

MAJORITY WANT TO SEE PRIME MINISTER TRUDEAU TAKE SWIFT ACTION TO:

SET A CAP ON OIL AND GAS  
EMISSIONS

PHASE OUT FOSSIL FUEL  
SUBSIDIES

FULFIL PROMISE FOR JUST  
TRANSITION PLAN

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DETAILED RESULTS

# CANADIANS' OPINION ON CLIMATE ACTION

*OCTOBER 2021*

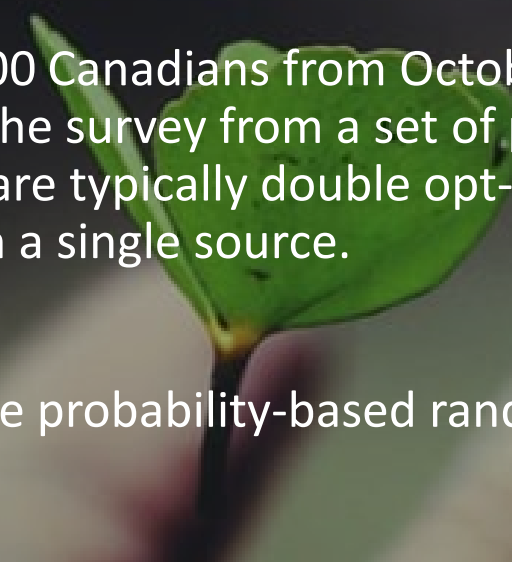
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RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS FROM CANADA'S LEADING PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND  
MARKET RESEARCH EXPERTS

# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. A majority (66%) want the Liberals to enact their platform's climate promises or even stronger climate policies.
2. Canadians want Prime Minister Trudeau to take swift climate action in his first 100 days of office and prioritize working across party lines to accomplish this.
3. There is strong support (62%) among Canadians for the newly formed Liberal government to stop taxpayer subsidies going to the oil and gas industry, and many (61%) are frustrated that this 2015 campaign promise was not delivered on so far.
4. There is strong support (64%) for the Liberal government to work towards establishing a cap on oil and gas emissions.
5. There is strong support (65%) for the Liberal government to deliver a Just Transition Plan and many (60%) are frustrated that the 2019 campaign promise was not delivered yet.
6. 65% want Canada's post-pandemic recovery to move away from fossil fuels and towards investing in renewables.

# METHODOLOGY



The survey was conducted with 1,500 Canadians from October 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021. 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 +/- 2.53%, 19 times out of 20.

The data was weighted according to census data to ensure that the sample matched Canada's population. Totals may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

# KEY FINDINGS

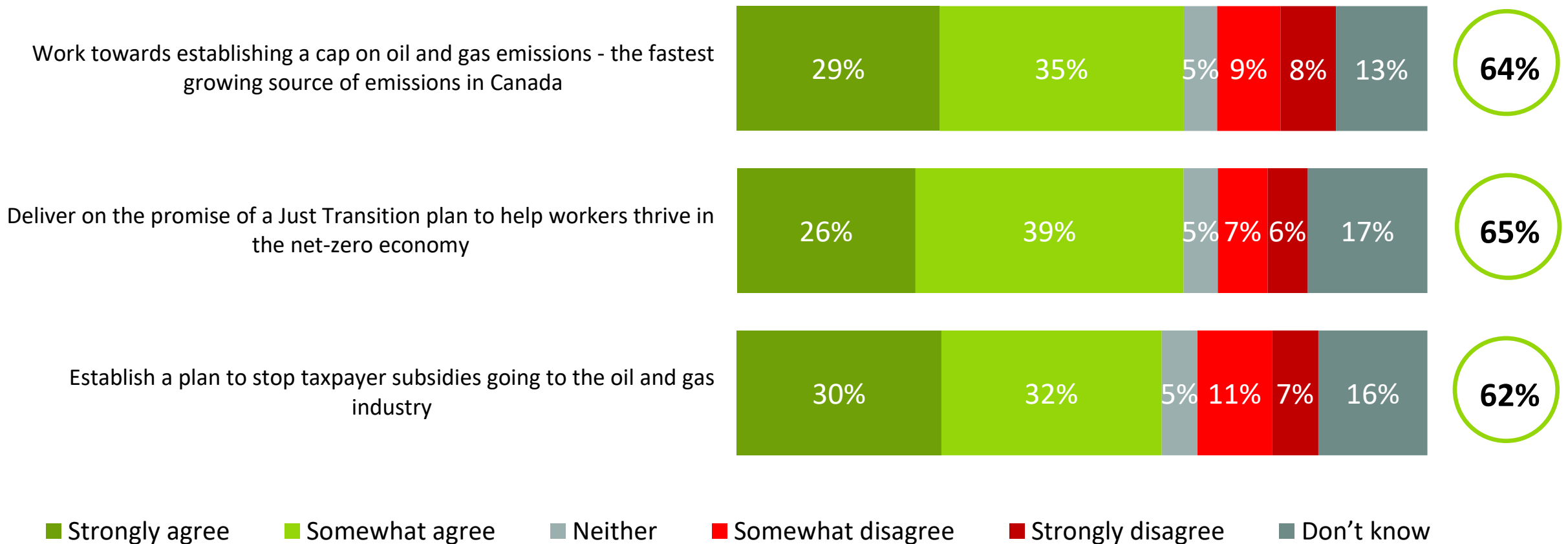
1. 64% agree that in the first 100 days in office, the Liberal minority government should step up climate action and work across party lines to work towards establishing a cap on oil and gas emissions.
  - Support among Liberal voters is 77%, among NDP voters 75%, and 74% among Bloc Québécois voters.
  - 52% of Albertans support this view
2. 2 in 3 (65%) agree that in the first 100 days in office, the Liberal minority government should step up climate action and work across party lines to deliver on the promise of a Just Transition plan to help workers thrive.
  - Support among Liberal voters 78%, NDP voters 71%, Bloc Québécois voters 73% and Conservative voters 49%.
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3. 62% want the newly elected Liberal minority government to establish a plan to stop taxpayer subsidies going to the oil and gas industry.
  - Support among Liberal voters is 72%, NDP voters 73% and Bloc Québécois voters 73%.
  - More Conservative voters support this (44%), than oppose it (36%)
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4. 6 in 10 (61%) find it frustrating that Prime Minister Trudeau has yet to act on a 2015 promise to stop taxpayer subsidies going to the oil and gas industry.
  - Frustration among Liberal voters is 59%, NDP voters 74%, Bloc Québécois voters 75%, and Conservative voters 56%.

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5. 6 in 10 (60%) find it frustrating that Prime Minister Trudeau has yet to deliver on a 2019 promise to develop a Just Transition plan to help workers thrive in the net-zero economy.
  - Voters frustration among Liberal voters 54%, NDP voters 72%, Bloc Québécois voters 71%, Conservatives 61%, Greens 70%.
7. Nearly 7 in 10 Canadians (66%) want to see the Liberal government enact the climate policies in their platform or stronger ones.
  - Among Liberal voters, 85% want to see the Liberal government enact the policies in its platform or stronger ones.
  - Among NDP voters, 76% want to see the Liberal government enact the policies in its platform or stronger ones.
  - Among Bloc Québécois voters, 77% want to see the Liberal government enact the policies in its platform or stronger ones.
8. 2 in 3 (65%) want to see Canada investing more in renewable energy companies, jobs training and infrastructure as part of its post-pandemic recovery plan.
  - 76% Liberal voters, 75% NDP voters, 66% Bloc Québécois voters, 51% Conservative voters.
  - 55% of Albertans support this view
9. 59% don't think the federal government should spend any more on the Trans Mountain Expansion than the latest projected cost of \$12.6 billion.

