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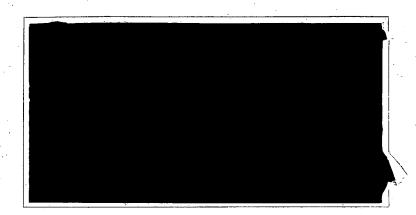
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**DETAILED TABLES** 

Volume 1 - REGIONAL

 First, thinking of the various economic issues facing Canada right now,
 I'd like you to tell me which one requires the most attention from Canada's leaders?

	TOTAL			REG	ON		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
ECONOMIC ISSUES							
Unemployment/ job security/ job							
training	43	34	36	39	50	41	43
National unity	4	5	2	4	3	5	4
Fisheries	1						6
Cross border shopping	1	1	2	1	1		2
GST	1	2	1	2	2	1	1
Taxes	3	2	3	1	5	4	2
Inflation	1			1	1	1	1
Farm industry	ż	1	6	7	1		
Economy	7	8	7	10	4	9	8
Free Trade	9	13	1	7	8	11	6
Deficit	8	15	18	5	6	5	5
International trade	2	2	2	4	2	3	2
Education	1	2	1	•	1	Ō	1
Social programs	ż	3	3	4	ż	ĺ	3
Wage structures	ō	1	1	1	ō	Ò	_
Government/ civic wages and	•	•	•	•	-	-	
pensions	0			2	0	0	
Need a new Government	ő		1	-	1	•	1
Housing	ŏ		•		i		
Healthcare funding	1		2	1	i	0	
Recession	3		1	ģ	5	1	2
Canadian dollar	1	1	•	1	1	•	2
Forestry	ò	2		•	•	0	2
Research and development	0	1		1	0	Ö	
Immigration	ñ	4		•	Ū	ő	
Cost of living	0	4	1		0	1	
Interest rates	1	1	1		1	1	1
	1	'		2	0	1	'
Poverty	'n		4	۷	0	1	
Reserve renewable resources	•		1		Ų	4	
Native land claims	0	1	1		•	1	
Government spending	1	1	1		0	1	
Triple E senate	0		1			_	_
Environment	1		2		1	2	2
Foreign aid	0			1			

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 First, thinking of the various economic issues facing Canada right now,
 I'd like you to tell me which one requires the most attention from Canada's leaders?

	TOTAL	REGION							
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic		
GATT	0				0	0			
Transfer payments to provinces	0				0				
Industries	0				1				
Government/ leadership	0			1					
Nothing	0				0				
Other	0	•		1			1		
(DK/NS)	6	2	8	6	3	9	В		

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- 2. Thinking about the next year or so, do you generally feel that the Canadian economy will improve, stay about the same, or get worse?
- 3a. Overall, would you say the federal government is doing a good or a poor job in terms of managing Canada's economy?
- b. Overall, would you say your provincial government is doing a good or a poor job in terms of managing your provinces' economy?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantio
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
CANADIAN ECONOMY							
Improve	26	23	23	23	32	21	30
Stay the same	41	40	46	38	38	48	30
Get worse	31	35	<b>3</b> 0	33	28	31	38
(DK/NS)	2	2	1	5	2	1	1
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT							
Very good	1	1	1	1	2	0	3
Somewhat good	17	10	19	15	15	22	19
Somewhat poor	37	35	32	33	32	50	28
Very poor	42	52	44	50	49	24	44
(DK/NS)	3	3	5	1	2	4	6
PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT							
Very good	3	3	1	2	3	2	12
Somewhat good	32	34	28	39	26	35	36
Somewhat poor	35	20	40	27	35	43	30
Very poor	23	13	24	18	34	17	16
(DK/NS)	7	31	7	13	2	3	5

4a. A number of commentators have said that Canada is in a recession. I'm going to read you some of the reasons given for the recession, and I'd like you to tell me which one you feel is most responsible for the recession...

#### FIRST MENTION

	TOTAL	REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
MOST RESPONSIBLE										
Free trade agreement with U.S.	23	22	17	30	2B	15	25			
Failure of businesses to anticipat	e									
problems	9	9	7	8	8	12	_6			
The GST	19	21	16	17	16	20	25			
A high Canadian dollar	4	3	3	2	4	5	4			
High interest rates	4	. 1	5	5	4	4	1			
Global economic conditions	15	15	22	16	14	11	19			
Economic slowdown in the U.S	5	9	4	3	5	6	4			
The federal deficit	9	7.	15	6	8	11	4			
Low productivity of Canadian										
businesses	5	2	6	2	3	9	4			
High wages of Canadian workers	7	8	5	9	8	6	5			
Other	1	3		2	1	1	1			
(DK/NS)	0	1		1 ~	0	0	2			

Source: Angus Reid Group

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- 4a. A number of commentators have said that Canada is in a recession. I'm going to read you some of the reasons given for the recession, and I'd like you to tell me which one you feel is most responsible for the recession...
- b. And which reason is the second most responsible...

#### TOTAL MENTION

	TOTAL	REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
Free trade agreement with U.S.	39	37	35	46	45	28	41			
Failure of businesses to anticipate										
problems	18	19	21	15	19	19	13			
The GST	39	40	30	40	36	41	45			
A high Canadian dollar	10	8	5	8	10	13	12			
High interest rates	8	4	9	9	9	8	8			
Global economic conditions	24	28	37	23	24	17	26			
Economic slowdown in the U.S	12	15	13	8	12	12	7			
The federal deficit	16	15	24	13	13	22	11			
Low productivity of Canadian										
businesses	13	10	14	7	10	22	6			
High wages of Canadian workers	15	15	10	16	18	11	15			
Other	4	3	1	6	3	4	5			
(DK/NS)	0	1		1	0	0	2			

Source: Angus Reid Group

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- 5. Have you heard anything recently about the issue of international competitiveness?
- 6. Thinking about Canada's international competitiveness, would you say we are keeping up with other countries such as Japan, Germany, and the United States and competing as well as we should be, or are we falling behind other countries and not competing as well as we should be?

	TOTAL	. REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantio			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVENESS										
Yes	56	<b>6</b> 0	58	54	57	54	53			
No .	43	40	41	45	42	44	47			
(DK/NS)	1		1	1	0	2				
CANADA'S COMPETITIVENESS										
Keeping up	10	9	7	10	11	11	11			
Falling behind	87	88	91	85	87	86	84			
(DK/NS)	3	3	2	6	2	3	5			

7. How committed is the federal government to making Canada more competitive...very committed, somewhat committed, not very committed, or not committed at all?

	TOTAL	AL REGION							
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantio		
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)		
COMMITTED TO COMPETITIVENESS									
Very committed	5	4	3	7	4	7	9		
Somewhat committed	38	36	44	46	41	29	43		
Not very committed	36	36	32	26	33	47	26		
Not committed at all	18	20	14	18	21	16	16		
(DK/NS)	3	4	7	3	1	2	6		

Source: Angus Reid Group

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8. A number of statements have been made about Canada's ability to compete in world markets. Using a 7 point scale where 1 means you Completely Disagree and 7 means that you Agree Completely, how would you rate each of the following statements?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
WORRY WHEN GOVERNMENT TALKS							
Completely disagree	12	13	9	7	13	15	12
2	9	8	8	9	10	9	8
3	13	12	15	16	13	14	10
4	15	15	21	16	15	13	14
5	17	21	15	9	16	19	19
6	12	13	16	14	13	10	12
Completely agree	18	15	15	24	18	19	21
(DK/NS)	2	2	2	5	2	1	6
GOVERNMENT SHOULD TAKE ACTION							•
Completely disagree	11	11	11	11	13	9	14
2 ' '	9	11	9	8	11	6	14
3	13	13	14	11	15	12	8
4	17	13	14	21	17	15	25
5	19	20	24	18	17	22	10
6	10	10	9	10	9	14	8
Completely agree	19	20	17	15	17	23	18
(DK/NS)	2	2	2	7	1	1	4

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	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
GOVERNMENT IS ADEQUATELY							
Completely disagree	23	25	22	19	25	21	22
2	19	20	23	28	17	17	22
3	22	23	23	17	25	19	16
4	16	16	11	9	16	20	23
5	10	4	15	6	10	11	10
6	3	2	3	2	2	5	5
Completely agree	4	6	2	7	3	4	2
(DK/NS)	3	5	3	10	2	4	1
TO ENSURE THAT CANADA'S							
Completely disagree	3	5	4	2	2	4	2
2 ່ ້	2	2	3	3	2	3	3
3	5	6	5	7	5	5	5
4	8	7	9	8	8	12	4
5	19	18	17	20	17	20	20
6	23	22	21	26	23	22	24
Completely agree	37	37	42	31	40	33	39
(DK/NS)	2	3	1	2	2	2	3

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	TOTAL			REG	ION		
:		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
CANADIAN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT							
Completely disagree	2	2	1		2	1	2
2	2	1	3	3	2	1	4
3	3	3	2	3	4	2	2
4	6	10	2	12	5	5	3
5	14	16	13	17	15	13	11
6	22	23	22	21	22	22	25
Completely agree	51	44	57	42	49	56	51
(DK/NS)	1	Ô	-,	2	Ĭ	1	2
GOVERNMENT IS COMMITTED							
Completely disagree	13	12	11	13	17	10	10
2	12	21	10	19	13	8	8
3	18	16	27	17	19	14	19
<u>-</u>	18	21	20	18	17	21	12
5	16	9	12	11	15	23	18
6	8	8	6	6	6	9	15
Completely agree	11	9	10	10	10	13	15
(DK/NS)	3	4	4	6	3	2	. 4

8. A number of statements have been made about Canada's ability to compete in world markets. Using a 7 point scale where 1 means you Completely Disagree and 7 means that you Agree Completely, how would you rate each of the following statements?

