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Opinions Towards Carbon Tax

Canadian
Taxpayers
Federation



Methodology



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Canadian online survey via Leger's LEO panel, with n=1527 Canadian residents aged 18+.

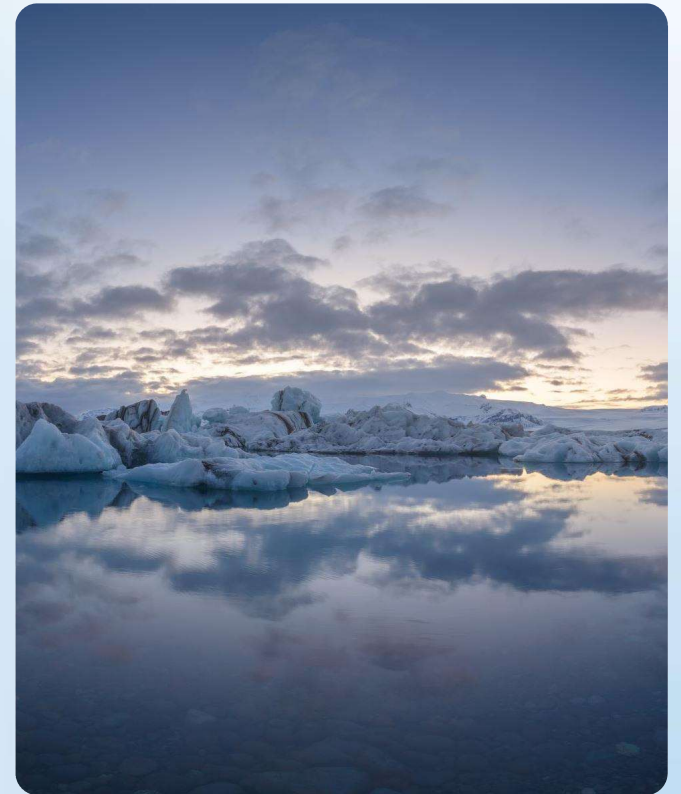
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The weekly online omnibus was in field from the 24th to the 26th of January 2025, inclusive, using Leger's online panel, LEO.

Margin of error

For comparison purposes, a probability sample of this size (n=1527) yields a margin of error no greater than $\pm 2.1\%$, (19 times out of 20)

Detailed Results



Almost two-thirds (64%) support an immediate suspension of the carbon tax by the federal government.

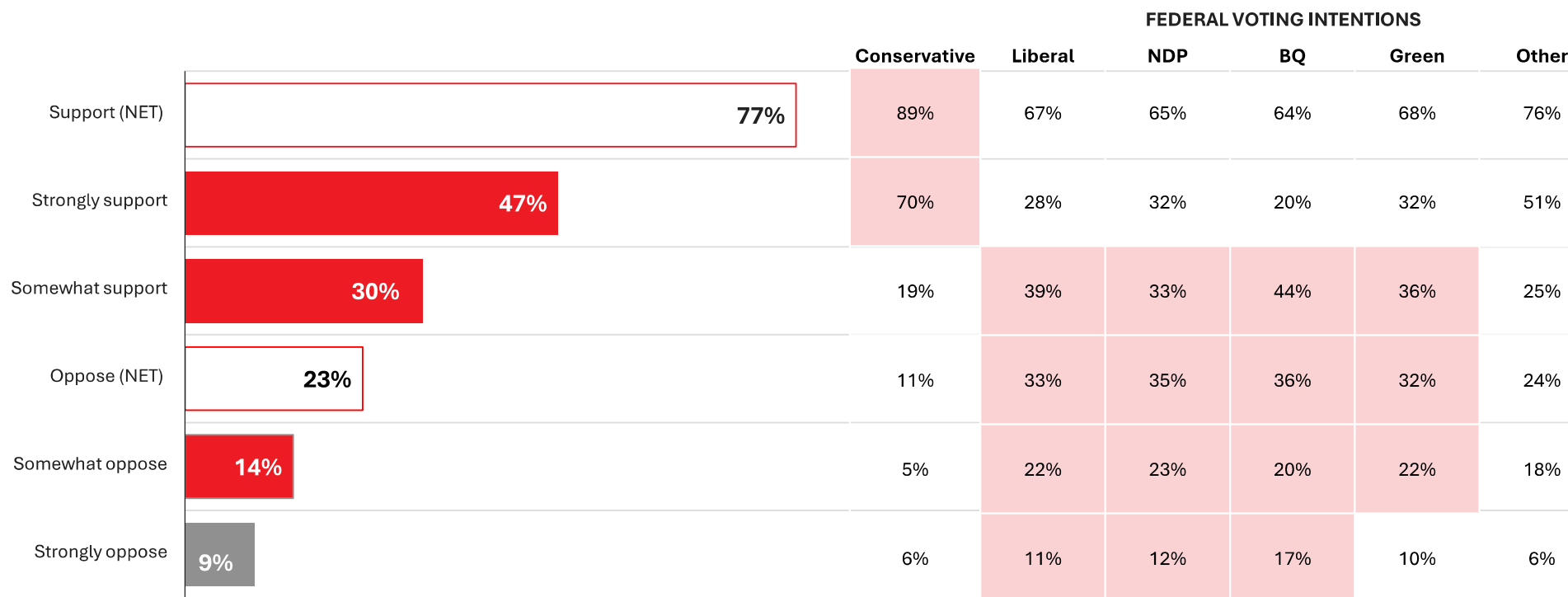
Two-in-ten (19%) oppose the immediate suspension of the carbon tax. Men, individuals aged 55+, residents outside of Quebec, and those living in rural areas are more likely to support the federal government suspending the carbon tax immediately compared to their counterparts. In contrast, individuals residing in urban and suburban areas are more likely to oppose the immediate suspension of the carbon tax.

		GENDER		AGE		REGION		Area		
		Men	Women	18-54	55+	Quebec	ROC	Urban	Suburban	Rural
Support (NET)	64%	69%	60%	61%	70%	58%	67%	60%	64%	74%
Strongly support	39%	45%	34%	35%	46%	24%	44%	34%	39%	50%
Somewhat support	25%	24%	26%	26%	24%	34%	23%	26%	25%	24%
Oppose (NET)	19%	19%	19%	21%	16%	22%	18%	23%	19%	11%
Somewhat oppose	11%	11%	12%	12%	11%	14%	11%	12%	13%	8%
Strongly oppose	7%	8%	7%	9%	6%	8%	7%	10%	6%	4%
I don't know	17%	13%	21%	19%	14%	20%	16%	17%	17%	15%

Q4. Some Liberal leadership candidates are proposing to end the carbon tax. The Conservative Party is also proposing to end the carbon tax. Would you support or oppose having the federal government immediately move to suspend the carbon tax? Base: All (n=1527)

When those unsure are removed, support for suspending the carbon tax rises to 77%, conservative supporters show strong support to immediate suspension of the carbon tax.

However, voters of the Liberal, NDP, BQ, and Green parties are more likely to oppose the federal government’s immediate suspension of the carbon tax. Demographically, support remains stronger among those aged 55+, those outside of Quebec, and rural residents.



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