

Factor 5

ALL OUT FREE TRADE PROPONENTS

<u>PROPOSITION</u>	<u>FACTOR LOADING</u>	<u>EXCLUSIVE/SHARED</u>
Without free trade, Americans will increase tariffs	.752	exclusive
Americans will make it more difficult for Canadian exports	.747	exclusive
Those opposed, lack confidence in Canada	.464	shared

These Canadians exhibit no skepticism or qualms about entering into a free trade agreement with the United States. In fact, they forecast a more difficult trading relationship between Canada and the United States if an agreement is not reached and attribute this to a trend toward increasing protectionism by the U.S. government.

3. The Factors

Tables 18 through 22 present the demographic breakdown of those who comprise the five factor types. This tells us which demographic groups are positively or negatively associated with each of the factors, in other words, who is most likely to fall into each of the groups and where they stand on specific issues.