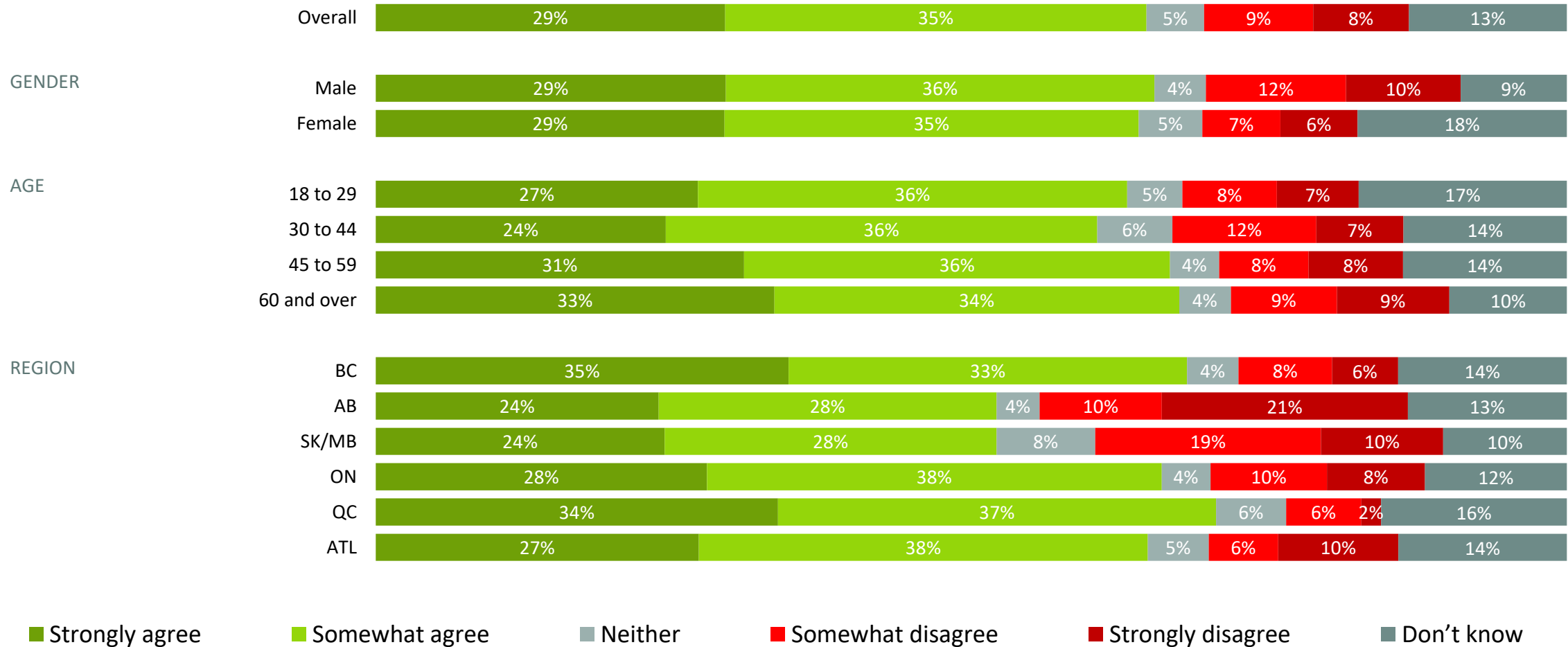
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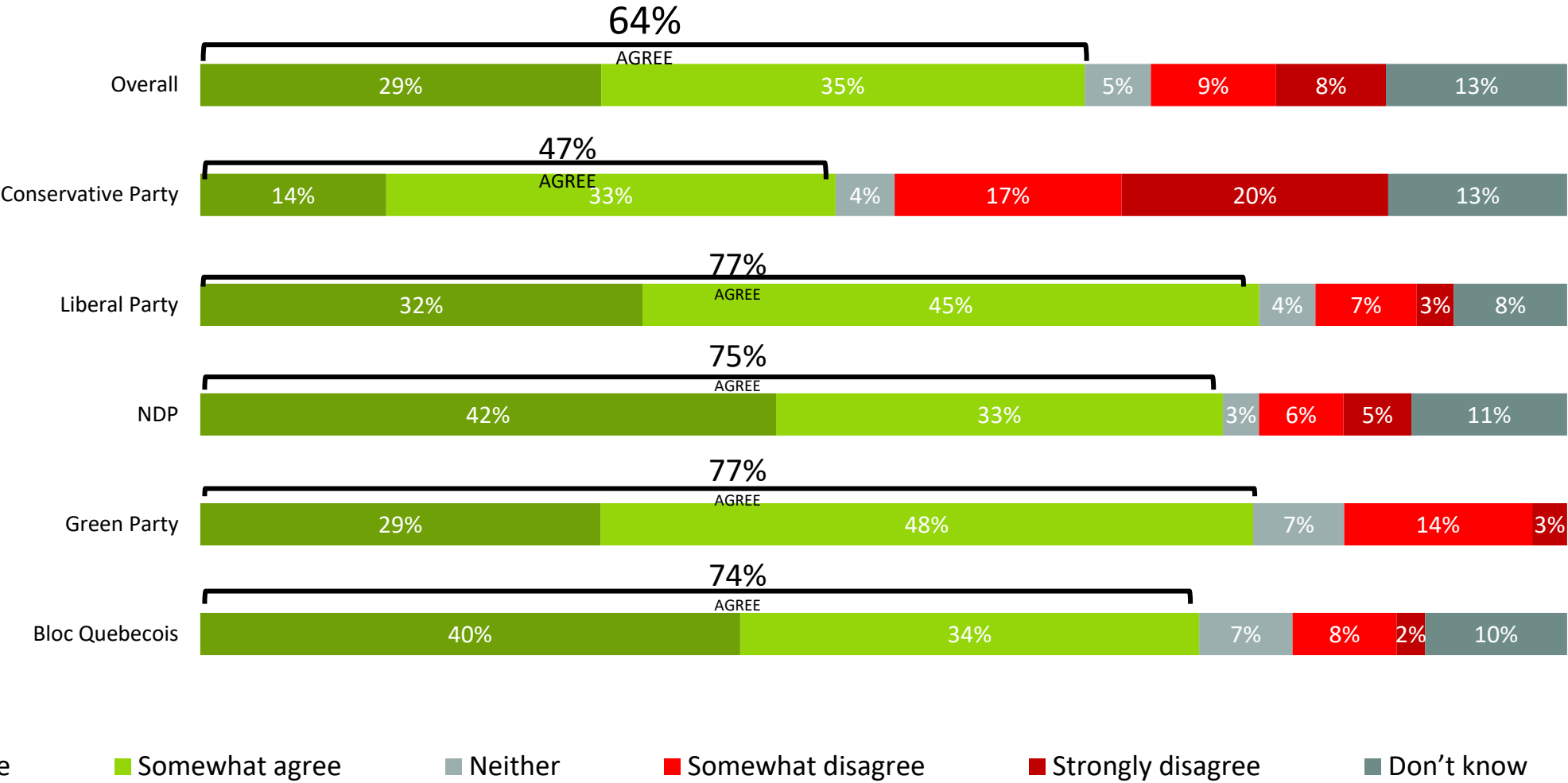
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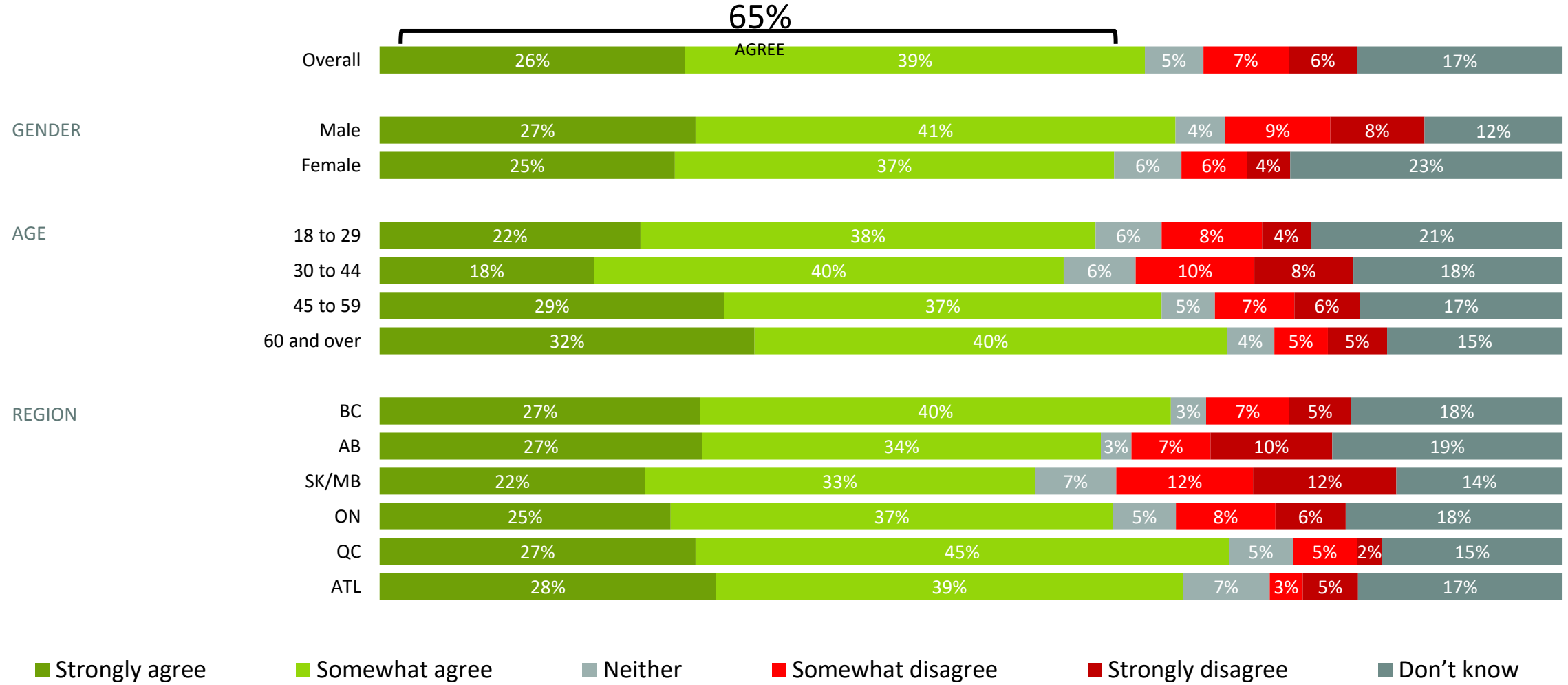
