PUBLIC OPINION RESEARCH

CLIMATE EMERGENCY POLLING

SUMMER 2019

NATIONAL SURVEY OF 2,000 CANADIANS
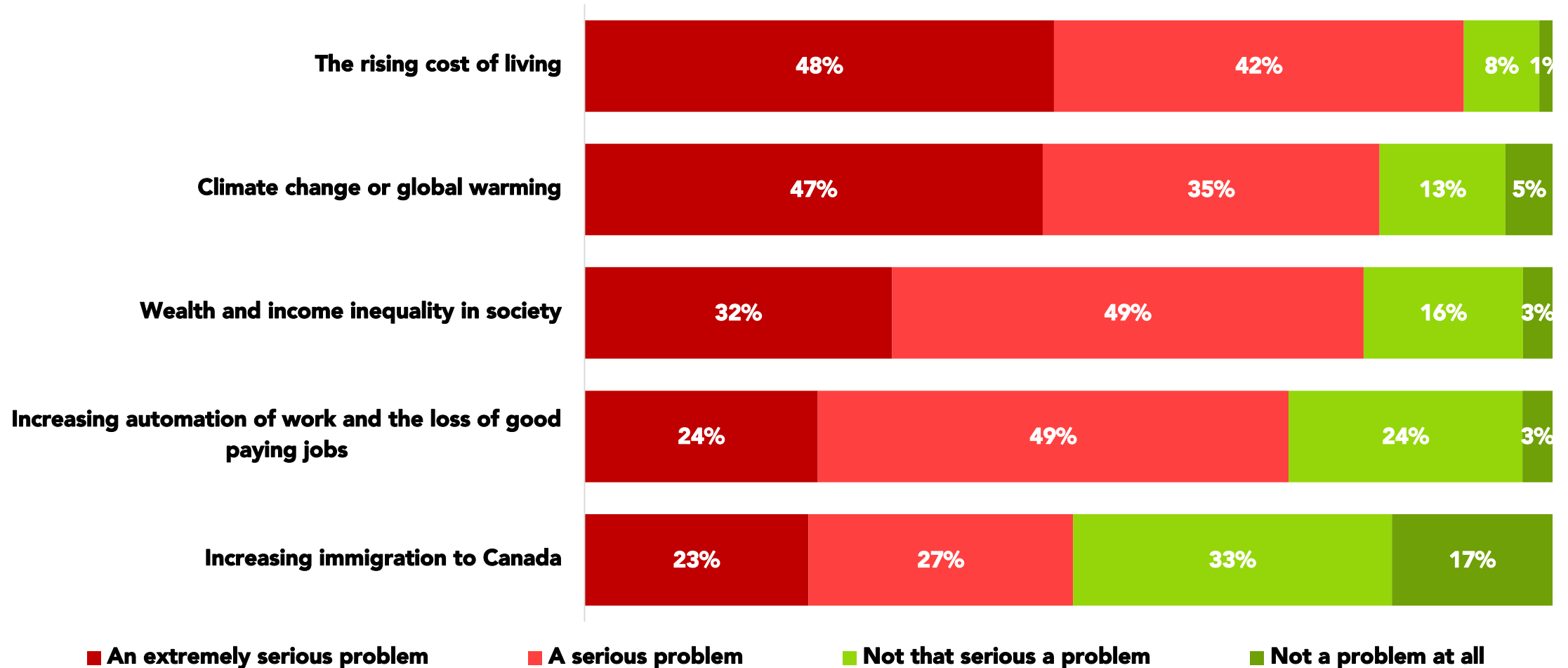
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METHODOLOGY

The survey was conducted online with 2,000 Canadian residents aged 18 and over, from July 16th to 19th, 2019. A random sample of panelists were invited to complete the survey from a set of partner panels based on the Lucid exchange platform. These partners are typically double opt-in survey panels, blended to manage out potential skews in the data from a single source.

The margin of error for a comparable probability-based random sample of the same size is +/- 2.19%, 19 times out of 20.

The data were weighted according to census data to ensure that the sample matched Canada's population according to age, gender, educational attainment, and region. Totals may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

This poll was commissioned by Seth Klein, adjunct professor with Simon Fraser University's Urban Studies program (as part of research for a book he is writing on the climate emergency), with support from the Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives – BC Office and the Corporate Mapping Project.

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ISSUES FACING CANADA

The rising cost of living
| 48% | 42% | 8% | 1% |

Climate change or global warming
| 47% | 35% | 13% | 5% |

Wealth and income inequality in society
| 32% | 49% | 16% | 3% |

Increasing automation of work and the loss of good paying jobs
| 24% | 49% | 24% | 3% |

Increasing immigration to Canada
| 23% | 27% | 33% | 17% |

■ **An extremely serious problem**   ■ **A serious problem**   ■ **Not that serious a problem**   ■ **Not a problem at all**

To what extent, if at all, do you feel the following issues are an extremely serious problem, a serious problem, not that serious a problem, or not a problem at all?

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FEELINGS ABOUT CLIMATE CHANGE

I think about it often and am getting really anxious about it — 25%

I think about it sometimes and am getting increasingly worried about what impact it will have — 49%

I honestly don't think about it all that much — 19%

I don't think climate change or global warming is real or something for us to worry about — 7%

Being honest with us for a moment, which of the following BEST describes how you're feeling about climate change these days?

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FEELINGS ABOUT CLIMATE CHANGE

GENDER

ALL	25%	49%	19%	7%
Male	24%	45%	23%	8%
Female	26%	53%	15%	5%

AGE

18 - 29	32%	49%	14%	5%
30 - 44	26%	51%	19%	4%
45 - 59	22%	48%	21%	9%
60 and over	24%	48%	20%	8%

REGION

BC	21%	56%	20%	3%
AB	17%	41%	25%	16%
SK/MB	20%	44%	25%	11%
ON	26%	51%	16%	6%
QC	34%	45%	16%	4%
ATL	16%	57%	23%	4%

INCOME

Less than $50,000	28%	47%	19%	6%
$50,000 to $100,000	24%	51%	19%	6%
Over $100,000	22%	52%	19%	7%

EDUCATION

HS or less	27%	45%	20%	9%
College	24%	52%	19%	6%
University	26%	51%	18%	6%

- **I think about it often and am getting really anxious about it**
- **I think about it sometimes and am getting increasingly worried about what impact it will have**
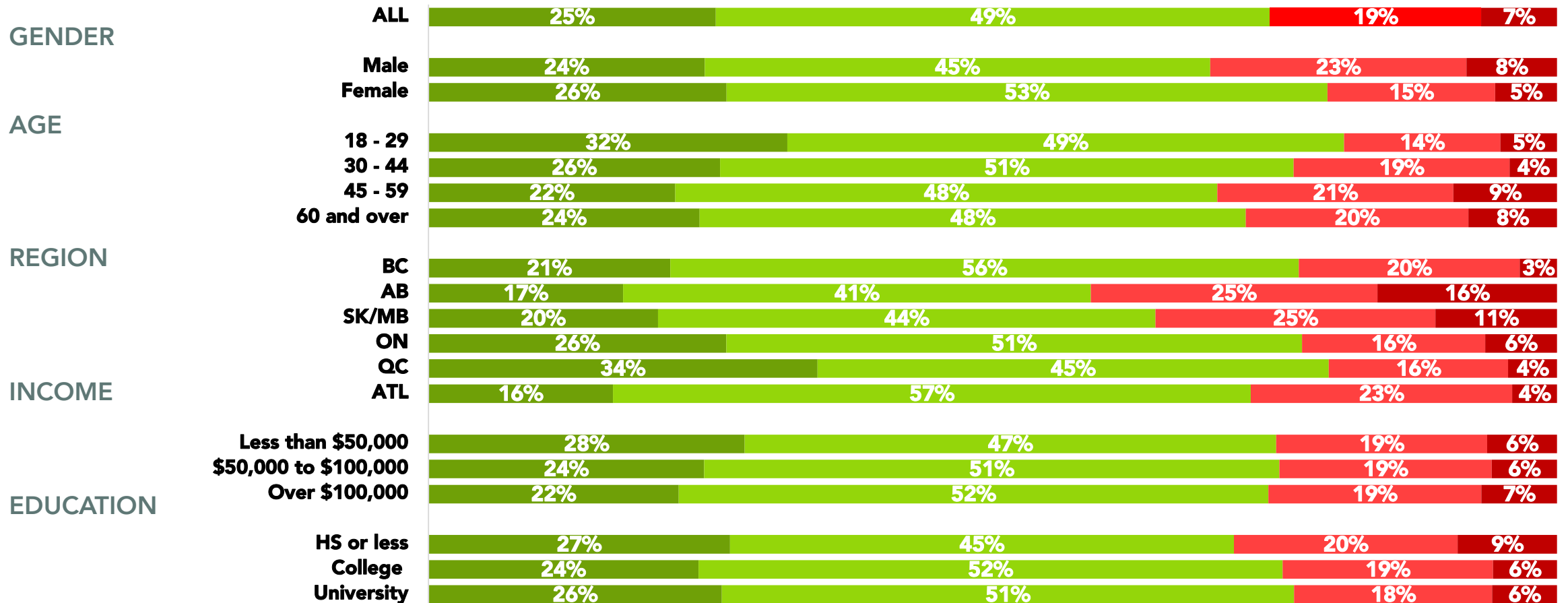- **I honestly don't think about it all that much**
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Being honest with us for a moment, which of the following BEST describes how you're feeling about climate change these days?

CLIMATE CHANGE EMERGENCY

Climate change is now an emergency — 42%

Climate change is not yet an emergency but will likely be one in the next few years — 20%

Climate change is a serious problem but shouldn't be described as an emergency — 21%

Climate change is not something we should be that concerned about — 12%

Unsure — 5%

Thinking specifically about climate change, which of the following do you think BEST describes the situation?

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CLIMATE CHANGE EMERGENCY

GENDER

ALL	42%	20%	21%	12%	5%
Male	38%	19%	23%	14%	5%
Female	45%	21%	19%	9%	6%

AGE

18 - 29	50%	15%	21%	9%	5%
30 - 44	41%	22%	22%	10%	4%
45 - 59	39%	22%	18%	15%	6%
60 and over	39%	20%	23%	12%	6%

REGION

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AB	27%	20%	22%	24%	8%
SK/MB	32%	26%	20%	15%	8%
ON	38%	22%	22%	13%	4%
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INCOME

Less than $50,000	46%	18%	19%	11%	6%
$50,000 to $100,000	39%	22%	24%	11%	4%
Over $100,000	37%	23%	22%	14%	4%

EDUCATION

HS or less	40%	20%	19%	13%	9%
College	42%	20%	23%	11%	3%
University	43%	20%	22%	11%	4%

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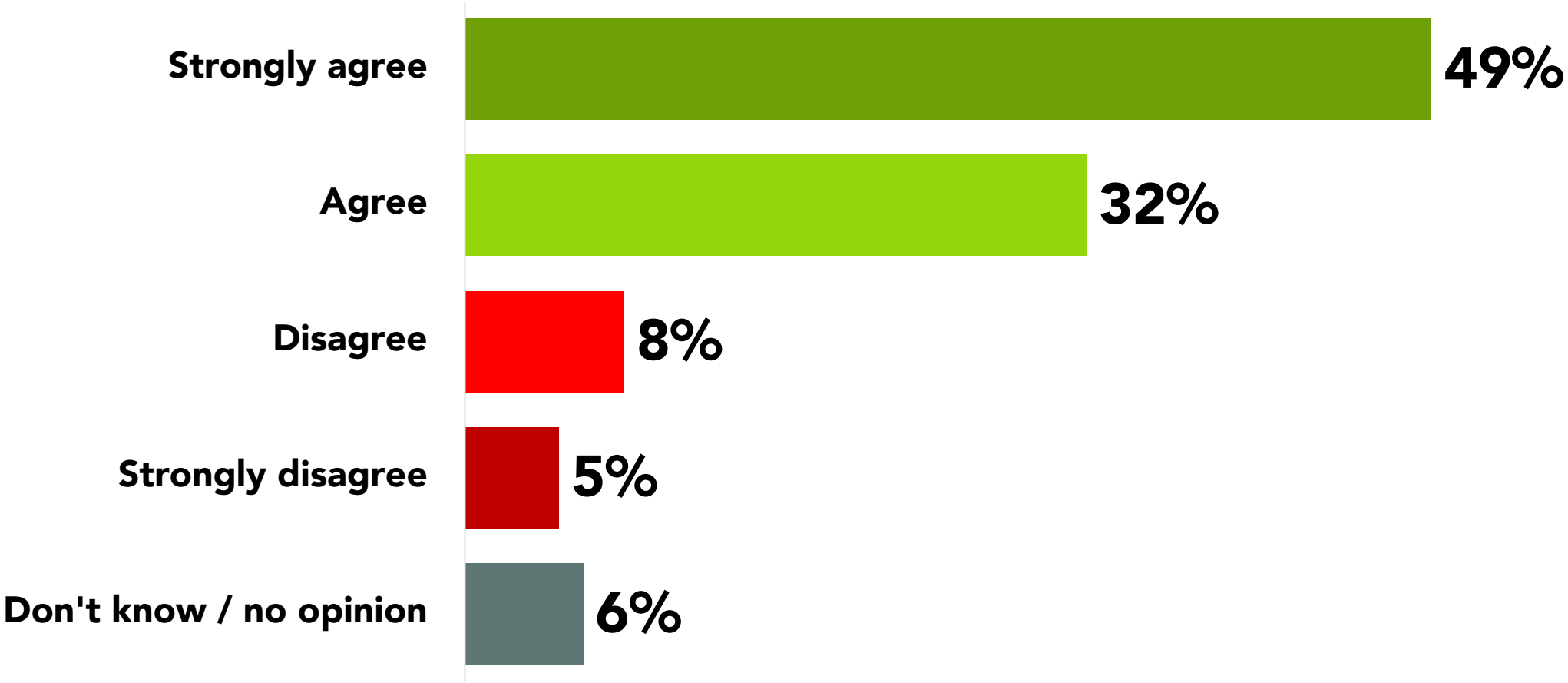# CLIMATE CHANGE REPRESENTS A MAJOR THREAT TO THE FUTURE OF OUR CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: Climate change represents a major threat to the future of our children and grandchildren?

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CLIMATE CHANGE REPRESENTS A MAJOR THREAT TO THE FUTURE OF OUR CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN

GENDER

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / no opinion
ALL	49%	32%	8%	5%	6%
Male	44%	35%	10%	6%	5%
Female	55%	29%	6%	3%	7%

AGE

18 - 29	59%	28%	6%	3%	4%
30 - 44	52%	31%	7%	4%	5%
45 - 59	45%	31%	10%	6%	8%
60 and over	45%	36%	8%	5%	6%

REGION

BC	46%	38%	8%	3%	5%
AB	38%	29%	14%	13%	6%
SK/MB	44%	32%	11%	2%	11%
ON	50%	31%	7%	4%	8%
QC	56%	30%	7%	4%	4%
ATL	56%	33%	6%	2%	3%

INCOME

Less than $50,000	50%	31%	8%	4%	7%
$50,000 to $100,000	49%	34%	8%	4%	5%
Over $100,000	49%	31%	9%	7%	4%

EDUCATION

HS or less	47%	32%	8%	6%	7%
College	51%	31%	9%	4%	5%
University	50%	32%	7%	5%	6%

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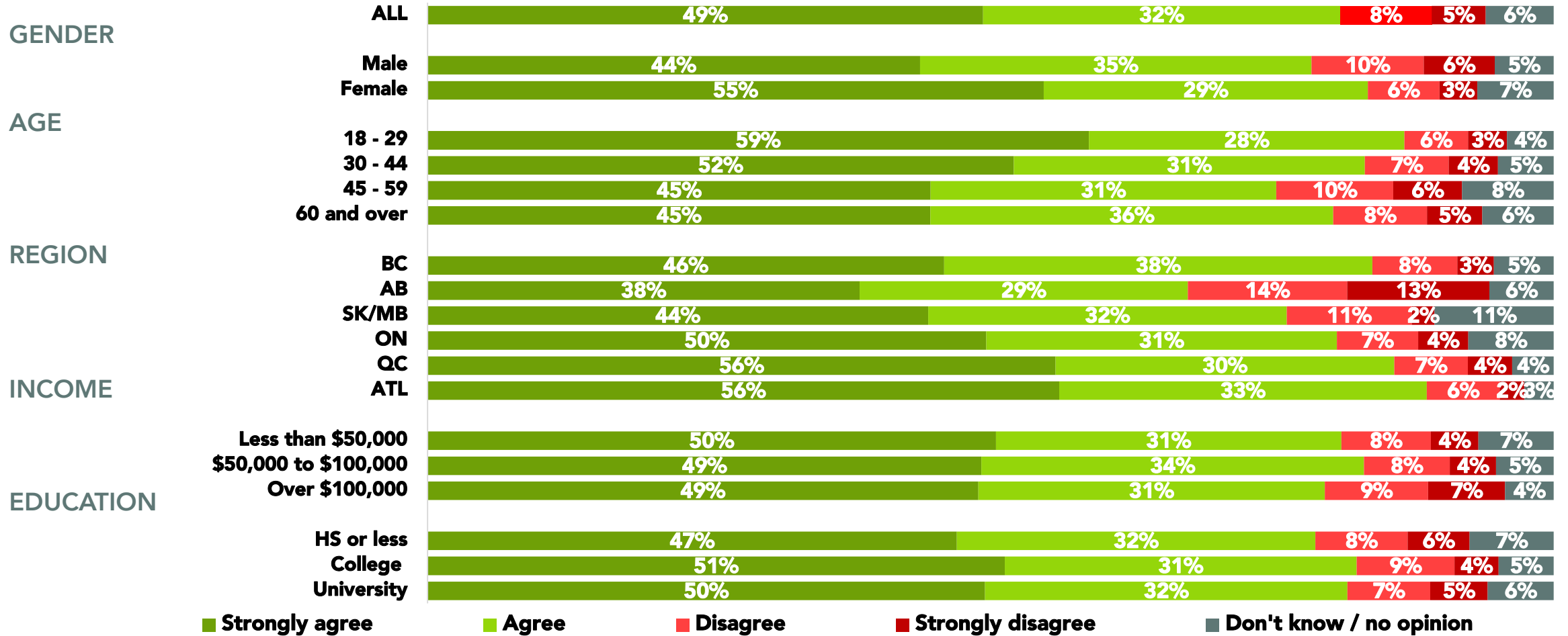
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EXPERIENCED THE EFFECTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE

In a major way — 13%
To some extent — 37%
In a minor way — 23%
Not at all — 21%
Unsure — 6%

To what extent have you or someone close to you experienced the effects of climate change (such as living with the consequences of changing weather patterns or severe weather events such as flooding, wild fires, droughts or intense heat waves)?

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EXPERIENCED THE EFFECTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE

GENDER

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ALL	13%	37%	23%	21%	6%
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REGION

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AB	11%	35%	22%	25%	7%
SK/MB	8%	35%	30%	18%	8%
ON	15%	38%	22%	19%	6%
QC	10%	39%	24%	23%	5%
ATL	16%	33%	27%	21%	3%

INCOME

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EDUCATION

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University	14%	39%	25%	16%	6%

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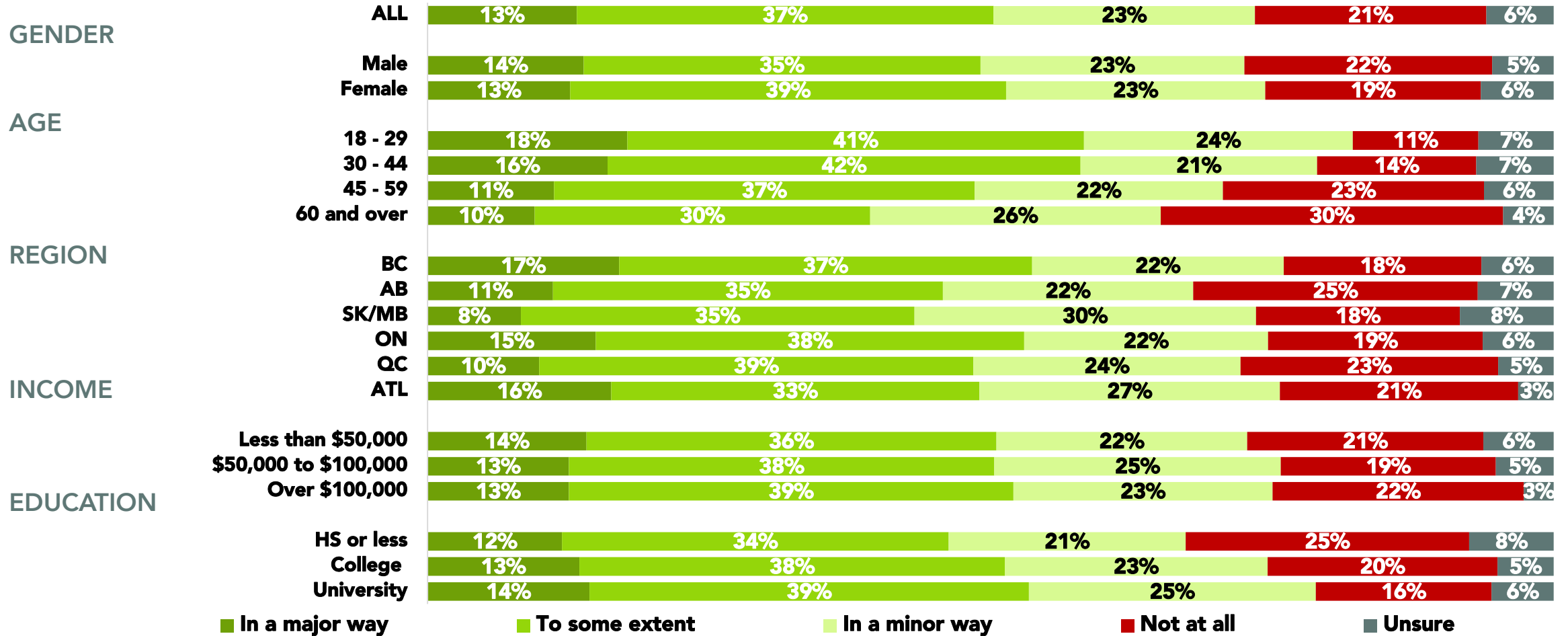
THE FUTURE OF ENERGY

In the future, we should produce energy and electricity using 100% clean and renewable sources, such as hydro, solar, wind, tidal, and geothermal
44%

I support shifting towards clean and renewable energy and electricity, but don't think producing 100% this way is possible
37%

Shifting to clean and renewable energy/electricity sources like hydro, solar and wind is costly and unnecessary
11%

Not sure
8%

Given the connections between climate change and burning fossil fuels to produce energy and electricity, which of the following do you agree with more?