#### TOPBOX SCORE SUMMARY TABLE (6 & 7)

	TOTAL	AL REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
WORRY WHEN GOVERNMENT TALKS	30.8	28.3	30.8	38.5	30.9	28.7	32.5			
GOVERNMENT SHOULD TAKE ACTION	28.9	29.5	25.8	24.8	26.1	36.1	25.6			
GOVERNMENT IS ADEQUATELY	6.8	7.4	4.1	9.0	5.3	8.8	7.0			
TO ENSURE THAT CANADA'S	60.0	58.9	62.8	57.7	63.1	54.9	63.7			
CANADIAN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT	73.1	67.8	78.9	63.1	71.3	77.6	76.4			
GOVERNMENT IS COMMITTED	18.9	17.0	15.8	15.8	16.1	22.0	29.1			

Source: Angus Reid Group Canadian Trade and Adjustment Study March, 1992

8. A number of statements have been made about Canada's ability to compete in world markets. Using a 7 point scale where 1 means you Completely Disagree and 7 means that you Agree Completely, how would you rate each of the following statements?

### LOWBOX SCORE SUMMARY TABLE (1 & 2)

	TOTAL	REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
WORRY WHEN GOVERNMENT TALKS	21.5	20.9	16.5	15.5	23.0	23.9	20.0			
GOVERNMENT SHOULD TAKE ACTION	20.8	21.7	19.4	18.8	23.9	15.0	28.0			
GOVERNMENT IS ADEQUATELY	42.1	45.3	44.2	47.9	42.0	37.6	43.6			
TO ENSURE THAT CANADA'S	5.6	6.8	6.1	5.4	4.3	6.8	5.4			
CANADIAN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT	3.3	2.7	3.6	3.0	4.0	1.8	5.6			
GOVERNMENT IS COMMITTED	25.5	33.0	20.9	32.0	29.8	18.7	17.8			

Source: Angus Reid Group

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- 9a. Have you heard anything recently about federal government initiatives in the areas of learning and training?
- b. And what have you heard?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
INITIATIVES FOR TRAINING							
Yes	38	30	34	32	38	45	34
No	61	70	66	68	61	53	65
(DK/NS)	1			1	1	1	1
Base=Heard about initiatives	(571)	(51)	(49)	(39)	(204)	(181)	(47)
WHAT WAS HEARD							
Programs to retrain people	46	41	42	35	45	51	48
Limited funding/ cutbacks	6	10	6	8	9	2	
Available courses	2		5	` 3	2	3 3	
Offering learning initiatives	3	5	3	3	3	3	7
Retraining is necessary	2		5		1	2	
Refocus on education	4	2	4	2	3	3	11
TV ad - 'All talk, no action'	1	4	2	2	1	1	
Government sponsored computer							
training programs	3		` 4	5	3	2	9
Local initiatives in healthcare	-						
field	0				0	0	
Pre-school & daycare programs	Ŏ			3			
Employers are encouraged to retrain	•			_			
their employees	2				1	3	9
Say they are committed but don't	-				•	-	-
put forth new programs	3		3	5	4	3	3
Does little to encourage private	-		•	_	•	-	-
sector to create jobs	1	4			1		
Emphasis on technical studies in	•	•			•		
school	1		2	3	2	1	
	'			<b>J</b>	-	•	
Hard for people to adapt to	0				1		
different job retraining	-	0	4		5	12	5
Programs for the unemployed	7	9	6		3	1	,
Immigrants are retrained	2	3	4	-	-	1	7
Stay in school and graduate	1	3		3	1	40	3
Retraining is funded by UIC	7	15	4		6	10	

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Source: Angus Reid Group

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- 9a. Have you heard anything recently about federal government initiatives in the areas of learning and training?
- b. And what have you heard?

	TOTAL	-		REG	ON		
		British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
People on welfare can apply for							
government loans	0	2				0	
Program for people to start their	•	_				•	
own business	n	3					1
Tax breaks to businesses for	•	,					
retraining workers	2		4		3	3	
More training - more jobs	ō		-		1	Ō	
Push for literacy in workforce	1		2		i	-	
Job placement programs	'n	2	_		1		
Inefficient administration programs	1	2		3	•	1	
Putting more money into job	'	_		•		·	
creation and training	5			3	5	10	1
Women's programs	í		. 2	•	1		3
French immersion	ò		2			1	
Apprenticeship programs	1		2		1	0	3
Training is not helping people find	•		_				
iobs	1			3	0	2	
Only heard about provincial not	•			_			
federal	1			2	1	1	
Trainees taking away college spots							
from high school students	0						3
Union & management holding seminars	-						
on becoming competitive	0				1		
Nothing	1		2	5	1		2
Other	2				4		
(DK/NS)	10	11	10	20	6	14	9

- 10a. If you personally became unemployed, how easy do you think it would be to gain access to federal government adjustment programs that would ease your transition back to work...very easy, somewhat easy, not very easy, not easy at all?
  - b. Why do you say that it would not be easy?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		_
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlanti
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
EASE OF TRANSITION							
Very easy	4	4	3	5	3	6	1
Somewhat easy	19	16	15	16	19	24	14
Not very easy	30	25	32	24	32	32	31
Not easy at all	39	44	42	47	38	30	49
(DK/NS)	8	11	9	9	9	8	5
Base=Not easy	(1041)	(117)	(105)	(88)	(372)	(248)	(111)
REASONS							
No jobs available	13	6	11	13	10	19	20
Too much unemployment	16	18	13	16	17	15	17
Age - too old	16	14	11	18	16	20	11
Retraining is costly	6	6	13	2	7	3	8
Ineffective	12	19	7	7	13	12	14
Previous experience	5	6	4	8	4	4	8
Bureacracy/ programs hard to get							
into	12	18	14	9	13	12	6
Don't know how to get into programs		2	3	4	8	2	1
Not offered in english	Ó	_	_		1		
Transition will be impossible	4	1	5	4	3	8	6
Common knowledge	1	i	1	3	1	1	
Not enough information available	5	4	4	2	6	5	4
They cater more to minorities	ź	1	í	4	4	1	
Discrimination to expired UIC	-	•	•	•	•	•	
payments by UIC office	1		1	1	1	1	1
Long waiting lists	3	8	3	•	3	4	•
Inconvenient locations	2	2	4		1	3	5
Difficult to obtain grants	Ō	_	2		ò	Õ	1
	J		L		•	•	•
Would have better adjustment with		1	1		0	1	1
provincial programs	1	I	1	5	4	5	2
Hard to meet qualifications	3			. 7	4	,	2

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- 10a. If you personally became unemployed, how easy do you think it would be to gain access to federal government adjustment programs that would ease your transition back to work...very easy, somewhat easy, not very easy, not easy at all?
- b. Why do you say that it would not be easy?

	TOTAL	REGION								
		British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Cools spents buying - no										
People aren't buying - no production, no employment	0			1		0				
Retraining acceptance impossible if			_	_	_	_				
overqualified	3	1	7	2	2	בַ	1			
lot much education	1	2	1		1	2	1			
Federal government is behind the										
times	1	1			1	1				
Government thinks unions don't need										
help	0				0					
Word of mouth	1		1		0	1	1			
The school system	'n		•		•	Ó	1			
Other	ň			1	0	Ŏ	•			
(DK/NS)	,		2	ò	2	5	4			

Source: Angus Reid Group

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- 11. And how easy do you think it would be to gain access to provincial government adjustment programs that would ease your transition back to work...very easy, somewhat easy, not very easy, not easy at all?
- 12. Some people say that if Canadians had stronger job skills along with access to world markets, We would prosper and the problem of unemployment would decline on its own. Other people say that we will always have high unemployment in Canada because of the weaknesses in some of our regional economies. Which statement is closest to your own point of view?

