

All things considered, would you say drivers in your city or town are better, the same, or worse than five years ago?



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	Canada	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	BC	Alberta	SK / MB	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic	Liberal	Conserv.	NDP
Better	11%	15%	8%	22%	8%	3%	9%	7%	15%	11%	13%	9%	14%	10%	7%
The same	34%	35%	33%	34%	32%	37%	36%	35%	29%	31%	41%	31%	39%	27%	39%
Worse	52%	47%	56%	41%	57%	57%	52%	54%	55%	56%	40%	58%	46%	60%	51%
Not sure	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	4%	1%	2%	5%	1%	2%	3%	3%

Over the past month, have any of the following things happened to you?



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A driver not signaling before a turn	61%	62%	61%	59%	59%	65%	72%	64%	64%	57%	60%	66%	60%	71%	56%
A car taking up two or more spots in a parking lot	48%	50%	48%	47%	49%	50%	50%	55%	46%	50%	43%	49%	49%	55%	41%
A driver not stopping at an intersection	46%	47%	46%	46%	45%	46%	47%	47%	35%	46%	47%	45%	48%	46%	46%
A car turning right or left from an incorrect lane (lane tracking)	36%	36%	36%	36%	40%	32%	44%	33%	39%	37%	33%	26%	37%	39%	32%
A close call (slamming the brakes, or having to steer violently to avoid a collision)	34%	35%	33%	39%	35%	29%	42%	31%	29%	35%	32%	34%	33%	40%	25%
A car crash (in a vehicle you were driving or were a passenger in)	7%	8%	7%	11%	7%	3%	8%	7%	10%	7%	6%	7%	8%	8%	5%
None of these	19%	19%	19%	14%	22%	22%	16%	17%	17%	21%	20%	19%	19%	14%	20%

Do you think there are specific groups or people in your city or town who are worse drivers than others?



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Yes	67%	66%	67%	67%	70%	63%	73%	61%	76%	67%	63%	66%	63%	77%	53%
No	33%	34%	33%	33%	30%	37%	27%	39%	24%	33%	37%	34%	37%	23%	47%

[OPEN ENDED] Which groups or people in your city or town are worse drivers than others?

Themes	
Older/senior people	18%
Young/teen drivers	16%
Ethnicity/nationality/race	17%
Immigrants/newcomers	13%
Gender	8%
Behaviour/risk factor	6%
Vehicle/occupation	4%
Location	3%
Uncertain/nonresponse	9%
Explicitly rejected a group-based explanation	1%

Ethnicity/nationality/race Analysis

Mentions	
Indian/East Indian	7%
Asian	4%
Black/African	2%
Chinese	2%
Punjabi	1%
Arab/Middle Eastern	-1%
Iranian/Persian	-1%
White	-1%