québécois | 6 |
| Other | 7 |

6. Regardless of your current choice, who do you think will win the next election?

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| Liberal Party..... | 1 |
| Conservative Party..... | 2 |
| New Democratic Party | 3 |
| Other | 4 |

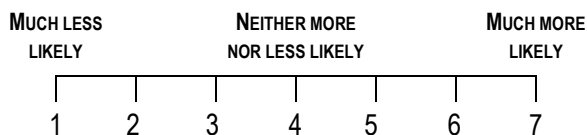
7. [IF VALID RESPONSE TO PREVIOUS QUESTION] And do you think this will be a minority or a majority government?

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| Minority | 1 |
| Majority | 2 |

8. [QUEBEC ONLY] As you may have heard, Gilles Duceppe has returned as leader of the Bloc Québécois. Before this survey, had you heard of this development?

- Yes, clearly 1
- Yes, vaguely 2
- No, not at all..... 3

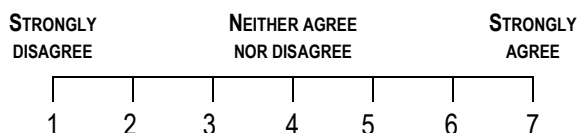
9. [QUEBEC ONLY] Are you more or less likely to vote for the Bloc Québécois now that Gilles Duceppe is the leader?



10. [ALTERNATE WITH B – HALF-SAMPLE EACH] Thinking about the future of the Canadian Senate, which of the following comes closest to your own point of view?
A

- The Senate should be left as is..... 1
- The Senate should be seriously reformed 2
- The Senate should be abolished..... 3

B [ALTERNATE WITH A – HALF-SAMPLE EACH] Please rate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statement: I think that the Canadian Senate should be abolished immediately. Please use a 7-point scale where 1 means strongly disagree, 7 means strongly agree, and the midpoint, 4, means neither agree nor disagree.



11. Regardless of your views on the Canadian Senate, do you believe that we should hold a national referendum on whether to reform the Senate, abolish the Senate, or leave the Senate as is?

- Yes..... 1
- No 2

12. Press 1 if you are male or 2 if you are female

Male 1
Female 2

13. Press 1 if you are under 25 years of age, 2 if you are between 25 and 44, 3 if you are between 45 and 64, or 4 if you are 65 years of age or older.

Under 35 years of age 1
35-49 2
50-64 3
65 years of age or older 4

14. What is the highest level of education you have completed?

High school or less 1
College or CEGEP 2
University 3