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17. Over the next 3 years, do you think Canada will become more competitive, less competitive, or remain about the same?

	TOTAL	REGION						AGE			SEX		MARITAL STATUS		
		B.C.	Alta.	Man/ Sask	Ont.	Que.	Atl.	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female	Single	Mar- ried	Div./ Widow
BASE=ALL RESPONDENTS	(1500)	(172)	(138)	(124)	(539)	(390)	(137)	(590)	(580)	(325)	(736)	(764)	(349)	(955)	(192)
HAS CANADA BECOME MORE COMPETITIVE															
More competitive	29.7%	33.1%	31.2%	19.4%	26.9%	32.1%	38.0%	34.4%	27.4%	25.5%	30.6%	28.9%	33.0%	28.6%	30.2%
Less competitive	17.5%	15.7%	10.9%	20.2%	23.6%	13.1%	12.4%	12.4%	20.7%	20.9%	19.7%	15.3%	16.0%	18.3%	15.6%
Remain about the same	47.3%	45.3%	50.7%	57.3%	44.2%	50.0%	42.3%	48.8%	46.0%	46.8%	47.6%	47.1%	46.1%	48.4%	44.3%
(DK/NS)	5.5%	5.8%	7.2%	3.2%	5.4%	4.9%	7.3%	4.4%	5.9%	6.8%	2.2%	8.6%	4.9%	4.7%	9.9%
WILL CANADA BECOME MORE COMPETITIVE															
More competitive	44.7%	48.3%	50.7%	35.5%	43.6%	44.6%	46.7%	49.2%	42.9%	39.1%	43.1%	46.2%	46.7%	43.8%	45.3%
Less competitive	14.1%	15.7%	8.7%	18.5%	18.7%	9.0%	9.5%	11.9%	15.2%	16.0%	16.7%	11.5%	12.6%	15.0%	12.0%
Remain about the same	34.6%	33.7%	35.5%	41.9%	30.1%	38.2%	35.8%	34.1%	35.2%	35.1%	35.1%	34.2%	34.4%	34.8%	34.9%
(DK/NS)	6.7%	2.3%	5.1%	4.0%	7.6%	8.2%	8.0%	4.9%	6.7%	9.8%	5.2%	8.1%	6.3%	6.5%	7.8%