

**ASK EVERYONE:**

42. Now, we would like to get an idea of how likely you are to trust statements about free trade coming from various sources. The first one is (READ -- ROTATE FROM X). Do you trust most of what they say, some, little, or nothing of what they say?

	<u>TRUST</u> <u>MOST</u>	<u>TRUST</u> <u>SOME</u>	<u>TRUST</u> <u>LITTLE</u>	<u>TRUST</u> (DK/ <u>NOTHING</u> NS)
— a. Federal government leaders.....	5.....	32.....	34.....	28.....1
— b. Provincial government leaders.....	8.....	41.....	32.....	17.....2
— c. Labour union leaders.....	10.....	35.....	29.....	23.....3
— d. Trade economists and other experts in international trade.....	27.....	47.....	15.....	7.....4
— e. Journalists and reporters.....	11.....	43.....	29.....	15.....2
— f. Business leaders.....	18.....	50.....	20.....	9.....2
— g. Interest groups opposed to the free trade agreement.....	8.....	38.....	33.....	18.....3

**END ROTATION**

43. Some people say that since the federal government signed the free trade agreement, they should be responsible for helping workers adjust to free trade.

Other people say that since all Canadians stand to benefit from expanded markets, adjustment to free trade is the joint responsibility of employers, workers, unions, business associations and all levels of government.

Which of these is closest to your own view?

Government responsibility.....	26
Shared responsibility.....	72
(DK/NS).....	2

**E. NAFTA**

44. As you may know, the federal government has entered into negotiations with the United States and Mexico on a three-way free trade agreement. Generally speaking, do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose Canada entering into a three-way free trade agreement with the United States and Mexico?

Strongly support.....	6
Somewhat support.....	23
Somewhat oppose.....	21
Strongly oppose.....	46
(DK/NS).....	4

45. And, why do you (INSERT ANSWER TO Q43) a three-way free trade agreement between Canada, the United States and Mexico?