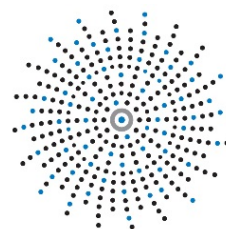


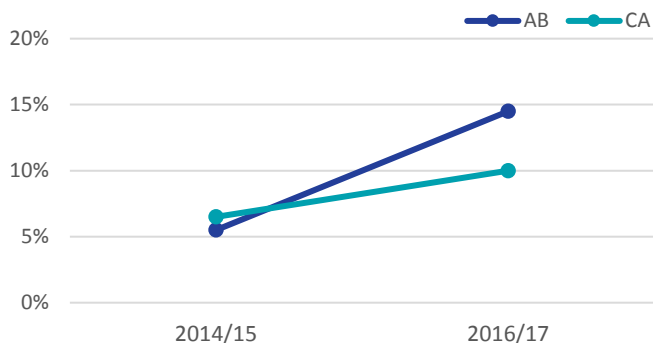
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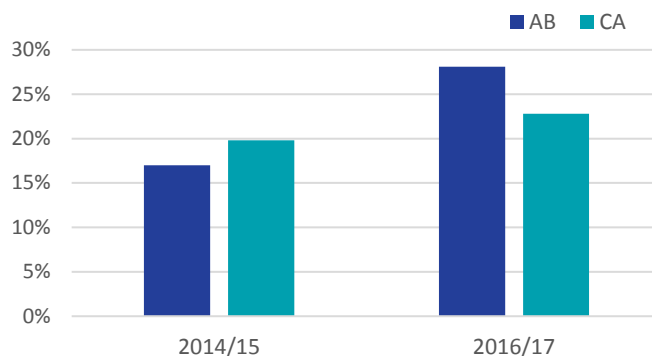


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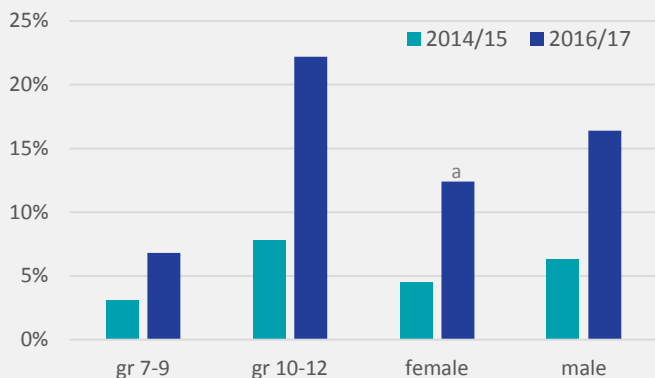
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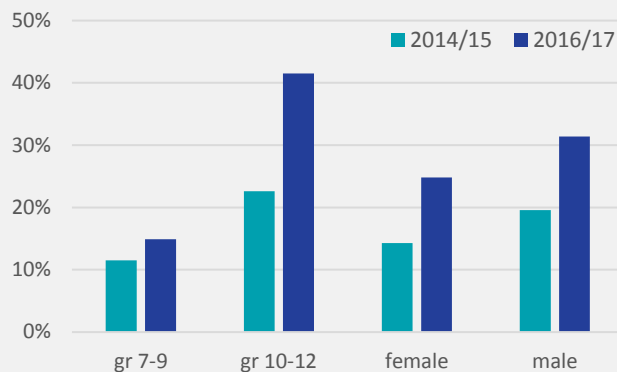
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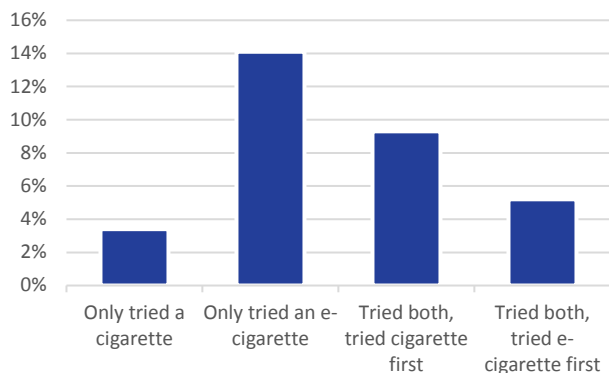
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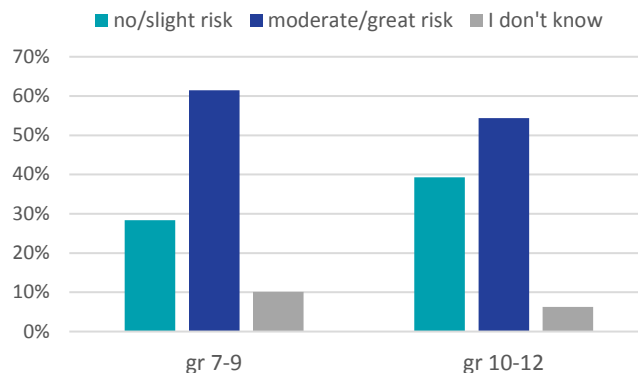
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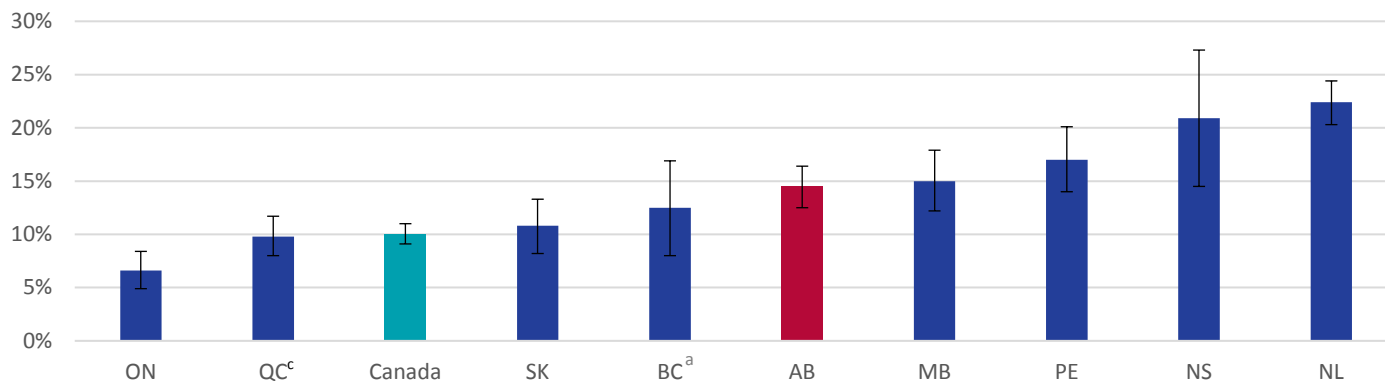
Order of initiation among those who have tried cigarettes or e-cigarettes, AB, 2016/17



