

ASK EVERYONE:

27. People have been making a number of different statements recently about the GATT. I'm going to read you some of these statements. For each statement, I'd like you to tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree. (READ AND ROTATE FROM X)

	<u>Strongly</u> <u>Agree</u>	<u>Somewhat</u> <u>Agree</u>	<u>Somewhat</u> <u>Disagree</u>	<u>Strongly</u> <u>Disagree</u>	(DK/ NS)
— a. A GATT agreement will be good for Canadian consumers because it will lower the price of chicken, eggs, and milk.....	15	31	22	15	18
— b. A GATT agreement will hurt Canadian farmers because it threatens their marketing boards for chicken, eggs and milk.....	35	32	12	6	15
— c. A GATT agreement will help Canadian grain farmers because it opens up world m a r k e t s f o r C a n a d i a n exports.....	21	41	14	8	17
— d. A GATT agreement will help create jobs in the Canadian food processing sector.....	9	34	24	12	21
— e. There will be an increase in the cost of prescription drugs for Canadian consumers if Canada signs the GATT.....	9	20	20	11	40

END ROTATION

28. Some people say that in order to get the best deal possible for Canadians, the government must be able to negotiate trade agreements in private, drawing on expert advice from the provinces and industry, so that other countries' negotiators don't find out the details of Canada's negotiating position.

Other people say that because trade agreements like GATT affect all Canadians, the government should provide Canadians with the details of their negotiating position.

Which point of view is closest to your own?

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