

Polling - SA electric vehicle results

August 2018

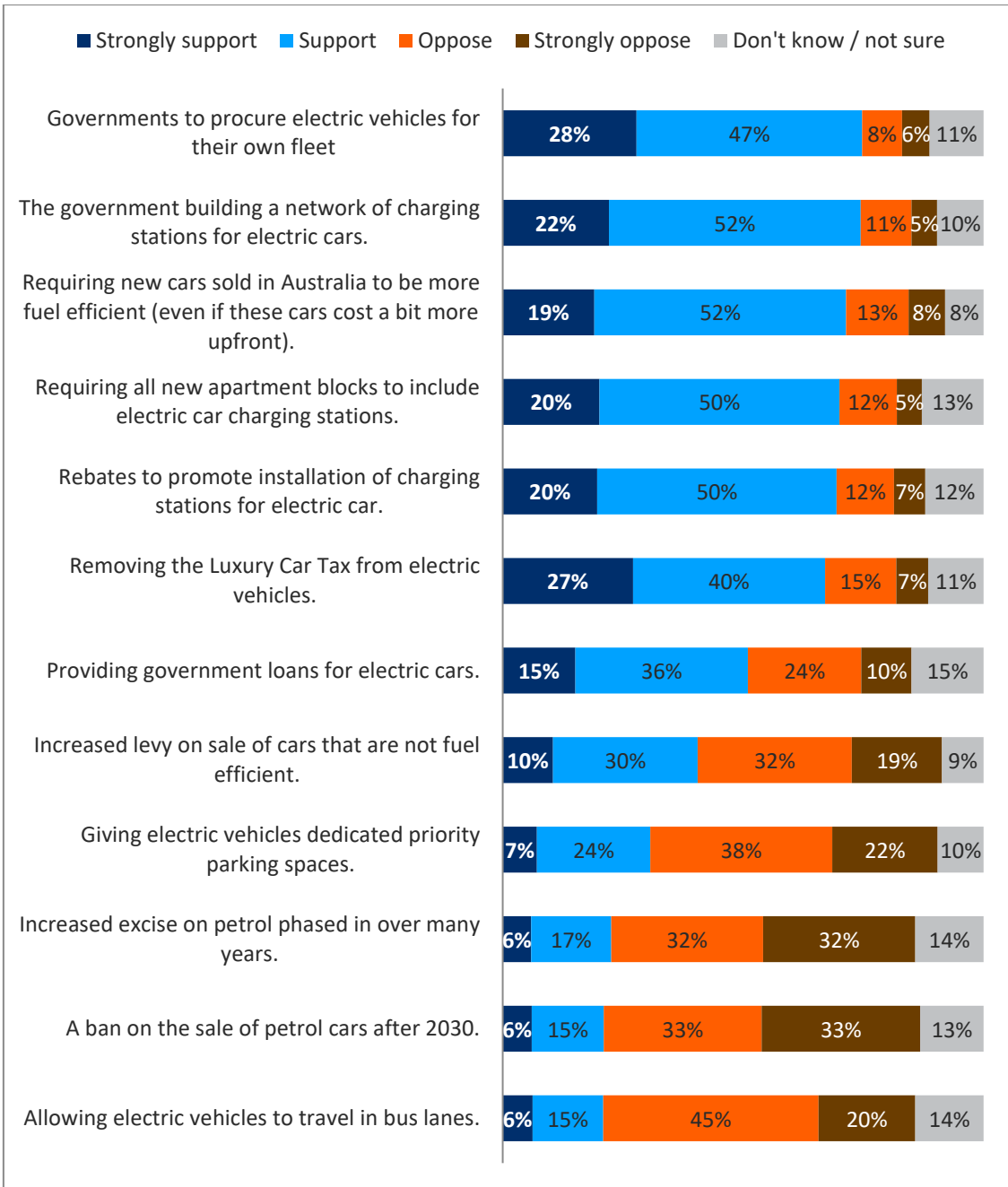
Method

The Australia Institute conducted a state wide survey of 661 South Australians people 3 August and 15 August 2018, online through Research Now. Results were post-weighted to match South Australian demographics by gender and age, according to 2016 census data.

Question: In this question, when we talk about an 'electric car', we mean a car that runs entirely on a battery charged with electricity, and takes no petrol.

