

13. I'm now going to read you some statements concerning various economic issues. For each one, I'd like you to tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree. The first one is...?

|  | REGION |                  |         |          |         |        |          |
|--|--------|------------------|---------|----------|---------|--------|----------|
|  | TOTAL  | British Columbia | Alberta | Prairies | Ontario | Quebec | Atlantic |
| *Base=All respondents                        | (1500) | (184)            | (135)   | (112)    | (558)   | (385)  | (126)    |
| *CONSUMERS NEED TO BUY BEST VALUE            |        |                  |         |          |         |        |          |
| *Strongly agree                              | 20     | 23               | 28      | 20       | 22      | 15     | 12       |
| *Somewhat agree                              | 25     | 34               | 24      | 35       | 27      | 16     | 31       |
| *Somewhat disagree                           | 25     | 24               | 25      | 23       | 24      | 27     | 23       |
| *Strongly disagree                           | 29     | 17               | 23      | 21       | 26      | 41     | 33       |
| *(OK/ NS)                                    | 1      | 2                | 1       | 1        | 1       | 1      | 2        |
| *EVERYONE SHOULD BUY CANADIAN                |        |                  |         |          |         |        |          |
| *Strongly agree                              | 60     | 46               | 51      | 61       | 59      | 72     | 63       |
| *Somewhat agree                              | 27     | 29               | 36      | 30       | 28      | 21     | 29       |
| *Somewhat disagree                           | 8      | 15               | 11      | 5        | 9       | 5      | 6        |
| *Strongly disagree                           | 3      | 9                | 3       | 4        | 3       | 2      | 1        |
| *(DK/ NS)                                    | 1      | 2                |         |          | 1       |        | 1        |
| *GOVERNMENT HAS PLAN FOR INTERNATIONAL TRADE |        |                  |         |          |         |        |          |
| *Strongly agree                              | 7      | 4                | 4       | 4        | 6       | 12     | 5        |
| *Somewhat agree                              | 21     | 17               | 20      | 18       | 20      | 24     | 26       |
| *Somewhat disagree                           | 30     | 29               | 33      | 35       | 27      | 32     | 31       |
| *Strongly disagree                           | 34     | 44               | 32      | 37       | 39      | 26     | 28       |
| *(DK/ NS)                                    | 7      | 6                | 11      | 6        | 8       | 5      | 10       |
| *GOVERNMENT IS LISTENING TO CANADIANS        |        |                  |         |          |         |        |          |
| *Strongly agree                              | 7      | 5                | 6       | 3        | 6       | 10     | 8        |
| *Somewhat agree                              | 19     | 14               | 17      | 15       | 17      | 21     | 30       |
| *Somewhat disagree                           | 27     | 19               | 31      | 28       | 23      | 34     | 25       |
| *Strongly disagree                           | 45     | 59               | 44      | 51       | 51      | 32     | 36       |
| *(DK/ NS)                                    | 3      | 3                | 2       | 3        | 3       | 4      | 1        |

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