

	Total	Knowledge about Gun Law						Gun Owner		
		Know very well	Know quite a bit	Don't know much	Know nothing	Top2box	Bottom2box	Currently Owned	Owned in the past	Never Owned
Sample Size	1581	236	576	665	104	812	769	208	211	1162

Regional sample sizes are unweighted. All other sample sizes, including column totals, are weighted to census data. Cells containing “%” are statistically zero, though at least one response was received. Blank cells indicate zero responses received. Sample sizes below 100 should be interpreted with caution.

QJ3. [The RCMP] How much confidence do you have in each of these elements of the Canadian justice system?

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Complete confidence	13%	11%	13%	14%	14%	12%	14%	13%	14%	13%
A lot of confidence	44%	30%	44%	49%	44%	40%	49%	32%	40%	47%
Not a lot of confidence	25%	34%	28%	20%	18%	30%	20%	35%	27%	23%
A complete lack of confidence	10%	22%	9%	7%	5%	13%	7%	19%	14%	8%
Don't know	8%	3%	7%	9%	18%	6%	10%	2%	5%	9%
Top2box	57%	41%	56%	64%	58%	52%	63%	44%	54%	60%
Bottom2box	35%	56%	37%	28%	23%	43%	27%	54%	41%	30%

QG1. Based on whatever you know and on your own impressions, would you say, the current gun laws in Canada are too strict, not strict enough, or about right?

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Too strict	13%	36%	13%	6%	4%	19%	6%	33%	23%	7%
Not strict enough	49%	24%	51%	56%	44%	44%	54%	20%	42%	55%
About right	34%	39%	35%	32%	32%	36%	32%	45%	32%	32%
Not sure/can't say	5%	1%	1%	6%	21%	1%	8%	2%	3%	5%

QG2. Should more be done to limit access to handguns?

	Total	Knowledge about Gun Law						Gun Owner		
		Know very well	Know quite a bit	Don't know much	Know nothing	Top2box	Bottom2box	Currently Owned	Owned in the past	Never Owned
Yes	66%	38%	64%	75%	72%	57%	75%	38%	55%	72%
No	27%	59%	32%	15%	10%	40%	14%	60%	41%	19%
Not sure/can't say	7%	3%	4%	10%	18%	4%	11%	2%	4%	9%

QG3. Should more be done to limit access to assault weapons?

	Total	Knowledge about Gun Law						Gun Owner		
		Know very well	Know quite a bit	Don't know much	Know nothing	Top2box	Bottom2box	Currently Owned	Owned in the past	Never Owned
Yes	78%	45%	80%	88%	83%	70%	87%	47%	72%	85%
No	18%	52%	19%	7%	6%	29%	7%	51%	26%	11%
Not sure/can't say	4%	3%	1%	5%	11%	2%	6%	2%	3%	4%

QG4. Overall, how well – if at all - would you say you know and understand the laws and regulations around owning and storing guns in Canada.

	Total	Knowledge about Gun Law						Gun Owner		
		Know very well	Know quite a bit	Don't know much	Know nothing	Top2box	Bottom2box	Currently Owned	Owned in the past	Never Owned
Know the laws and regulations very well	15%	100%				29%		58%	20%	6%
Know quite a bit	36%		100%			71%		33%	57%	33%
Don't know much about them	42%			100%			86%	9%	22%	51%
Know nothing about the laws and regulations	7%				100%		14%		1%	9%
Top2box	51%	100%	100%			100%		91%	77%	40%
Bottom2box	49%			100%	100%		100%	9%	23%	60%

QG5. Would you support or oppose Canada having a complete ban on civilian possession of Handguns?

	Total	Knowledge about Gun Law						Gun Owner		
		Know very well	Know quite a bit	Don't know much	Know nothing	Top2box	Bottom2box	Currently Owned	Owned in the past	Never Owned
Strongly support	46%	24%	46%	53%	58%	39%	53%	20%	38%	52%
Support	20%	14%	18%	25%	22%	17%	25%	19%	15%	22%
Oppose	19%	18%	23%	16%	15%	22%	16%	18%	27%	17%
Strongly oppose	14%	45%	13%	6%	5%	22%	6%	43%	19%	8%
Net: Support	67%	38%	64%	78%	80%	56%	78%	39%	53%	74%
Net: Oppose	33%	62%	36%	22%	20%	44%	22%	61%	47%	26%

QG5. Would you support or oppose Canada having a complete ban on civilian possession of Assault weapons?

	Total	Knowledge about Gun Law						Gun Owner		
		Know very well	Know quite a bit	Don't know much	Know nothing	Top2box	Bottom2box	Currently Owned	Owned in the past	Never Owned
Strongly support	65%	34%	63%	76%	72%	55%	76%	35%	56%	72%
Support	13%	10%	14%	13%	16%	13%	14%	10%	14%	14%
Oppose	11%	21%	12%	6%	7%	15%	6%	21%	14%	8%
Strongly oppose	11%	34%	11%	4%	5%	18%	4%	34%	16%	6%
Net: Support	78%	45%	77%	90%	88%	68%	90%	45%	70%	86%
Net: Oppose	22%	55%	23%	10%	12%	32%	10%	55%	30%	14%

QG6. . Have you ever personally owned a gun?

	Total	Knowledge about Gun Law						Gun Owner		
		Know very well	Know quite a bit	Don't know much	Know nothing	Top2box	Bottom2box	Currently Owned	Owned in the past	Never Owned
Yes, currently own a gun(s)	13%	51%	12%	3%		23%	3%	100%		
Have owned a gun(s) in the past but not currently	13%	18%	21%	7%	2%	20%	6%		100%	
No, never owned a gun	73%	31%	67%	90%	98%	57%	91%			100%