

Canada and elsewhere. They speak of regional/ethnic rather than global wars, and they speak of the need for unity.¹

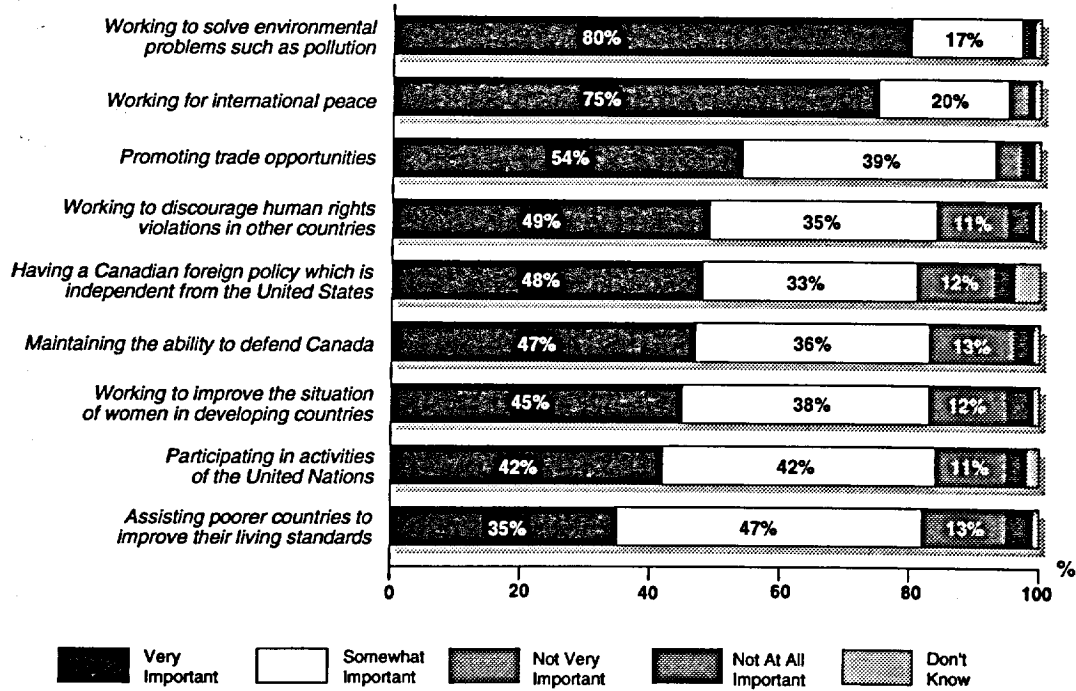
Quebeckers (7%) are less likely than other Canadians (17%) to mention environmental problems, but more likely (18%) than other Canadians (12%) to mention world hunger.

Understandably, Canadians who think it is very likely that the main household income earner will lose his/her job in the coming year are more likely (22%) than other Canadians (9%) to mention unemployment as the most important problem facing the world.

A. Priorities for Canadian Foreign Policy

Canadians place greatest importance on the foreign policy goals of protecting the global environment and pursuing world peace. As Figure 2 shows, these goals are considered important by over 95% of Canadians, most of whom consider these goals very important.

Figure 2
Importance of Canada's International Efforts



¹ Please see the verbatim responses to this open-ended question appended to this report.