

AUSTRALIANS SPLIT ON NUCLEAR VS. RENEWABLES



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NET ZERO IMPORTANCE

Net zero matters to most Australians

49%

**very / extremely
important**

24%

**somewhat
important**



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POLITICAL DIVIDE ON NET ZERO

Partisan split

89%

Green voters

61%

Labor voters

25%

Coalition voters



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NUCLEAR VS RENEWABLES

Renewables seen as
more effective

68%

→ renewables will
help reach 2050
goals

45%

nuclear will help



POLITICAL POLARISATION ON SOLUTIONS

Party lines shape views

90% Greens

83% Labor

renewables will
help

50% Coalition

renewables will
help



ENERGY BILLS PERCEPTION

Energy costs divide
opinion

36%

think **nuclear** will increase bills

38%

think **renewables** will increase
bills

... but political divides are stark:

55%

Coalition

vs

20%

Greens

on **renewables** raising bills



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"AUSTRALIANS' VIEWS ON
NUCLEAR + RENEWABLES
REVEAL **DEEP DIVIDES**, BUT
PROGRESS DEPENDS ON
SHARED UNDERSTANDING.
BY TRACKING THESE
ATTITUDES, WE PROVIDE
INSIGHTS FOR **CONSTRUCTIVE
CONVERSATIONS** ABOUT
OUR ENERGY FUTURE."

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