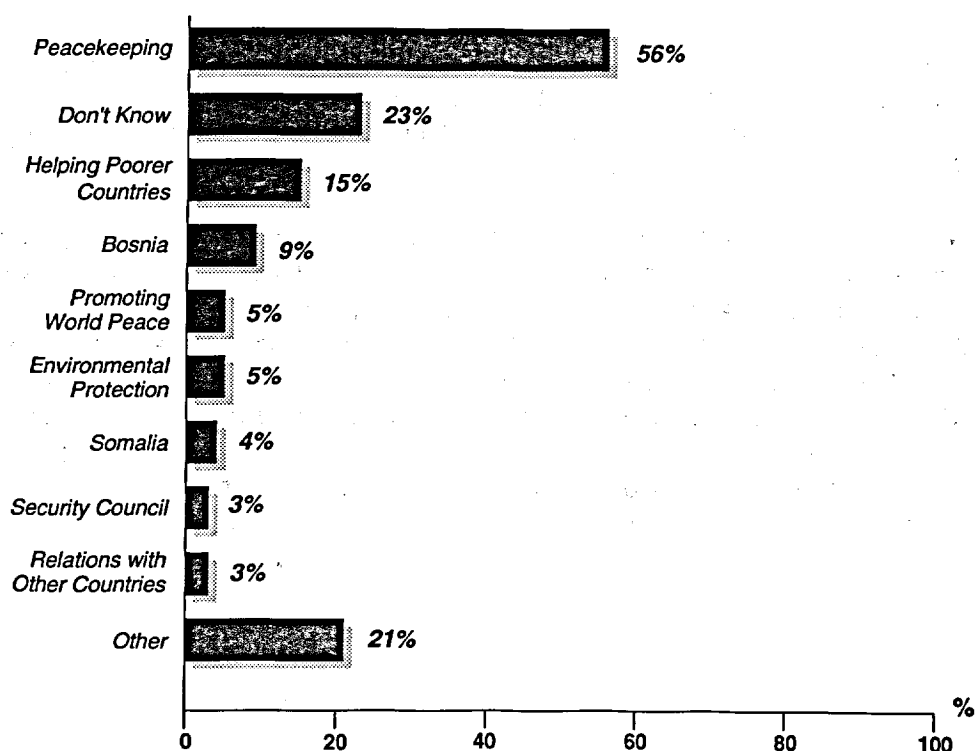


Over one half of Canadians (56%) see peacekeeping as Canada's major contribution to the activities of the United Nations. Assistance to poorer countries (15%) and operations in Bosnia (9%) are the only other UN activities identified by more than 5% of Canadians.

Figure 19

Recall of Canada's U.N. Activities¹³
(Multiple Responses Allowed)



It is perhaps interesting to note that the Canadian involvement in UN operations in Rwanda (1%) is mentioned by fewer Canadians than either Somalia (4%) or Bosnia (9%). Regardless of their level of familiarity with the UN, peacekeeping remains the dominant UN activity in the minds of Canadians.

¹³ Respondents were allowed to make more than one response to this question. Because of this multiple response, the percentages add up to more than 100 percent. As well, for respondents who gave one response, such as peacekeeping, then replied that they didn't know of any other activities, only the first response was counted. This procedure was adopted to ensure that the percentage of Canadians who responded "Don't Know" would not be artificially inflated.