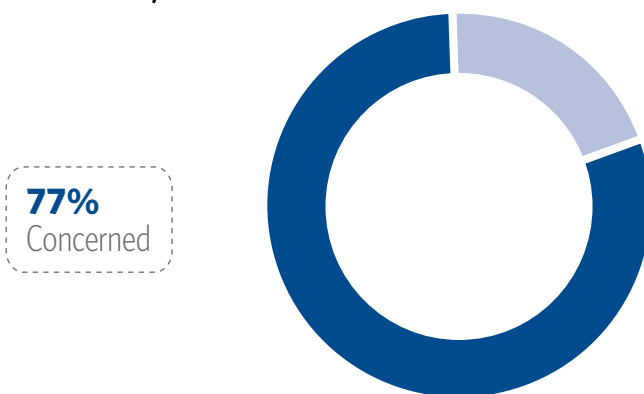


The Price of the Paris Protocol:

Concern and Lessening Support With Mounting Costs

77% of Americans Are Concerned By Cost Calculations of \$7,000 and 300,000 Jobs



Some experts are concerned about the cost of the new rules to cut carbon emission. They estimate that, as effects mount over the next 15 years, Americans may make an average of \$7,000 less per person because of its effect on American jobs and productivity / it may cost America 300,000 jobs total. If this cost turns out to be accurate, how concerned would you be about the cost of the agreement?

Opposition Outweighs Support When Aware of Costs

+13%
Oppose



Pre



Post†

†Thinking again about the agreement, if this cost turns out to be accurate, would you support or oppose President Obama signing the agreement?

■ Oppose ■ Undecided ■ Support

Source: Online survey using a national representative sample of 879 U.S. voters conducted December 10, 2015 with a margin of error of $\pm 3.3\%$.

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