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THE FUTURE OF ENERGY

	In the future, 100% clean and renewable	Support shifting but don't think 100% possible	Costly and unnecessary	Not sure
ALL	44%	37%	11%	8%
GENDER				
Male	43%	39%	12%	5%
Female	45%	36%	9%	10%
AGE				
18 - 29	51%	30%	12%	7%
30 - 44	50%	33%	11%	6%
45 - 59	38%	40%	13%	9%
60 and over	41%	44%	7%	8%
REGION				
BC	48%	38%	9%	4%
AB	28%	47%	16%	9%
SK/MB	41%	43%	8%	8%
ON	45%	34%	12%	9%
QC	49%	35%	8%	8%
ATL	47%	42%	7%	3%
INCOME				
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EDUCATION				
HS or less	39%	39%	10%	12%
College	47%	36%	10%	6%
University	47%	37%	11%	5%

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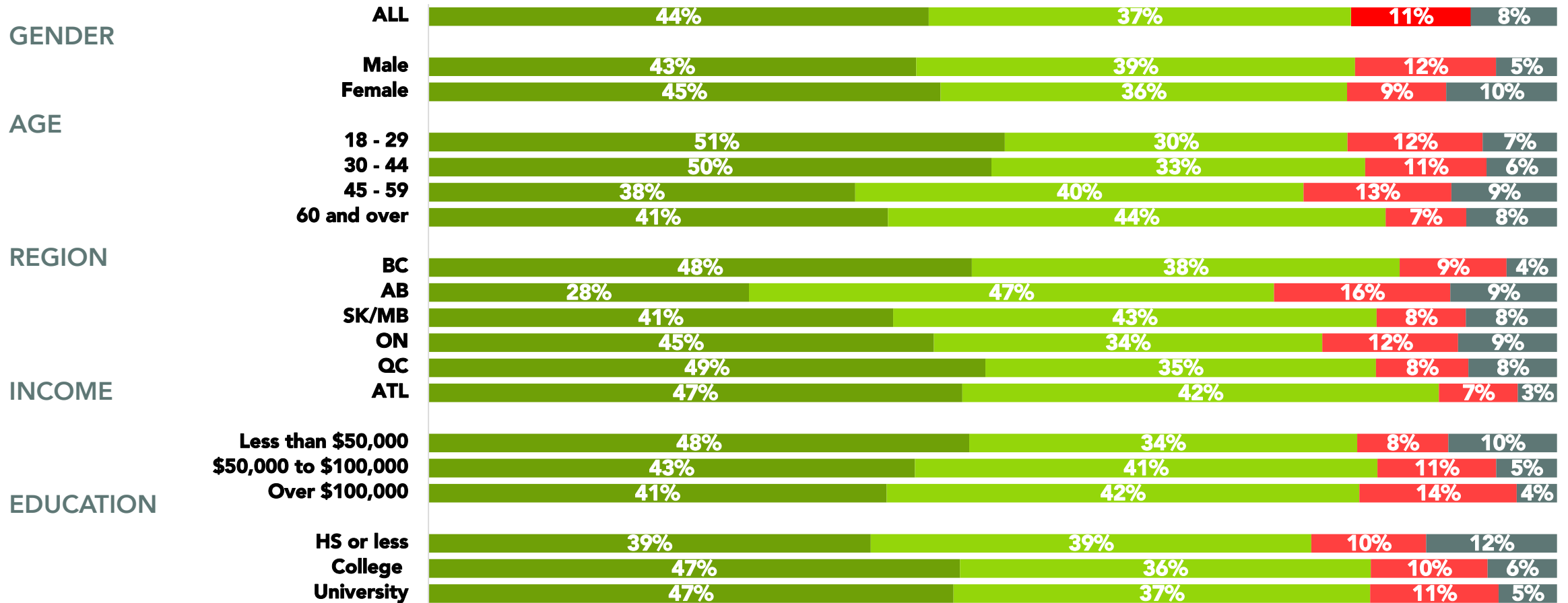
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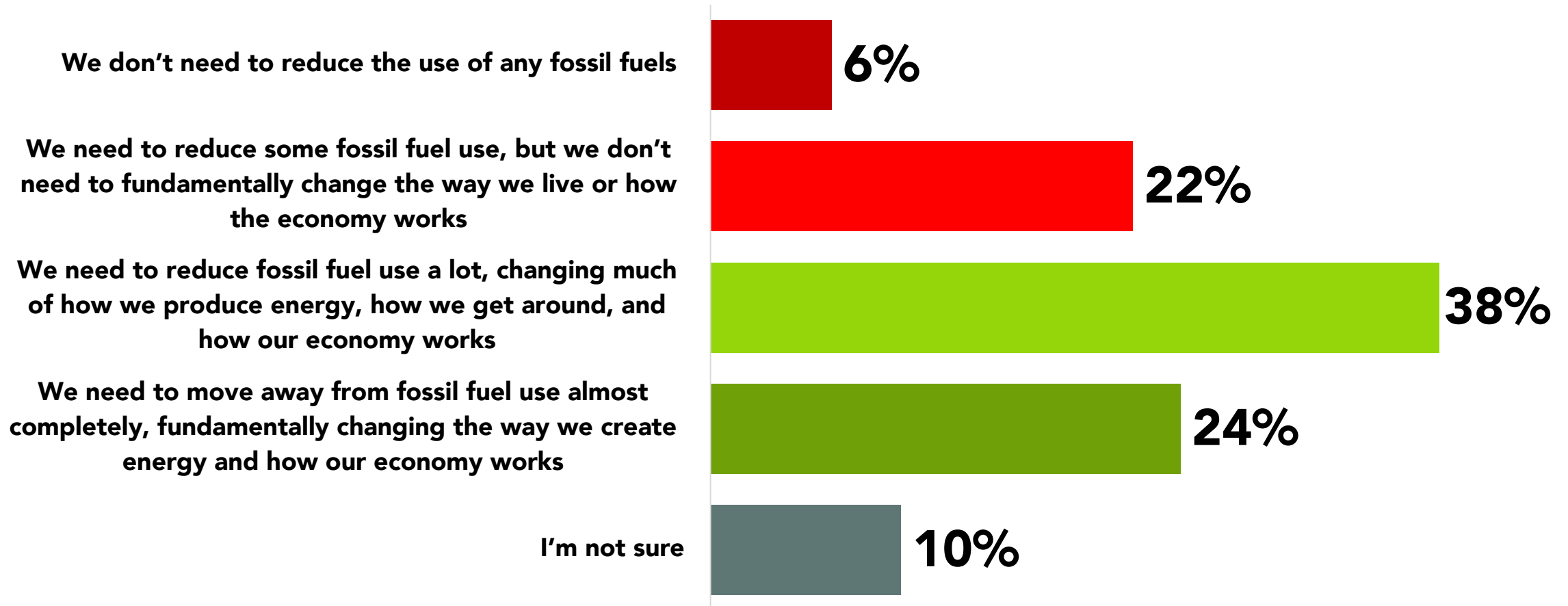
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BY HOW MUCH SHOULD FOSSIL FUELS BE REDUCED TO EFFECTIVELY COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE

We don't need to reduce the use of any fossil fuels — 6%

We need to reduce some fossil fuel use, but we don't need to fundamentally change the way we live or how the economy works — 22%

We need to reduce fossil fuel use a lot, changing much of how we produce energy, how we get around, and how our economy works — 38%

We need to move away from fossil fuel use almost completely, fundamentally changing the way we create energy and how our economy works — 24%

I'm not sure — 10%

In order to combat climate change, scientists say we must substantially reduce the amount of fossil fuels we use in all aspects of our lives, in society, and in the economy. This includes oil, coal, and natural gas. In your view, by how much should fossil fuels be reduced to effectively combat climate change?

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BY HOW MUCH SHOULD FOSSIL FUELS BE REDUCED TO EFFECTIVELY COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE

ALL — 6% | 22% | 38% | 24% | 10%

GENDER
- **Male** — 9% | 24% | 37% | 23% | 7%
- **Female** — 4% | 20% | 38% | 26% | 12%

AGE
- **18 - 29** — 6% | 20% | 36% | 29% | 9%
- **30 - 44** — 6% | 22% | 35% | 26% | 10%
- **45 - 59** — 9% | 22% | 37% | 21% | 11%
- **60 and over** — 4% | 23% | 42% | 22% | 9%

REGION
- **BC** — 3% | 18% | 43% | 27% | 9%
- **AB** — 15% | 35% | 31% | 12% | 7%
- **SK/MB** — 4% | 27% | 34% | 21% | 14%
- **ON** — 7% | 21% | 35% | 27% | 11%
- **QC** — 5% | 18% | 42% | 26% | 9%
- **ATL** — 5% | 19% | 43% | 23% | 9%

INCOME
- **Less than $50,000** — 6% | 20% | 37% | 25% | 11%
- **$50,000 to $100,000** — 5% | 24% | 39% | 25% | 7%
- **Over $100,000** — 9% | 24% | 40% | 21% | 6%

EDUCATION
- **HS or less** — 7% | 23% | 34% | 21% | 14%
- **College** — 5% | 21% | 39% | 25% | 10%
- **University** — 7% | 21% | 40% | 27% | 5%

Legend:
- We don't need to reduce the use of any fossil fuels
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- I'm not sure

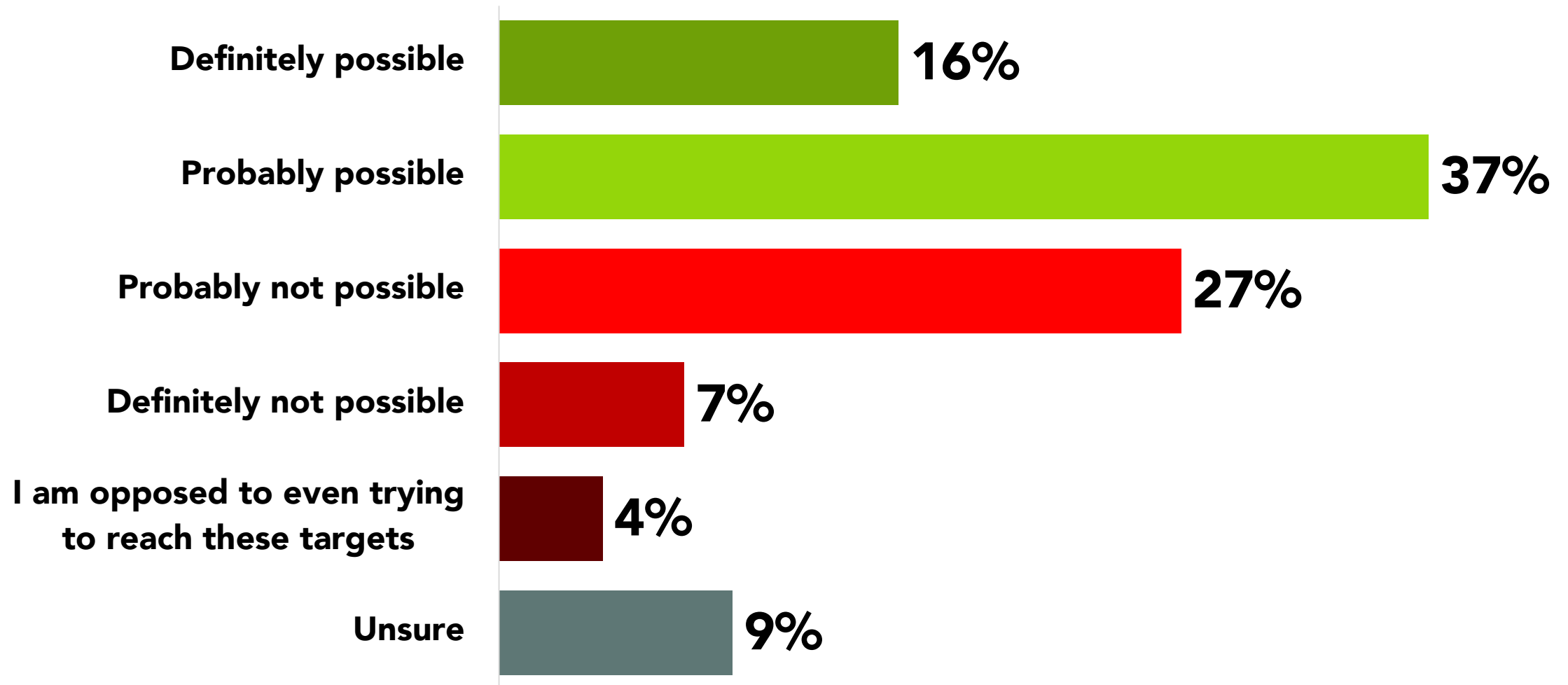In order to combat climate change, scientists say we must substantially reduce the amount of fossil fuels we use in all aspects of our lives, in society, and in the economy. This includes oil, coal, and natural gas. In your view, by how much should fossil fuels be reduced to effectively combat climate change?

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POSSIBILITY OF REACHING RECOMMENDED GHG TARGETS

- Definitely possible — 16%
- Probably possible — 37%
- Probably not possible — 27%
- Definitely not possible — 7%
- I am opposed to even trying to reach these targets — 4%
- Unsure — 9%

The United Nations Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (the world's top climate scientists) recently issued a report warning that carbon pollution – global greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions –must be cut in half by 2030, and that the world must be carbon-zero by 2050. Do you think it is definitely possible, probably possible, probably not possible, or definitely not possible for the world to achieve this goal (or do you oppose even trying)?

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POSSIBILITY OF REACHING RECOMMENDED GHG TARGETS

	Definitely possible	Probably possible	Probably not possible	Definitely not possible	I am opposed	Unsure
ALL	16%	37%	27%	7%	4%	9%
GENDER						
Male	16%	34%	27%	9%	6%	7%
Female	15%	40%	27%	5%	2%	11%
AGE						
18 - 29	26%	36%	20%	5%	3%	9%
30 - 44	18%	38%	26%	5%	2%	11%
45 - 59	10%	39%	28%	8%	6%	9%
60 and over	12%	34%	32%	10%	4%	8%
REGION						
BC	16%	36%	31%	6%	4%	7%
AB	10%	31%	29%	10%	10%	10%
SK/MB	14%	33%	28%	7%	5%	13%
ON	18%	37%	24%	8%	4%	9%
QC	16%	39%	28%	6%	2%	9%
ATL	18%	38%	26%	6%	2%	9%
INCOME						
Less than $50,000	18%	36%	25%	7%	3%	11%
$50,000 to $100,000	15%	38%	29%	7%	3%	7%
Over $100,000	13%	38%	30%	8%	7%	4%
EDUCATION						
HS or less	15%	36%	23%	6%	6%	13%
College	17%	35%	28%	9%	3%	8%
University	15%	39%	30%	6%	4%	7%

- ■ **Definitely possible**
- ■ **Probably possible**
- ■ **Probably not possible**
- ■ **Definitely not possible**
- ■ **I am opposed to even trying to reach these targets**
- ■ **Unsure**

Do you think it is definitely possible, probably possible, probably not possible, or definitely not possible for the world to achieve this goal (or do you oppose even trying)?

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GOVERNMENT COMBATTING CLIMATE CHANGE

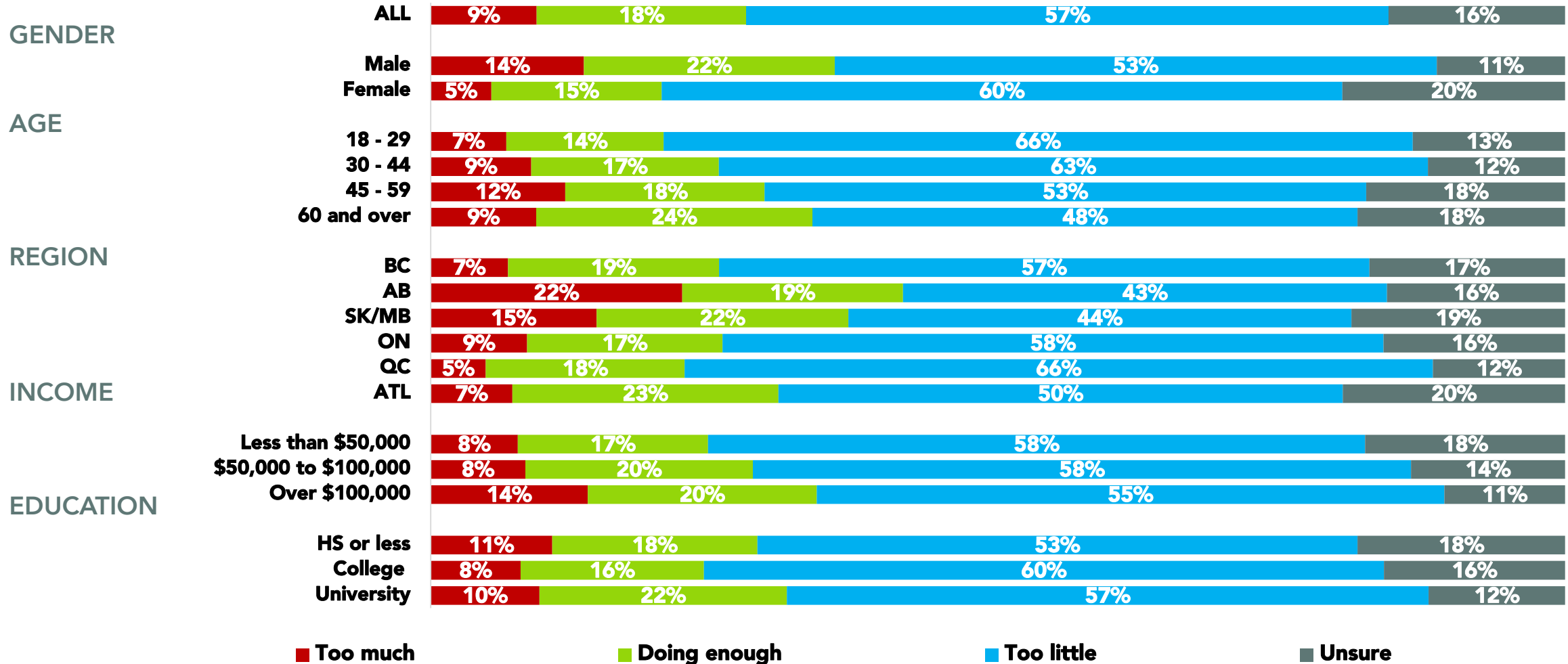|	Too much	Doing enough	Too little	Unsure
ALL	9%	18%	57%	16%
GENDER				
Male	14%	22%	53%	11%
Female	5%	15%	60%	20%
AGE				
18 - 29	7%	14%	66%	13%
30 - 44	9%	17%	63%	12%
45 - 59	12%	18%	53%	18%
60 and over	9%	24%	48%	18%
REGION				
BC	7%	19%	57%	17%
AB	22%	19%	43%	16%
SK/MB	15%	22%	44%	19%
ON	9%	17%	58%	16%
QC	5%	18%	66%	12%
ATL	7%	23%	50%	20%
INCOME				
Less than $50,000	8%	17%	58%	18%
$50,000 to $100,000	8%	20%	58%	14%
Over $100,000	14%	20%	55%	11%
EDUCATION				
HS or less	11%	18%	53%	18%
College	8%	16%	60%	16%
University	10%	22%	57%	12%

■ **Too much**　■ **Doing enough**　■ **Too little**　■ **Unsure**

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Do you think the current federal government is doing too much, too little, or is doing enough to combat climate change?

GOVERNMENT COMBATTING CLIMATE CHANGE

- **Like we did in WWII, our governments need to be ambitious and mobilize everyone to do what is necessary to combat climate change and quickly move our society and economy off fossil fuels**

- **Governments need to be measured and cautious, making sure that moving our society and economy off fossil fuels is not too costly and doesn't displace too many jobs**

- **Neither of these make sense to me**

People have different views on the best way to combat climate change. Some have suggested Canada needs to mobilize on the scale it did in World War Two – the last time the country faced a fundamental threat to our way of life. Others have suggested that government action needs to be measured and cautious. Which of the following comes closest to your view?

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GOVERNMENT COMBATTING CLIMATE CHANGE

	Like we did in WWII	Measured and cautious	Neither
ALL	33%	47%	21%
GENDER			
Male	32%	50%	18%
Female	33%	44%	23%
AGE			
18 - 29	40%	39%	21%
30 - 44	38%	46%	16%
45 - 59	30%	47%	23%
60 and over	25%	54%	21%
REGION			
BC	31%	52%	17%
AB	19%	54%	27%
SK/MB	27%	46%	27%
ON	32%	46%	22%
QC	43%	41%	15%
ATL	32%	50%	18%
INCOME			
Less than $50,000	34%	44%	21%
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Over $100,000	33%	48%	19%
EDUCATION			
HS or less	31%	44%	25%
College	32%	48%	20%
University	35%	49%	16%

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THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY REQUIRES THAT OUR GOVERNMENTS ADOPT A WARTIME-SCALE RESPONSE, MAKING MAJOR INVESTMENTS TO RETOOL OUR ECONOMY, AND MOBILIZING EVERYONE IN SOCIETY TO TRANSITION OFF FOSSIL FUELS TO RENEWABLE ENERGY.

Strongly agree	21%
Agree	37%
Disagree	18%
Strongly disagree	8%
Don't know / no opinion	16%

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

The climate emergency requires that our governments adopt a wartime-scale response, making major investments to retool our economy, and mobilizing everyone in society to transition off fossil fuels to renewable energy.

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THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY REQUIRES THAT OUR GOVERNMENTS ADOPT A WARTIME-SCALE RESPONSE, MAKING MAJOR INVESTMENTS TO RETOOL OUR ECONOMY, AND MOBILIZING EVERYONE IN SOCIETY TO TRANSITION OFF FOSSIL FUELS TO RENEWABLE ENERGY.