Perceived harm of e-cigarette use on a regular basis, by grade, AB, 2016/17



Past-30-day e-cigarette use by province, 2016/17



	2014/15 ^b		2016/17 ^b	
E-cigarette use, past-30-day, AB	5.5%	[3.8-7.1]	14.5%	[12.5-16.4]
E-cigarette use, past-30-day, CA	6.5%	[5.8-7.1]	10.0%	[9.1-11.0]
Ever tried e-cigarette, AB	17.0%	[14.1-19.9]	28.1%	[25.6-30.6]
Ever tried e-cigarette, CA	19.8%	[18.4-21.3]	22.8%	[21.6-24.0]
Past-30-day e-cigarette use, grade 7-9, AB	3.1% ^a	[1.8-4.4]	6.8%	[5.0-8.6]
Past-30-day e-cigarette use, grade 10-12, AB	7.8% ^a	[5.0-10.6]	22.2%	[19.2-25.2]
Past-30-day e-cigarette use, female, AB	4.5% ^a	[2.6-6.5]	12.4%	[10.6-14.2]
Past-30-day e-cigarette use, male, AB	6.3%	[4.7-8.0]	16.4%	[14.0-18.8]
Ever tried e-cigarette, grade 7-9, AB	11.5%	[7.9-15.0]	14.9%	[12.6-17.3]
Ever tried e-cigarette, grade 10-12, AB	22.6%	[18.5-26.6]	41.5%	[37.5-45.5]
Ever tried e-cigarette, female, AB	14.3%	[10.4-18.2]	24.8%	[22.4-27.1]
Ever tried e-cigarette, male, AB	19.6%	[16.8-22.3]	31.4%	[28.4-34.4]
Only tried a cigarette and never tried an e-cigarette, AB	5.7%	[4.3-7.2]	3.4%	[2.3-4.6]
Only tried an e-cigarette and never tried a cigarette, AB	7.5%	[6.0-9.0]	14.1%	[12.0-16.2]
Tried both and tried a cigarette first, AB	7.3%	[5.7-8.9]	9.3%	[7.3-11.3]
Tried both and tried an e-cigarette first, AB	2.3%	[1.9-2.8]	5.2%	[4.2-6.2]
Do not remember which I tried first, a cigarette or an e-cigarette, AB	1.1% ^a	[0.5-1.6]	1.6%	[1.2-1.9]
Perceived harm of e-cigarette use on regular basis: No/slight risk, AB	29.5%	[26.5-32.5]	33.8%	[32.0-35.6]
Perceived harm of e-cigarette use on regular basis: Moderate/great risk, AB	56.1%	[53.1-59.2]	58.0%	[55.7-60.2]
Perceived harm of e-cigarette use on regular basis: I do not know, AB	14.4%	[12.0-16.8]	8.2%	[7.2-9.2]

^a Moderate sampling variability, interpret with caution.

^b Figures in brackets represent 95% confidence intervals.

^c There is no grade 12 in QC.

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