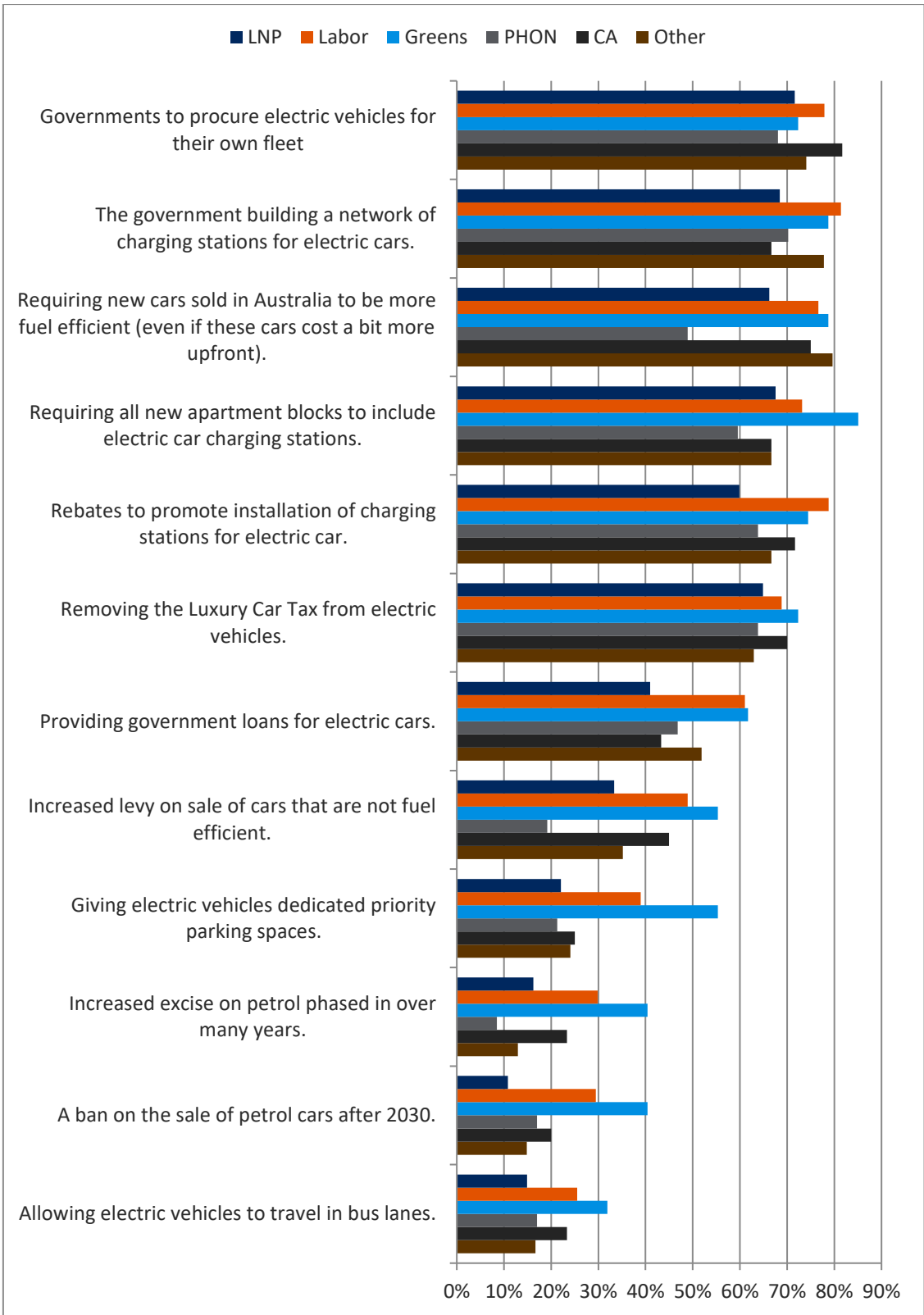
Do you support or oppose the following policies around cars?

	Total support	Total oppose	Strongly support	Support	Oppose	Strongly oppose	Don't know/not sure
Governments to procure electric vehicles for their own fleet	75%	14%	28%	47%	8%	6%	11%
The government building a network of charging stations for electric cars.	74%	16%	22%	52%	11%	5%	10%
Requiring new cars sold in Australia to be more fuel efficient (even if these cars cost a bit more upfront).	71%	21%	19%	52%	13%	8%	8%
Requiring all new apartment blocks to include electric car charging stations.	70%	17%	20%	50%	12%	5%	13%
Rebates to promote installation of charging stations for electric car.	69%	18%	20%	50%	12%	7%	12%
Removing the Luxury Car Tax from electric vehicles.	67%	21%	27%	40%	15%	7%	11%
Providing government loans for electric cars.	51%	34%	15%	36%	24%	10%	15%
Increased levy on sale of cars that are not fuel efficient.	41%	51%	10%	30%	32%	19%	9%
Giving electric vehicles dedicated priority parking spaces.	31%	60%	7%	24%	38%	22%	10%
Increased excise on petrol phased in over many years.	23%	63%	6%	17%	32%	32%	14%
A ban on the sale of petrol cars after 2030.	21%	66%	6%	15%	33%	33%	13%
Allowing electric vehicles to travel in bus lanes.	21%	65%	6%	15%	45%	20%	14%



Total support, by voting intention

	Total	LNP	Labor	Greens	PHON	CA	Other	Undec
Governments to procure electric vehicles for their own fleet	75%	72%	78%	72%	68%	82%	74%	64%
The government building a network of charging stations for electric cars.	74%	68%	81%	79%	70%	67%	78%	68%
Requiring new cars sold in Australia to be more fuel efficient (even if these cars cost a bit more upfront).	71%	66%	77%	79%	49%	75%	80%	68%
Requiring all new apartment blocks to include electric car charging stations.	70%	68%	73%	85%	60%	67%	67%	68%
Rebates to promote installation of charging stations for electric car.	69%	60%	79%	74%	64%	72%	67%	65%
Removing the Luxury Car Tax from electric vehicles.	67%	65%	69%	72%	64%	70%	63%	66%
Providing government loans for electric cars.	51%	41%	61%	62%	47%	43%	52%	47%
Increased levy on sale of cars that are not fuel efficient.	41%	33%	49%	55%	19%	45%	35%	40%
Giving electric vehicles dedicated priority parking spaces.	31%	22%	39%	55%	21%	25%	24%	28%
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