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / no opinion
ALL	21%	37%	18%	8%	16%
GENDER					
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REGION					
BC	18%	40%	17%	8%	17%
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Less than $50,000	23%	38%	16%	6%	18%
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EDUCATION					
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College	20%	37%	20%	7%	16%
University	22%	41%	17%	9%	11%

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

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THINGS CANADA COULD DO TO REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

Statement	Definitely possible	Probably possible	Probably not possible	Definitely not possible
Transition all government vehicles in its fleet to electric vehicles (like Canada Post trucks/vans) over the next 5 years	31%	43%	20%	6%
Require all new buildings and homes in Canada to heat space and water using electricity and not gas, propane, or oil by 2022	27%	38%	24%	10%
Phase out the extraction and export of fossil fuels (oil, gas, and coal) over the next 20 to 30 years	21%	42%	28%	9%
Require all existing buildings and homes to switch their fuel source for heating off oil, gas, or propane by 2040	21%	41%	28%	10%
End the use of all coal, gas, and oil-generated electricity by 2030	19%	35%	34%	12%
Ban the sale of all new gas-powered vehicles (cars, vans & trucks) by 2030	20%	31%	32%	17%

■ Definitely possible   ■ Probably possible   ■ Probably not possible   ■ Definitely not possible

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Below are some things Canada could do to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and tackle climate change. For each, tell us whether you think it is…

REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

END THE USE OF ALL COAL, GAS, AND OIL-GENERATED ELECTRICITY BY 2030

	Definitely possible	Probably possible	Probably not possible	Definitely not possible
ALL	19%	35%	34%	12%
GENDER				
Male	20%	32%	33%	15%
Female	18%	37%	35%	10%
AGE				
18 - 29	22%	39%	32%	7%
30 - 44	22%	37%	29%	12%
45 - 59	16%	33%	38%	13%
60 and over	16%	30%	38%	16%
REGION				
BC	17%	39%	35%	9%
AB	11%	27%	34%	29%
SK/MB	15%	29%	40%	17%
ON	18%	34%	37%	11%
QC	26%	39%	28%	7%
ATL	20%	31%	38%	11%
INCOME				
Less than $50,000	22%	34%	33%	11%
$50,000 to $100,000	16%	36%	36%	12%
Over $100,000	18%	33%	33%	16%
EDUCATION				
HS or less	19%	33%	35%	13%
College	20%	33%	36%	11%
University	17%	38%	31%	13%

■ Definitely possible ■ Probably possible ■ Probably not possible ■ Definitely not possible

Below are some things Canada could do to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and tackle climate change. For each, tell us whether you think it is…

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REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

PHASE OUT THE EXTRACTION AND EXPORT OF FOSSIL FUELS (OIL, GAS, AND COAL) OVER THE NEXT 20 TO 30 YEARS

	Definitely possible	Probably possible	Probably not possible	Definitely not possible
ALL	21%	42%	28%	9%
GENDER				
Male	22%	38%	28%	11%
Female	20%	46%	28%	7%
AGE				
18 - 29	28%	44%	23%	5%
30 - 44	25%	43%	24%	9%
45 - 59	18%	41%	30%	11%
60 and over	16%	40%	34%	11%
REGION				
BC	23%	44%	27%	6%
AB	13%	33%	34%	20%
SK/MB	17%	31%	32%	19%
ON	22%	42%	28%	8%
QC	23%	48%	25%	4%
ATL	24%	40%	29%	6%
INCOME				
Less than $50,000	24%	42%	28%	7%
$50,000 to $100,000	20%	42%	28%	10%
Over $100,000	18%	40%	29%	13%
EDUCATION				
HS or less	20%	41%	29%	9%
College	22%	40%	28%	9%
University	21%	44%	26%	10%

- Definitely possible
- Probably possible
- Probably not possible
- Definitely not possible

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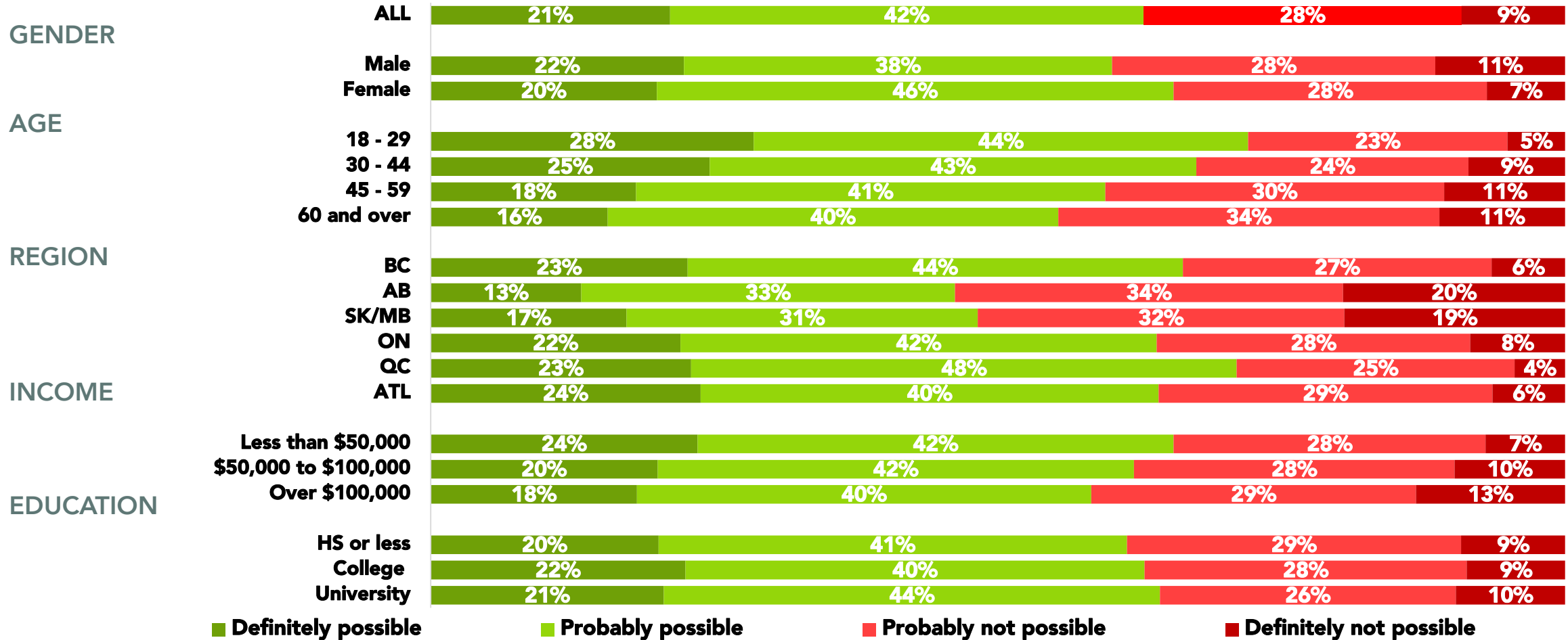
Below are some things Canada could do to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and tackle climate change. For each, tell us whether you think it is…

REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS
BAN THE SALE OF ALL NEW GAS-POWERED VEHICLES (CARS, VANS & TRUCKS) BY 2030

	Definitely possible	Probably possible	Probably not possible	Definitely not possible
ALL	20%	31%	32%	17%
GENDER				
Male	21%	30%	31%	18%
Female	19%	32%	34%	16%
AGE				
18 - 29	26%	37%	26%	12%
30 - 44	26%	34%	26%	14%
45 - 59	17%	30%	34%	19%
60 and over	13%	25%	41%	21%
REGION				
BC	20%	34%	35%	11%
AB	11%	27%	33%	29%
SK/MB	19%	23%	31%	26%
ON	21%	32%	31%	16%
QC	23%	33%	31%	13%
ATL	24%	27%	33%	16%
INCOME				
Less than $50,000	20%	33%	31%	16%
$50,000 to $100,000	21%	30%	32%	17%
Over $100,000	19%	30%	32%	20%
EDUCATION				
HS or less	17%	30%	32%	20%
College	21%	31%	31%	17%
University	21%	32%	33%	14%

Below are some things Canada could do to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and tackle climate change. For each, tell us whether you think it is…

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REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

TRANSITION ALL GOVERNMENT VEHICLES IN ITS FLEET TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES (LIKE CANADA POST TRUCKS/VANS) OVER THE NEXT 5 YEARS

Category		Definitely possible	Probably possible	Probably not possible	Definitely not possible
	ALL	31%	43%	20%	6%
GENDER	Male	31%	41%	20%	7%
	Female	31%	45%	20%	5%
AGE	18 - 29	31%	42%	21%	6%
	30 - 44	33%	45%	17%	5%
	45 - 59	30%	43%	21%	6%
	60 and over	30%	41%	22%	7%
REGION	BC	35%	43%	19%	4%
	AB	22%	42%	21%	15%
	SK/MB	24%	42%	25%	9%
	ON	34%	41%	19%	5%
	QC	28%	47%	21%	5%
	ATL	35%	45%	17%	3%
INCOME	Less than $50,000	31%	44%	19%	6%
	$50,000 to $100,000	32%	44%	19%	5%
	Over $100,000	31%	40%	20%	8%
EDUCATION	HS or less	29%	43%	20%	8%
	College	33%	41%	21%	5%
	University	30%	45%	19%	6%

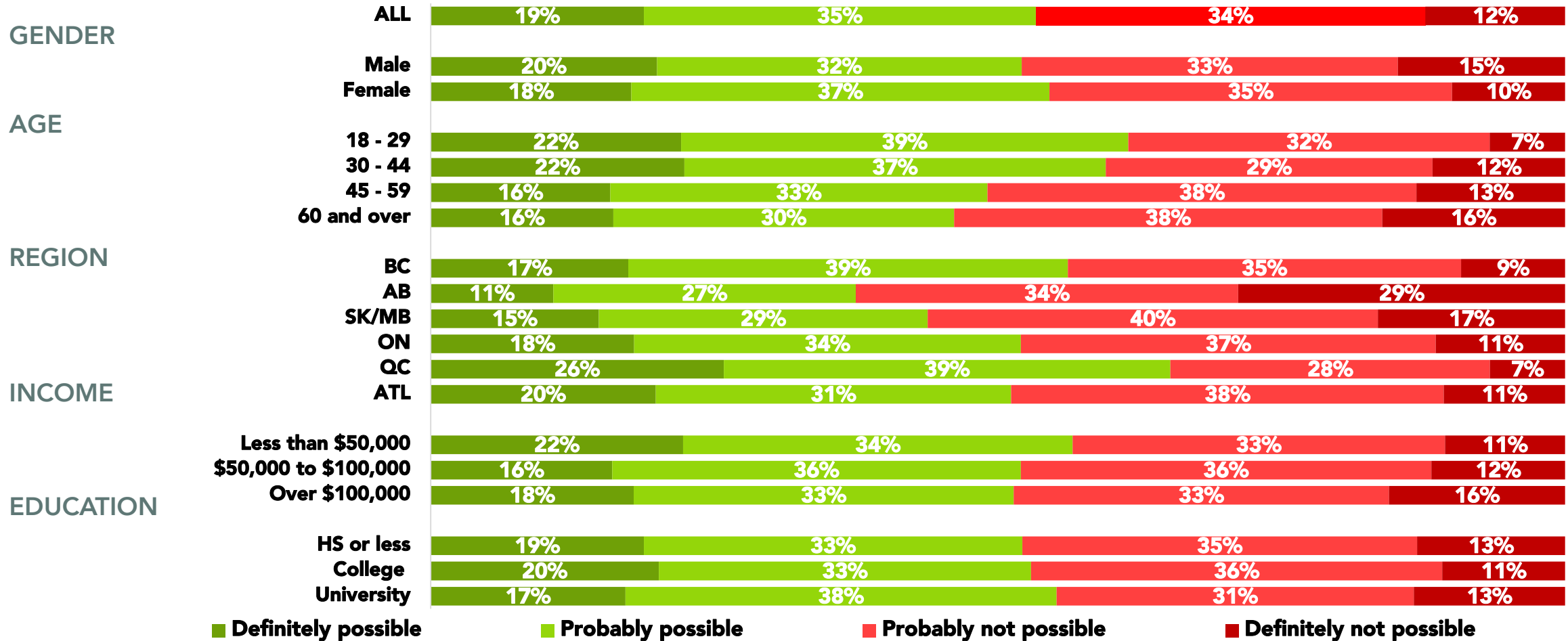■ **Definitely possible**   ■ **Probably possible**   ■ **Probably not possible**   ■ **Definitely not possible**

Below are some things Canada could do to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and tackle climate change. For each, tell us whether you think it is…

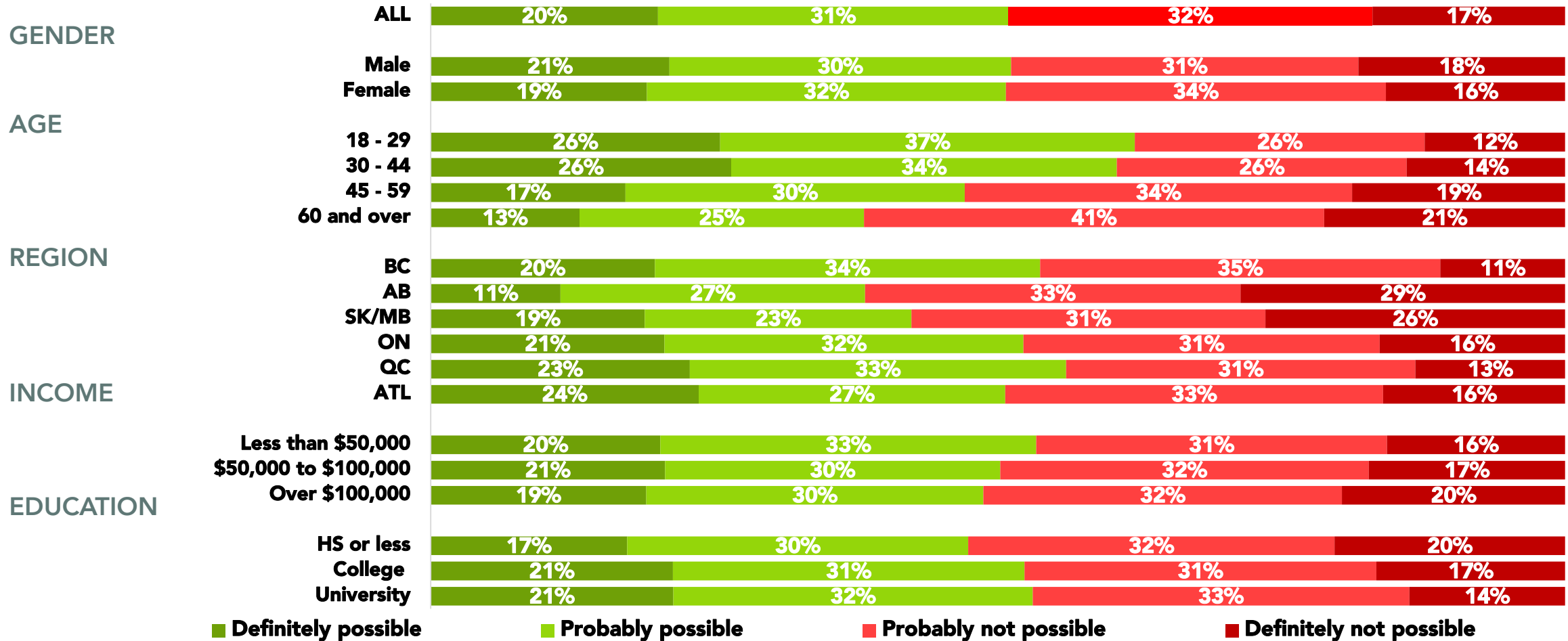ABACUS DATA

REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

REQUIRE ALL NEW BUILDINGS AND HOMES IN CANADA TO HEAT SPACE AND WATER USING ELECTRICITY AND NOT GAS, PROPANE, OR OIL BY 2022

	Definitely possible	Probably possible	Probably not possible	Definitely not possible
ALL	27%	38%	24%	10%
GENDER				
Male	28%	37%	23%	12%
Female	27%	40%	25%	9%
AGE				
18 - 29	34%	37%	22%	7%
30 - 44	31%	40%	20%	9%
45 - 59	23%	42%	25%	10%
60 and over	23%	35%	28%	15%
REGION				
BC	27%	43%	22%	8%
AB	16%	34%	30%	20%
SK/MB	31%	32%	25%	12%
ON	22%	39%	27%	12%
QC	39%	42%	16%	4%
ATL	32%	31%	26%	10%
INCOME				
Less than $50,000	29%	39%	24%	9%
$50,000 to $100,000	26%	40%	24%	10%
Over $100,000	27%	35%	24%	14%
EDUCATION				
HS or less	27%	38%	23%	11%
College	27%	38%	25%	10%
University	29%	39%	23%	9%

■ **Definitely possible**   ■ **Probably possible**   ■ **Probably not possible**   ■ **Definitely not possible**

Below are some things Canada could do to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and tackle climate change. For each, tell us whether you think it is…
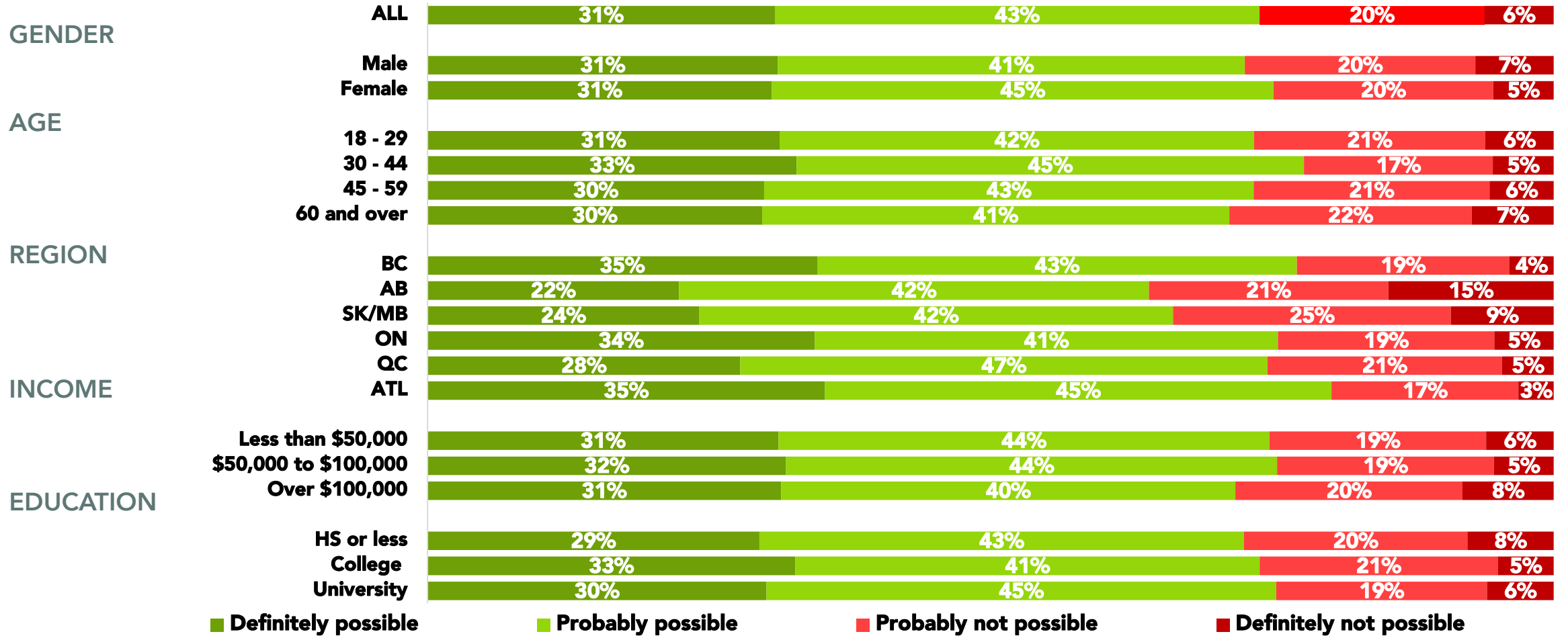
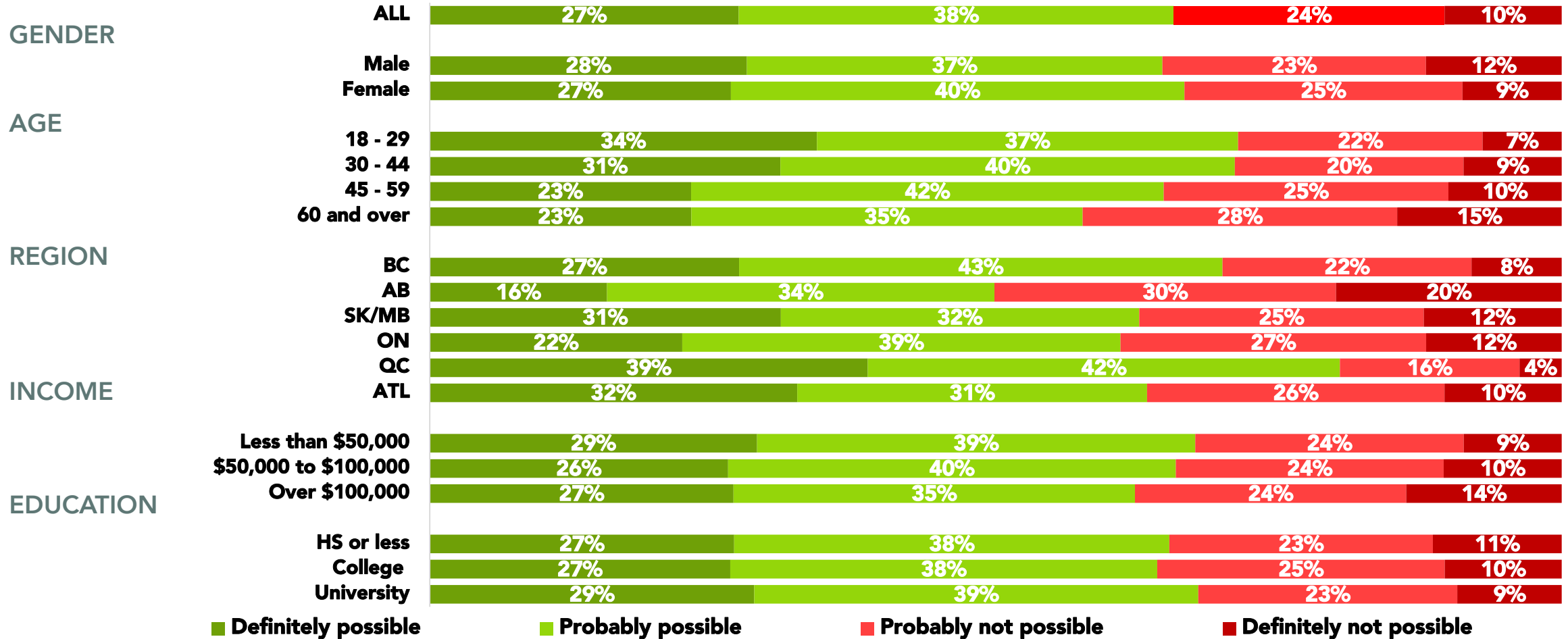ABACUS DATA

REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

<mark>REQUIRE ALL EXISTING BUILDINGS AND HOMES TO SWITCH THEIR FUEL SOURCE FOR HEATING OFF OIL, GAS, OR PROPANE BY 2040</mark>

	Definitely possible	Probably possible	Probably not possible	Definitely not possible
ALL	21%	41%	28%	10%
GENDER				
Male	24%	38%	27%	12%
Female	19%	44%	28%	9%
AGE				
18 - 29	28%	48%	19%	5%
30 - 44	26%	43%	23%	9%
45 - 59	18%	39%	31%	12%
60 and over	15%	36%	35%	13%
REGION				
BC	20%	42%	29%	9%
AB	13%	33%	32%	22%
SK/MB	17%	35%	35%	13%
ON	20%	43%	28%	10%
QC	29%	44%	22%	5%
ATL	23%	39%	30%	8%
INCOME				
Less than $50,000	23%	41%	27%	9%
$50,000 to $100,000	21%	43%	28%	8%
Over $100,000	17%	39%	30%	14%
EDUCATION				
HS or less	21%	39%	29%	11%
College	21%	41%	29%	9%
University	22%	42%	26%	10%

■ Definitely possible   ■ Probably possible   ■ Probably not possible   ■ Definitely not possible

Below are some things Canada could do to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and tackle climate change. For each, tell us whether you think it is…

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SUPPORT FOR THINGS CANADA COULD DO TO REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

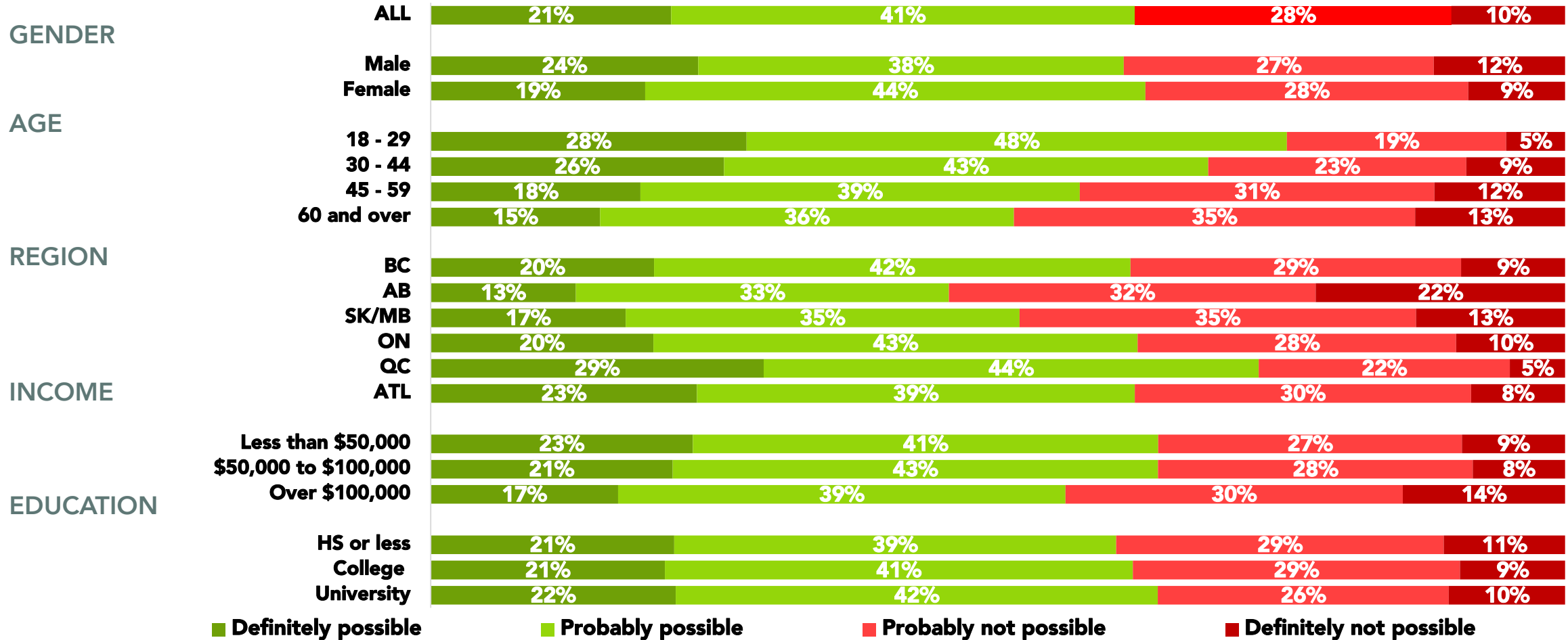| Action	Strongly support	Support	Can accept	Oppose	Strongly oppose	No opinion
Transition all government vehicles in its fleet to electric vehicles (like Canada Post trucks/vans) over the next 5 years	34%	28%	22%	6%	5%	5%
Require all new buildings and homes in Canada to heat space and water using electricity and not gas, propane, or oil by 2022	30%	25%	23%	9%	7%	6%
Phase out the extraction and export of fossil fuels (oil, gas, and coal) over the next 20 to 30 years	26%	24%	24%	11%	7%	8%
End the use of all coal, gas, and oil-generated electricity by 2030	26%	23%	25%	12%	7%	7%
Require all existing buildings and homes to switch their fuel source for heating off oil, gas, or propane by 2040	25%	25%	24%	11%	8%	7%
Ban the sale of all new gas-powered vehicles (cars, vans & trucks) by 2030	23%	19%	25%	15%	12%	7%

Legend: ■ Strongly support ■ Support ■ Can accept ■ Oppose ■ Strongly oppose ■ No opinion

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Assuming it is technically and politically possible to do all of the following, do you support or oppose the same actions, or do you not have strong opinions either way?