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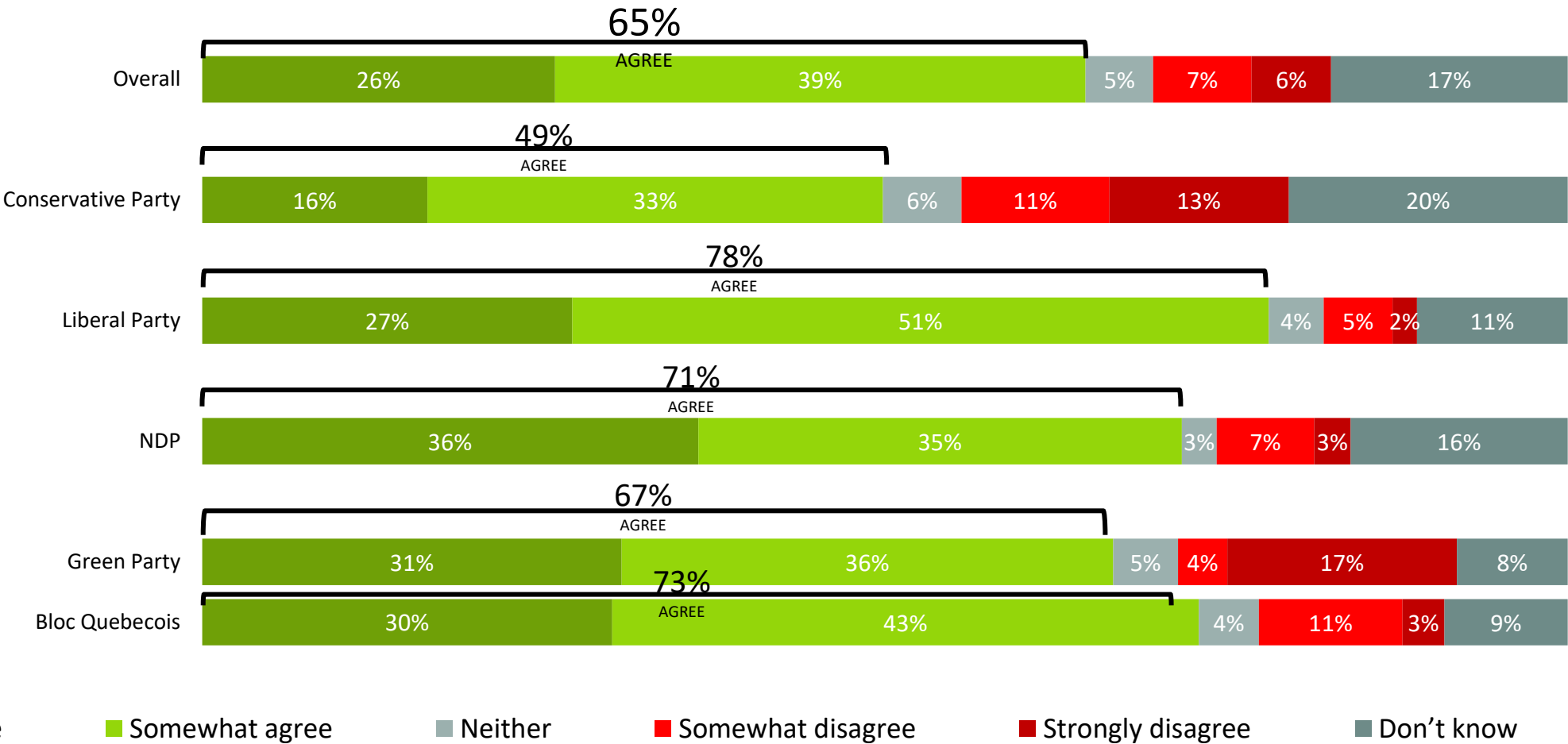
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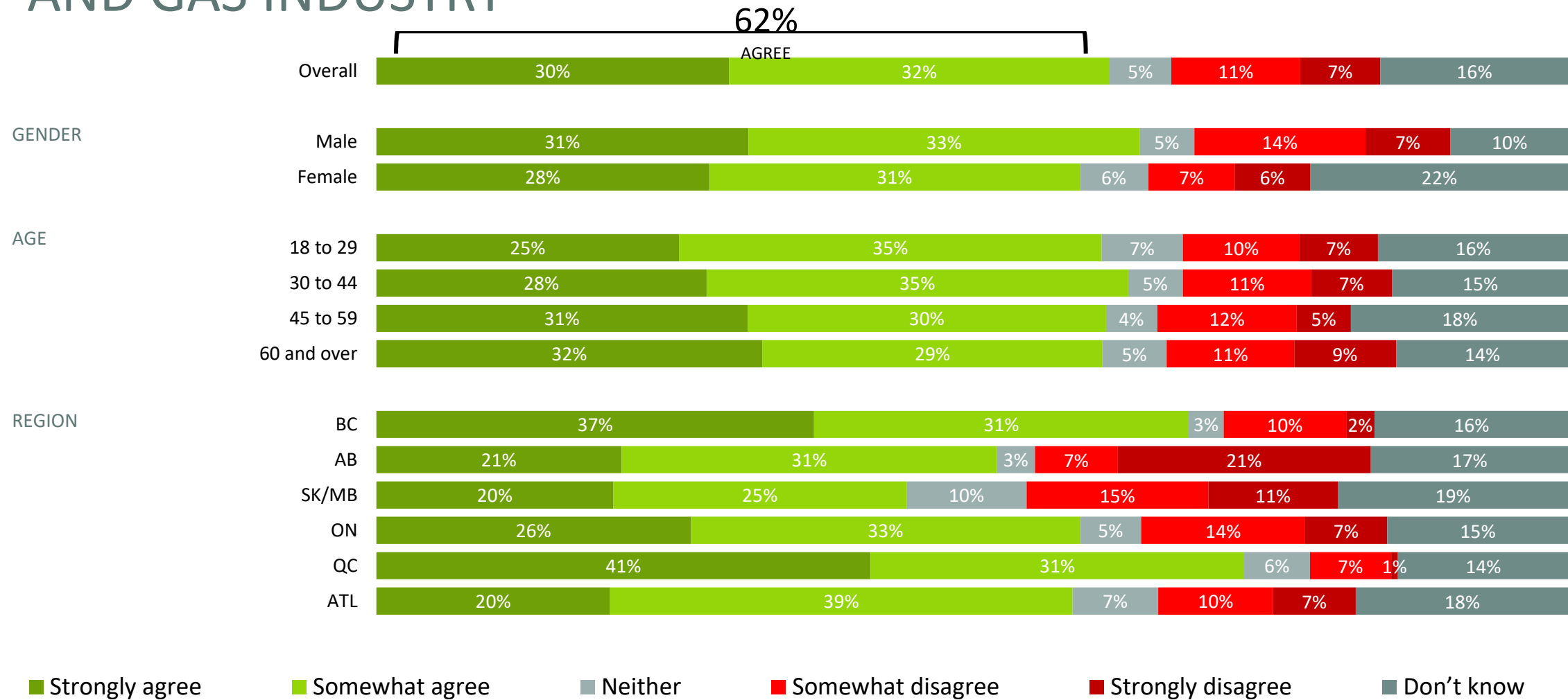
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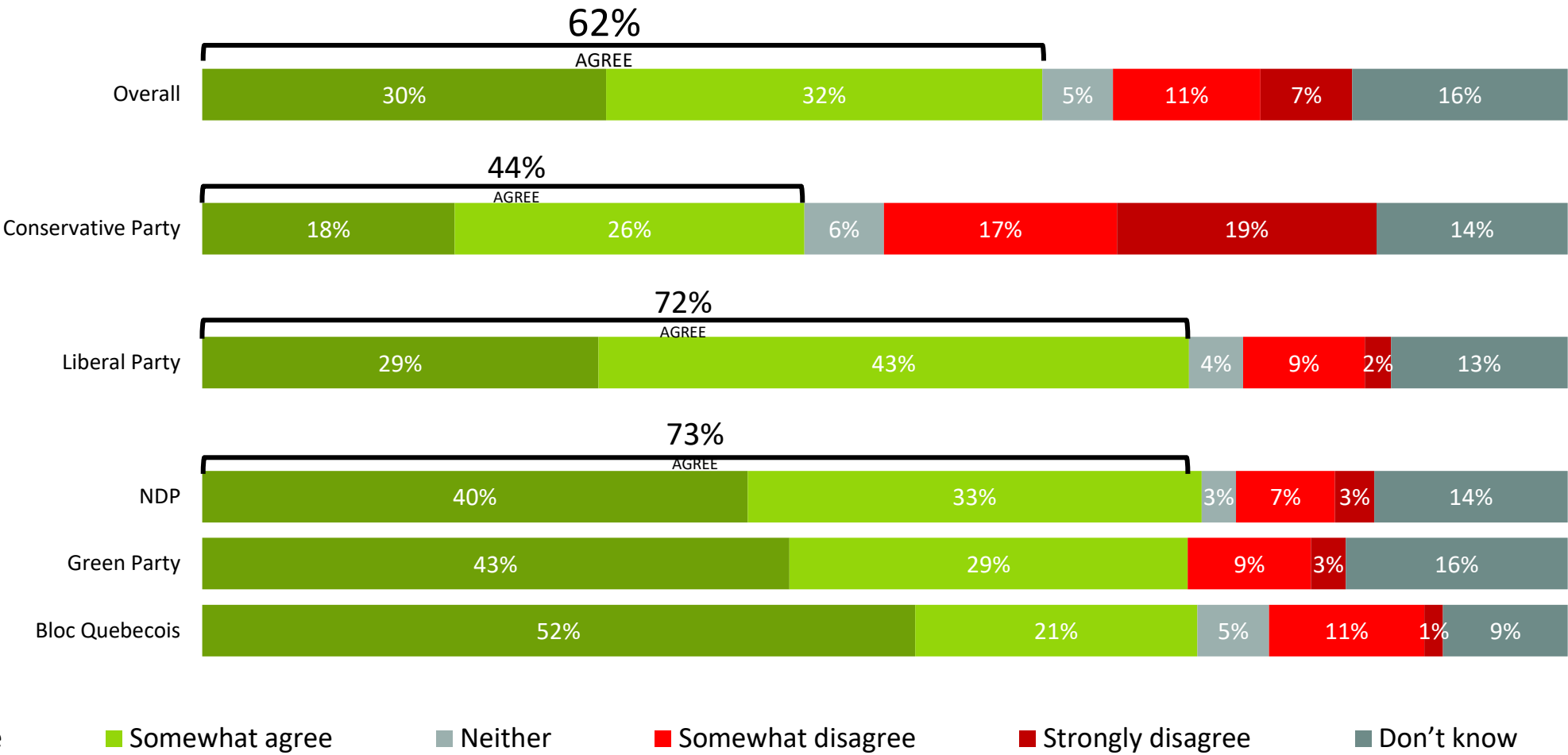
