

IF MODERATELY/STRONGLY OPPOSE CONTINUE -- ALL OTHERS SKIP TO Q40

39. I'd like you to tell me how much more likely you would be to support free trade if you heard that (READ STATEMENT -- ROTATE FROM X) Would this make you much more likely, somewhat more likely, not very likely or not likely at all to support Canada-U.S. free trade?

	<u>MUCH MORE</u>	<u>SOMEWHAT MORE</u>	<u>NOT VERY</u>	<u>NOT AT ALL</u>	(DK/ NS)
— a. Canada's exports to the U.S. have increased as a result of tariff elimination under the free trade agreement.....	17	41	18	21	3
— b. Several American and Canadian owned companies have closed plants in the U.S. and opened new or expanded facilities in Canada.....	23	37	16	21	3
— c. The free trade agreement has been used to force the U.S. government to reverse earlier trade dispute decisions against Canadian companies.....	14	38	18	23	6
— d. The free trade agreement permits Canadian exporters to settle disputes with the U.S. in a fast and impartial manner.....	15	39	20	22	4
— e. The free trade agreement has been used successfully to exempt Canada from potentially damaging U.S. trade legislation.....	11	38	21	23	7
— f. Investment in Canada, particularly in manufacturing, has increased as a result of the free trade agreement.....	17	36	17	26	3
— g. The free trade agreement has <u>lessened</u> the severity of the recent economic downturn.....	16	30	19	33	2
— h. Some prices have gone down in Canada because of the free trade agreement.....	16	33	21	28	2