

15. Some people say that with slow economic growth and scarce federal finances, that any financial assistance available for companies should go to big corporations and big industry first because the impact on the economy will be faster and more jobs are at stake. Others say that any financial assistance available for companies should go to small business first because the impact on the economy will be faster and more jobs are at stake. Which statement is closest to your own point of view?

	REGION						
	TOTAL	British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
*Base=All respondents	(1500)	(184)	(135)	(112)	(558)	(385)	(126)
*FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE							
*Big corporations first	9	12	5	8	10	10	9
*Small business first	81	78	84	87	80	81	85
*(Go to both equally)	6	6	6	3	6	6	4
*(Dk/ NS)	3	4	5	2	4	2	2

Source: Angus Reid Group
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