

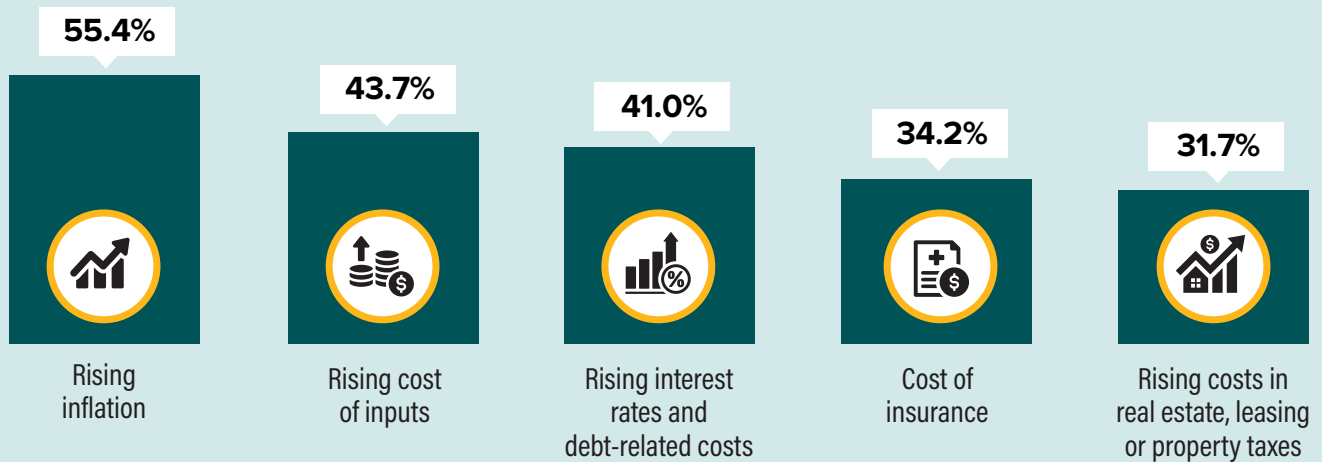
BUSINESS CONDITIONS in Canada

FIRST QUARTER OF 2024

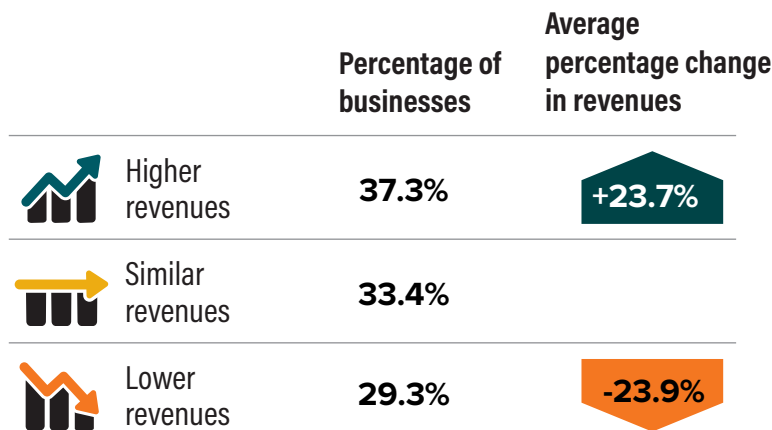
Rising inflation and rising cost of inputs are the top 2 obstacles expected by businesses over the next 3 months



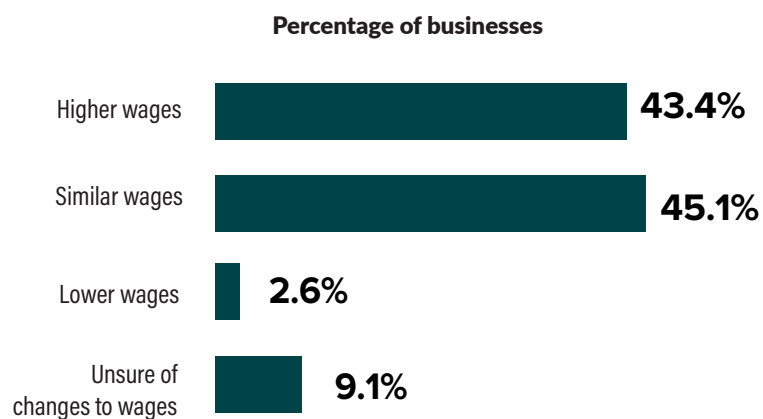
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Nearly 2 in 5 businesses saw increased revenues in 2023 compared with 2022

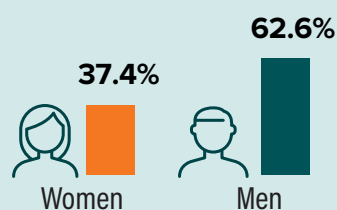


Over the next 12 months, 43.4% of businesses expect to increase average wages

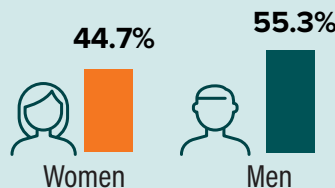


Representation of women and men in management and non-management positions¹

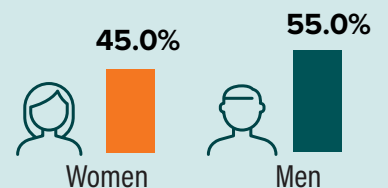
Senior management positions



All other management positions



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1. Businesses were asked to indicate the percentage of employees who are women and men in the different types of positions.

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