	TOTAL	TOTAL REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
ACCESS TO PROVINCIAL PROGRAMS							_			
Very easy	4	4	2	5	4	4	1			
Somewhat easy	26	26	24	26	28	26	24			
Not very easy	31	32	33	33	29	33	30			
Not easy at all	26	21	28	27	25	26	32			
(DK/NS)	13	17	13	9	14	11	13			
JOB SKILLS/ UNEMPLOYMENT										
Stronger job skills	48	53	43	47	52	43	48			
Always have unemployment	48	41	55	47	44	52	48			
(DK/NS)	4	6	2	6	3	5	4			

13. I'm going to read you some statements on employment in Canada. For each statement, I'd like you to tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree.

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
GOOD JOB HELPING OLDER WORKERS							
Strongly agree	3	2		3	3	3	1
SomeWhat agree	14	6	12	17	14	15	17
Somewhat disagree	27	25	28	26	24	32	23
Strongly disagree	46	53	48	42	50	41 .	43
(DK/NS)	11	14	11	12	9	9	16
CANADIAN BUSINESSES SHOULD BE INVOLVED IN RETRAINING							
Strongly agree	41	33	41	40	40	44	50
Somewhat agree	39	48	40	38	37	40	31
Somewhat disagree	12	9	11	14	15	11	14
Strongly disagree	6	6	5 <b>3</b>	6	7	4	5
(DK/NS)	2	6 <b>3</b>	3	2	2	2	
UNEMPLOYED BECAUSE OF ILLITERACY							
Strongly agree	27	27	29	28	26	28	28
Somewhat agree	35	<b>3</b> 5	33	31	34	37	35
Somewhat disagree	23	23	26	24	20	26	19
Strongly disagree	12	10	7	14	18	8	14
(DK/NS)	3	5	4	3	2	1	4

13. I'm going to read you some statements on employment in Canada. For each statement, I'd like you to tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree.

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
POSITIONS UNFILLED BECAUSE OF LACK OF TRAINING							
Strongly agree	29	26	33	30	28	31	26
Somewhat agree	33	40	31	25	32	35	35
Somewhat disagree	20	18	23	22	18	22	16
Strongly disagree	16	12	11	21	20	11	19
(DK/NS)	2	3	2	3	1	1	5
SPECIAL TRAINING FOR MINORITIES,							
Strongly agree	22	23	22	17	22	21	24
Somewhat agree	32	31	40	40	29	33	26
Somewhat disagree	23	23	20	17	24	24	27
Strongly disagree	22	22	17	25	24	21	22
(DK/NS)	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
ENCOURAGE UNEMPLOYED TO MOVE TO WHERE THERE ARE JOBS							
Strongly agree	29	31	20	22	30	35	23
Somewhat agree	37	40	43	<b>3</b> 5	36	36	36
Somewhat disagree	17	20	20	25	14	16	16
Strongly disagree	16	10	15	19	19	13	23
(DK/NS)	1		2		2	0	3

13. I'm going to read you some statements on employment in Canada. For each statement, I'd like you to tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree.

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
CREATE RIGHT CLIMATE FOR PRIVATE JOB CREATION							
	52	52	49	47	56	49	48
Strongly agree Somewhat agree	32	28	37	28	27	38	33
Somewhat disagree	9	15	8	11	-:	10	9
	5	3	4	9	6	2	5 5
Strongly disagree (DK/NS)	3	2	í	6	3	1	5
WOULD MOVE TO WHERE JOBS ARE IF UNEMPLOYED Strongly agree Somewhat agree Somewhat disagree Strongly disagree (DK/NS)	35 29 15 20 1	42 24 14 19	39 30 17 15	33 33 10 20 3	39 26 14 20 1	27 31 18 23 0	36 31 12 20 2
EMPLOYEES/ MANAGEMENT SHOULD BE RESPONSIBLE FOR OWN TRAINING			•				
Strongly agree	39	44	34	42	38	40	36
Somewhat agree	40	39	44	37	39	40	44
Somewhat disagree	14	10	17	13	15	12	14
Strongly disagree	6	7	4	5 2	7	6	4
(DK/NS)	1	1	1	2	1	2	2

13. I'm going to read you some statements on employment in Canada. For each statement, I'd like you to tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree.

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
UNEMPLOYED WILL NOT FIND JOBS							
UNLESS TRAINED FIRST	77	33	28	35	33	32	34
Strongly agree	33	_		35 35	36	37	44
Somewhat agree	38	44	37			23	15
Somewhat disagree	20	13	29	19	20		
Strongly disagree	7	9	5	7	9	6	4 3
(DK/NS)	2	2	1	. 4	2	2	3
TOO FEW JOBS, TRAINING WILL NOT HELP							
Strongly agree	22	12	11	24	24	25	30
Somewhat agree	27	25	27	34	25	26	33
Somewhat disagree	29	35	39	22	27	31	23
Strongly disagree	20	27	21	17	22	17	13
(DK/NS)	1	1	1	4	2	1	1

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13. I'm going to read you some statements on employment in Canada. For each statement, I'd like you to tell me if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree.

	TOTAL	TOTAL REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
ALLOW RETRAINING WHILE PEOPL	E ARE									
ON WELFARE		<b>5</b> /	F 2	E 7	57	52	58			
Strongly agree	55	56	52	57 7/	30	33	32			
Somewhat agree	32	32	37	34		33 10	32 4			
Somewhat disagree	6	5	5	3	4					
Strongly disagree	6	6	5	4	8 2	5	4			
(DK/NS)	1	1	1	2	2	1	2			
SOME LOST JOBS WILL NEVER CO	ME BACK									
Strongly agree	43	39	43	40	53	30	45			
Somewhat agree	37	36	43	35	32	42	36			
Somewhat disagree	13	15	11	14	8	20	11			
Strongly disagree	4	5	1	7	4	5	3			
(DK/NS)	3	5	2	5	3	4	4			

- 14. Who do you see as having the greatest responsibility for helping Canadians adjust that is to adapt to changes in the global economy?
- 15a. Do you feel that the federal government is doing a very good job, a good job, a poor job, or a very poor job in helping Canadians adjust to changes in the global economy?

	TOTAL	TAL REGION								
		British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
GREATEST RESPONSIBILITY										
The federal government	39	44	43	45	40	29	48			
The provincial governments	13	16	8	9	9	21	6			
Businesses	25	22	28	27	27	25	20			
Unions	6	4	5	6	5	8	4			
Other .	11	8	8	10	13	12	14			
(DK/NS)	6	6	8	4	5	6	8			
ADJUST TO CHANGES										
A very good job	1	0	1	1	1	1	4			
A good job	17	7	15	18	13	27	17			
A poor job	49	55	47	50	50	46	46			
A very poor job	29	34	32	29	33	19	29			
(DK/NS)	5	5	5	3	3	8	3			

Source: Angus Reid Group

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15b. And why do you say that?

	TOTAL			REG	ON		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlanti
ADJUST TO CHANGES							
A very good job							
Base:	18	1	1	1	7	3	6
Doing everything they can/ good							
iob	20			100	26		14
Retraining people	8					28	12
Free Trade Agreement	5		100				
Has ability to mitigate harsh	•						
economic conditions	8				21		
Try to show some fiscal	J						
responsibility	5				13		
	,						
Getting productivity and	4	100					
competition message across		100			21		25
State of economy	16 7				19		23
Raising taxes/ GST	-				21		
Other	8				21	72	49
(DK/NS)	27					12	77
A good job						-	
Base:	254	11	22	22	68	107	24
Doing everything they can/ good							
job	37	40	41	28	38	32	57
Government grants to companies	6	6		9	3	10	
Retraining people	16	_	16	13	9	23	13
Job creation	7	18	21		6	5	3
Free Trade Agreement	4	10			2	3	15
Our standard of living is higher	•				_	_	
than the U.S.	0				1		
	U						
Incentive for workers who	1				2	1	
relocate	1				2	1	
Has ability to mitigate harsh	^				1		
economic conditions	0				1		
Try to show some fiscal	_		_		_	•	
responsibility	3	11	5	4	5	2	
Getting productivity and				_		_	
competition message across	2			5		3	

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15b. And why do you say that?

	TOTAL	REGION							
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlanti		
Making people aware of problems	3	8			1	5	3		
Pushing for better education	1	•			i	1	_		
Not up to government, up to	•				•	•			
individual	4		10	5	10	1			
Promoting good relations with	7			-		-			
other countries	2		10			2			
	2		5	4	3	ī			
State of economy	_		,	-	•	•			
Showing involvement in softwood	0				1				
industry	3			5	ż	5			
International competitiveness	3			,	_	•			
Canad not as bad off as other				4	1	1			
countries	1 0			-	•	•			
Encourage people to recycle	U				•				
Government involved in research	_					4			
and development	2					4			
Encouraging some business	•				1				
programs through tax breaks	0				1				
Restructuring	0				4	1			
Not doing anything	1				4	'			
Government doesn't have much	•		,						
control in global economy	0		4						
Not enough programs available	0	6			-				
Poor economy	1				3		7		
Not creating jobs	0						3		
Too much attention on				_	_				
Constitution	1			6	1				
No initiatives for businesses	1				3				
Government spending	0				1				
Finances are limited	0				1				
Government does what it feels				_					
like	0			5					
Not targeting right group/ need					_				
to target education	0				1				
Low dollar value	0				1				
Mislead as to what real problems									
are	0				1				
Have not lived up to promises	0			5					
Everyone's general negative									
attitude	0					1			
Other	1		5			1			

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15b. And why do you say that?