SUPPORT FOR THINGS CANADA COULD DO
END THE USE OF ALL COAL, GAS, AND OIL-GENERATED ELECTRICITY BY 2030

	Strongly support	Support	Can accept	Oppose	Strongly oppose	No opinion
ALL	26%	23%	25%	12%	7%	7%
GENDER						
Male	28%	20%	24%	13%	9%	5%
Female	25%	25%	25%	11%	5%	8%
AGE						
18 - 29	36%	27%	19%	8%	4%	7%
30 - 44	30%	24%	23%	9%	6%	8%
45 - 59	23%	23%	23%	15%	8%	8%
60 and over	20%	19%	31%	15%	10%	5%
REGION						
BC	24%	25%	31%	11%	4%	6%
AB	12%	18%	20%	22%	23%	4%
SK/MB	20%	15%	24%	23%	9%	9%
ON	26%	25%	24%	11%	6%	7%
QC	37%	23%	24%	6%	3%	7%
ATL	28%	24%	24%	10%	5%	9%
INCOME						
Less than $50,000	29%	22%	24%	11%	6%	8%
$50,000 to $100,000	25%	23%	26%	15%	6%	5%
Over $100,000	23%	28%	24%	12%	9%	4%
EDUCATION						
HS or less	26%	20%	25%	11%	9%	9%
College	28%	23%	24%	13%	5%	7%
University	26%	25%	26%	11%	8%	4%

Assuming it is technically and politically possible to do all of the following, do you support or oppose the same actions, or do you not have strong opinions either way?

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SUPPORT FOR THINGS CANADA COULD DO

PHASE OUT THE EXTRACTION AND EXPORT OF FOSSIL FUELS (OIL, GAS, AND COAL) OVER THE NEXT 20 TO 30 YEARS

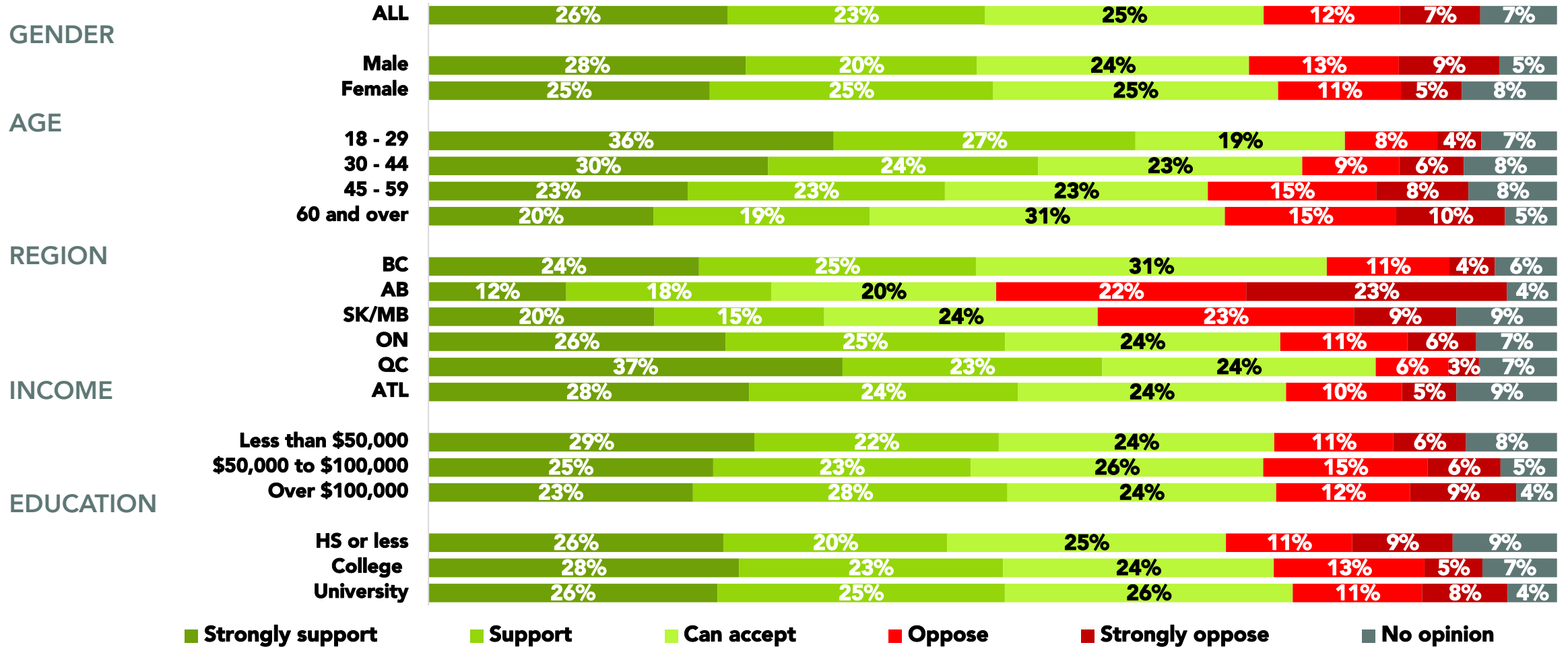|	Strongly support	Support	Can accept	Oppose	Strongly oppose	No opinion
ALL	26%	24%	24%	11%	7%	8%
GENDER						
Male	26%	22%	24%	13%	9%	6%
Female	26%	26%	25%	10%	4%	9%
AGE						
18 - 29	38%	26%	18%	7%	4%	7%
30 - 44	31%	24%	23%	10%	5%	9%
45 - 59	21%	26%	23%	12%	9%	9%
60 and over	19%	21%	31%	16%	8%	5%
REGION						
BC	27%	29%	23%	9%	5%	7%
AB	12%	17%	21%	24%	21%	5%
SK/MB	20%	13%	23%	21%	7%	15%
ON	26%	25%	25%	9%	6%	8%
QC	34%	25%	24%	8%	2%	7%
ATL	29%	23%	28%	9%	4%	7%
INCOME						
Less than $50,000	29%	25%	22%	9%	6%	9%
$50,000 to $100,000	26%	23%	26%	13%	6%	6%
Over $100,000	21%	25%	26%	15%	9%	4%
EDUCATION						
HS or less	26%	21%	23%	12%	8%	10%
College	27%	23%	25%	12%	5%	8%
University	25%	28%	24%	10%	8%	5%

Assuming it is technically and politically possible to do all of the following, do you support or oppose the same actions, or do you not have strong opinions either way?

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SUPPORT FOR THINGS CANADA COULD DO
BAN THE SALE OF ALL NEW GAS-POWERED VEHICLES (CARS, VANS & TRUCKS) BY 2030

	Strongly support	Support	Can accept	Oppose	Strongly oppose	No opinion
ALL	23%	19%	25%	15%	12%	7%
GENDER						
Male	24%	17%	23%	16%	14%	5%
Female	22%	21%	26%	14%	9%	8%
AGE						
18 - 29	32%	23%	20%	12%	7%	6%
30 - 44	29%	19%	24%	12%	9%	7%
45 - 59	19%	20%	22%	18%	14%	7%
60 and over	15%	15%	30%	18%	16%	6%
REGION						
BC	23%	18%	29%	13%	10%	6%
AB	12%	18%	21%	21%	24%	4%
SK/MB	20%	11%	21%	19%	19%	10%
ON	23%	19%	26%	15%	9%	7%
QC	28%	22%	22%	13%	10%	5%
ATL	24%	20%	27%	13%	7%	8%
INCOME						
Less than $50,000	25%	19%	22%	15%	10%	8%
$50,000 to $100,000	23%	18%	25%	14%	13%	6%
Over $100,000	19%	21%	30%	17%	12%	2%
EDUCATION						
HS or less	21%	17%	22%	15%	15%	10%
College	25%	19%	24%	17%	10%	5%
University	23%	21%	28%	13%	11%	4%

Legend: ■ Strongly support ■ Support ■ Can accept ■ Oppose ■ Strongly oppose ■ No opinion

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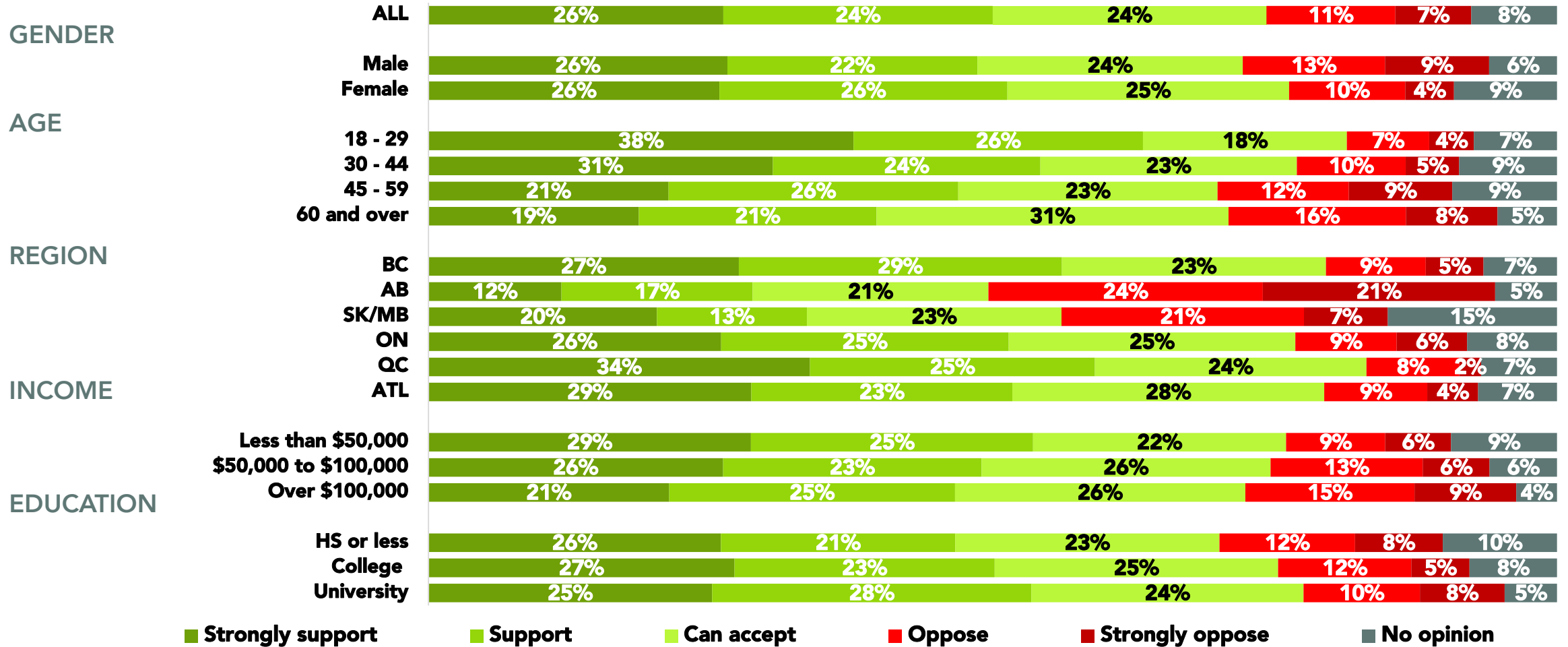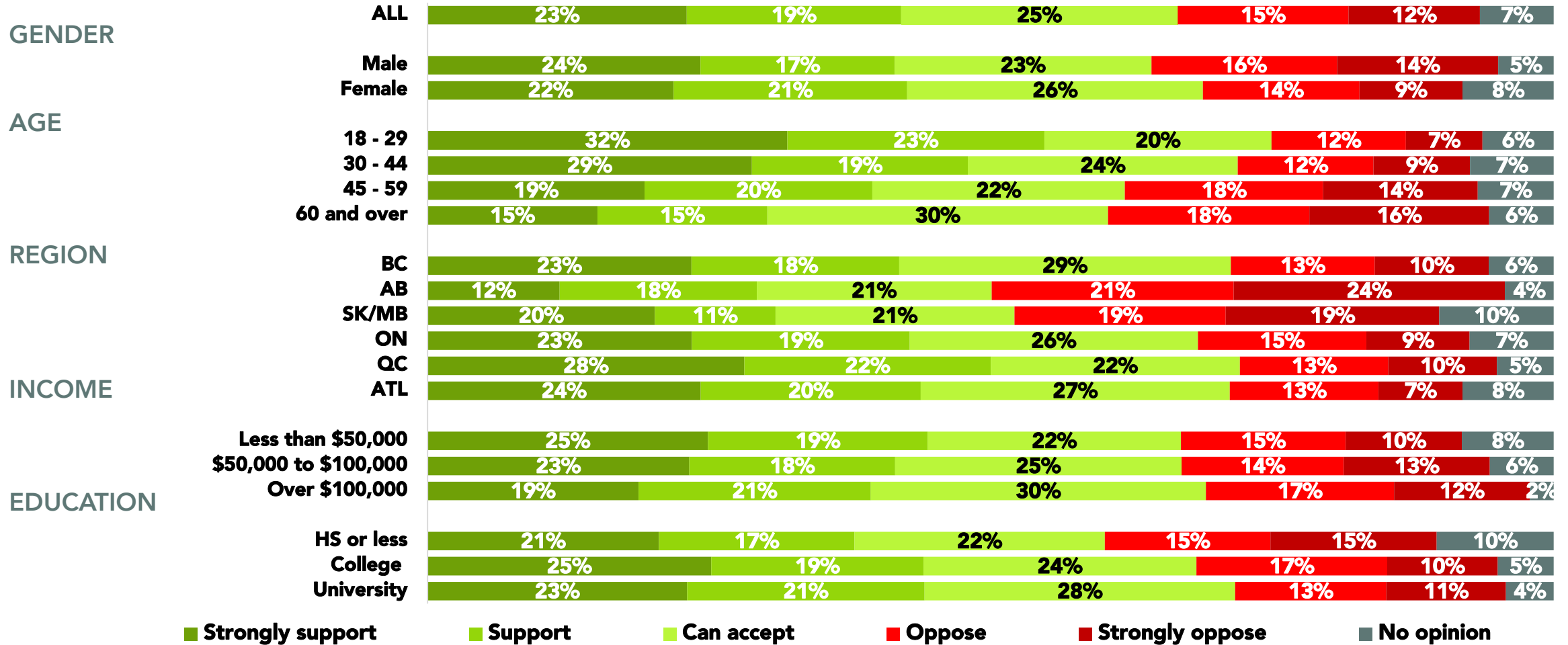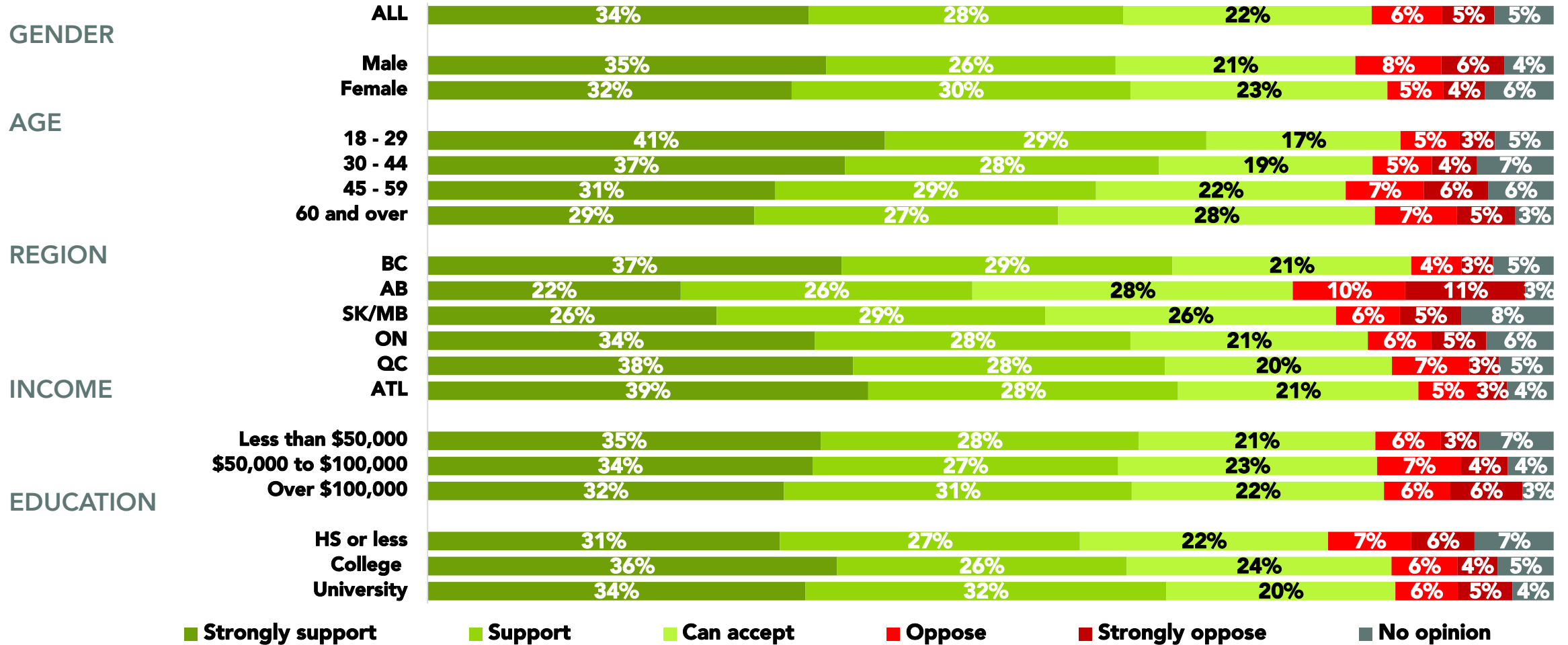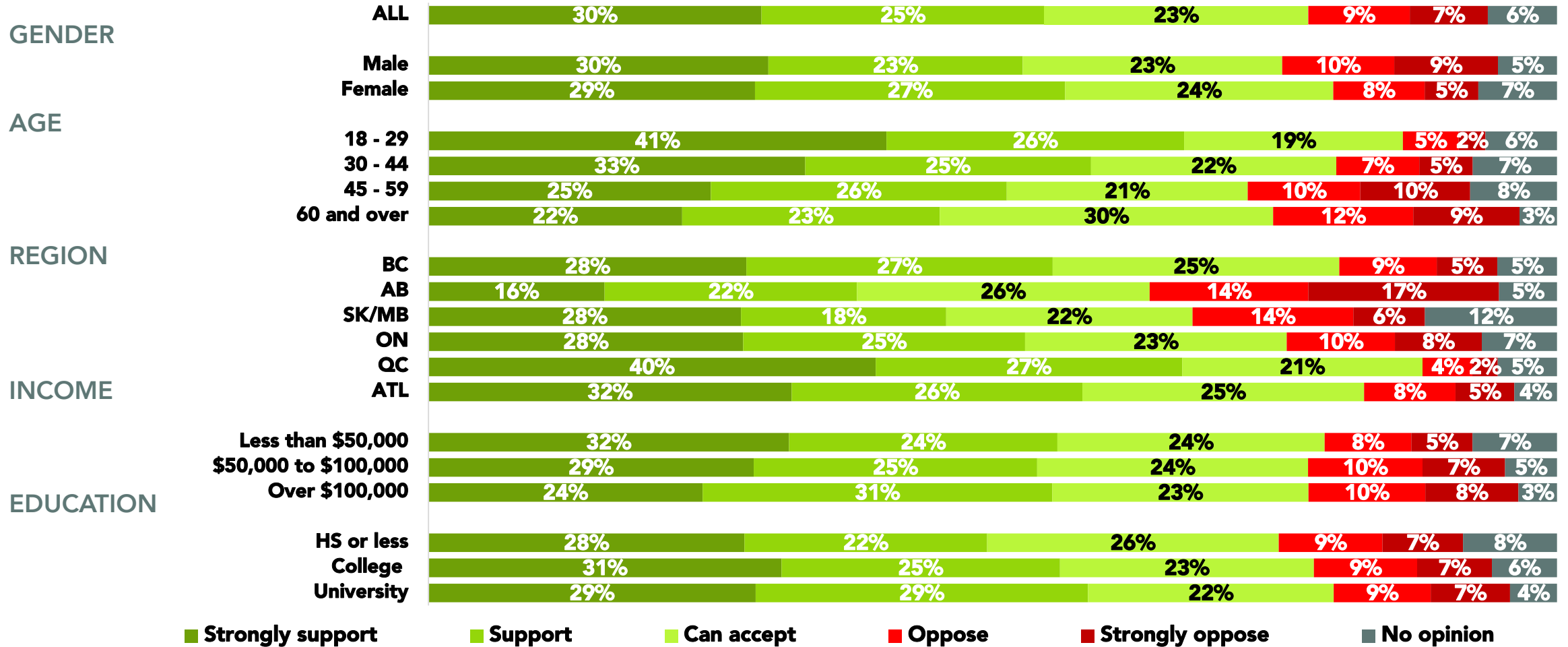
SUPPORT FOR THINGS CANADA COULD DO

TRANSITION ALL GOVERNMENT VEHICLES IN ITS FLEET TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES (LIKE CANADA POST TRUCKS/VANS) OVER THE NEXT 5 YEARS