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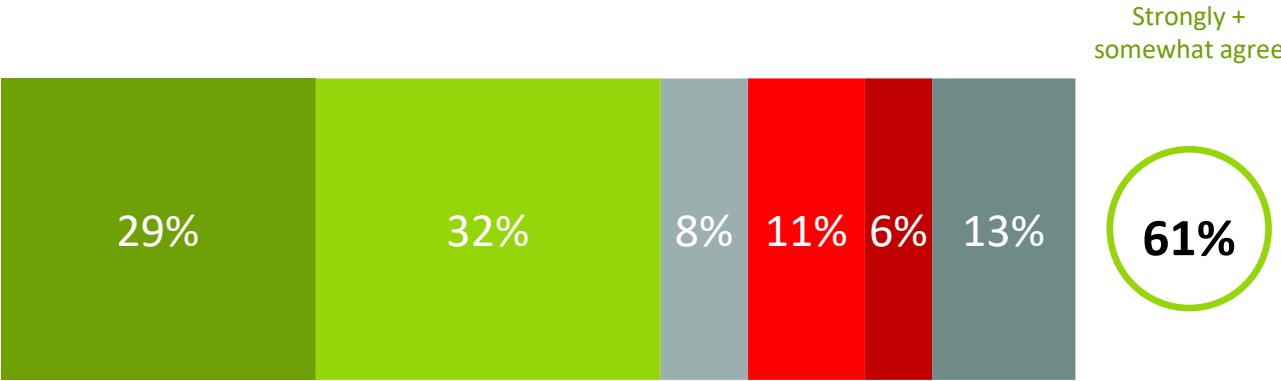
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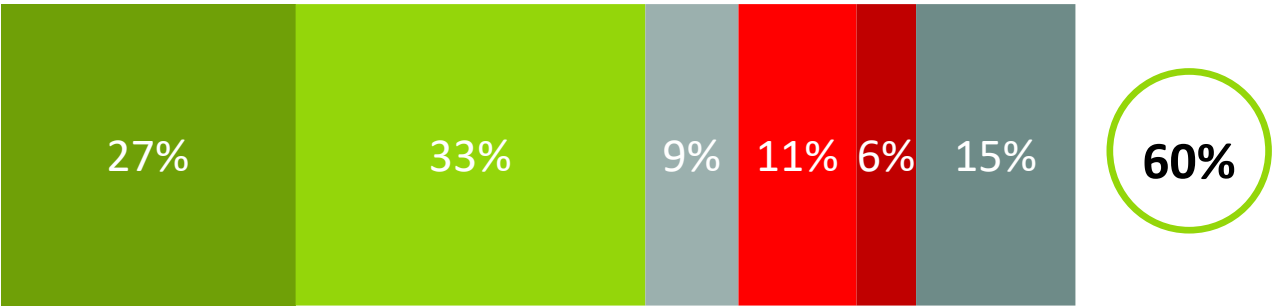
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# AGREE/DISAGREE STATEMENTS

