

The following introduction and question are placed on a survey instrument for respondents:

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Choose One

□ Very Much □ Somewhat □ Not Very Much □ Not at All □ Never heard of them

The list of companies/entities is then provided to respondents in a randomized fashion. Each respondent completes the rating per entity provided for the scaled evaluation. If an entity has a significant sub-brand (s) in the same category/sector, each will be listed separately and evaluated on its own. As noted above, the list of entities provided to respondents for evaluation is randomized so as to create no unintentional bias.

Those respondents who choose the scale entry that they have "Never heard of them" are subsequently removed from the data analysis. The data is then rebased to include only respondents who are aware of the entity evaluated. The "Respect Score" is then created by giving 100 points for those who choose "Very Much", 70 points for "Somewhat", 30 points for "Not Very Much", and 0 points for "Not At All". A mean score is determined using these values, ultimately giving a value between 0 to 100 for each entity. The scoring produces a ranked order whereby being at the top of the list determines that the entity is the "Most Respected".

These are the individual respondent findings from a Maru/Blue Public Opinion Poll conducted among 3,629 randomly selected Canadian adults who are members of Maru/Blue's Voice Canada Online panel. The results have been weighted by education, age, gender, and region to match the population according to the most recent census data so that the sample is representative of the entire adult population of Canada. In order to determine the final "Respect Score", individual results and ranking, each response must have the points applied as noted above.

The DART I & C Canada's Most Respected Banks survey was conducted by Maru/Blue during January 2022

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		TOTAL	REGION						
			BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	PQ	ATL
BASE	Unweighted	(3629)	(459)	(394)	(115)	(132)	(1398)	(848)	(283)
	Weighted	(3629)	(475)	(407)	(113)	(128)	(1369)	(874)	(265)
Royal Bank of Canada		2,530	337	261	78	83	946	639	187
TD Canada Trust		2,525	329	272	67	91	974	610	183
Bank of Nova Scotia		2,505	325	265	68	88	933	646	179
Bank of Montreal		2,480	315	244	78	80	924	655	184
CIBC		2,370	310	252	64	84	909	569	181
National Bank of Canada		2,067	231	176	54	69	765	624	148
Tangerine Bank		2,064	256	198	50	64	835	528	132
Presidents Choice Bank		2,060	261	202	57	65	894	426	156
Desjardins Group		1,875	198	146	37	56	715	618	105
Manulife Bank of Canada		1,740	226	185	44	55	666	457	107
Canadian Tire Bank		1,382	160	113	29	30	549	396	106
Laurentian Bank		1,349	123	89	20	32	513	515	57
Canadian Western Bank		868	184	161	37	34	259	153	39
Alterna Bank		473	46	34	6	11	217	139	19

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