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Do you consider it appropriate or inappropriate for humans to hunt each of the following animals for trophy / sport in British Columbia?

RESEARCH HUNTING LICENSE IN LAST GENDER AGE REGION **VOTE IN 2020 ELECTION** 10 YEARS? British Columbia Vancouver Fraser Valley Northern BC Southern BC Island Grizzly bears Definitely appropriate 5% 8% 2% 11% 4% 2% 5% 6% 3% 7% 6% 4% 8% 5% 21% 3% Probably appropriate 7% 11% 4% 13% 6% 5% 7% 11% 15% 6% 7% 7% 6% 14% 15% 6% 13% 16% 10% 12% 11% 12% 10% 16% 12% 15% **Probably inappropriate** 16% 14% 10% 11% 11% 13% 61% 79% 68% 80% 70% 70% 65% 74% 72% 75% 66% 65% 45% 73% **Definitely inappropriate** 71% 61% 4% 4% 4% 2% 6% 3% 4% 2% 6% 3% 4% 3% 4% 3% 4% 4% Not sure Black bears 6% Definitely appropriate 9% 3% 9% 6% 2% 5% 5% 6% 9% 6% 4% 9% 5% 21% 4% 8% 12% 4% 14% 6% 17% 5% 9% 9% 10% 16% 7% Probably appropriate 6% 8% 8% 9% 15% 19% 11% 16% 16% 13% 16% 16% 4% 12% 13% 14% 16% 16% 22% 14% **Probably inappropriate** Definitely inappropriate 77% 68% 57% 78% 57% 67% 67% 69% 64% 71% 66% 71% 63% 65% 39% 71% Not sure 4% 4% 4% 4% 6% 2% 4% 2% 9% 3% 6% 3% 3% 3% 3% 4% Wolves Definitely appropriate 5% 7% 2% 10% 4% 2% 5% 4% 3% 4% 4% 2% 9% 5% 15% 3% 9% 15% 4% 8% 7% Probably appropriate 14% 9% 6% 9% 14% 9% 10% 10% 21% 28% 7% 13% 17% 10% 13% 14% 12% 14% 13% 14% 12% 12% 16% 13% 10% 13% Probably inappropriate 3% 77% 64% Definitely inappropriate 68% 57% 78% 58% 67% 68% 71% 61% 70% 70% 71% 69% 40% 72% 5% 6% 4% 3% 3% 9% 5% 4% 4% 4% Not sure 4% 6% 4% 6% 1% 5% Wild cats (such as cougars, lynx, and bobcats) Definitely appropriate 4% 7% 2% 9% 4% 2% 4% 6% 3% 7% 3% 4% 6% 5% 19% 3% Probably appropriate 7% 10% 3% 11% 6% 4% 6% 5% 17% 3% 9% 7% 6% 12% 16% 6% Probably inappropriate 15% 20% 10% 16% 16% 13% 16% 14% 10% 11% 13% 13% 18% 14% 18% 14% Definitely inappropriate 69% 60% 78% 61% 67% 78% 69% 71% 61% 75% 70% 73% 66% 67% 44% 72% Not sure 5% 4% 6% 4% 7% 3% 5% 4% 9% 5% 4% 3% 5% 1% 3% 5%

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Do you agree or disagree that natural predators (such as bears, cougars and wolves) should be killed to decrease competition with hunters for moose, deer and elk?

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	British						Metro				Vancouver					
	Columbia	Male	Female	18-34	35-54		Vancouver	Fraser Valley	Northern BC	Southern BC	Island	BC NDP	BC Liberals	BC Green		No
Strongly agree	5%	7%	2%	9%	5%	1%	5%	4%	6%	6%	2%	5%	8%	2%	26%	2%
Moderately agree	11%	15%	7%	14%	10%	8%	10%	8%	17%	10%	11%	10%	12%	21%	21%	9%
Moderately disagree	21%	26%	17%	22%	19%	22%	22%	30%	18%	15%	14%	19%	27%	16%	24%	21%
Strongly disagree	53%	45%	60%	43%	54%	58%	50%	51%	49%	64%	60%	55%	45%	51%	27%	56%
Not sure	11%	8%	14%	11%	13%	11%	13%	8%	10%	5%	12%	10%	8%	10%	2%	13%

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As you may know, the Government of British Columbia banned the trophy/sport hunting of grizzly bears in December 2017. Do you agree or disagree that the provincial government should reinstate the grizzly bear hunt?

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	7%	6%	9%	4%	9%	8%	9%	0%	0%	5%	9%	5%	7%	4%	3%	8%

All things considered, do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

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