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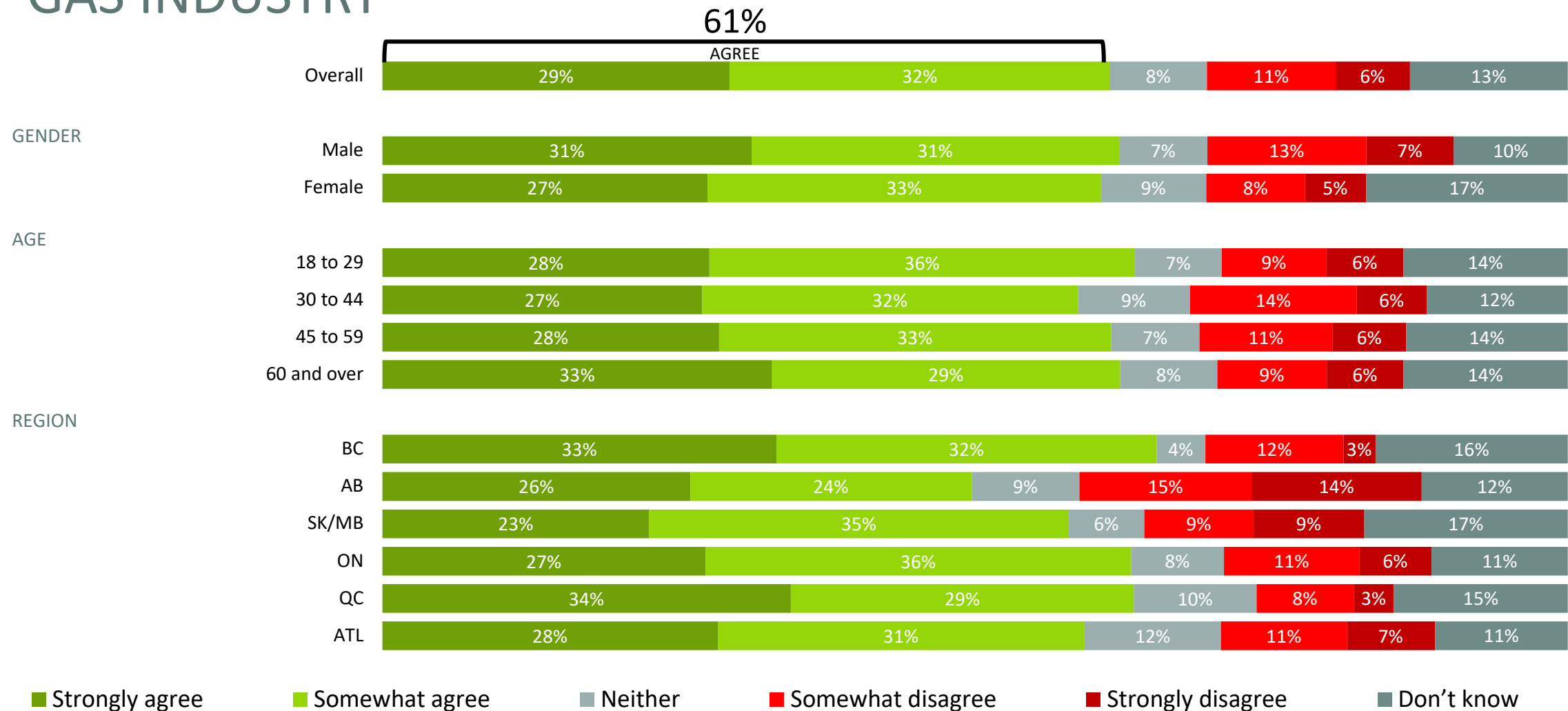
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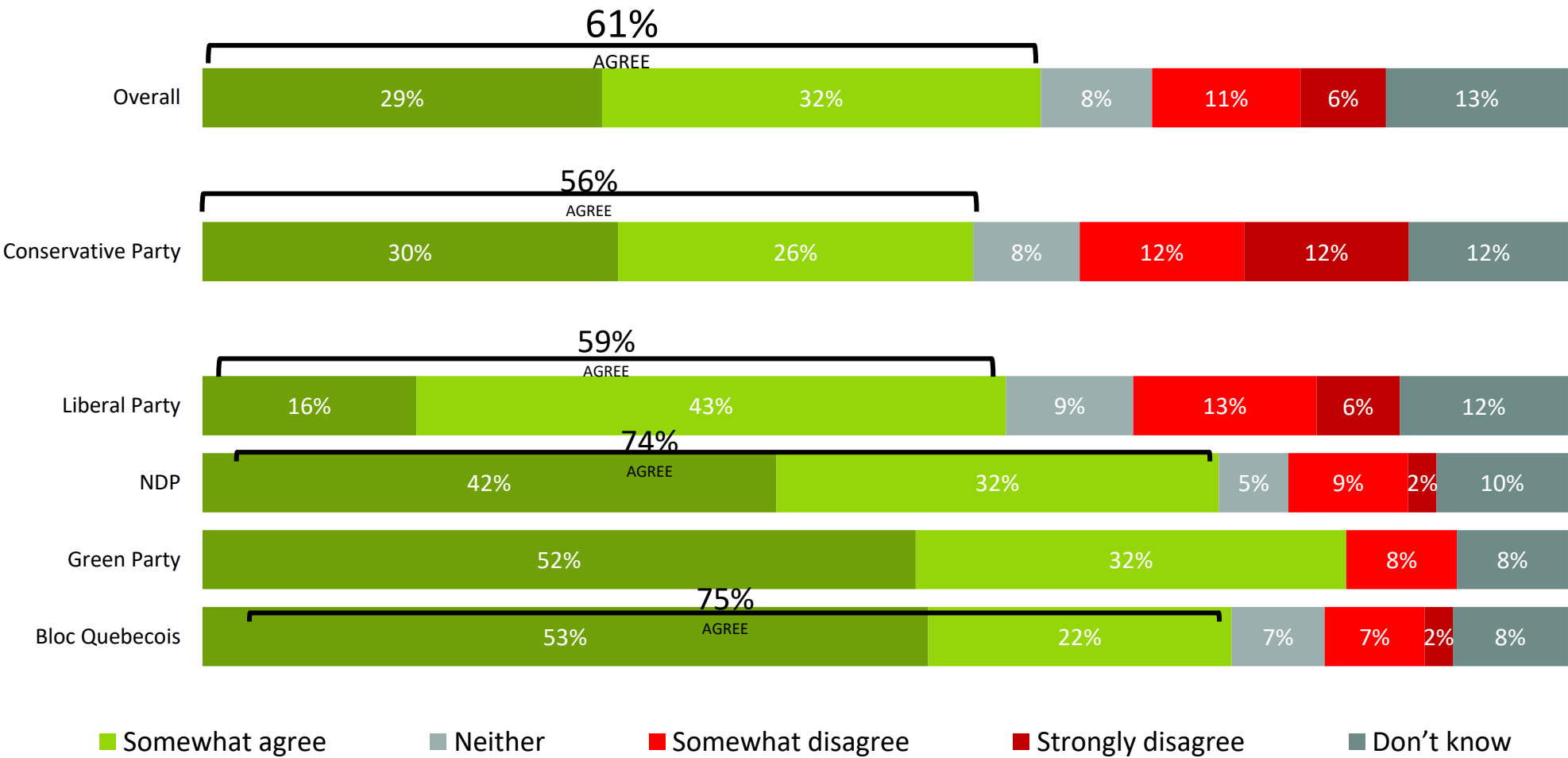
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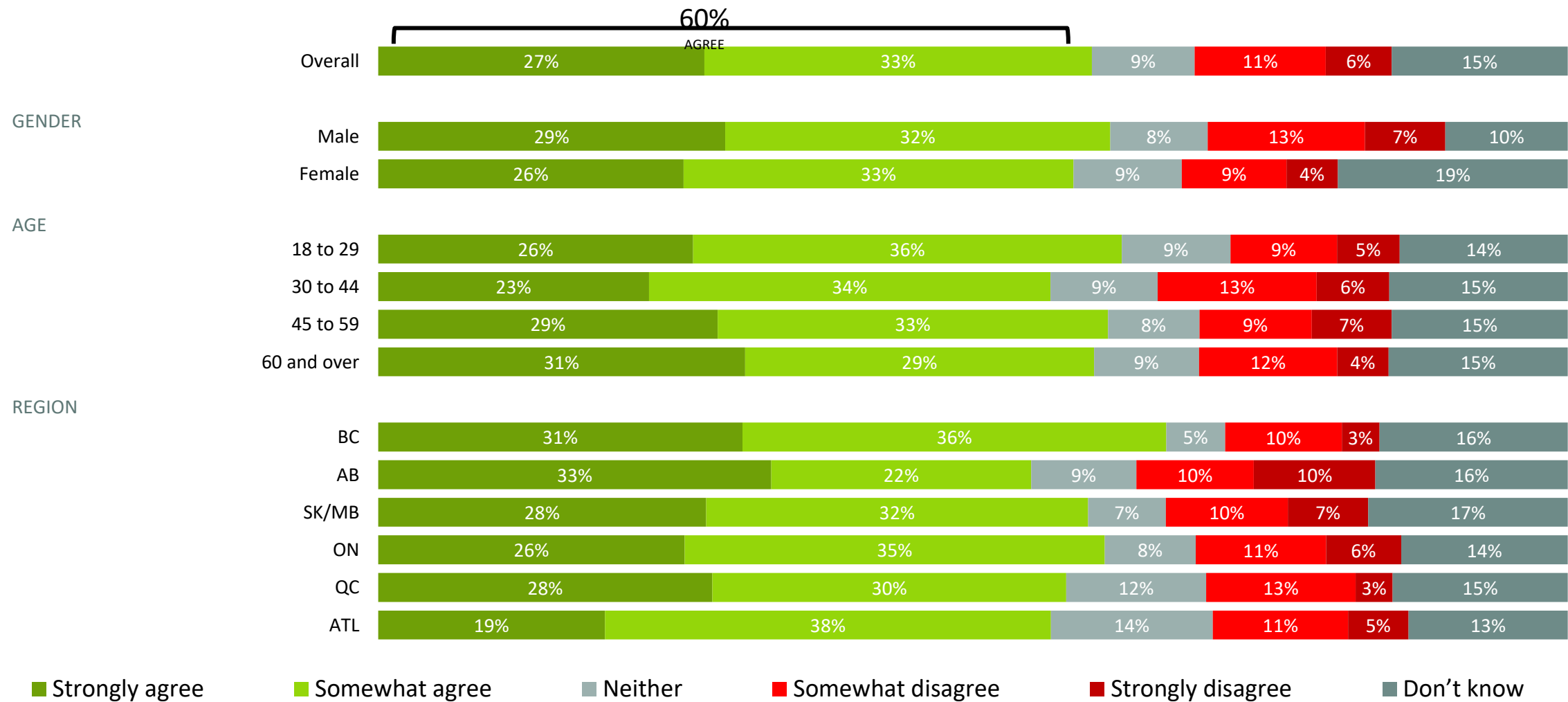
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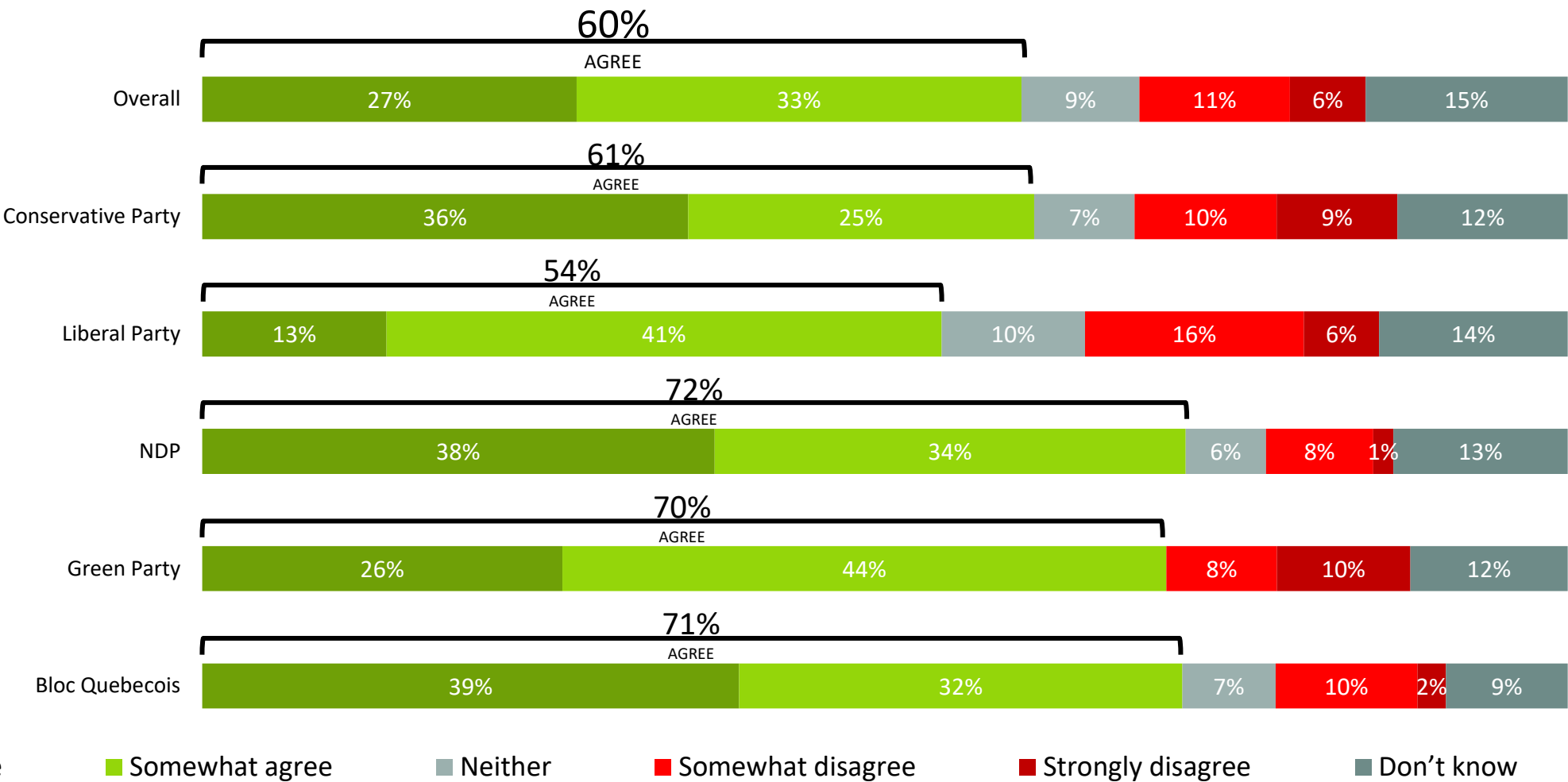