	TOTAL			REGI	EGION						
		British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlanti				
(DK/NS)	10	13	9	19	8	9	9				
poor job											
Base:	737	93	67	62	270	183	63				
Government grants to companies	0		1								
Retraining people	0				0						
Job creation	0			2			-				
Free Trade Agreement	0						2				
Not up to government, up to											
individual	0			1	0						
Restructuring	0				0						
Not doing anything	25	27	24	34	24	24	19				
Government doesn't have much											
control in global economy	2	3			3		2				
High interest rates	0		1	2	0						
Not enough programs available	11	15	17	2	13	9	10				
Poor economy	11	5	12	9	- 11	14	6				
Not helping Canada be more					•						
competitive	3	3	4	5	2	3	2				
Free trade/ gave in to States	7	3	1	5	9	9	7				
Not creating jobs	18	11	11	16	19	25	10				
Too much attention on											
Constitution	4	1	1	2	4	8	3				
No initiatives for businesses	7	9	9	6	8	5	3				
Not telling us the truth	5	4	7	3	3	5	10				
Government spending	4	7	5	5	3	4	5				
Finances are limited	1	3		2	1		1				
Government scared to take a stand	1	1	4		1	1	2				
Policies not in sync with actions	1			3	0	2					
No research & development	1			1	1	2					
Government does what it feels	•										
like	2		2	3	0	3	5				
Ignoring ordinary individuals	5	5	9	8	4	3	8				
Don't encourage people to look	-	-	•	_	•						
beyond their future	1		1	3	2		3				
Raising taxes/ GST	6	9	ż	2	6	7	3				
Not targeting right group/ need	3	•	-	-	-	•	_				
	1	1			2	1	4				
to target education	1	ı			2	'	•				

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15b. And why do you say that?

	TOTAL			REG	ON			
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlanti	
Low dollar value	1	1			1		1	
	'n	1			Ó		1	
Not helping farmers	U	•			Ū		•	
Federal government not	0	1			0		1	
cooperating with provincial	U	1			U		•	
Mislead as to what real problems	_	•	•		4	2	3	
are	2	2	2	1	1	2 3	5	
No leadership	2	2	2		0	3	)	
Inability to predict long term					_	_		
view	1	1		1	1	3		
Not enough government assistance				_	_			
while being trained	1	3		2	0		_	
Cutbacks in social programs	1					3	1	
Not considering diversity of								
resources	0		1					
Canadians not adjusting/	_							
government not helping	1	1			2	1		
Have not lived up to promises	i	•			1	2		
Too much government interference	ò	1			Ó			
Ignorance of world wide economy	ŏ	ż						
Eliminating middle class	Õ	_			0			
Not aware of what is going on in	Ū				•			
	1		2		1	0	2	
country	,		~		•	•	_	
Government/ people were not	2	1	3		4		1	
prepared for rapid change	2	ı	9		-		•	
More concern for big business				1	1	1		
rather than little guy	1	1		'		1		
Everyone's general negative	_							
attitude	0				1			
Government not taking care of								
internal problems	0				_	1		
Nothing	0				0		_	
Other	1				1	_	2	
(DK/NS)	4	3	3	9	5	4	3	
A very poor job								
Base:	430	57	46	36	175	76	41	
Not up to government, up to	^		2					
individual	0		2					

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15b. And why do you say that?

	TOTAL		REGION						
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlanti		
Not doing anything	26	33	25	22	30	16	25		
Government doesn't have much	LU								
control in global economy	1			4	1		2		
High interest rates	i			•	i				
	11	9	19	14	ġ	7	14		
Not enough programs available	11	7	7	3	12	23	13		
Poor economy	11		,	3	12	23	,,,		
Not helping Canada be more	_	-	_		4	1			
competitive	2	5	2	-	1	13			
Free trade/ gave in to States	7	7	2	3	8		30		
Not creating jobs	20	17	14	14	19	26	30		
Too much attention on	_	_		_	_	•	-		
Constitution	6	5	_	3	8	9	3		
No initiatives for businesses	6		4	12	7	3	9		
Not telling us the truth	5	3	6	18	3	4	2		
Government spending	5	7	5	8	2	8	4		
Finances are limited	1	3		3					
Government scared to take a stand	1	2			2	_			
Policies not in sync With actions	1	1		2		2	2		
No research & development	1				1	2			
Government does what it feels									
like	4	2	5	2	3	5	4		
Ignoring ordinary individuals	4	4	2		5	4	6		
Don't encourage people to look									
beyond their future	1	2					5		
Raising taxes/ GST	7	7	4	2	7	12	9		
Not targeting right group/ need	•								
to target education	2	2	4	3	1	3			
Low dollar value	ō	_	•	_	1				
Not helping farmers	ŏ			3	•	1			
Federal government not	· ·			-		•			
cooperating with provincial	1	2			1		4		
Mistead as to what real problems	•		-		•		•		
	1	1			1		2		
are	1	'		5	2		_		
No leadership	1			,	۷.				
Inability to predict long term	^					1			
view	0					1			
Not enough government assistance		-	•						
while being trained	1	3	2		7				
Cutbacks in social programs	0	1							

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15b. And why do you say that?

	TOTAL	TOTAL REGION							
		British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic		
Not considering diversity of									
resources	0	.2			1				
Canadians not adjusting/	_	_							
government not helping	1			3	1				
Have not lived up to promises	3	4	12		2	1			
Ignorance of world wide economy	Ō				0				
Eliminating middle class	0		2			1			
Not aware of what is going on in									
country	2	2			3		4		
Government/ people were not									
prepared for rapid change	1	1	6		2				
More concern for big business									
rather than little guy	0					2			
Government not taking care of									
internal problems	0					1			
Other	0	1	2	_		-	_		
(DK/NS)	4		10	8	4	3	3		

Source: Angus Reid Group Canadian Trade and Adjustment Study March, 1992

16. Some people say that the federal government should be concentrating on developing the skills of Canadian workers, in order to provide for Canada's long-term economic future. Other people say that given the current economic situation, we need less emphasis on training and more on short-term measures to get people back to work. Which point of view is closest to your own?

	TOTAL	TOTAL REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
ECONOMIC FUTURE										
Long-term	63	67	76	56	62	59	70			
Short-term	33	29	20	35	35	39	23			
(DK/NS)	4	3	3	9	3	2	7			

Source: Angus Reid Group

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17. Some people say that unemployment insurance is strictly an insurance program, like householder or auto insurance, and that the funds should only be used to provide income support in case of job loss. Other people say that there should be more emphasis on using unemployment insurance money to fund training for unemployed workers. Which statement is closest to your own point of view?

	TOTAL	TOTAL REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE Income supplement Training (DK/NS)	41 55 4	42 56 2	43 55 2	51 43 6	43 54 3	35 62 4	40 54 5			

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24. Some people say the best way to ensure that Canada is competitive in the international marketplace is to provide our workers with stronger job skills through training. Other people say that no matter how skilled our workers are, Canada will never be competitive in the international marketplace because our competitors have low-wage economies. Which view is closest to your own?

•	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
STRONGER JOB SKILLS	40	45		<b>42</b>	40	.,	/E
Skills through training	62	62	58	62	60	64	65
Never be competitive	35	33	40	33	37	33	32
(DK/NS)	3	5	1	5	3	3	4

25. Have you ever heard of the GATT, or General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade?

26a. Have you seen, heard, or read anything recently about the GATT?

26b. What do you remember most from what you saw, heard or read?

26c. And do you consider... to be a good or bad thing?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantio
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
HEARD ABOUT GATT							
Yes	73	76	74	79	72	74	62
No	27	24	26	20	28	26	36
(DK/NS)	0			1	0	1	1
HEARD ANYTHING RECENTLY							
Yes	52	50	47	46	50	62	46
No	47	50	53	54	50	37	54
(DK/NS)	0		1		0	1	
Base=Heard about GATT recently	(790)	(85)	(66)	(58)	(268)	(249)	(64)
RECALL							
Farmers! Marketing boards							
threatened	47	37	56	43	50	47	45
Drug issues	0				0		
Lowering of tariff barriers in							
general	9	10	8	10	9	10	7
Better export market for grains	6	6	12	8	3	8	
More imports to Canada	2		2		4	3	
Improved trading relations	5	8	3	8	6	2	7
Other	19	26	12	20	19	16	26
(DK/NS)	12	14	7	11	9	14	15
CONSIDER IT							
Good	31	39	30	21	34	27	32
Bad	42	42	42	51	43	41	38
Neither good nor bad	6	4	7	8	7	6	8
(DK/NS)	20	15	21	19	16	26	22

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.