	Strongly support	Support	Can accept	Oppose	Strongly oppose	No opinion
ALL	34%	28%	22%	6%	5%	5%
GENDER						
Male	35%	26%	21%	8%	6%	4%
Female	32%	30%	23%	5%	4%	6%
AGE						
18 - 29	41%	29%	17%	5%	3%	5%
30 - 44	37%	28%	19%	5%	4%	7%
45 - 59	31%	29%	22%	7%	6%	6%
60 and over	29%	27%	28%	7%	5%	3%
REGION						
BC	37%	29%	21%	4%	3%	5%
AB	22%	26%	28%	10%	11%	3%
SK/MB	26%	29%	26%	6%	5%	8%
ON	34%	28%	21%	6%	5%	6%
QC	38%	28%	20%	7%	3%	5%
ATL	39%	28%	21%	5%	3%	4%
INCOME						
Less than $50,000	35%	28%	21%	6%	3%	7%
$50,000 to $100,000	34%	27%	23%	7%	4%	4%
Over $100,000	32%	31%	22%	6%	6%	3%
EDUCATION						
HS or less	31%	27%	22%	7%	6%	7%
College	36%	26%	24%	6%	4%	5%
University	34%	32%	20%	6%	5%	4%

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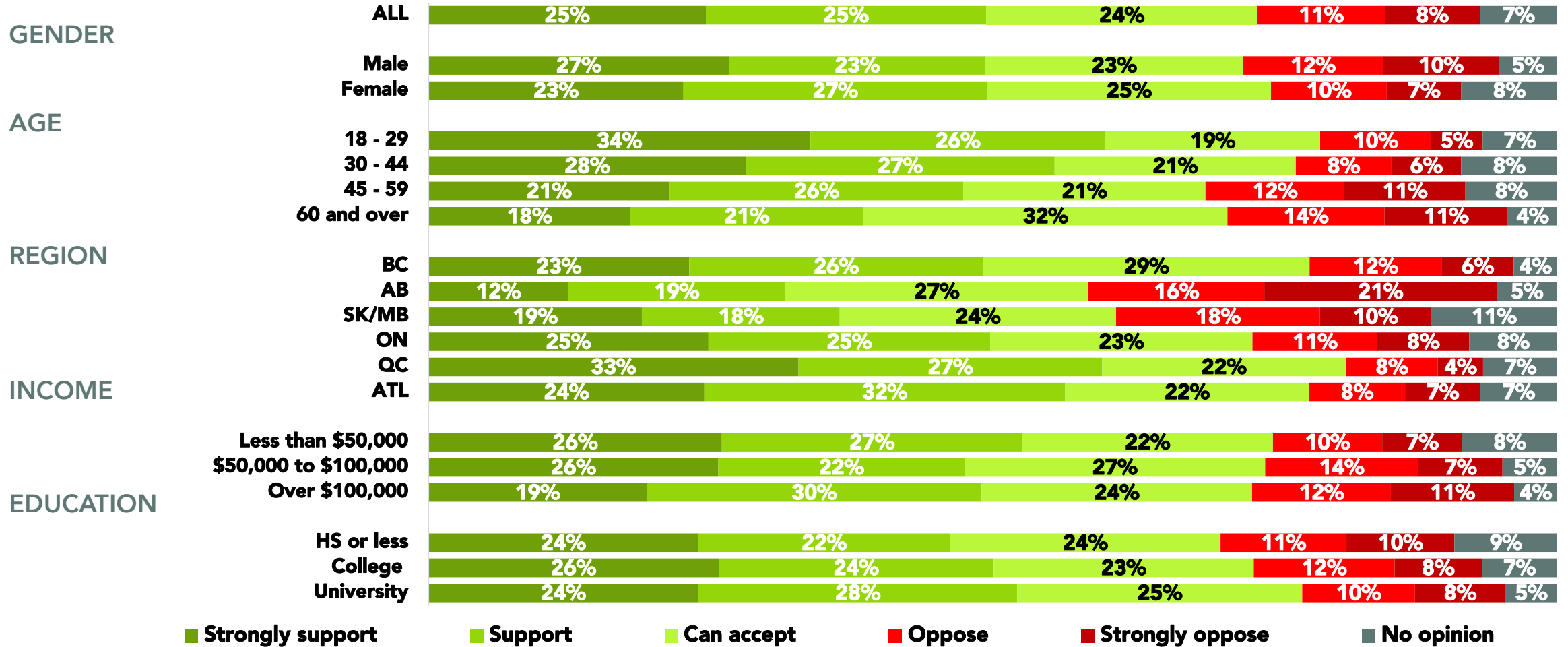
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SUPPORT FOR THINGS CANADA COULD DO

REQUIRE ALL NEW BUILDINGS AND HOMES IN CANADA TO HEAT SPACE AND WATER USING ELECTRICITY AND NOT GAS, PROPANE, OR OIL BY 2022

	Strongly support	Support	Can accept	Oppose	Strongly oppose	No opinion
ALL	30%	25%	23%	9%	7%	6%
GENDER						
Male	30%	23%	23%	10%	9%	5%
Female	29%	27%	24%	8%	5%	7%
AGE						
18 - 29	41%	26%	19%	5%	2%	6%
30 - 44	33%	25%	22%	7%	5%	7%
45 - 59	25%	26%	21%	10%	10%	8%
60 and over	22%	23%	30%	12%	9%	3%
REGION						
BC	28%	27%	25%	9%	5%	5%
AB	16%	22%	26%	14%	17%	5%
SK/MB	28%	18%	22%	14%	6%	12%
ON	28%	25%	23%	10%	8%	7%
QC	40%	27%	21%	4%	2%	5%
ATL	32%	26%	25%	8%	5%	4%
INCOME						
Less than $50,000	32%	24%	24%	8%	5%	7%
$50,000 to $100,000	29%	25%	24%	10%	7%	5%
Over $100,000	24%	31%	23%	10%	8%	3%
EDUCATION						
HS or less	28%	22%	26%	9%	7%	8%
College	31%	25%	23%	9%	7%	6%
University	29%	29%	22%	9%	7%	4%

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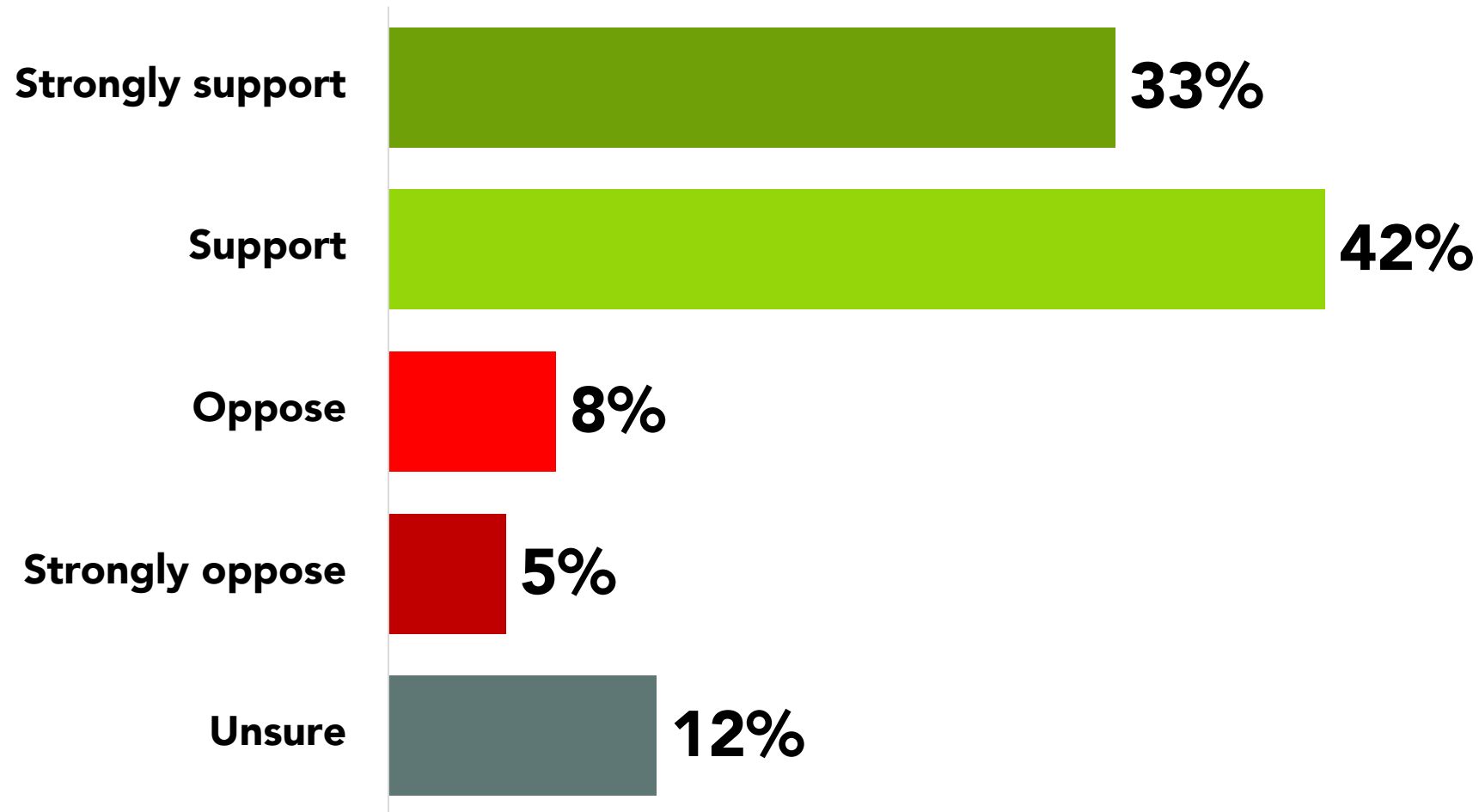
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SUPPORT FOR THINGS CANADA COULD DO

REQUIRE ALL EXISTING BUILDINGS AND HOMES TO SWITCH THEIR FUEL SOURCE FOR HEATING OFF OIL, GAS, OR PROPANE BY 2040

	Strongly support	Support	Can accept	Oppose	Strongly oppose	No opinion
ALL	25%	25%	24%	11%	8%	7%
GENDER						
Male	27%	23%	23%	12%	10%	5%
Female	23%	27%	25%	10%	7%	8%
AGE						
18 - 29	34%	26%	19%	10%	5%	7%
30 - 44	28%	27%	21%	8%	6%	8%
45 - 59	21%	26%	21%	12%	11%	8%
60 and over	18%	21%	32%	14%	11%	4%
REGION						
BC	23%	26%	29%	12%	6%	4%
AB	12%	19%	27%	16%	21%	5%
SK/MB	19%	18%	24%	18%	10%	11%
ON	25%	25%	23%	11%	8%	8%
QC	33%	27%	22%	8%	4%	7%
ATL	24%	32%	22%	8%	7%	7%
INCOME						
Less than $50,000	26%	27%	22%	10%	7%	8%
$50,000 to $100,000	26%	22%	27%	14%	7%	5%
Over $100,000	19%	30%	24%	12%	11%	4%
EDUCATION						
HS or less	24%	22%	24%	11%	10%	9%
College	26%	24%	23%	12%	8%	7%
University	24%	28%	25%	10%	8%	5%

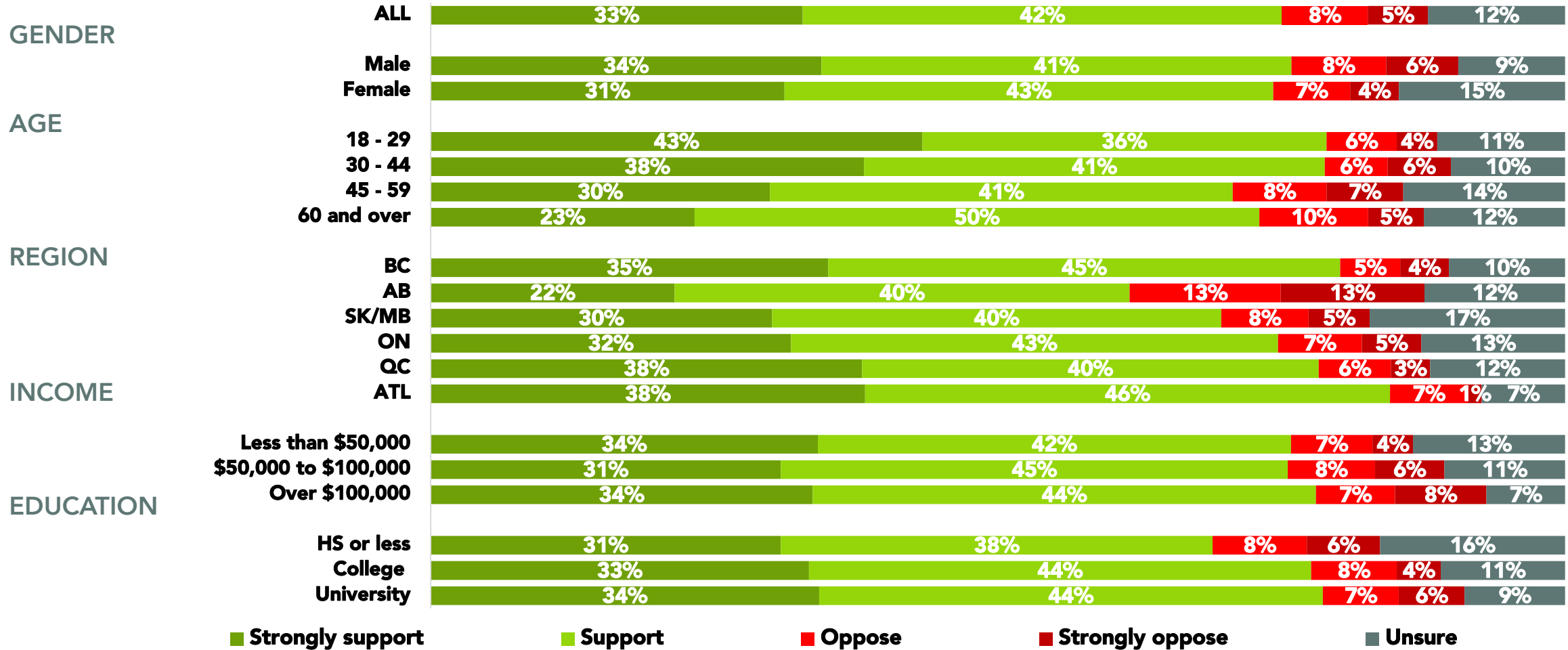Legend: ■ Strongly support ■ Support ■ Can accept ■ Oppose ■ Strongly oppose ■ No opinion

Assuming it is technically and politically possible to do all of the following, do you support or oppose the same actions, or do you not have strong opinions either way?

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SUPPORT INVESTMENT IN RENEWABLE ENERGY

Strongly support 33%

Support 42%

Oppose 8%

Strongly oppose 5%

Unsure 12%

Would you support or oppose our governments making massive investments in new green infrastructure, such as renewable energy (solar panel fields, wind farms, geothermal energy, tidal energy), building retrofits, high-speed rail, mass public transit, and electric vehicle charging stations, as well as reforestation?

ABACUS DATA

SUPPORT INVESTMENT IN RENEWABLE ENERGY

	Strongly support	Support	Oppose	Strongly oppose	Unsure
ALL	33%	42%	8%	5%	12%
GENDER					
Male	34%	41%	8%	6%	9%
Female	31%	43%	7%	4%	15%
AGE					
18 - 29	43%	36%	6%	4%	11%
30 - 44	38%	41%	6%	6%	10%
45 - 59	30%	41%	8%	7%	14%
60 and over	23%	50%	10%	5%	12%
REGION					
BC	35%	45%	5%	4%	10%
AB	22%	40%	13%	13%	12%
SK/MB	30%	40%	8%	5%	17%
ON	32%	43%	7%	5%	13%
QC	38%	40%	6%	3%	12%
ATL	38%	46%	7%	1%	7%
INCOME					
Less than $50,000	34%	42%	7%	4%	13%
$50,000 to $100,000	31%	45%	8%	6%	11%
Over $100,000	34%	44%	7%	8%	7%
EDUCATION					
HS or less	31%	38%	8%	6%	16%
College	33%	44%	8%	4%	11%
University	34%	44%	7%	6%	9%

■ Strongly support   ■ Support   ■ Oppose   ■ Strongly oppose   ■ Unsure

Would you support or oppose our governments making massive investments in new green infrastructure, such as renewable energy (solar panel fields, wind farms, geothermal energy, tidal energy), building retrofits, high-speed rail, mass public transit, and electric vehicle charging stations, as well as reforestation?

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TRANSITIONING THE ECONOMY AND SOCIETY AWAY FROM FOSSIL FUELS

If governments provided financial support to low and modest-income households to help them transition away from fossil fuels
- Much more supportive: 41%
- Somewhat more supportive: 38%
- Somewhat less supportive: 7%
- Much less supportive: 3%
- It wouldn't impact your views: 11%

If your own income taxes didn't increase as a result of the plan
- Much more supportive: 45%
- Somewhat more supportive: 33%
- Somewhat less supportive: 6%
- Much less supportive: 2%
- It wouldn't impact your views: 13%

If the wealthy and large corporations were required to contribute more in taxes to help pay for this plan
- Much more supportive: 46%
- Somewhat more supportive: 32%
- Somewhat less supportive: 7%
- Much less supportive: 4%
- It wouldn't impact your views: 10%

If the government committed to pay a sizeable "climate action dividend" (similar to the GST credit) to all low and modest-income households to help offset rising energy costs
- Much more supportive: 39%
- Somewhat more supportive: 38%
- Somewhat less supportive: 8%
- Much less supportive: 4%
- It wouldn't impact your views: 12%

If the federal government committed to a "good jobs guarantee" for all people currently employed in the oil, gas, and coal industry
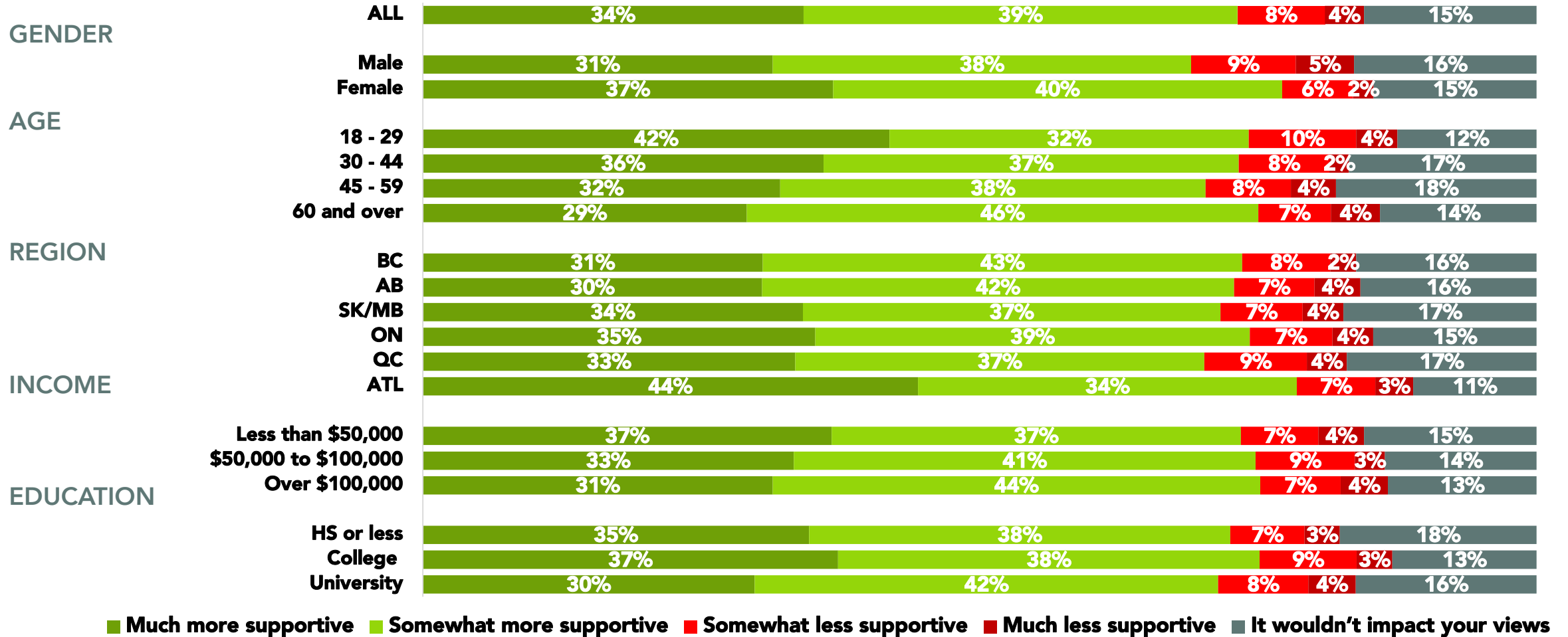- Much more supportive: 34%
- Somewhat more supportive: 39%
- Somewhat less supportive: 8%
- Much less supportive: 4%
- It wouldn't impact your views: 15%

Legend:
- ■ Much more supportive
- ■ Somewhat more supportive
- ■ Somewhat less supportive
- ■ Much less supportive
- ■ It wouldn't impact your views

Now we are going to show you some things governments could do to help the speedy transition of the economy and society away from fossil fuels. For each, tell us whether it is something that would make you more or less supportive of a bold and ambitious climate action plan.