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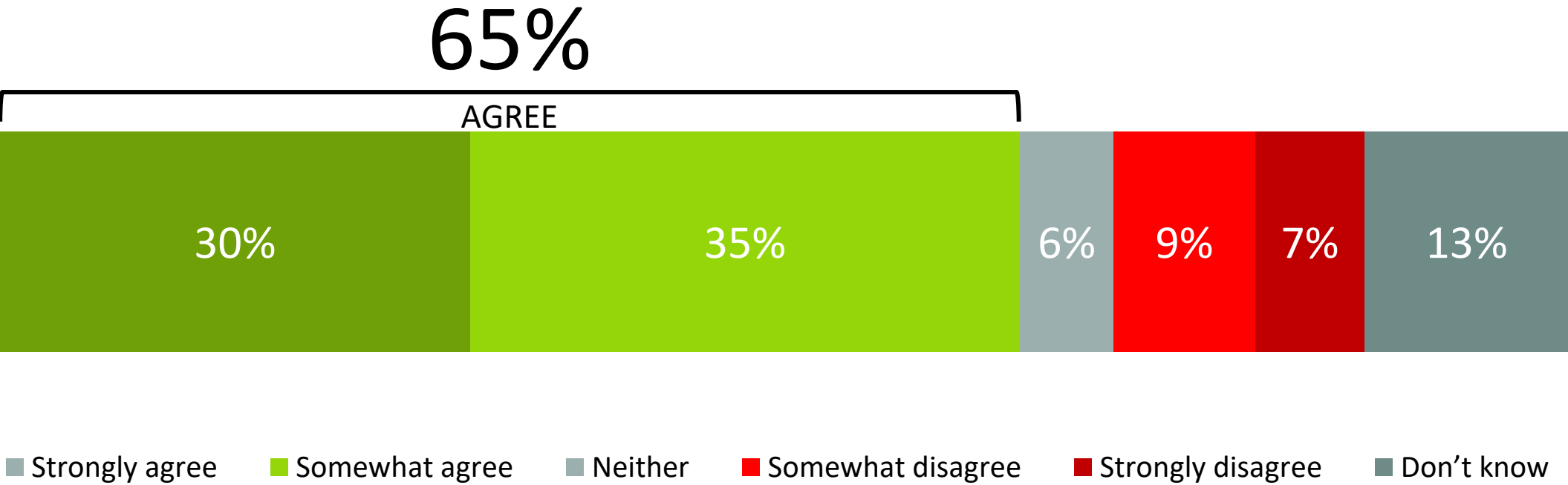
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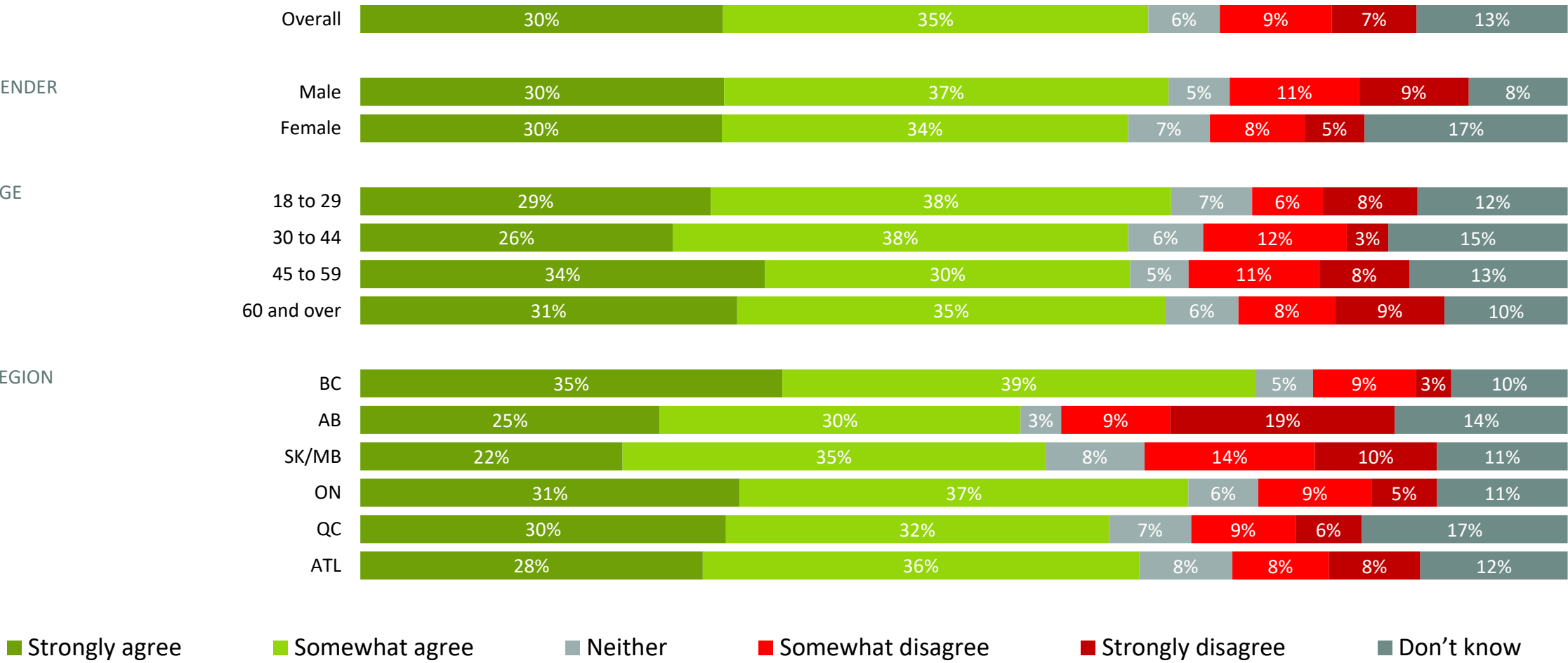
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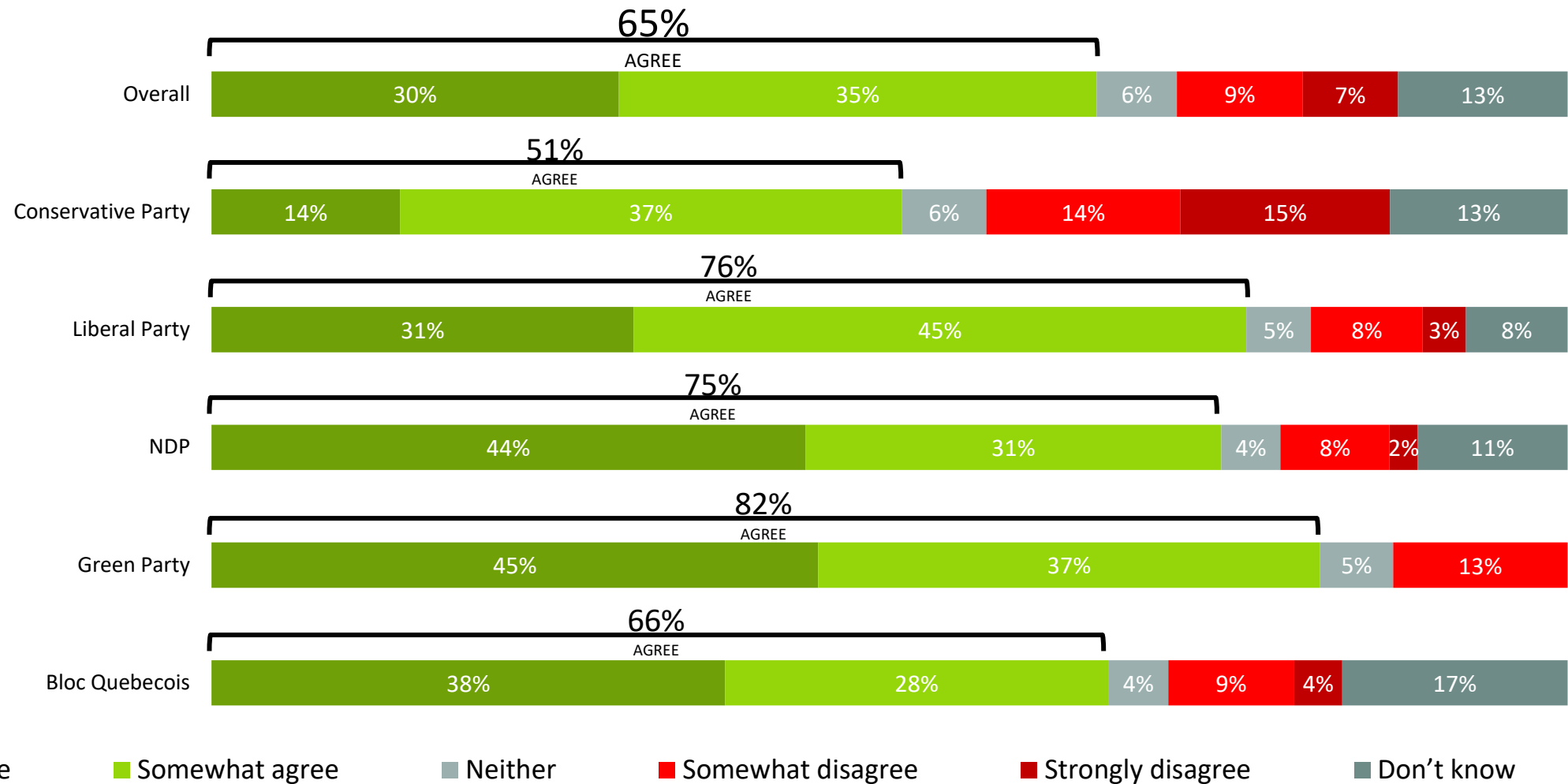
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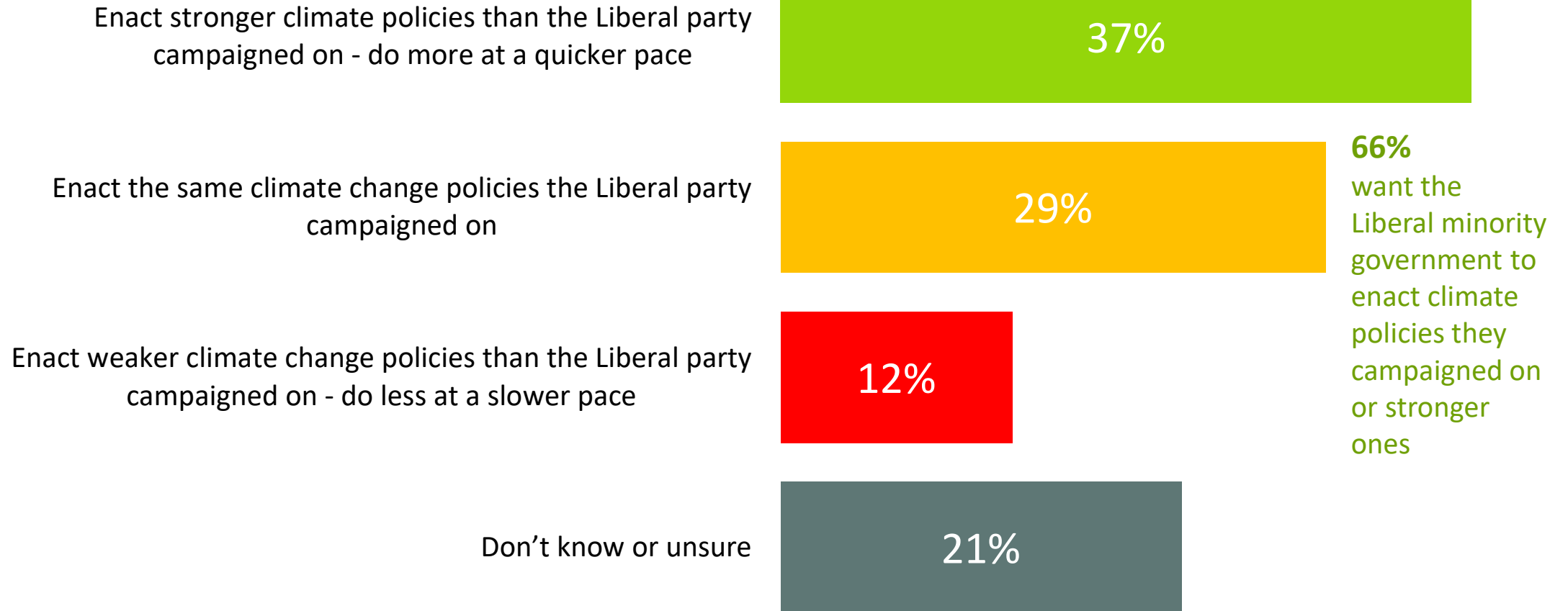
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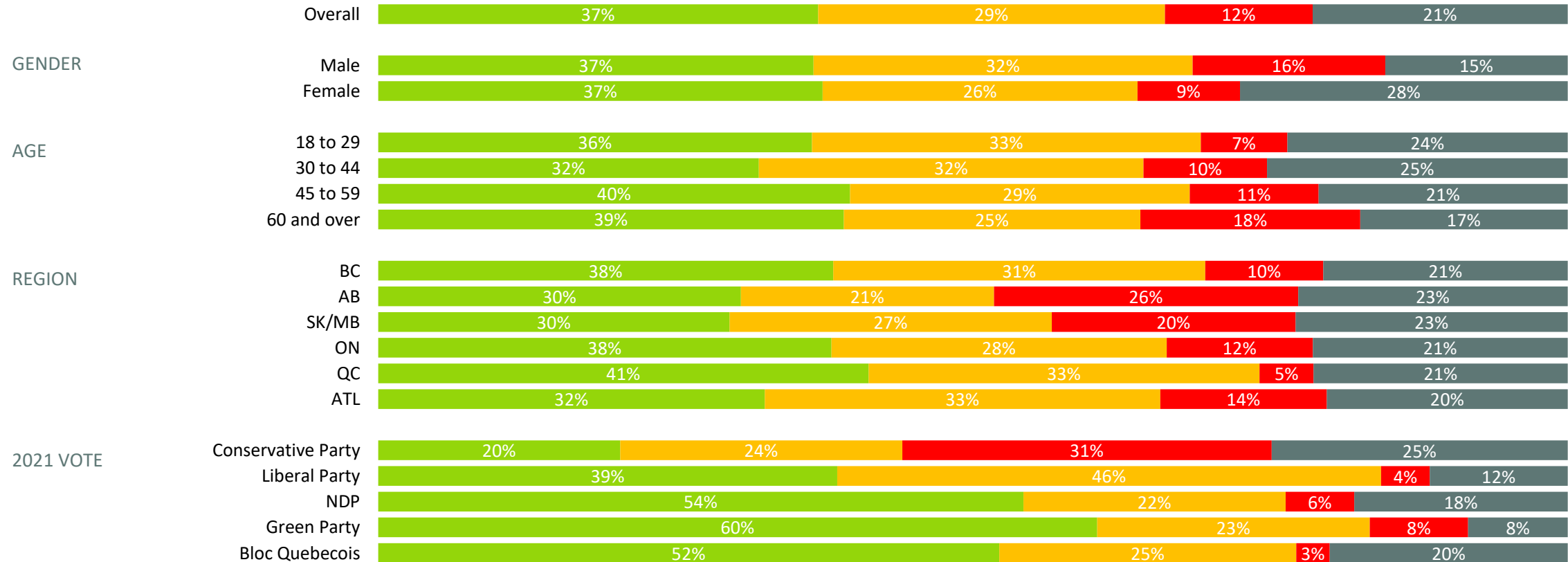
