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REPORT CTAB2

S.1 Q.18 How do you perceive Canada in terms of labour costs in comparison to the United States? Do you believe labour costs in Canada are much higher than they are in the United States, somewhat higher, about the same, somewhat lower or much lower than they are in the United States? Labour costs in Canada are ...

| | LABOUR COSTS/ WAGES | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------|
| | TOTAL | Concerned | Not Concerned |
| TOTAL INTERVIEWS | 704 100.0 | 107 100.0 | 597 100.0 |
| Much higher than in the U.S. (100) | 17 2.4 | 4 3.7 | 13 2.2 |
| Somewhat higher (75) | 154 21.9 | 29 27.1 | 125 20.9 |
| About the same (50) | 253 35.9 | 41 38.3 | 212 35.5 |
| Somewhat lower (25) | 198 28.1 | 29 27.1 | 169 28.3 |
| Much lower (0) | 13 1.8 | 2 1.9 | 11 1.8 |
| Don't know | 68 9.7 | 2 1.9 | 66 11.1 |
| D.N.S. | 1 .1 | - | 1 .2 |
| Average | 48.6 | 51.0 | 48.1 |