- 38. How long do you think it will be before we see any long-term impact of free trade? Will it be (READ RESPONSES):
- 39. What about the long-term effects of Free Trade? Do you think that in the long run, the Free Trade Agreement will benefit Canada, will hurt Canada, or will have no impact one way or the other.

	TOTAL	REGION						AGE			SEX		MARITAL STATUS		
		B.C.	Alta.	Man/ Sask	Ont.	Que.	Atl.	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female	Single	Mar ried	Div./ Widow
BASE=ALL RESPONDENTS	(1500)	(172)	(138)	(124)	(539)	(390)	(137)	(590)	(580)	(325)	(736)	(764)	(349)	(955)	(192)
HOW LONG BEFORE LONG-TERM IMPACT															
In less than 3 years	21.1%	16.3%	13.0%	16.9%	22.3%	25.9%	20.4%	20.5%	22.4%	19.1%	20.9%	21.2%	21.5%	20.6%	21.9%
In 3-5 years	44.3%	47.1%	52.2%	42.7%	41.4%	45.6%	41.6%	45.3%	44.0%	43.4%	42.5%	45.9%	43.6%	44.1%	46.9%
In 6-10 years	20.9%	23.3%	22.5%	21.0%	20.2%	18.7%	24.8%	23.4%	20.7%	16.9%	22.4%	19.4%	23.5%	20.5%	18.2%
In more than 10 years	9.9%	9.3%	7.2%	14.5%	11.5%	7.7%	9.5%	8.5%	9.7%	12.9%	10.9%	9.0%	9.5%	10.5%	8.3%
(DK/NS)	3.9%	4.1%	5.1%	4.8%	4.6%	2.1%	3.6%	2.4%	3.3%	7.7%	3.3%	4.5%	2.0%	4.3%	4.7%
LONG-TERM EFFECT															
Will benefit Canada	43.5%	47.1%	52.9%	29.8%	40.3%	47.2%	44.5%	46.1%	44.3%	37.8%	49.6%	37.7%	40.7%	45.7%	38.5%
Will hurt Canada	39.7%	39.0%	26.8%	50.0%	45.1%	32.3%	43.8%	40.2%	39.8%	38.8%	35.1%	44.1%	44.4%	38.2%	38.0%
Will have no impact	9.4%	8.7%	13.0%	9.7%	7.6%	11.3%	8.0%	8.5%	8.8%	11.7%	9.6%	9.2%	10.0%	8.9%	10.4%
(DK/NS)	7.4%	5.2%	7.2%	10.5%	7.1%	9.2%	3.6%	5.3%	7.1%	11.7%	5.7%	9.0%	4.9%	7.2%	13.0%

Source: Angus Reid Group

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