

**Table 11**  
**Boil water advisories, by province**

	Affected by a boil water advisory <sup>1</sup>	Response to boil water advisory <sup>2</sup>			Boiled water regardless of whether affected by a boil water advisory <sup>1</sup>	Boiled water because of a boil water advisory <sup>1</sup>	Boiled water without being affected by a boil water advisory <sup>1</sup>
		Boiled water	Drank bottled water instead	Filtered water			
percent							
<b>Canada</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>
Newfoundland and Labrador	25	53	65	30	18	13	4 <sup>E</sup>
Prince Edward Island	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
Nova Scotia	F	F	F	F	7 <sup>E</sup>	F	4 <sup>E</sup>
New Brunswick	8 <sup>E</sup>	58 <sup>E</sup>	64	F	9 <sup>E</sup>	5 <sup>E</sup>	4 <sup>E</sup>
Quebec	16	55	66	7 <sup>E</sup>	13	9	4 <sup>E</sup>
Ontario	3 <sup>E</sup>	40 <sup>E</sup>	55	F	9	1 <sup>E</sup>	8
Manitoba	3 <sup>E</sup>	52 <sup>E</sup>	77	F	9 <sup>E</sup>	2 <sup>E</sup>	7 <sup>E</sup>
Saskatchewan	8 <sup>E</sup>	53	55	F	8 <sup>E</sup>	4 <sup>E</sup>	4 <sup>E</sup>
Alberta	3 <sup>E</sup>	60 <sup>E</sup>	44 <sup>E</sup>	F	8	F	6 <sup>E</sup>
British Columbia	9	58	45	17 <sup>E</sup>	16	5 <sup>E</sup>	10

1. As a percentage of all households.

2. As a percentage of households that were affected by a boil water advisory.

**Source(s):** Statistics Canada, Environment Accounts and Statistics Division, Households and the Environment Survey, 2011 (survey number 3881).