	TOTAL	TOTAL REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantio			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
GOOD FOR CANADIAN CONSUMER	C									
Strongly agree	15	14	11	10	14	18	14			
Somewhat agree	31	36	34	27	27	33	<b>3</b> 5			
Somewhat disagree	22	20	24	21	21	24	21			
Strongly disagree	15	14	17	22	16	13	9			
(DK/NS)	18	16	15	19	22	12	21			
HURT CANADIAN FARMERS		• •								
Strongly agree	. 35	38	<b>3</b> 5	37	38	29	34			
Somewhat agree	32	36	32	25	29	37	35			
Somewhat disagree	12	9	15	11	10	16	8			
Strongly disagree	6	3	4	8	5	7	6			
(DK/NS)	15	14	14	19	17	12	17			
HELP CANADIAN GRAIN FARMERS										
Strongly agree	21	23	18	24	23	21	15			
Somewhat agree	41	39	44	35	37	45	44			
Somewhat disagree	14	13	16	15	14	15	10			
Strongly disagree	8	9	8	8	8	6 -	8			
(DK/NS)	17	16	14	18	18	13	23			

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.

	TOTAL	AL REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlanti			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
HELP CREATE FOOD PROCESSING	JOBS									
Strongly agree	9	7	6	13	9	11	10			
Somewhat agree	34	33	44	24	33	35	34			
Somewhat disagree	24	30	21	26	22	24	26			
Strongly disagree	12	10	14	13	10	13	11			
(DK/NS)	21	20	16	24	26	17	20			
INCREASE COST OF PRESCRIPTION	N DRUGS									
Strongly agree	9	9	7	11	11	7	10			
Somewhat agree	20	18	24	18	21	17	22			
Somewhat disagree	20	21	21	20	- 16	25	22			
Strongly disagree	11	7	6	9	9	18	8			
(DK/NS)	40	45	42	41	44	33	38			

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?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
NEGOTIATE TRADE AGREEMENTS							
In private	21	18	22	. 20	23	20	13
Provide details	77	80	75	79	74	77	80
(DK/NS)	3	2	3	1	2	3	7

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- 29. On balance, would you say that Canada's family farmers will be better or worse off if an agreement is reached on the GATT?
- 30. And, on balance, would you say that Canada will have more or fewer jobs if an agreement is reached on the GATT?
- 31. And, overall, would you say you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose Canada signing the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, or GATT?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
CANADIAN FARMERS							
Better off	31	33	38	39	26	35	25
Worse off	44	44	40	35	47	43	44
(No difference - volunteered)	5	4	7	5	5	5	3
(DK/NS)	20	20	16	20	22	17	28
JOBS							
More jobs	34	34	35	37	33	35	32
Fewer jobs	36	39	41	36	34	36	39
(No impact - volunteered)	7	5	8	5	6	11	5
(DK/NS)	23	23	17	22	28	18	25
SUPPORT FOR GATT							
Strongly support	12	10	10	14	13	12	7
Somewhat support	39	43	38	31	39	41	38
Somewhat oppose	19	19	21	26	16	19	22
Strongly oppose	12	10	14	11	11	15	12
(DK/NS)	18	18	17	19	21	14	22

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- 32. And, turning to the issue of free trade between Canada and the United States, how informed would you say you are in terms of developments related to Canada-U.S. free trade...very informed, somewhat informed, not very informed, or not informed at all?
- 33. The Canada-U.S. Free Trade Agreement has now been in effect for over three years. Generally speaking, would you say that, up until today, having the Free Trade Agreement with the United States has benefitted Canada, has hurt Canada, or do you think it hasn't really had any impact one way or the other?

	TOTAL	OTAL REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
INFORMED										
Very informed	5	5	3	4	8	3	4			
Somewhat informed	50	53	55	57	61	27	57			
Not very informed	35	37	38	30	24	52	27			
Not informed at all	9	4	3	9	6	18	10			
(DK/NS)	1		2	1	0	0	2			
FREE TRADE AGREEMENT										
Benefitted Canada	6	6	8	3	7	6	. 5			
Hurt Canada	72	71	68	77	81	60	74			
No impact	19	21	21	17	11	30	17			
(DK/NS)	3	1	3	3	1	4	5			

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- 34. What about the long-term effects of free trade? Do you think that in the long run, the Free Trade Agreement will benefit Canada, will hurt Canada, or will have no impact one way or the other?
- 35a. A number of people have said they've changed their mind about free trade over the last year from believing that the long-term effects of free trade would benefit Canada, to now thinking that it will hurt Canada. Are you one of these people?
  - b. Why?

	TOTAL			REG	I ON		
		British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantio
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
LONG TERM EFFECTS OF AGREEMENT							
Benefit Canada	31	24	35	24	34	31	30
Hurt Canada	55	66	55	59	55	49	56
No impact	9	6	5	13	7	14	8
(DK/NS)	5	4	4	4	5	7	6
Base=Free trade will hurt Canada	(828)	(111)	(78)	(73)	(293)	(194)	(78)
CHANGED MIND - AGREEMENT WILL HURT CANADA							
Yes	47	52	51	53	36	56	50
No	52	48	47	46	63	44	50
(DK/NS)	0		2	1	1		
Base=Changed mind about Free Trade	(391)	(58)	(40)	(39)	(106)	(109)	(39)
REASONS							
Products can be made cheaper in							
U.S.	4		8	9	4	3	2
Softwood dispute	11	8	9	2	5	24	4
Loss of jobs	15	6	19	11	24	12	8
Relocation by businesses to U.S.	19	14	25	14	38	5	15
Too much cross border shopping	6	6	13	5	3	5	10
Bad for farmers	1			3		1	2
U.S. too strong for Canada	13	18	16	12	14	12	6
Only benefits the U.S.	18	22	16	23	7	25	19
Tariffs	8	12	8	7	5	11	4
Observed for self	3	5		3	4	1	6
Honda dispute	6	2	6		7	10	2

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- 34. What about the long-term effects of free trade? Do you think that in the long run, the Free Trade Agreement will benefit Canada, will hurt Canada, or will have no impact one way or the other?
- 35a. A number of people have said they've changed their mind about free trade over the last year from believing that the long-term effects of free trade would benefit Canada, to now thinking that it will hurt Canada. Are you one of these people?
  - b. Why?

	TOTAL	REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Company bankruptcies	5	2	3		9	5	4			
Economy has gone downhill	4	2	3		8	3	2			
Not enough study was done before it										
was put in effect	1				2		4			
Only bad things have happened since	4			2	4	7	8			
No obvious benefits yet	8	15	4	8	4	10	2			
No movement of Canadian goods yet	2	1		3		4				
Media reports	1	2			2					
U.S. has not lived up to their part Mexican trade will hurt us even	6		2		7	11	2			
worse	0			2						
Other	1	2					4			
(DK/NS)	3	1	2	8		2	11			

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- 36. Regardless of how you feel about the actual free trade agreement between Canada and the U.S., do you support or oppose the idea of freer trade between Canada and the U.S.?
- 37. Would you say that, in the long-term, more jobs will be created or would you say that more jobs would be lost as a result of the free trade agreement with the United States? Would that be a lot more or a few more?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
SUPPORT IDEA OF FREER TRADE							
Support	57	61	65	53	57	57	49
Oppose .	38	36	32	42	39	38	44
(ĎK/NS)	4	3	3	5	3	5	8
LONG TERM EFFECT ON JOBS							
A lot more jobs created	8	7	8	3	10	5	12
A few more jobs created	20	19	19	14	20	25	15
A few more jobs lost	23	25	26	23	17	33	15
A lot more jobs lost	40	42	40	51	45	27	49
No impact on jobs	3	4	3	3	2	6	2
(DK/NS)	5	3	4	6	5	5	7

38. Generally speaking, do you support or oppose the Free Trade Agreement that was reached between Canada and the United States? Would that be strongly or moderately?

