

Thinking about investments, which of the following do you think is the best long-term investment you can make?

	British Columbia	Gender		Age			Regions			Vote in 2013 Provincial Election				Ethnicity			Annual Household Income			Home Situation	
		Female	Male	18 - 34	35 - 54	55+	Metro Vancouver	Vancouver Island	Rest of BC	BC Liberals	BC NDP	BC Greens	BC Cons.	White	East Asian	South Asian	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 to \$100,000	More than \$100,000	Rent	Own
Real estate	38%	36%	40%	29%	44%	37%	41%	25%	36%	39%	40%	39%	44%	40%	39%	42%	31%	41%	46%	29%	43%
Stocks	8%	5%	12%	6%	8%	9%	8%	11%	5%	13%	5%	7%	0%	8%	13%	4%	6%	9%	11%	6%	10%
Bonds	1%	2%	1%	5%	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%
Mutual funds	16%	17%	15%	21%	14%	15%	16%	14%	15%	17%	16%	19%	6%	16%	22%	12%	13%	19%	17%	13%	17%
Guaranteed Investment Certificates (GICs)	10%	11%	9%	12%	6%	13%	9%	16%	13%	10%	10%	4%	12%	10%	6%	21%	13%	9%	4%	14%	8%
Gold / Precious metals	8%	8%	9%	7%	10%	8%	7%	15%	11%	8%	7%	11%	19%	10%	3%	12%	12%	6%	9%	10%	8%
Not sure	18%	22%	13%	20%	16%	18%	17%	18%	18%	13%	21%	19%	19%	16%	16%	8%	23%	14%	12%	25%	14%

There has been a lot of talk recently about levying a tax on people who acquire properties in a city, but do not live in them. All things considered, do you think levying this tax would be a good idea or a bad idea?

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Very good idea	42%	40%	44%	46%	42%	41%	47%	39%	24%	41%	49%	52%	38%	43%	39%	58%	39%	43%	48%	49%	39%
Good idea	31%	34%	28%	30%	31%	32%	30%	35%	34%	31%	33%	17%	25%	31%	34%	25%	31%	32%	28%	28%	33%
Bad idea	12%	10%	13%	6%	13%	13%	10%	14%	20%	15%	7%	17%	12%	11%	19%	4%	12%	11%	13%	5%	15%
Very bad idea	5%	3%	7%	5%	6%	5%	5%	3%	9%	5%	4%	4%	12%	6%	2%	8%	5%	6%	4%	4%	6%
Not sure	10%	11%	7%	14%	8%	9%	9%	9%	12%	7%	8%	11%	12%	9%	7%	8%	12%	9%	7%	13%	8%

Thinking about real estate, do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

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The debate on foreign real estate ownership in British Columbia is inherently racist	Strongly agree	5%	5%	6%	7%	5%	7%	0%	3%	6%	4%	6%	6%	4%	11%	8%	8%	5%	1%	6%	5%	
	Somewhat agree	16%	16%	17%	16%	15%	15%	22%	19%	16%	17%	20%	12%	17%	24%	12%	16%	16%	18%	14%	18%	
	Somewhat disagree	26%	27%	26%	25%	30%	24%	22%	27%	27%	27%	15%	25%	25%	31%	33%	27%	26%	28%	23%	28%	
	Strongly disagree	44%	41%	47%	40%	42%	48%	46%	42%	40%	47%	46%	48%	44%	49%	24%	38%	35%	48%	48%	45%	44%
	Not sure	8%	11%	5%	12%	8%	6%	7%	14%	10%	3%	6%	11%	12%	6%	10%	8%	13%	5%	4%	12%	6%
When foreigners buy homes here, their purchases boost the value of homes that are owned by Canadians	Strongly agree	23%	20%	26%	17%	20%	28%	25%	15%	18%	27%	25%	13%	25%	24%	20%	25%	20%	25%	28%	20%	25%
	Somewhat agree	47%	43%	51%	39%	51%	47%	46%	51%	47%	52%	43%	50%	44%	49%	54%	29%	38%	50%	49%	40%	51%
	Somewhat disagree	16%	18%	13%	20%	17%	13%	15%	17%	17%	11%	17%	24%	19%	16%	12%	21%	21%	13%	14%	18%	14%
	Strongly disagree	6%	8%	5%	8%	6%	6%	6%	7%	8%	6%	7%	4%	0%	6%	8%	8%	7%	6%	4%	8%	5%
	Not sure	8%	11%	5%	16%	6%	6%	7%	11%	10%	5%	7%	9%	6%	6%	6%	21%	14%	5%	3%	14%	5%
People who own homes but don't live in them are speculators and not really part of the community	Strongly agree	54%	53%	56%	49%	51%	59%	58%	44%	44%	53%	60%	50%	44%	55%	46%	58%	49%	54%	65%	59%	53%
	Somewhat agree	32%	33%	32%	33%	37%	29%	30%	43%	34%	34%	31%	30%	38%	34%	42%	12%	36%	32%	27%	28%	35%
	Somewhat disagree	8%	8%	9%	8%	6%	10%	8%	7%	13%	11%	5%	15%	12%	7%	17%	10%	9%	9%	8%	6%	9%
	Strongly disagree	2%	2%	3%	2%	4%	1%	2%	1%	6%	2%	2%	0%	0%	2%	2%	8%	3%	3%	0%	3%	2%
	Not sure	2%	4%	1%	8%	1%	1%	2%	5%	2%	1%	1%	6%	0%	3%	8%	3%	2%	1%	4%	1%	1%