Table 13 Energy conservation practices, by province

|   | Used<br>dimmers on<br>household<br>lights                                      | Unplugged<br>electronics<br>when away for<br>an extended<br>period of time | Reduced heating or cooling in certain areas of the dwelling  | Used a clothesline or drying rack to dry clothing        | Used fans for cooling in the summer                            |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|
|   | percent  |  |  |  |  |
| Canada Newfoundland and Labrador Prince Edward Island Nova Scotia New Brunswick Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta British Columbia | 50<br>43<br>42<br>47<br>36<br>53<br>51<br>42<br>43<br>47<br>53                 | 57<br>72<br>72<br>72<br>60<br>41<br>61<br>56<br>60<br>65<br>62             | 60<br>58<br>58<br>57<br>66<br>71<br>55<br>46<br>54<br>51     | 64<br>74<br>80<br>73<br>69<br>74<br>64<br>46<br>54<br>54 | 66<br>68<br>84<br>74<br>70<br>60<br>65<br>57<br>65<br>73<br>72 |
|   | Closed the blinds or drapes in the dwelling during the hottest part of the day | Put pl<br>film or<br>windov<br>the w                                       | n the clothin<br>ws in of adju                               | on more<br>g instead<br>usting the<br>nperature          | Did none<br>of these<br>activities                             |
|   | percent  |  |  |  |  |
| Canada Newfoundland and Labrador Prince Edward Island Nova Scotia New Brunswick Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta British Columbia | 83<br>59<br>84<br>82<br>84<br>75<br>86<br>89<br>93<br>88                       |  | 21<br>10 E<br>18 E<br>18<br>22<br>34<br>17<br>20<br>26<br>15 | 80<br>71<br>87<br>83<br>78<br>73<br>82<br>79<br>87<br>83 | 1 E<br>F<br>F<br>F<br>F<br>F<br>F<br>F                         |

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