	TOTAL	TAL REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
SUPPORT FOR FREE TRADE AGREEMENT										
Strongly support	7	7	6	5	8	7	6			
Moderately support	30	22	31	20	27	41	32			
Moderately oppose	22	24	27	21	21	23	22			
Strongly oppose	35	39	32	44	41	24	34			
(DK/NS)	5	8	5	10	4	5	6			

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=Oppose Free Trade Agreement	(865)	(108)	(83)	(82)	(327)	(188)	(78)
EXPORTS HAVE INCREASED							
Much more	17	17	23	15	17	15	12
Somewhat more	41	49	38	32	43	39	38
Not very	18	20	22	34	13	17	19
Not at all	21	12	13	17	23	23	27
(DK/NS)	3	1	4	2	3	5	4
SOME BUSINESSES MOVED FACILITIES TO CANADA							
Much more	23	29	24	23	23	19	22
Somewhat more	37	41	38	46	38	31	34
Not very	16	16	19	21	13	18	19
Not at all	21	13	18	10	24	27	20
(DK/NS)	3	2	2	2	3	5	5
DISPUTES DECISIONS REVERSED BY AGREEMENT							
Much more	14	21	9	10	17	12	12
Somewhat more	38	42	48	39	42	25	37
Not very	18	22	24	27	11	23	17
Not at all	23	13	12	17	25	32	28
(DK/NS)	6	3	8	7	5	8	6

	TOTAL	L REGION							
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic		
Base=Oppose Free Trade Agreement	(865)	(108)	(83)	(82)	(327)	(188)	(78)		
FAST, IMPARTIAL DISPUTE SETTLEMENT									
Much more	15	19	9	14	16	15	11		
Somewhat more	39	38	42	40	43	32	41		
Somewhat more Not very	20	22	26	24	15	26	17		
Not at all	22	14	21	20	23	23	28		
(DK/NS)	4	6	1	3	3	4	4		
EXEMPT CANADA FROM U.S. TRADE LEGISLATION									
Much more	11	16	9	9	12	13	4		
Somewhat more	38	44	40	37	40	29	40		
Not very	21	22	25	22	16	25	18		
Not at all	23	15	20	16	25	26	31		
(DK/NS)	7	3	5	16	7	7	6		
INVESTMENT IN CANADA HAS INCREASED									
Much more	17	24	13	17	16	17	16		
Somewhat more	36	43	42	41	39	25	32		
Not very	17	18	23	18	13	20	19		
Not at all	26	15	1B	19	30	33	30		
(DK/NS)	3	1	4	5	2	5	3		

	TOTAL	REGION							
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantio		
Base=Oppose Free Trade Agreement	(865)	(108)	(83)	(82)	(327)	(188)	(78)		
SOME PRICES HAVE GONE DOWN									
Much more	16	15	12	16	18	16	8		
Somewhat more	33	37	38	31	34	25	38		
Not very	21	21	24	27	15	29	16		
Not at all	28	26	23	24	31	27	34		
(DK/NS)	2	1	4	2	2	3	4		
MORE JOBS CREATED									
Much more	28	29	25	31	<b>3</b> 2	23	18		
Somewhat more	26	28	31	23	24	23	33		
Not very	15	20	14	20	10	20	12		
Not at all	<b>3</b> 0	23	<b>3</b> 0	25	33	31	34		
(DK/NS)	1			1	1	2	2		

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	TOTAL	REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=Oppose Free Trade Agreement	(865)	(108)	(83)	(82)	(327)	(188)	(78)			
PLAN ESTABLISHED TO HELP CANADIANS ADJUST										
Much more	12	14	8	13	14	<sup>*</sup> 11	8			
Somewhat more	34	37	46	29	34	28	31			
Not very	20	18	19	23	20	21	15			
Not at all	30	28	23	30	30	32	38			
(DK/NS)	4	2	4	4	2	8	8			
PROTECTION FROM U.S. TRADE ACTION										
Much more	15	20	12	17	17	10	14			
Somewhat more	38	42	51	38	36	36	28			
Not very	17	13	20	20	17	18	14			
Not at all	23	18	13	17	24	25	35			
(DK/NS)	7	7	3	8	5	10	10			

40. Some people say that we should attempt to re-negotiate the free trade agreement with the U.S. because we may be able to get a more favourable agreement. Other people say that if we re-open the current free trade agreement, it is unlikely that we will get a more favourable agreement, because the Americans will want too much, and a re-negotiated deal will likely be worse than the current agreement. Which point of view is closest to your own?

	TOTAL		REGION							
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
RE-NEGOTIATE AGREEMENT										
Re-negotiate	41	37	33	38	40	47	40			
Leave as is	51	5 <b>3</b>	59	55	52	46	46			
Tear it up, walk away	4	5	4	5	5	2	10			
(DK/NS)	4	5	5	2	3	5	4			

- 41a. Recently there have been a number of trade disputes between Canada and the U.S. involving products like Honda cars and softwood lumber exports. In general, do you think that Canada has won more, or lost more of these trade disputes since the free trade agreement went into effect?
  - b. And do you believe that this is due to the free trade agreement?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
TRADE DISPUTES							
Won more	8	8	13	7	10	5	7
Lost more	<i>7</i> 5	78	68	79	74	77	71
(Even draw)	. 6	3	5	7	5	5	9
(DK/NS)	12	11	13	8	11	12	13
Base=Won more	(121)	(13)	(18)	(8)	(51)	(21)	(9)
WON MORE							
Yes	72	78	70	100	73	67	53
No	23	17	17		22	33	40
(DK/NS)	5	5	13		5		7
Base=Lost more	(1130)	(133)	(98)	(98)	(397)	(307)	(98)
LOST MORE	•						
Yes	73	73	65	74	73	73	73
No	22	23	23	20	23	21	21
(DK/NS)	5	-4	12	5	3	6	_5

42. Now, we would like to get an idea of how likely you are to trust statements about free trade coming from various sources. The first one is... Do you trust most of what they say, some, little, or nothing of what they say?

	TOTAL	REGION							
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic		
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)		
BUSINESS LEADERS									
Trust most	18	14	12	15	19	25	11		
Trust some	50	52	51	46	51	44	59		
Trust little	20	26	23	24	19	19	19		
Trust nothing	9	8	11	11	9 2	9	9		
(DK/NS)	2		2	3	2	3	3		
INTEREST GROUPS OPPOSED TO AGREEMENT									
Trust most	8	7	7	5	7	13	7		
Trust some	38	31	28	33	39	44	40		
Trust little	33	39	40	31	32	29	31		
Trust nothing	18	20	20	24	20	11	18		
(DK/NS)	3	3	4	6	1	4	3		

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	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT LEADERS							
Trust most	5	3	3	2	5	10	2
Trust some	32	21	29	23	31	38	41
Trust little	34	41	45	40	30	30	30
Trust nothing	28	35	21	35	33	21	27
(DK/NS)	. 1		1		1	2	
PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT LEADERS							
Trust most	8	7	6	6	8	11	9
Trust some	41	37	35	41	42	42	47
Trust little	32	40	35	35	31	29	25
Trust nothing	17	15	21	17	19	15	19
(DK/NS)	2	2	4	2	1	2	
LABOUR UNION LEADERS							
Trust most	10	5	7	6	8	17	7
Trust some	35	42	28	34	<b>3</b> 5	35	37
Trust little	29	31	32	37	28	26	29
Trust nothing	23	22	27	20	28	19	21
(DK/NS)	3	0	5	3	1	3	6

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	TOTAL	REGION							
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic		
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)		
TRADE ECONOMISTS									
Trust most	27	28	19	25	27	32	20		
Trust some	. 47	52	49	48	49	41	48		
Trust little	15	10	20	18	14	17	16		
Trust nothing	7	7	6	3	6	8	12		
(DK/NS)	4	3	6	6	3	3	4		
JOURNALISTS AND REPORTERS									
Trust most	11	12	5	9	10	16	11		
Trust some	43	42	35	38	45	43	46		
Trust little	29	31	37	36	29	26	25		
Trust nothing	15	14	21	17	15	13	15		
(DK/NS)	2	0	2		2	2	4		

43. Some people say that since the federal government signed the free trade agreement, they should be responsible for helping workers adjust to free trade. Other people say that since all Canadians stand to benefit from expanded markets, adjustment to free trade is the joint responsibility of employers, workers, unions, business associations and all levels of government. Which of these is closest to your own view?

	TOTAL	REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
RESPONSIBLE FOR HELPING WORKERS ADJUST										
Government responsibility	26	22	15	24	28	27	31			
Shared responsibility	72	77	83	72	70	72	65			
(DK/NS)	2	1	2	4	2	1	4			

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44. As you may know, the federal government has entered into negotiations with the United States and Mexico on a three-way free trade agreement. Generally speaking, do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose Canada entering into a three-way free trade agreement with the United States and Mexico?

	TOTAL		REGION							
		British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
THREE-WAY AGREEMENT										
Strongly support	6	5	7	3	7	6	5			
Somewhat support	23	20	24	22	18	30	26			
Somewhat oppose	21	21	18	23	20	23	17			
Strongly oppose	46	49	45	47	51	36	46			
(DK/NS)	. 4	6	6	5	3	4	6			

Source: Angus Reid Group

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45. And, why do you... a three-way free trade agreement between Canada, the United States and Mexico?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies			
THREE-WAY AGREEMENT							
Strongly support							
Base:	92	8	9	4	38	26	6
Improvement on U.SCanada Free							
Trade Agreement	8	17			6	15	
More jobs for everyone in general	7	9			15		
Long term benefits for Canada	8		11		6	6	33
Equalization	5	13			4	5	11
Better to have one large trading							
block	7		8	31	6	10	
Good competition for the U.S.	6		•		9	10	
Canada will become a stronger	•				•		
country	7		13	31	4	4	23
Improve economy	11	17	13	29	9	18	
Sounds like a good deal	2				•	7	
Broader market means broader	_					•	
potential for export	14		22		7	24	33
Need to expand markets	25	23	13	20	34	24	33
Will not lose industries since	23	23	13	20	34	LT	
	1		9				
Mexican quality is poor	ż		7		2	6	
Will bring down prices in Canada	2				Ł	U	
Need Agreement to compete with	,				,	4	11
european market	4				4	4	11
Will improve our productivity	3				5		11
Products would cost less in open			47		,	5	23
market	6		13		4	)	23
Has to free world trade					4.4	40	
eventually	13	38	13		11	12	
Do not want to be isolated	4	9			7	_	
Expand Mexican standard of living	4	13				9	
All three countries will benefit						_	
from deal	3	9	11		_	3	
Cheaper labour/ lost jobs	2				5		
No benefits for Canada	1						12
Other	1					4	
(DK/NS)	1			20			

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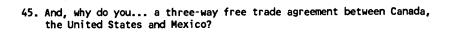
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45. And, why do you... a three-way free trade agreement between Canada, the United States and Mexico?

