

Table 4

## ANTICIPATED EFFECTS OF FREE TRADE - AGGREGATE RESULTS

PERCENTAGE SAYING  
SOMEWHAT LIKELY/VERY LIKELY

	<u>August</u> %	<u>October</u> %	Nov./Dec.		
			<u>I</u> %	<u>II</u> %	<u>III</u> %
Whether Canada and the U.S. will become more similar in many ways	82	79	77	78	80
Whether we will be able to maintain current government programs such as UI and health insurance	66	72	69	67	71
Whether American influence on our books, magazines, films and other parts of our culture will increase	72	71	68	71	68
Whether prices for most consumer goods in Canada will generally be lower	66	71	66	69	71
Whether the Canadian automobile industry will lose jobs to the U.S.	66	--	68	66	60
Whether our economy will become so closely tied to the U.S. economy that we will gradually lose our ability to make our own decisions	68	63	64	63	59
Whether the U.S. will keep to the terms of the agreement	54	60	52	53	58
Whether governments will be restricted in how much help they are allowed to give to Canadian businesses in poorer regions of the country	70	59	62	59	56
Whether overall there will be more jobs gained than lost in Canada	54	51	47	50	51