

- 1/12th of imports in the 12 months preceding the month of request, from the date of request until the conclusion of negotiations (Vietnam);
- the higher of 30% of exports, or 35% of imports, in the first 12 of the 14 months preceding the month of request (Malaysia);
- the higher of 30% of exports, or 35% of imports, in the 12 months preceding the month of request (Singapore).

If no agreement is reached during consultations, a minimum restraint level may be established for the duration of the arrangement, based imports received in the first 12 of the 14 months preceding the month of request, advanced by the following percentage increments:

- 6% (Poland, Sri Lanka)
- 12% (Pakistan)
- 15% (Romania)
- 15.5% (Indonesia)
- 20% (India, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand)

This minimum annual restraint level is, in most cases, to be prorated from the end of the 90-day consultation period (the exception is India, for which the limit is prorated from the date of the request for consultations). Flexibility percentages of application to the specific limit are to reflect relevant MFA provisions. For India and Indonesia, fixed percentages have been provided for growth (6%), swing (7% for India, 5% for Indonesia), carry-over/carry-forward (10(5)% for India, 7(5)% for Indonesia), and, for India, combined flexibility has been limited to 15%.

Consultation Levels:

The restraint arrangements with the People's Republic of China and Bulgaria contain consultation levels in addition to restraint levels.

Under the arrangement with Bulgaria, the Canadian Government may request restraint consultations on clothing items subject to consultation levels whenever, in the view of the Canadian Government, conditions in the Canadian market are such that a limitation on further trade in any such products may be necessary to eliminate real risk of market disruption. The Canadian Government will not seek such consultations until imports reach at least the respective consultation levels during any one specific restraint period. Until a mutually-satisfactory conclusion is reached, the Bulgarian Government will, if