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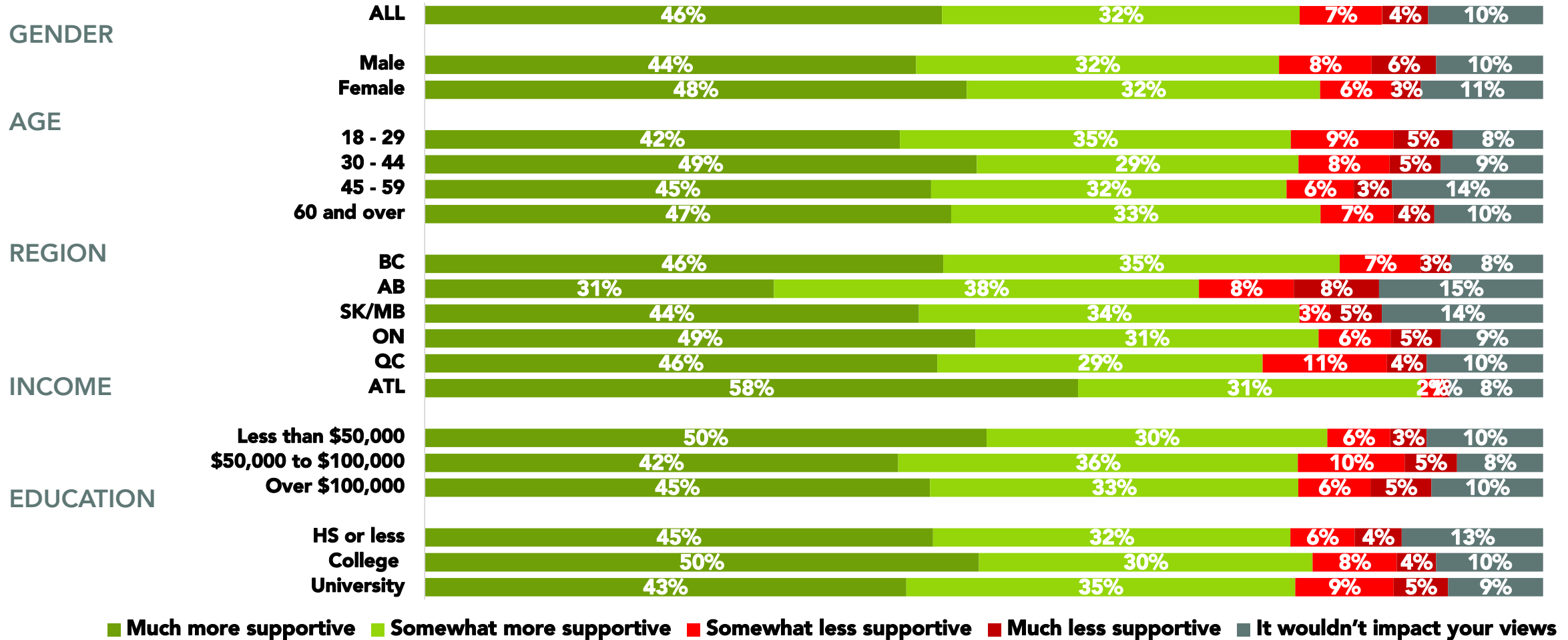
TRANSITIONING THE ECONOMY AND SOCIETY

	Much more supportive	Somewhat more supportive	Somewhat less supportive	Much less supportive	It wouldn't impact your views
ALL	34%	39%	8%	4%	15%
GENDER					
Male	31%	38%	9%	5%	16%
Female	37%	40%	6%	2%	15%
AGE					
18 - 29	42%	32%	10%	4%	12%
30 - 44	36%	37%	8%	2%	17%
45 - 59	32%	38%	8%	4%	18%
60 and over	29%	46%	7%	4%	14%
REGION					
BC	31%	43%	8%	2%	16%
AB	30%	42%	7%	4%	16%
SK/MB	34%	37%	7%	4%	17%
ON	35%	39%	7%	4%	15%
QC	33%	37%	9%	4%	17%
ATL	44%	34%	7%	3%	11%
INCOME					
Less than $50,000	37%	37%	7%	4%	15%
$50,000 to $100,000	33%	41%	9%	3%	14%
Over $100,000	31%	44%	7%	4%	13%
EDUCATION					
HS or less	35%	38%	7%	3%	18%
College	37%	38%	9%	3%	13%
University	30%	42%	8%	4%	16%

Legend: ■ Much more supportive ■ Somewhat more supportive ■ Somewhat less supportive ■ Much less supportive ■ It wouldn't impact your views

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TRANSITIONING THE ECONOMY AND SOCIETY

<mark>IF THE WEALTHY AND LARGE CORPORATIONS WERE REQUIRED TO CONTRIBUTE MORE IN TAXES TO HELP PAY FOR THIS PLAN</mark>

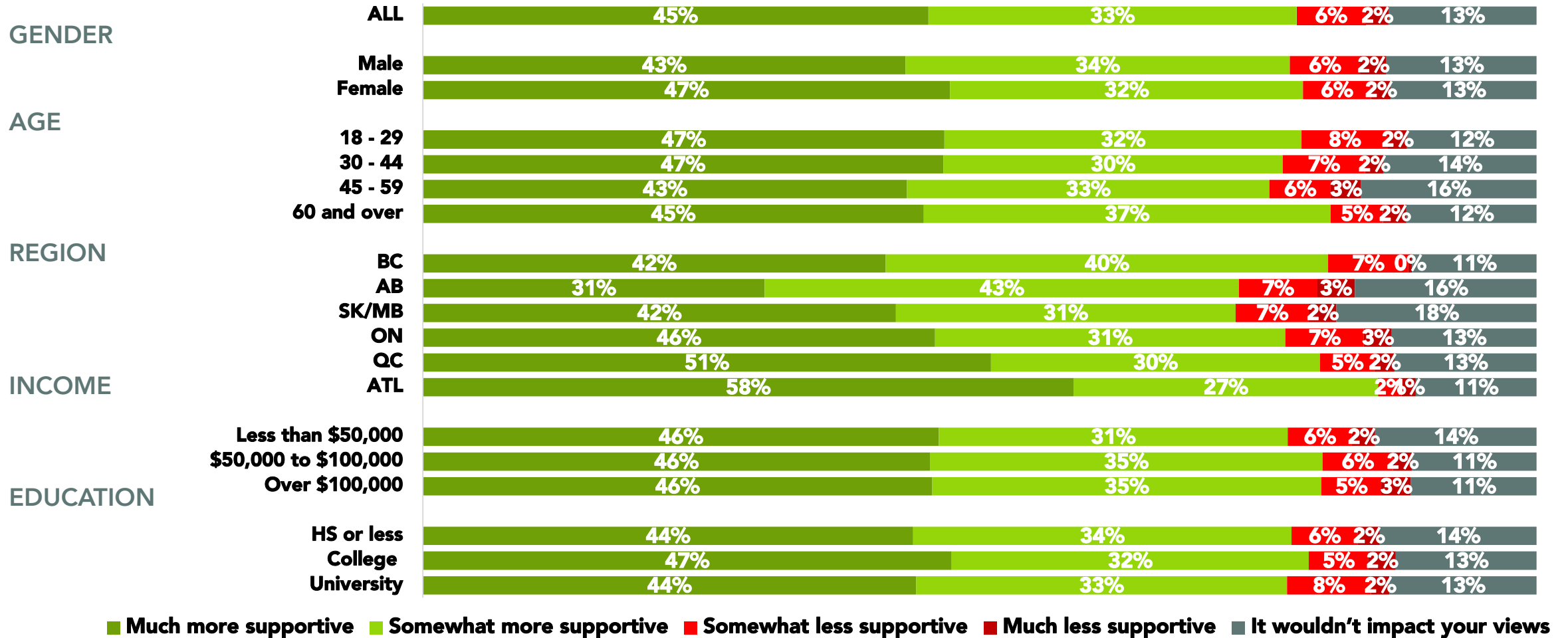|	Much more supportive	Somewhat more supportive	Somewhat less supportive	Much less supportive	It wouldn't impact your views
ALL	46%	32%	7%	4%	10%
GENDER					
Male	44%	32%	8%	6%	10%
Female	48%	32%	6%	3%	11%
AGE					
18 - 29	42%	35%	9%	5%	8%
30 - 44	49%	29%	8%	5%	9%
45 - 59	45%	32%	6%	3%	14%
60 and over	47%	33%	7%	4%	10%
REGION					
BC	46%	35%	7%	3%	8%
AB	31%	38%	8%	8%	15%
SK/MB	44%	34%	3%	5%	14%
ON	49%	31%	6%	5%	9%
QC	46%	29%	11%	4%	10%
ATL	58%	31%	2%	2%	8%
INCOME					
Less than $50,000	50%	30%	6%	3%	10%
$50,000 to $100,000	42%	36%	10%	5%	8%
Over $100,000	45%	33%	6%	5%	10%
EDUCATION					
HS or less	45%	32%	6%	4%	13%
College	50%	30%	8%	4%	10%
University	43%	35%	9%	5%	9%

■ Much more supportive ■ Somewhat more supportive ■ Somewhat less supportive ■ Much less supportive ■ It wouldn't impact your views

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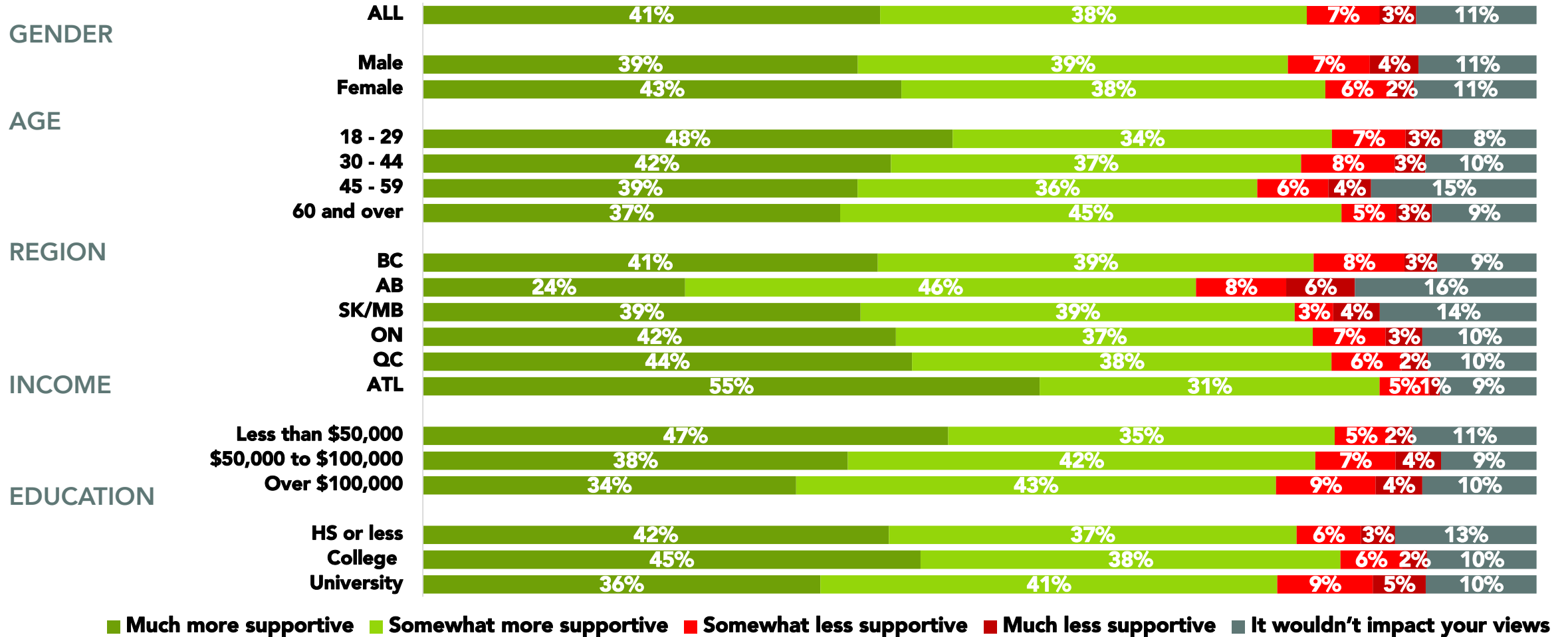
ABACUS DATA

TRANSITIONING THE ECONOMY AND SOCIETY

IF YOUR OWN INCOME TAXES DIDN'T INCREASE AS A RESULT OF THE PLAN

	Much more supportive	Somewhat more supportive	Somewhat less supportive	Much less supportive	It wouldn't impact your views
ALL	45%	33%	6%	2%	13%
GENDER					
Male	43%	34%	6%	2%	13%
Female	47%	32%	6%	2%	13%
AGE					
18 - 29	47%	32%	8%	2%	12%
30 - 44	47%	30%	7%	2%	14%
45 - 59	43%	33%	6%	3%	16%
60 and over	45%	37%	5%	2%	12%
REGION					
BC	42%	40%	7%	0%	11%
AB	31%	43%	7%	3%	16%
SK/MB	42%	31%	7%	2%	18%
ON	46%	31%	7%	3%	13%
QC	51%	30%	5%	2%	13%
ATL	58%	27%	2%	1%	11%
INCOME					
Less than $50,000	46%	31%	6%	2%	14%
$50,000 to $100,000	46%	35%	6%	2%	11%
Over $100,000	46%	35%	5%	3%	11%
EDUCATION					
HS or less	44%	34%	6%	2%	14%
College	47%	32%	5%	2%	13%
University	44%	33%	8%	2%	13%

■ Much more supportive ■ Somewhat more supportive ■ Somewhat less supportive ■ Much less supportive ■ It wouldn't impact your views

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TRANSITIONING THE ECONOMY AND SOCIETY

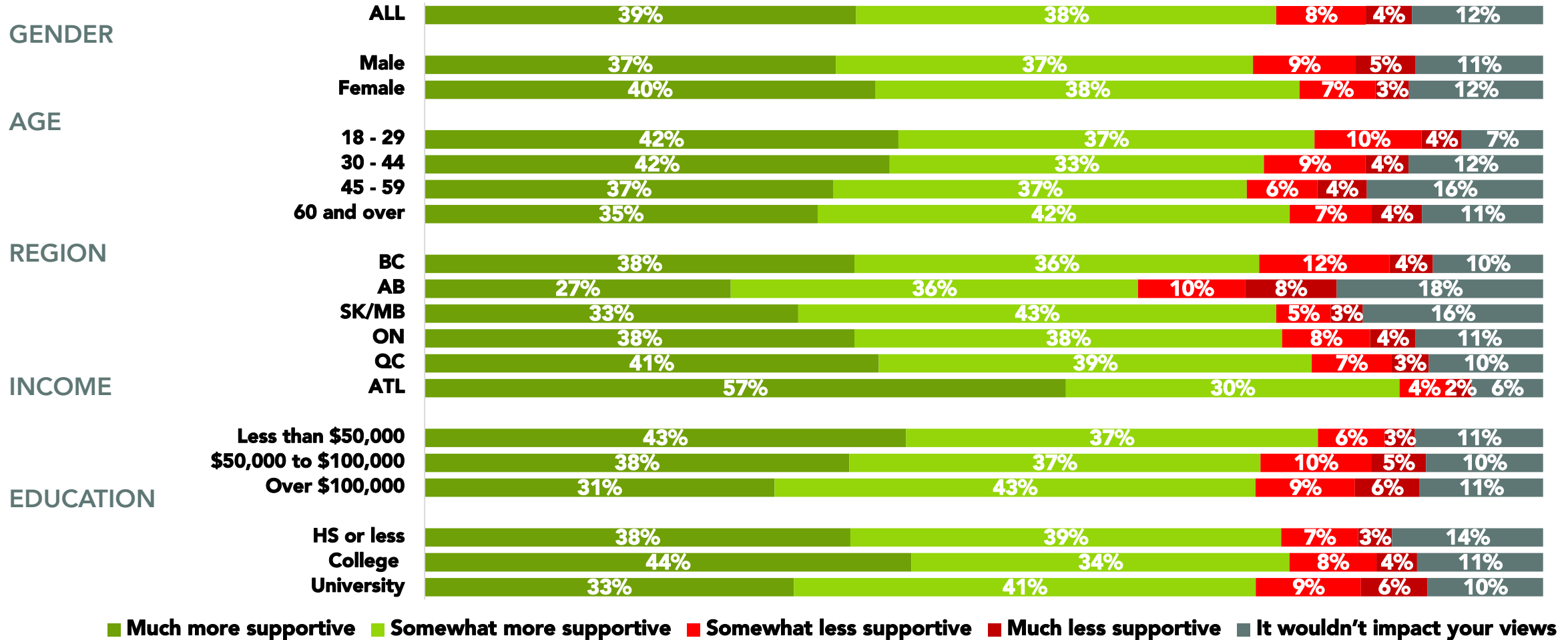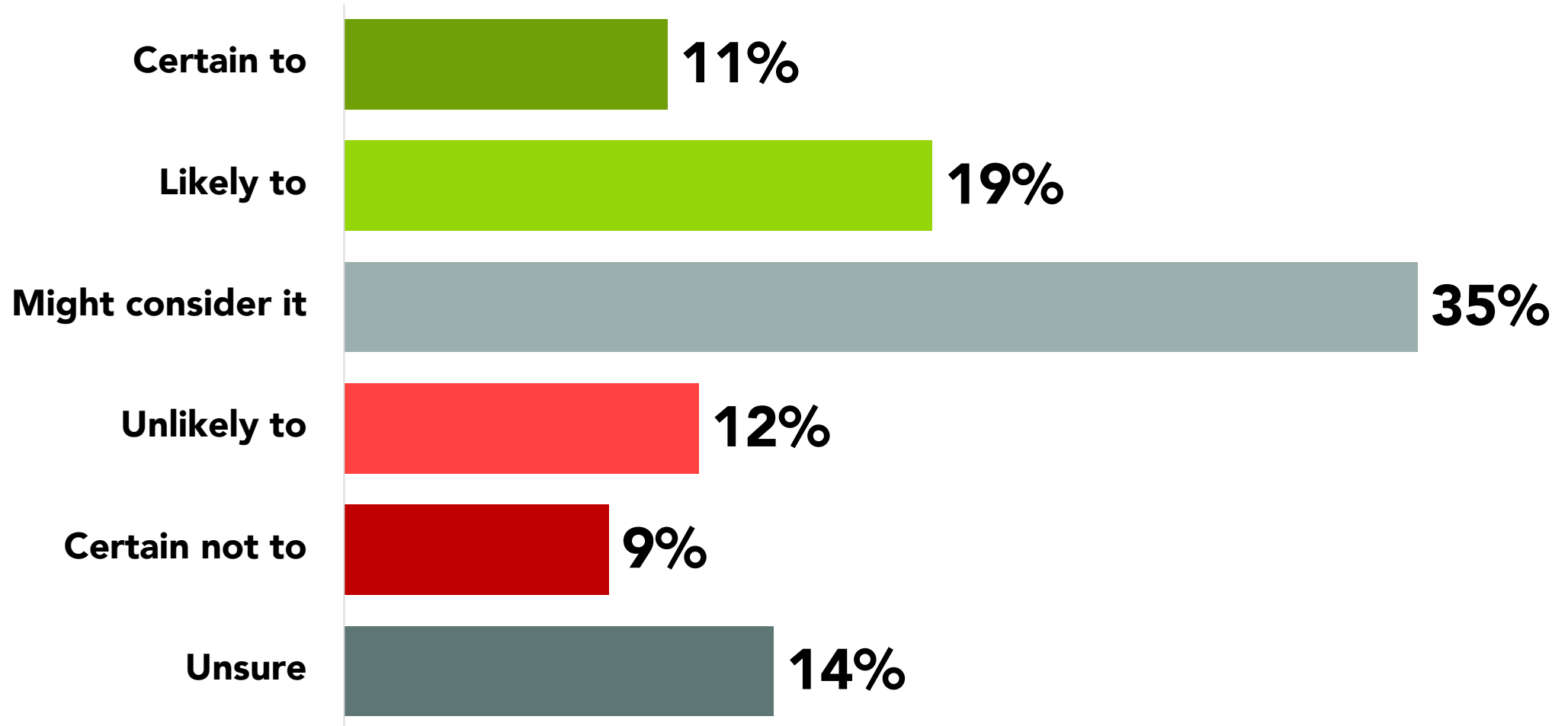<mark>IF GOVERNMENTS PROVIDED FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO LOW AND MODEST-INCOME HOUSEHOLDS TO HELP THEM TRANSITION AWAY FROM FOSSIL FUEL</mark>

	Much more supportive	Somewhat more supportive	Somewhat less supportive	Much less supportive	It wouldn't impact your views
ALL	41%	38%	7%	3%	11%
GENDER					
Male	39%	39%	7%	4%	11%
Female	43%	38%	6%	2%	11%
AGE					
18 - 29	48%	34%	7%	3%	8%
30 - 44	42%	37%	8%	3%	10%
45 - 59	39%	36%	6%	4%	15%
60 and over	37%	45%	5%	3%	9%
REGION					
BC	41%	39%	8%	3%	9%
AB	24%	46%	8%	6%	16%
SK/MB	39%	39%	3%	4%	14%
ON	42%	37%	7%	3%	10%
QC	44%	38%	6%	2%	10%
ATL	55%	31%	5%	1%	9%
INCOME					
Less than $50,000	47%	35%	5%	2%	11%
$50,000 to $100,000	38%	42%	7%	4%	9%
Over $100,000	34%	43%	9%	4%	10%
EDUCATION					
HS or less	42%	37%	6%	3%	13%
College	45%	38%	6%	2%	10%
University	36%	41%	9%	5%	10%

Legend: ■ Much more supportive ■ Somewhat more supportive ■ Somewhat less supportive ■ Much less supportive ■ It wouldn't impact your views
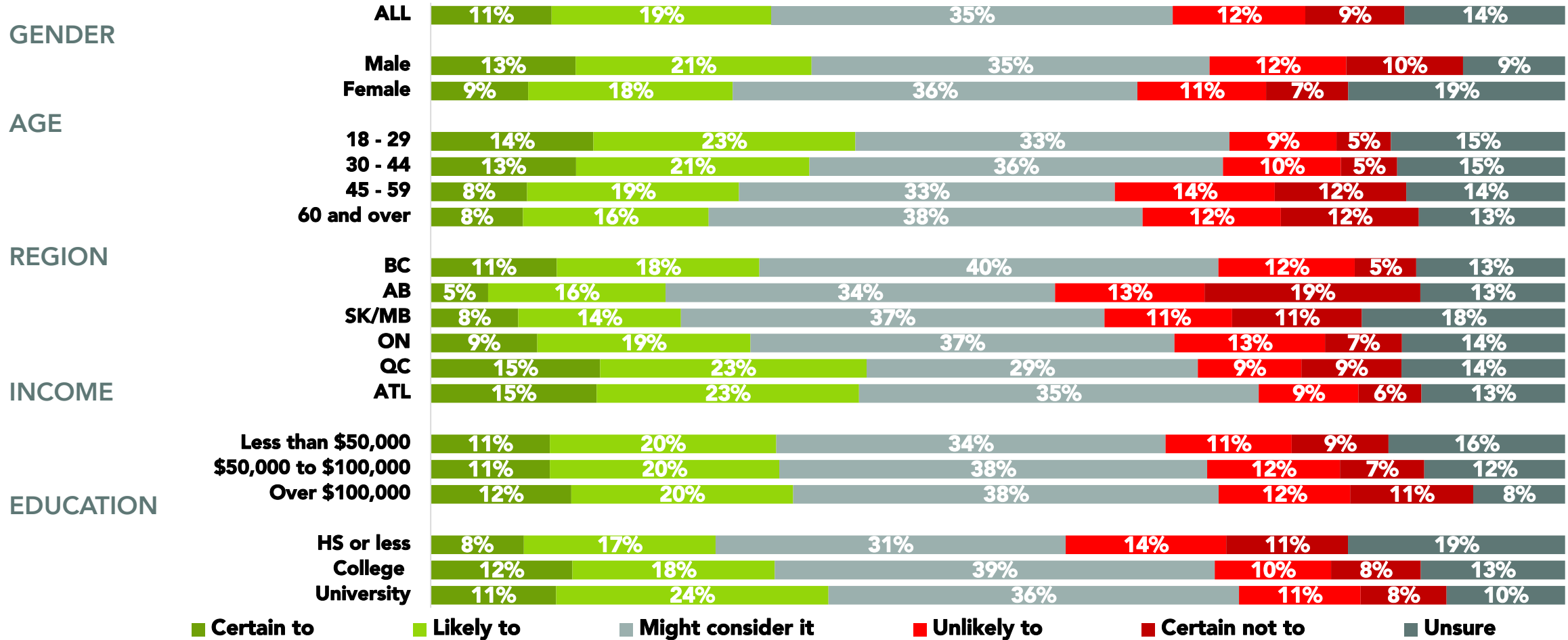
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TRANSITIONING THE ECONOMY AND SOCIETY

	Much more supportive	Somewhat more supportive	Somewhat less supportive	Much less supportive	It wouldn't impact your views
ALL	39%	38%	8%	4%	12%
GENDER					
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AGE					
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45 - 59	37%	37%	6%	4%	16%
60 and over	35%	42%	7%	4%	11%
REGION					
BC	38%	36%	12%	4%	10%
AB	27%	36%	10%	8%	18%
SK/MB	33%	43%	5%	3%	16%
ON	38%	38%	8%	4%	11%
QC	41%	39%	7%	3%	10%
ATL	57%	30%	4%	2%	6%
INCOME					
Less than $50,000	43%	37%	6%	3%	11%
$50,000 to $100,000	38%	37%	10%	5%	10%
Over $100,000	31%	43%	9%	6%	11%
EDUCATION					
HS or less	38%	39%	7%	3%	14%
College	44%	34%	8%	4%	11%
University	33%	41%	9%	6%	10%

■ Much more supportive ■ Somewhat more supportive ■ Somewhat less supportive ■ Much less supportive ■ It wouldn't impact your views

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LIKELIHOOD TO PURCHASE A "GREEN VICTORY BOND"

Certain to	11%
Likely to	19%
Might consider it	35%
Unlikely to	12%
Certain not to	9%
Unsure	14%

One idea for how to help pay the cost of transitioning the economy away from fossil fuels would be to sell "Green Victory Bonds" (which would be like "Victory Bonds" that were sold during World War II to help pay for the costs of the war). The money raised from these Green Victory Bonds would be used to pay for public infrastructure needed to respond to and tackle climate change (such as public transit, high-speed rail, building retrofits and renewable energy projects). They would also offer a reasonable rate of return for those who buy them. Given this, how likely are you to purchase a "Green Victory Bond"?
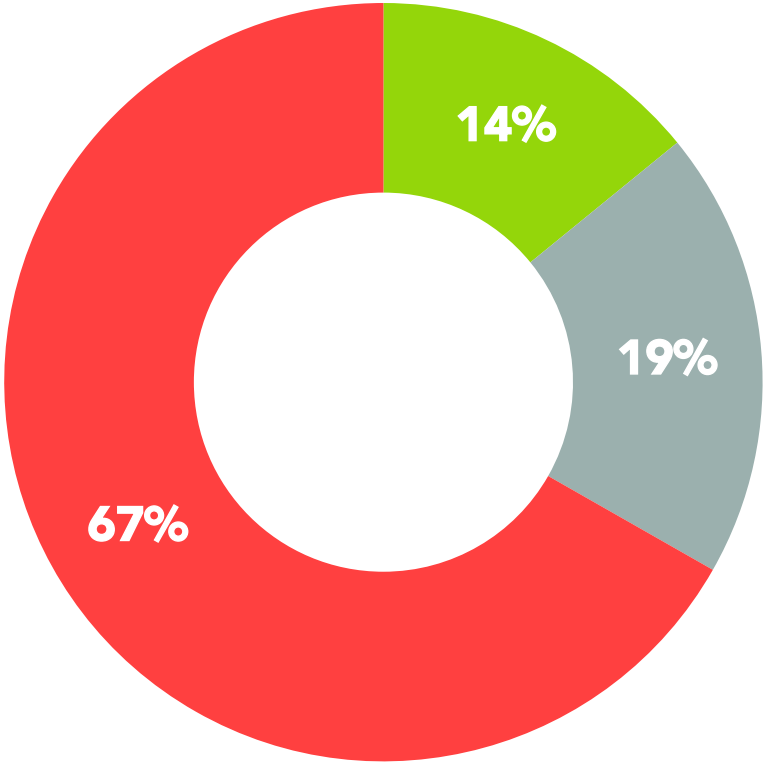
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LIKELIHOOD TO PURCHASE A "GREEN VICTORY BOND"

	Certain to	Likely to	Might consider it	Unlikely to	Certain not to	Unsure
ALL	11%	19%	35%	12%	9%	14%
GENDER						
Male	13%	21%	35%	12%	10%	9%
Female	9%	18%	36%	11%	7%	19%
AGE						
18 - 29	14%	23%	33%	9%	5%	15%
30 - 44	13%	21%	36%	10%	5%	15%
45 - 59	8%	19%	33%	14%	12%	14%
60 and over	8%	16%	38%	12%	12%	13%
REGION						
BC	11%	18%	40%	12%	5%	13%
AB	5%	16%	34%	13%	19%	13%
SK/MB	8%	14%	37%	11%	11%	18%
ON	9%	19%	37%	13%	7%	14%
QC	15%	23%	29%	9%	9%	14%
ATL	15%	23%	35%	9%	6%	13%
INCOME						
Less than $50,000	11%	20%	34%	11%	9%	16%
$50,000 to $100,000	11%	20%	38%	12%	7%	12%
Over $100,000	12%	20%	38%	12%	11%	8%
EDUCATION						
HS or less	8%	17%	31%	14%	11%	19%
College	12%	18%	39%	10%	8%	13%
University	11%	24%	36%	11%	8%	10%

Certain to · **Likely to** · **Might consider it** · **Unlikely to** · **Certain not to** · **Unsure**

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Given this, how likely are you to purchase a "Green Victory Bond"?