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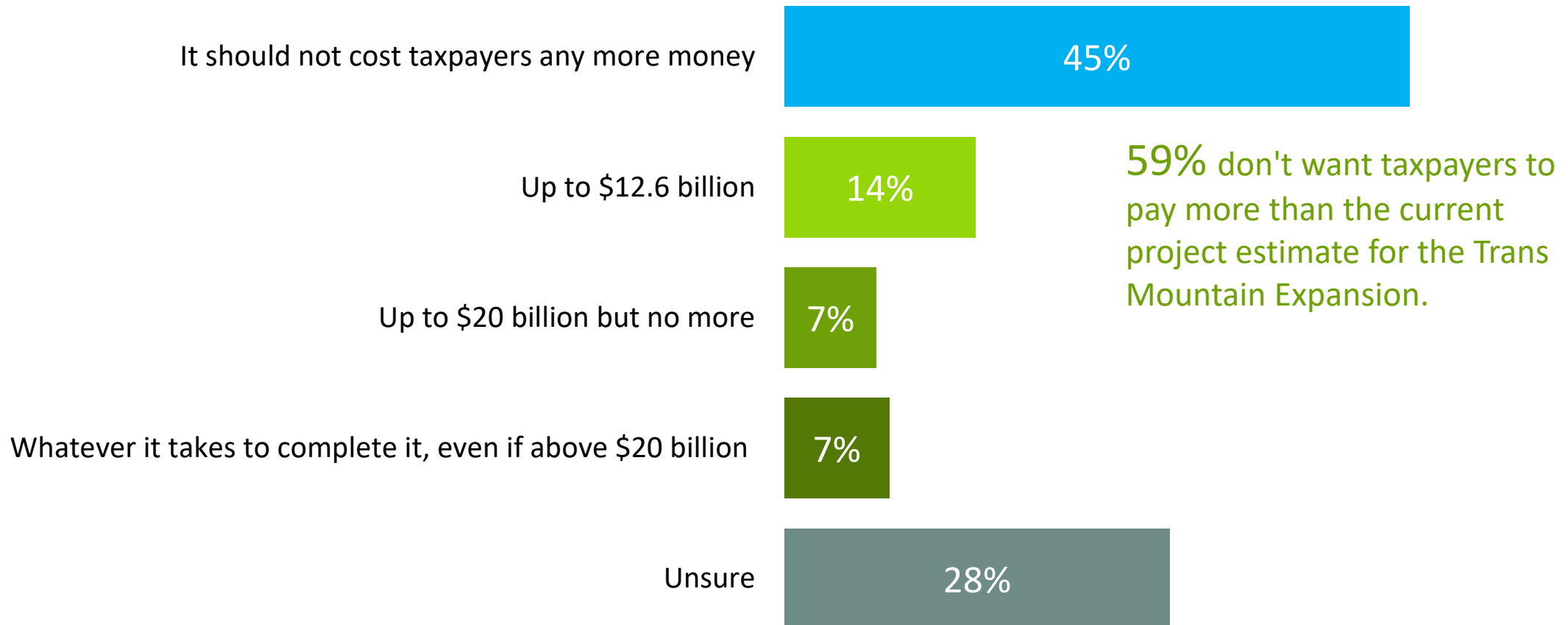
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- Enact stronger climate policies than the Liberal party campaigned on - do more at a quicker pace
- Enact the same climate change policies the Liberal party campaigned on
- Enact weaker climate change policies than the Liberal party campaigned on - do less at a slower pace
- Don't know or unsure