	TOTAL			REGIO	DN		
		British Columbia		Prairies (	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantio
Will lose even more industries if							
Canada does not negotiate	1			5	2	2	
Less duplication of effort	0				1		
Mexico and U.S. have materials							
Canada needs	0				1		
Cheaper labour/ lost jobs	5	10	5	4	6	4	4
Present agreement is bad/ 3-way							
would be worse	0				1		
Canada can not compete	2			4	3	_	4
No benefits for Canada	1	2	3			2	
More businesses will move south	0				1		
Do not trust Mexico	0					1	
Nothing in common with Mexico	0					1	
Will hurt our economy	0					1	
Mexico does not have resources or	_						
technology to compete	0					1	
Do not trust government	1					2	
Need to improve environmental	•						
standards in Mexico	0		-		1		
Poor quality workmanship	0		3 3				
Do not need to trade with Mexico	0		3		4	1	
Other	1 8	13	8		1	10	16
(DK/NS)	٥	13	٥		3	10	16
omewhat oppose							
Base:	313	35	26	28	108	93	23
Improvement on U.SCanada Free	•				1		
Trade Agreement	0				1		
Depends on agreement that is worked out	0			•			3
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Products would cost less in open market	0				1		
	U				•		
Mexico can not enforce their own	0	3					
laws	U	3					
Low environmental standards in	1	4					
Mexico	47	6 44	45	63	46	47	43
Cheaper labour/ lost jobs	47	44	40	03	40	41	43

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	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlanti
Present agreement is bad/ 3-way					_		
would be worse	28	46	23	21	27	24	37
Canada can not compete	9	3	16	10	10	8	4
U.S. will play Canada & Mexico						_	
against each other	2			4		3	6
Our standard of living will							
decrease	2	10			2		5
U.S. will take advantage of							
Canada & Mexico	2				2	4	3
No benefits for Canada	11	13	12	4	12	12	6
More businesses will move south	7		15	8	7	5	16
Do not trust Mexico	1				2	1	
Our natural resourse will be							
strongly affected	0			3			
Disastrous situation	1			4	2		
Mexican economy is not strong							
enough to participate	3				5	5	
Nothing in common with Mexico	1		5		1		
Will hurt our economy	2	3	3		2	2	
Canada will be flooded with cheap							
products	1			4		1	
Mexico does not have resources or							
technology to compete	0		5				
Do not trust government	1				1	2	
Need to improve environmental							
standards in Mexico	1				2		
Poor quality workmanship	1					2	
Do not need to trade with Mexico	1			3		2	
Mexico will follow it own rules,							
not ours	1					3	
Poor health and safety standards	1	3		4	1		
Canada will end up importing more	•	-					
than exporting	0					1	
Mexico has nothing to trade	1				1	2	
Canada's social programs may be	•				-	_	
in jeopardy	0					1	
Should look after Canadian jobs	•					•	•
first	0					1	
	_			3	2	1	
Other	1			3	2	1	

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45. And, why do you... a three-way free trade agreement between Canada, the United States and Mexico?

	TOTAL			REGI	ON		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantio
(DK/NS)	4		4	3	5	4	10
trongly oppose							
Base:	690	83	65	59	275	144	64
Improvement on U.SCanada Free							
Trade Agreement	0				0		
Depends on agreement that is							
worked out	0					1	
Low environmental standards in							
Mexico	0		2				
Cheaper labour/ lost jobs	62	67	54	56	66	57	57
Present agreement is bad/ 3-way							
would be worse	20	16	17	18	16	32	23
Canada can not compete	11	10	13	9	12	5	26
U.S. will play Canada & Mexico							
against each other	1	2		1	0		
Our standard of living will							
decrease	5	11	5	5	5	1	5
U.S. will take advantage of							
Canada & Mexico	2	3	1	4	2	1	2
No benefits for Canada	8	7	10	15	7	6	8
More businesses will move south	12	13	10	8	17	7	3
Do not trust Mexico	2	3	3	3	1		3
Our natural resourse will be							
strongly affected	0				1	1	
Disastrous situation	1		2	2	0	4	
Mexican economy is not strong							
enough to participate	2	3	1	1	2	1	4
Give Mexico and U.S. easier							
access to our markets	1		2		0	1	
Nothing in common with Mexico	1	1			1	2	
Will hurt our economy	5	3	5	1	6	10	
Canada will be flooded with cheap	-			-			
products	1	1			0	2	2
Mexico does not have resources or	•	-			-	_	_
technology to compete	1	2		2	1		

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45. And, why do you... a three-way free trade agreement between Canada, the United States and Mexico?

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Ones design he man illust							
Opens doors to more illegal	•			•			
substance entering country	U	1	_	_		-	
Do not trust government	1		2	2	1	3	
Need to improve environmental							_
standards in Mexico	2	1	4		2		2
Poor quality workmanship	1	2	2		1	1	
Do not need to trade with Mexico	1	3		2	1	2	
Mexico will follow it own rules,							
not ours	0	1			0		
People will think they can get							
better deal in Mexico	. 0	1					3
Poor health and safety standards	0				1	1	
Canada will end up importing more							
than exporting	0				1	1	
Mexico has nothing to trade	1				1	1	
Canada's social programs may be							
in jeopardy	1			2	1		
Should look after Canadian jobs							
first	0					1	
Nothing	Ö			2			
Other	Õ			_	0		2
(DK/NS)	1		3	3	Ŏ	1	_

Source: Angus Reid Group Canadian Trade and Adjustment Study March, 1992

	TOTAL	OTAL REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
OPENS NEW MARKET FOR CANADA										
Much more	18	17	20	13	17	23	14			
Somewhat more	34	29	38	35	33	37	36			
Not very	19	24	17	19	21	17	17			
Not at all	25	27	21	29	26	21	28			
(DK/NS)	. 3	3	4	4	3	2	5			
MORE COMPANIES WILL INVEST IN CANADA										
Much more	18	14	16	18	19	17	17			
Somewhat more	38	34	44	30	38	37	43			
Not very	17	18	15	18	16	22	10			
Not at all	24	31	18	27	23	22	25			
(DK/NS)	4	3	6	6	4	2	5			

Source: Angus Reid Group Canadian Trade and Adjustment Study

	TOTAL	REGION								
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic			
Base=Ali respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)			
WILL HELP MEXICO IMPROVE										
Much more	19	18	18	18	19	22	19			
Somewhat more	38	39	47	39	38	35	40			
Not very	17	16	16	22	17	20	11			
Not at all	21	25	16	16	22	20	24			
(DK/NS)	. 4	3	4	5	4	4	6			
CLARIFIES RULES OF PREVIOUS AGREEMENT				•						
Much more	15	12	17	13	15	16	12			
Somewhat more	37	35	40	33	39	36	41			
Not very	16	17	16	17	14	20	10			
Not at all	26	32	19	27	26	24	29			
(DK/NS)	6	4	8	10	6	4	9			

Source: Angus Reid Group Canadian Trade and Adjustment Study

47. Some people have said that Canadian businesses cannot compete with Mexican businesses in a free trade agreement because wages, environmental and safety standards are much lower in Mexico. Others have said that Canadian businesses can compete with Mexican businesses because Canadian workers are better trained and Canada has better facilities like roads, airports and communications. Which viewpoint would be closer to your own?

	TOTAL	TOTAL REGION									
•		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic				
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)				
CAN NOT COMPETE WITH MEXICO											
Cannot compete	55	66	56	52	55	49	60				
Can compete	40	32	37	40	40	48	34				
(DK/NS)	5	1	7	8	5	4	6				

Source: Angus Reid Group

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Region:

Gender:

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
PROVINCE							
British Columbia	11	100					
Alberta	9		100				
Saskatchewan	4		•	49			
Manitoba	4			51			
Ontario	35				100		
Quebec	26					100	
New Brunswick	3						29
Nova Scotia	4						39
Newfoundland	2						27
Prince Edward Island	0						5
GENDER							
Male	49	49	49	51	49	48	49
Female	51	51	51	49	51	52	51

Source: Angus Reid Group Canadian Trade and Adjustment Study

48. I'm now going to read you some statements about general trade issues. Please tell me how you feel about each one on a scale of 1 to 7, where 1 means you Totally Disagree and 7 means you Totally Agree.