AWARE OF "GREEN NEW DEAL"

Legend:
- **Yes, definitely** (green)
- **I think so** (grey)
- **No** (red)

Chart values: 14%, 19%, 67%

Before today, have you heard of the term "Green New Deal"?

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AWARE OF "GREEN NEW DEAL"

GENDER

ALL	14%	19%	67%
Male	17%	21%	62%
Female	11%	17%	72%

AGE

18 - 29	19%	23%	57%
30 - 44	15%	21%	64%
45 - 59	13%	15%	73%
60 and over	11%	19%	70%

REGION

BC	16%	21%	63%
AB	12%	19%	69%
SK/MB	9%	18%	73%
ON	17%	17%	66%
QC	11%	24%	65%
ATL	15%	12%	73%

INCOME

Less than $50,000	14%	19%	67%
$50,000 to $100,000	13%	18%	69%
Over $100,000	19%	20%	61%

EDUCATION

HS or less	11%	15%	74%
College	12%	22%	67%
University	20%	20%	59%

■ **Yes, definitely**   ■ **I think so**   ■ **No**

Before today, have you heard of the term "Green New Deal"?
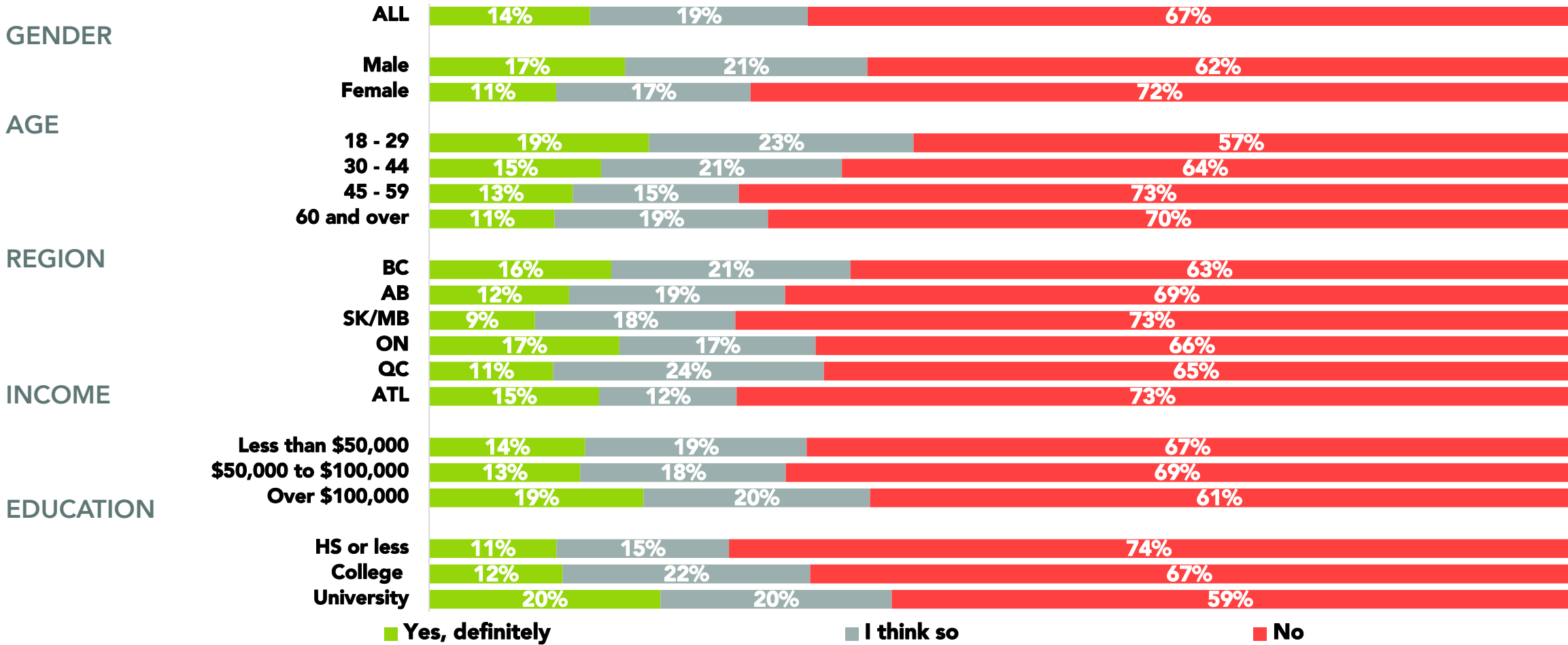
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FAMILIARITY WITH "GREEN NEW DEAL"
THOSE AWARE OF "GREEN NEW DEAL"

- 17% Very familiar
- 45% Somewhat familiar
- 38% Only vaguely heard about it

How familiar would you say you are with what "A Green New Deal" refers to?

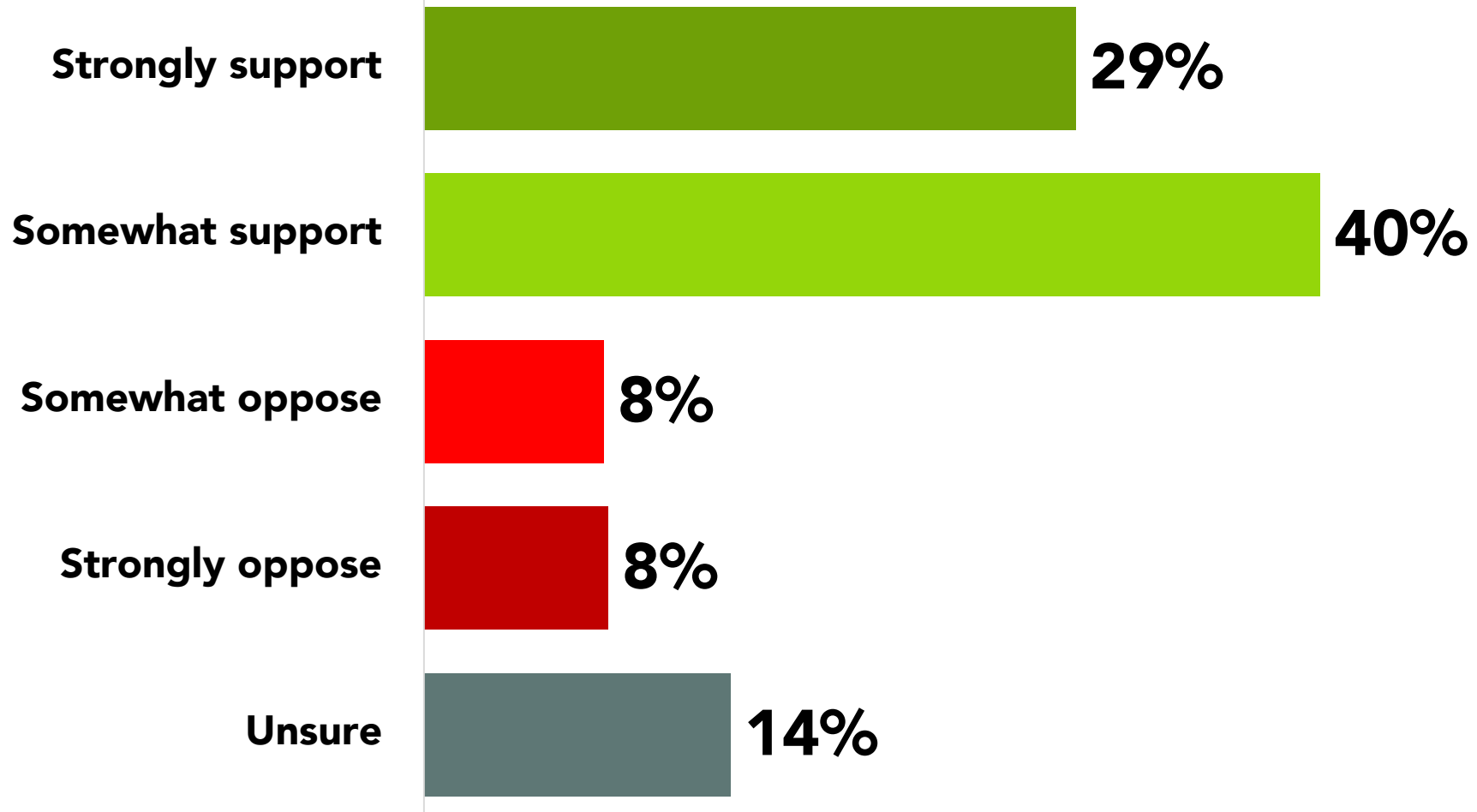ABACUS DATA

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How familiar would you say you are with what "A Green New Deal" refers to?
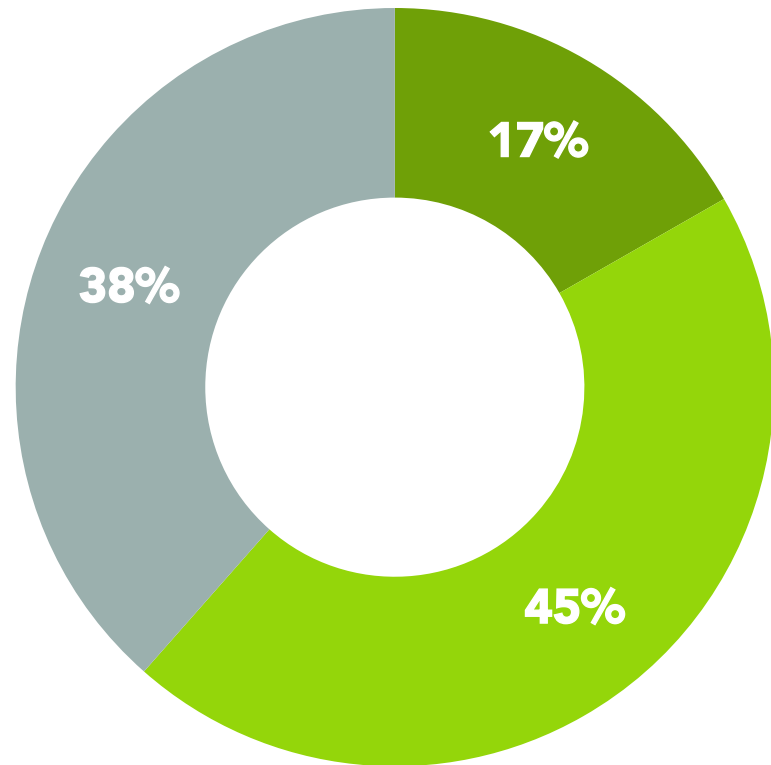
	Very familiar	Somewhat familiar	Only vaguely heard about it
ALL	17%	45%	38%
GENDER			
Male	21%	44%	36%
Female	12%	46%	42%
AGE			
18 - 29	19%	56%	25%
30 - 44	22%	47%	31%
45 - 59	15%	47%	38%
60 and over	10%	29%	60%
REGION			
BC	13%	52%	36%
AB	17%	48%	34%
SK/MB	14%	40%	47%
ON	18%	44%	38%
QC	17%	41%	42%
ATL	20%	49%	31%
INCOME			
Less than $50,000	17%	42%	41%
$50,000 to $100,000	12%	50%	38%
Over $100,000	24%	43%	33%
EDUCATION			
HS or less	18%	44%	37%
College	12%	40%	48%
University	21%	50%	30%

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SUPPORT FOR A MADE-IN-CANADA GREEN NEW DEAL
THOSE AWARE OF "GREEN NEW DEAL"

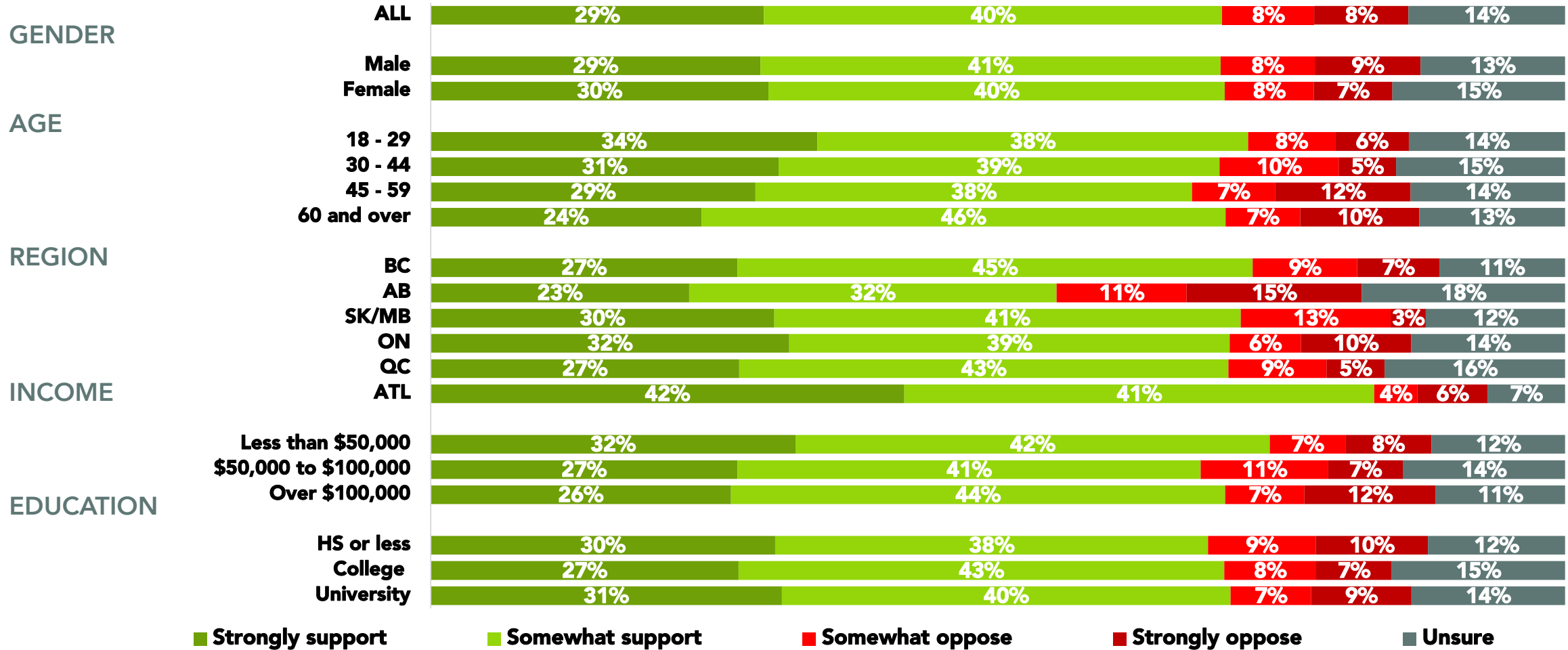| Category	Percentage
Strongly support	29%
Somewhat support	40%
Somewhat oppose	8%
Strongly oppose	8%
Unsure	14%

From what you know, do you support or oppose a made-in-Canada Green New Deal?

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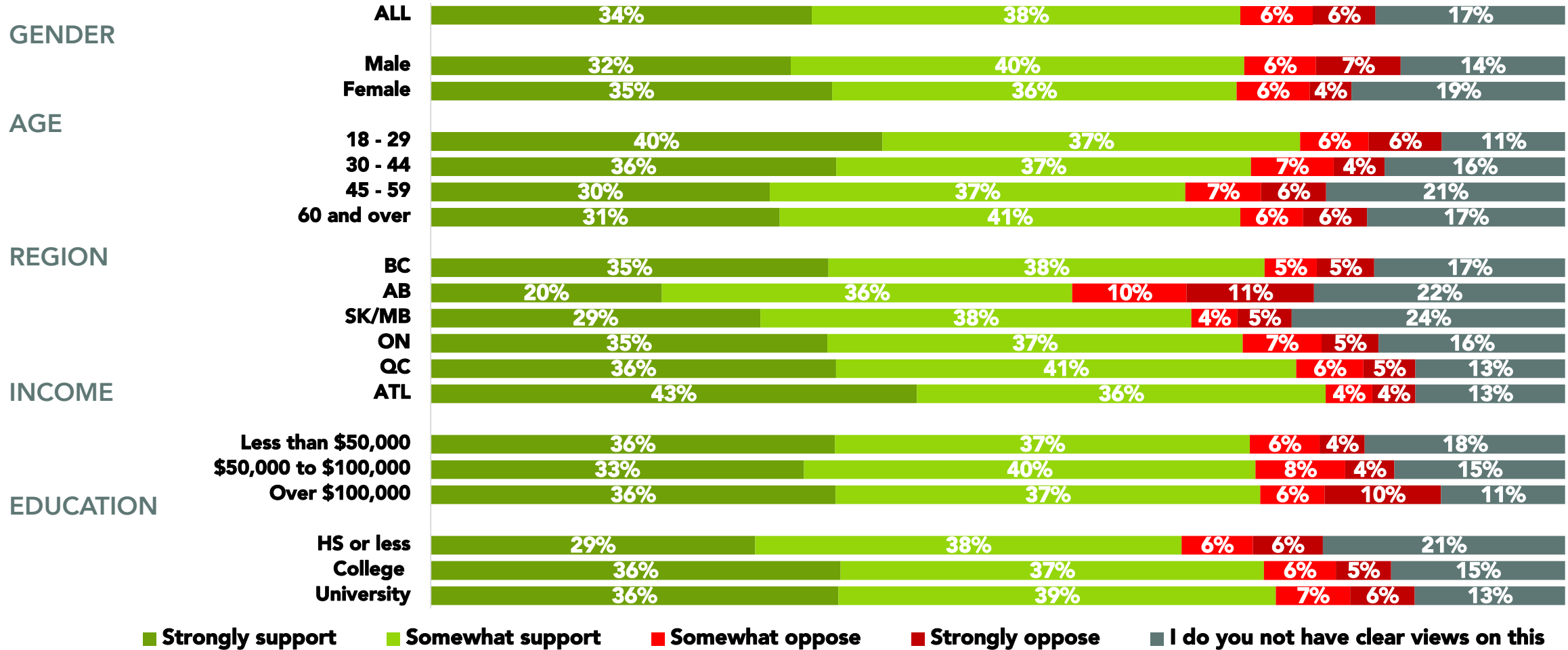# SUPPORT FOR A MADE-IN-CANADA GREEN NEW DEAL
THOSE AWARE OF "GREEN NEW DEAL"

	Strongly support	Somewhat support	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	Unsure
GENDER					
ALL	29%	40%	8%	8%	14%
Male	29%	41%	8%	9%	13%
Female	30%	40%	8%	7%	15%
AGE					
18 - 29	34%	38%	8%	6%	14%
30 - 44	31%	39%	10%	5%	15%
45 - 59	29%	38%	7%	12%	14%
60 and over	24%	46%	7%	10%	13%
REGION					
BC	27%	45%	9%	7%	11%
AB	23%	32%	11%	15%	18%
SK/MB	30%	41%	13%	3%	12%
ON	32%	39%	6%	10%	14%
QC	27%	43%	9%	5%	16%
ATL	42%	41%	4%	6%	7%
INCOME					
Less than $50,000	32%	42%	7%	8%	12%
$50,000 to $100,000	27%	41%	11%	7%	14%
Over $100,000	26%	44%	7%	12%	11%
EDUCATION					
HS or less	30%	38%	9%	10%	12%
College	27%	43%	8%	7%	15%
University	31%	40%	7%	9%	14%

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From what you know, do you support or oppose a made-in-Canada Green New Deal?

