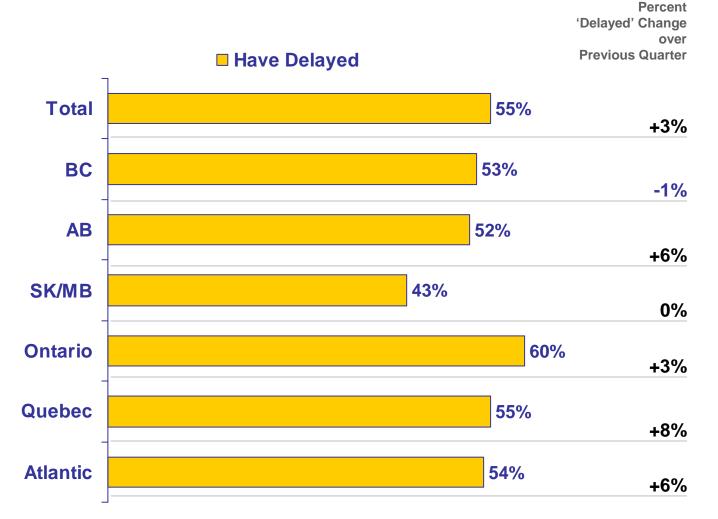


## Have Delayed The Timing Of Major Purchases Due To Current Economic Conditions



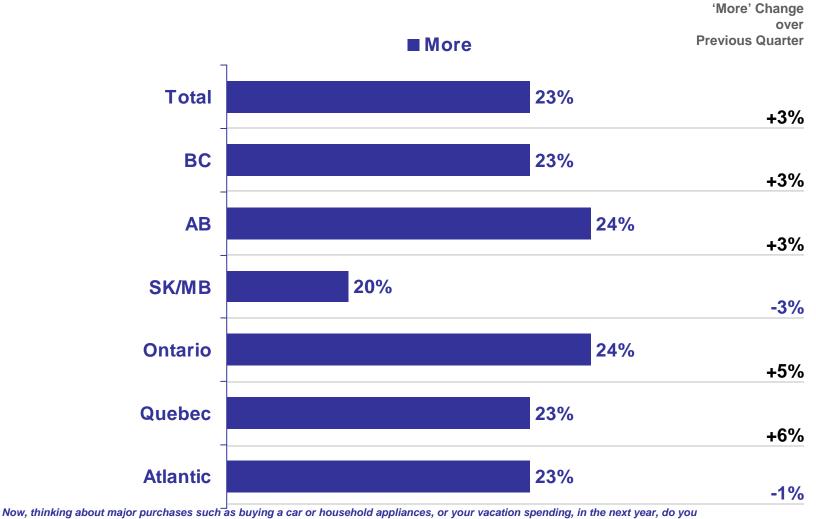
And thinking about major purchases such as buying a car or household appliances, or your vacation spending, have you changed the timing of major purchases due to current economic conditions? Q.2.

Base: All Respondents n = 3520

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## Spending Outlook on Major Purchases - Over the Next Year



Now, thinking about major purchases such as buying a car or household appliances, or your vacation spending, in the next year, or expect that you and your family will be spending . . . Q.5. Base: All Respondents n=3520



Percent



## Plan for Rising Interest Rates

		<ul> <li>Find ways to reduce my interest costs or monthly payments</li> <li>Increase my savings and/or investments</li> <li>Find out how I could change my mortgage rate from variable to fixed</li> <li>Establish/increase my line of credit</li> <li>Spend less in other areas</li> <li>None of the above</li> </ul>						
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