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
NO HOPE OF CANADIAN CONCERNS BEING							
Totally disagree	7	6	5	9	8	8	6
	8	9	10	8	8	7	5
2	13	15	9	17	14	13	10
4	17	14	20	18	14	21	22
5	19	16	21	12	20	22	14
6	14	13	14	15	15	13	13
Totally agree	18	23	19	16	18	14	25
(DK/NS)	3	4	1	4	2	4	6
BUSINESSES NOT TAKING ADVANTAGE OF PRESENT AGREEMENT Totally disagree 2 3	8 8 12 20	8 5 11 20	4 5 10 24	6 5 10 19	10 9 13 18	8 8 13 22	6 9 12 20
5	20	21	24	14	18	24	18
<u>6</u>	12	16	15	17	12	8	10
Totally agree	10	10	10	12	10	9	11
(DK/NS)	10	10	9	18	10	8	14
CONFRONT U.S. MORE STRONGLY ON DISPUTES							
Totally disagree	3	1	1	2	3	5	3
2	4	2	5	8	2	7	5
3	6	5	6	6	7	7	5
4	11	10	8	10	12	14	9
5	18	20	23	14	19	17	14
5	22	21	23	17	23	21	23
Totally agree	31	38	33	34	31	25	<b>3</b> 5
(DK/NS)	4	2	1	8	3	4	6

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	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)
MUST BE PART OF DISCUSSION TO PROTECT OUR INTERESTS							
Totally disagree	5	5	4	3	5	6	7
2	2	1	3	4	3	3	1
	4	4	6	7	4	4	ż
4	7	9	9	7	6	6	2 7
5	14	15	2Ó	17	14	12	14
6	16	14	15	15	17	17	13
Totally agree	49	51	43	42	50	51	51
(DK/NS)	2	2	1	3	2	2	5
NEW AGREEMENT WILL NOT MAKE MUCH DIFFERENCE Totally disagree 2 3 4 5 6 Totally agree (DK/NS)	19 16 16 14 14 7 9	20 19 15 13 14 8 8	18 13 20 18 15 7 6	18 21 15 11 10 10 8	22 17 17 13 13 7 8	17 14 14 15 18 5 13	19 16 14 12 12 8 9
MOST JOBS LOSSES DUE TO CHANGES IN GLOBAL ECONOMY							
Totally disagree	11	13	3	10	15	7	11
2	10	8	13	13	11	7	14
3	14	12	12	19	13	16	9
4	16	18	22	15	12	17	16
5	20	22	18	17	20	22	17
6	14	14	17	6	13	16	17
Totally agree	12	11	12	13	13	12	7
(DK/NS)	4	2	3	7	3	3	8

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## TOPBOX SCORE SUMMARY TABLE (6 & 7)

	TOTAL			REG	MOI		
		British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
NO HOPE OF CANADIAN CONCERNS BEING REFLECTED	31.9	36.3	33.2	31.1	33.1	26.4	37.5
BUSINESSES NOT TAKING ADVANTAGE OF PRESENT AGREEMENT	21.7	25.3	25.1	29.4	21.9	16.7	20.4
CONFRONT U.S. MORE STRONGLY ON DISPUTES	53.0	59.2	56.0	51.3	54.1	46.6	57.9
MUST BE PART OF DISCUSSION TO PROTECT OUR INTERESTS	65.0	64.7	57.6	57.7	66.7	68.2	63.9
NEW AGREEMENT WILL NOT MAKE MUCH DIFFERENCE	16.1	15.8	13.0	18.4	15.0	17.9	16.3
MDST JOBS LOSSES DUE TO CHANGES IN GLOBAL ECONOMY	26.1	24.8	28.5	19.0	26.3	28.1	24.5

Source: Angus Reid Group

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48. I'm now going to read you some statements about general trade issues. Please tell me how you feel about each one on a scale of 1 to 7, where 1 means you Totally Disagree and 7 means you Totally Agree.

## LOWBOX SCORE SUMMARY TABLE (1 & 2)

	TOTAL			REG	ION		
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic
NO HOPE OF CANADIAN CONCERNS BEING REFLECTED	15.0	14.8	15.3	17.4	16.1	14.5	10.7
BUSINESSES NOT TAKING ADVANTAGE OF PRESENT AGREEMENT	15.7	12.8	8.6	10.8	19.6	16.2	14.7
CONFRONT U.S. MORE STRONGLY ON DISPUTES	7.5	2.7	6.5	10.3	5.3	11.5	8.2
MUST BE PART OF DISCUSSION TO PROTECT OUR INTERESTS	7.4	5.7	6.7	7.2	7.7	8.1	8.0
NEW AGREEMENT WILL NOT MAKE MUCH DIFFERENCE	35.8	38.7	31.0	39.2	38.4	31.8	35.1
MOST JOBS LOSSES DUE TO CHANGES IN GLOBAL ECONOMY	20.8	21.5	16.5	23.0	25.3	14.0	24.9

- 49. Which of the following categories does you age fall into?
- 50. Which is the highest level of formal education that you have completed?

	TOTAL	REGION							
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic		
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)		
AGE									
18 to 24 years	11	11	11	9	11	12	10		
25 to 34 years	27	25	36	22	26	26	29		
35 to 44 years	21	22	20	21	19	22	21		
45 to 54 years	14	13	12	13	15	14	12		
55 to 64 years	13	16	15	12	14	13	11		
65 years and older	14	12	6	20	15	14	15		
(Refuse/Not Stated)	0			2			1		
EDUCAT ION									
Grade school or some high school	18	13	13	28	15	21	19		
Completed high school	24	20	23	26	27	24	21		
Some technical/post-secondary	9	8	15	9	9	8	10		
Completed technical/post-secondary	15	19	15	6	14	16	19		
Some university	11	18	11	12	11	6	14		
Completed university degree	16	15	14	12	18	18	12		
Post graduate degree	6	5	8	6	8	5	3		
(DK/NS)	1	1		1	ō	1	2		

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51. Are you currently...?

52. In at least two words, could you please describe your present occupation?

	TOTAL	AL REGION							
		British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic		
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)		
EMPLOYMENT STATUS									
Employed full-time	48	50	59	49	49	42	41		
Employed part-time	9	13	11	11	8	8	10		
Unemployed but seeking employment	8	6	10	7	8	7	13		
Unemployed but no longer seeking									
employment	2	3	2	1	2	4	1		
A student ·	6	5	3	3	7	8	5 5		
At home	7	4	5	5	5	11	5		
Retired	18	15	10	22	19	18	22		
Other	2	3	1	1	1	1	2		
(DK/NS)	0			1		0	1		
Base=Employed	(860)	(107)	(100)	(75)	(306)	(200)	(71)		
OCCUPATION									
Owner/ manager/ administrative	17	18	15	16	17	20	14		
Professional/ technical	32	30	35	28	36	30	26		
Clerical and related occupations	10	6	5	9	9	19	10		
Sales occupations	9	11	11	4	11	7	9		
Service occupations	12	13	14	13	11	8	25		
Farming/ fishing/ forestry/ mining	3	3	7	9	3	1	2		
Blue collar - skilled	12	17	10	19	10	13	9		
Blue collar - unskilled	2	2	1	1	3	1	6		
(DK/NS)	1		1	1	1	1			

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- 53. Which of the following category best describes your family income? That is the total income before xes of all persons in your household combined?
- 54. What is the first language you learned as a child and still understand today?

	TOTAL	REGION							
		British Columbia		Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic		
Base=All respondents	(1509)	(170)	(143)	(124)	(535)	(399)	(138)		
INCOME		ī							
Under \$10,000	5	3	4	3	3	8	7		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	12	11	7	17	11	13	17		
\$20,000 to \$29,999	16	16	21	16	13	.20	13		
\$30,000 to \$39,999	16	14	20	17	16	16	15		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	13	14	14	17	13	12	- 12		
\$50,000 to \$59,999	10	11	4	6	12	10	10		
\$60,000 to \$69,999	6	10	8	4	8	4	10 3 5 3 2		
\$70,000 to \$79,999	4	4	8 3 3 2	4 3 2 2	8 5 3 3	4	5		
\$80,000 to \$89,999	3	3	3	2	3	2	3		
\$90,000 to \$99,999	3 3 5	4	2		3	2	2		
\$100,000 and over	5	2	7	4	6	5	1		
(Refused/Not Stated)	7	6	7	9	7	4	11		
MOTHER TONGUE									
English	64	87	87	79	81	10	90		
French	26	0	2	5	5	86	10		
Other	10	13	11	15	14	4	1		
(Refused)	0			2	0				

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