SUPPORT FOR A GREEN NEW DEAL

Strongly support — 34%

Somewhat support — 38%

Somewhat oppose — 6%

Strongly oppose — 6%

I do not have clear views on this — 17%
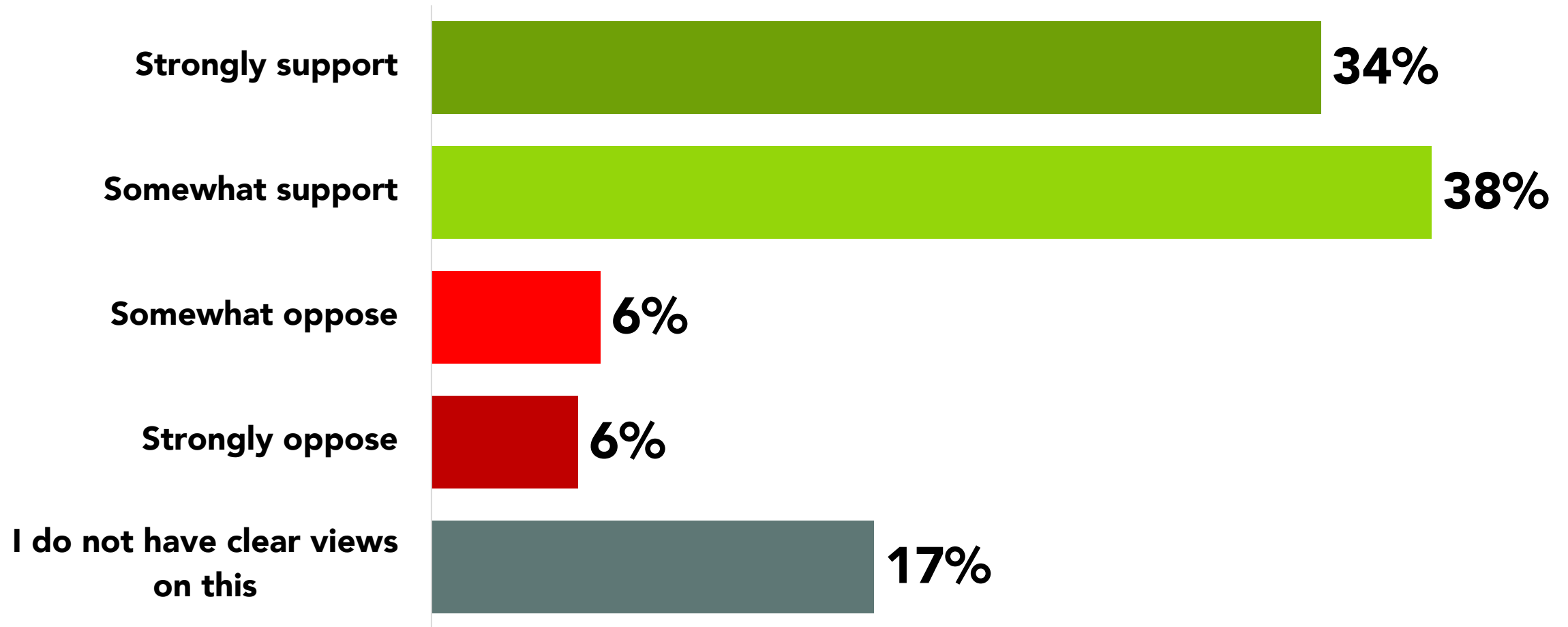
Here's a definition of the Green New Deal: "A Green New Deal is an ambitious vision for tackling the twin crises of climate change and inequality. It would see us cut our greenhouse gas emissions by at least 50% by 2030, while leaving no one behind. It would be a comprehensive plan to massively invest in green infrastructure and renewable energy, and to transform our economy to address the scale of the climate emergency and deepening inequalities. It would see the creation of millions of jobs in the areas of economic/energy transition, affordable housing construction, reforestation, and in the caring economy (education, child care, elder care, etc)." Based on this description, is this something you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose or do you not have clear views?
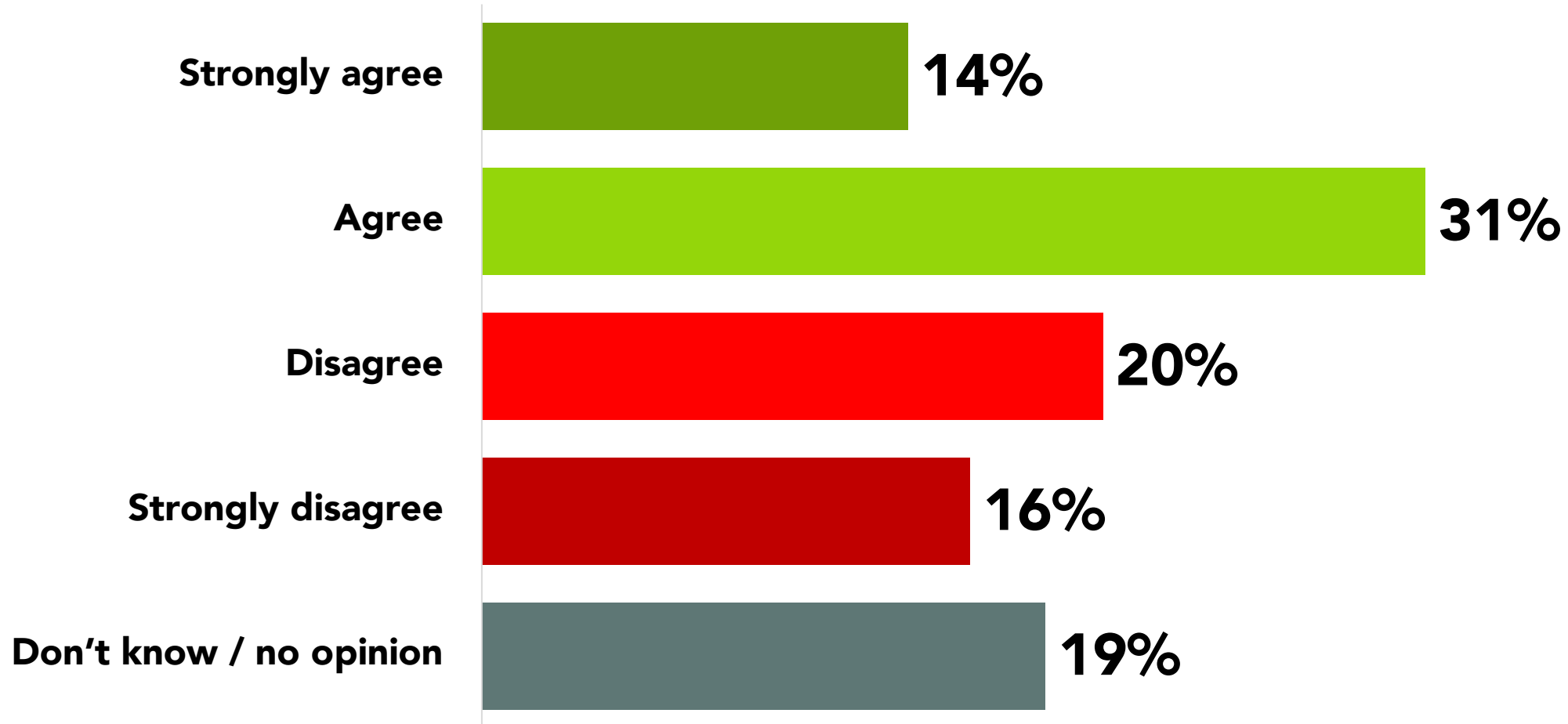
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SUPPORT FOR A GREEN NEW DEAL

AS CLIMATE CHANGE PROGRESSES AND MORE PEOPLE ARE DISPLACED BY MAJOR WEATHER EVENTS AROUND THE WORLD, CANADA HAS A RESPONSIBILITY TO ACCEPT HIGHER NUMBERS OF CLIMATE MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

Strongly agree	14%
Agree	31%
Disagree	20%
Strongly disagree	16%
Don't know / no opinion	19%

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: As climate change progresses and more people are displaced by major weather events around the world, Canada has a responsibility to accept higher numbers of climate migrants and refugees?
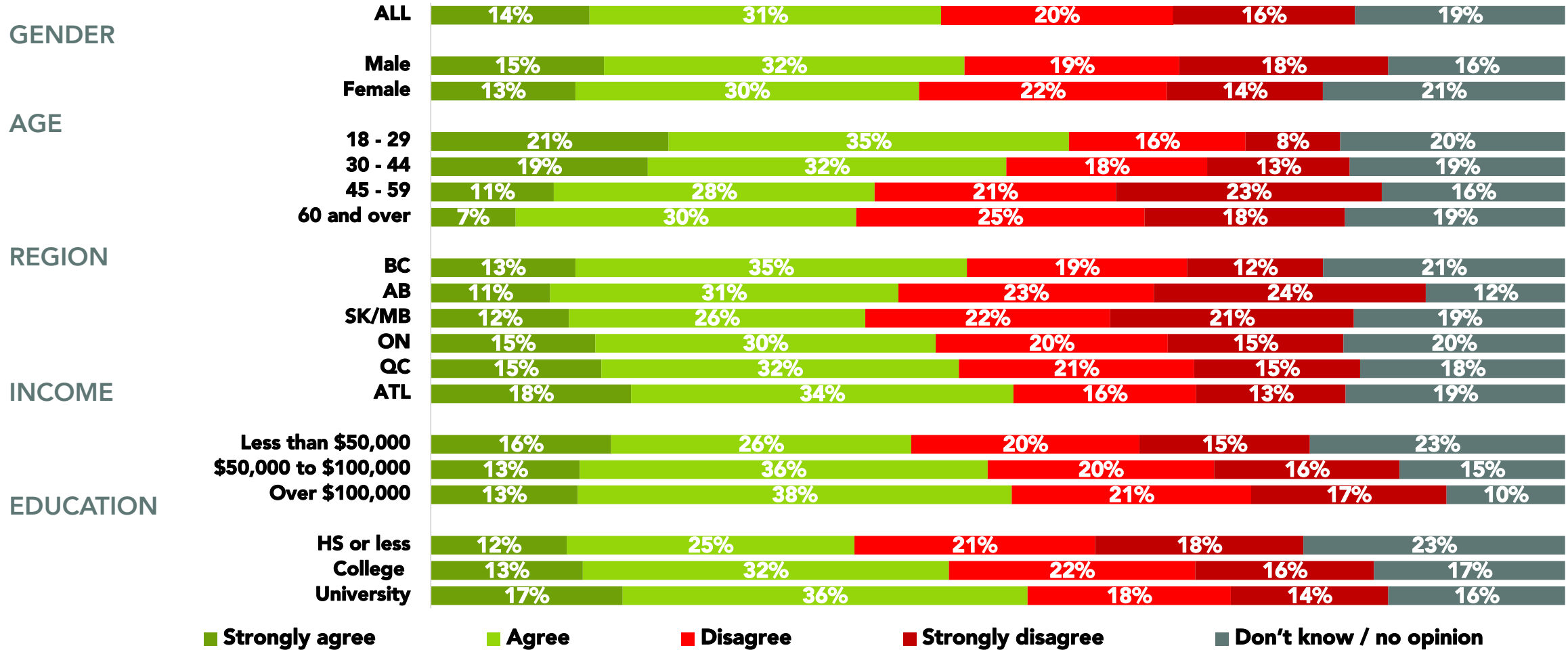
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AS CLIMATE CHANGE PROGRESSES AND MORE PEOPLE ARE DISPLACED BY MAJOR WEATHER EVENTS AROUND THE WORLD, CANADA HAS A RESPONSIBILITY TO ACCEPT HIGHER NUMBERS OF CLIMATE MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / no opinion
ALL	14%	31%	20%	16%	19%
GENDER					
Male	15%	32%	19%	18%	16%
Female	13%	30%	22%	14%	21%
AGE					
18 - 29	21%	35%	16%	8%	20%
30 - 44	19%	32%	18%	13%	19%
45 - 59	11%	28%	21%	23%	16%
60 and over	7%	30%	25%	18%	19%
REGION					
BC	13%	35%	19%	12%	21%
AB	11%	31%	23%	24%	12%
SK/MB	12%	26%	22%	21%	19%
ON	15%	30%	20%	15%	20%
QC	15%	32%	21%	15%	18%
ATL	18%	34%	16%	13%	19%
INCOME					
Less than $50,000	16%	26%	20%	15%	23%
$50,000 to $100,000	13%	36%	20%	16%	15%
Over $100,000	13%	38%	21%	17%	10%
EDUCATION					
HS or less	12%	25%	21%	18%	23%
College	13%	32%	22%	16%	17%
University	17%	36%	18%	14%	16%

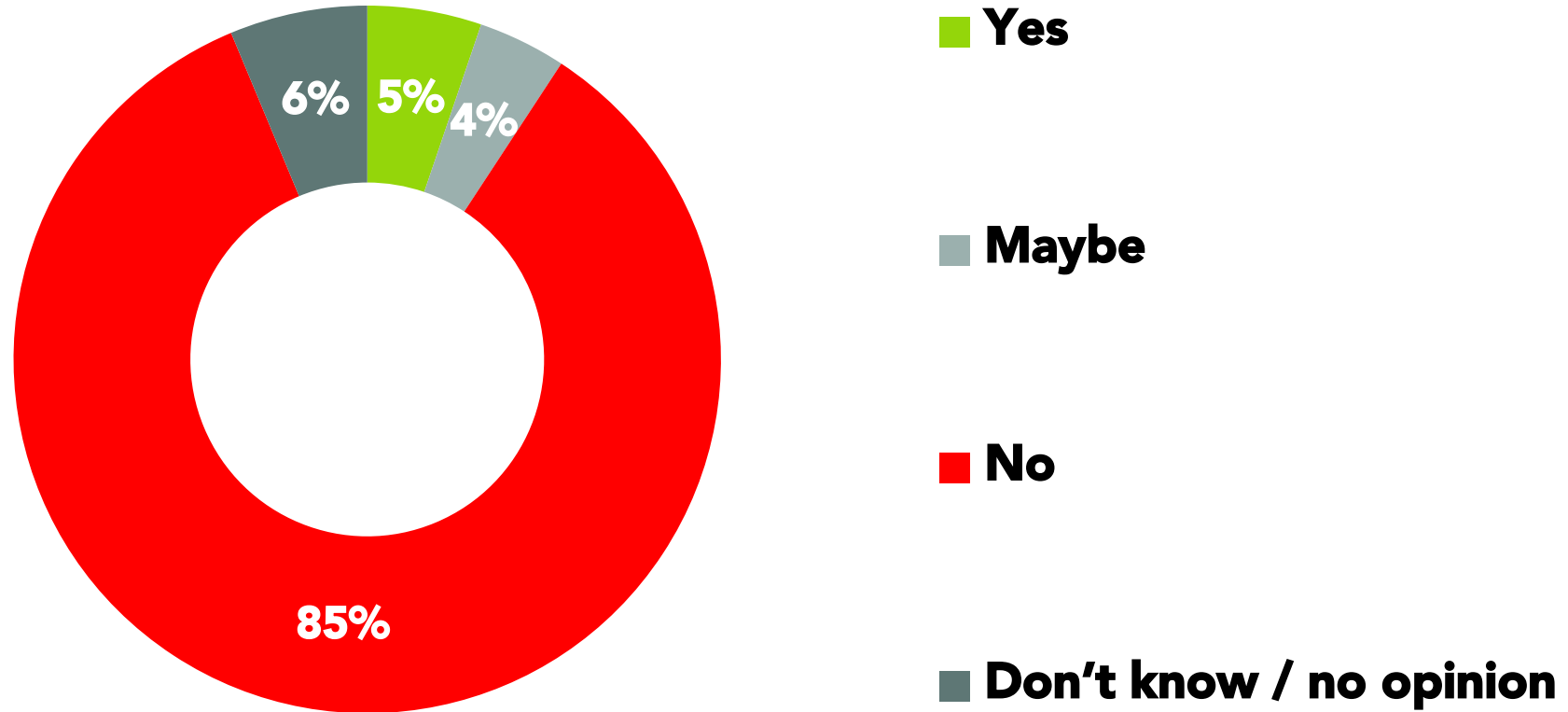**Strongly agree** ■ **Agree** ■ **Disagree** ■ **Strongly disagree** ■ **Don't know / no opinion**

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: As climate change progresses and more people are displaced by major weather events around the world, Canada has a responsibility to accept higher numbers of climate migrants and refugees?

ABACUS DATA

DO YOU CURRENTLY WORK IN THE OIL, GAS, OR COAL INDUSTRY OR IN A JOB CLOSELY RELATED

Yes

Maybe

No

Don't know / no opinion

6% 5% 4% 85%

Do you currently work in the oil, gas, or coal industry, or in a job closely related to those sectors?

ABACUS DATA

DO YOU CURRENTLY WORK IN THE OIL, GAS, OR COAL INDUSTRY OR IN A JOB CLOSELY RELATED

GENDER

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
ALL	5%	4%	84%	6%

GENDER

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
Male	8%	5%	83%	5%
Female	3%	4%	86%	8%

AGE

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
18 - 29	9%	6%	75%	10%
30 - 44	9%	7%	78%	6%
45 - 59	4%	3%	87%	6%
60 and over	1%		94%	4%

REGION

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
BC	6%	5%	85%	4%
AB	11%	3%	80%	6%
SK/MB	5%	2%	85%	8%
ON	5%	4%	84%	6%
QC	2%	5%	86%	8%
ATL	4%	3%	89%	4%

INCOME

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
Less than $50,000	5%	4%	84%	7%
$50,000 to $100,000	4%	5%	87%	4%
Over $100,000	10%	2%	84%	4%

EDUCATION

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
HS or less	5%	4%	84%	7%
College	4%	4%	85%	6%
University	6%	4%	84%	6%

■ Yes   ■ Maybe   ■ No   ■ Don't know / no opinion

ABACUS DATA

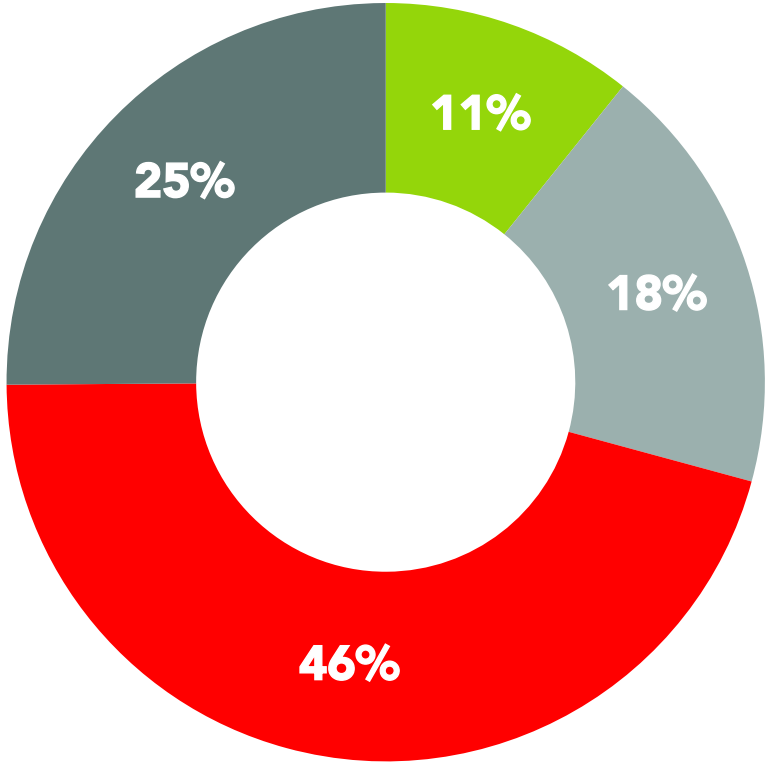Do you currently work in the oil, gas, or coal industry, or in a job closely related to those sectors?

WOULD YOU WANT YOUR CHILD TO BE EMPLOYED IN THE OIL AND GAS INDUSTRY
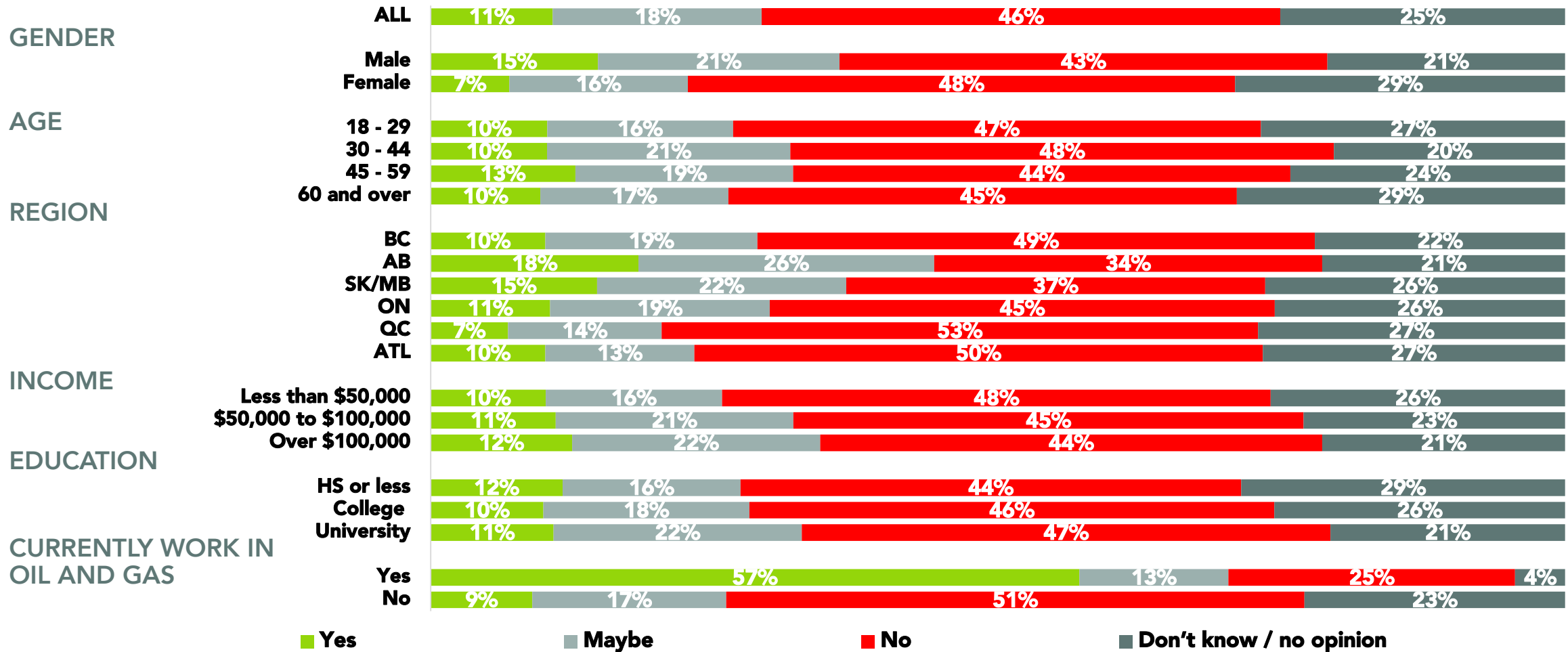## THOSE 18 TO 65

- **Yes** — 11%
- **Maybe** — 18%
- **No** — 46%
- **Don't know / no opinion** — 25%

If you have or plan to have children, would you want your child to be employed in the oil and gas industry?

ABACUS DATA

WOULD YOU WANT YOUR CHILD TO BE EMPLOYED IN THE OIL AND GAS INDUSTRY

THOSE 18 TO 65

GENDER

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
ALL	11%	18%	46%	25%
Male	15%	21%	43%	21%
Female	7%	16%	48%	29%

AGE

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
18 - 29	10%	16%	47%	27%
30 - 44	10%	21%	48%	20%
45 - 59	13%	19%	44%	24%
60 and over	10%	17%	45%	29%

REGION

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
BC	10%	19%	49%	22%
AB	18%	26%	34%	21%
SK/MB	15%	22%	37%	26%
ON	11%	19%	45%	26%
QC	7%	14%	53%	27%
ATL	10%	13%	50%	27%

INCOME

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
Less than $50,000	10%	16%	48%	26%
$50,000 to $100,000	11%	21%	45%	23%
Over $100,000	12%	22%	44%	21%

EDUCATION

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
HS or less	12%	16%	44%	29%
College	10%	18%	46%	26%
University	11%	22%	47%	21%

CURRENTLY WORK IN OIL AND GAS

	Yes	Maybe	No	Don't know / no opinion
Yes	57%	13%	25%	4%
No	9%	17%	51%	23%

Legend: ■ Yes ■ Maybe ■ No ■ Don't know / no opinion

ABACUS DATA

If you have or plan to have children, would you want your child to be employed in the oil and gas industry?