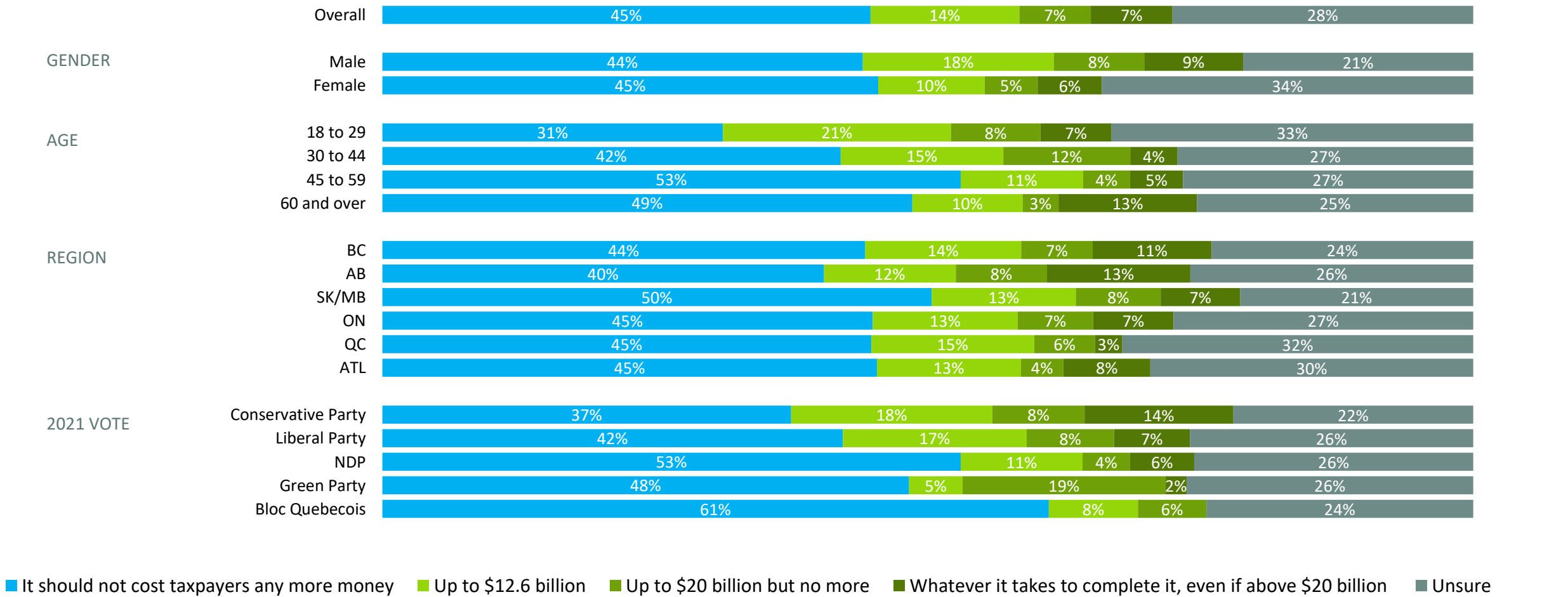
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