

Globalization and Trade April 2007

Questionnaire

Q1. Turning to something else, do you believe that globalization, especially the increasing connections of our economy with others around the world, is mostly good or mostly bad for [survey country]?

Globalization

	Mostly good (%)	Mostly bad (%)	Neutral/ equally good and bad (%)	Not sure/ Decline
U.S.	60	35	n/a	5
Argentina	55	22	--	23
Armenia	65	18	--	17
Australia	65	27	--	8
China	87	6	7	--
France	51	42	6	1
India	54	30	--	16
Indonesia	61	31	--	8
Iran	63	31	--	6
Israel	82	10	--	7
Mexico	41	22	26	11
Palest. terr.	58	28	--	15
Philippines	49	32	--	20
Poland	52	21	--	27
Russia	41	24	n/a	34
South Korea	86	12	n/a	2
Thailand	75	8	--	17
Ukraine	55	11	n/a	34

Q2. Below is a list of possible foreign policy goals that [survey country] might have. For each one please select whether you think that it should be a very important foreign policy goal of [survey country], a somewhat important foreign policy goal, or not an important goal at all?

Protecting the jobs of [survey country] workers

	Very important (%)	Somewhat important (%)	Not important (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	76	20	3	2
Armenia	84	10	4	2
Australia	83	15	2	0
China	71	21	4	4
India	54	30	9	7
South Korea	68	29	3	0
Thailand	66	18	2	13

Q3. The World Trade Organization was established to rule on disputes over trade treaties. If another country files a complaint with the World Trade Organization and it rules against [survey country], as a general rule, should [survey country] comply with that decision or not?

	Yes (%)	No (%)	Depends (vol.) (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	73	22	3	1
Armenia	26	35	24	14
China	58	19	16	8
India	37	29	21	14
Mexico	53	21	18	8
Philippines	48	49	n/a	3
South Korea	37	52	10	1
Thailand	34	17	25	24
Ukraine	40	12	29	19

Q4. Overall, do you think international trade is good or bad for:

a. The [survey country] economy

	Good (%)	Bad (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	54	42	4
Argentina	65	20	15
Armenia	75	15	9
China	88	8	4
France	64	34	2
India	64	27	9
Israel	88	6	6
Mexico *	59	27	14
Palest. terr.	70	25	5
Poland	76	11	13
Russia	66	20	13
South Korea	79	20	1
Thailand	79	10	11
Ukraine	78	9	13

b. [survey country] companies

	Good (%)	Bad (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	52	45	3
Argentina	61	22	16
Armenia	64	21	15
China	78	12	9
France	55	43	2
India	59	31	10
Israel	86	8	6
Mexico	66	23	11
Palest. terr.	67	25	8
Poland	77	9	14
Russia	51	34	15
South Korea	78	21	1
Thailand	70	13	17
Ukraine	69	10	21

* In Mexico, for questions 190.1-190.7, the “depends” response has been combined with the “not sure/decline” option.

c. Consumers like you

	Good (%)	Bad (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	70	26	4
Argentina	46	31	23
Armenia	56	28	16
China	69	17	14
France	61	38	1
India	61	28	11
Israel	77	12	11
Palest. terr.	57	30	13
Poland	70	12	18
Russia	59	22	19
South Korea	68	29	3
Thailand	65	19	16
Ukraine	66	10	24

d. Creating jobs in [survey country]

	Good (%)	Bad (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	37	60	3
Argentina	53	30	17
Armenia	61	26	13
China	73	17	10
France	26	73	2
India	56	32	11
Israel	74	19	8
Mexico	74	15	10
Palest. terr.	62	26	11
Poland	71	14	15
Russia	52	27	21
South Korea	60	38	2
Thailand	74	13	13
Ukraine	66	14	20

e. The environment

	Good (%)	Bad (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	45	49	6
Argentina	27	46	27
Armenia	37	36	27
China	57	29	13
France	29	66	5
India	51	34	15
Israel	56	23	21
Mexico	41	41	19
Palest. terr.	53	32	14
Poland	49	25	26
Russia	25	44	31
South Korea	47	49	4
Thailand	45	35	20
Ukraine	40	25	36

f. Job security for [survey country] workers

	Good (%)	Bad (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	30	67	3
Argentina	38	39	23
Armenia	52	24	25
China	65	22	13
France	19	80	1.5
India	49	37	14
Israel	63	25	12
Palest. terr.	57	29	14
Poland	53	21	26
Russia	43	32	25
South Korea	51	47	2
Thailand	64	20	16
Ukraine	50	16	34

g. Your own standard of living

	Good (%)	Bad (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)
U.S.	64	31	5
Argentina	42	30	28
Armenia	60	19	21
China	73	15	12
France	50	44	6
India	54	30	15
Israel	74	11	15
Mexico	53	29	18
Palest. terr.	62	26	12
Poland	59	12	29
Russia	45	19	36
South Korea	56	38	6
Thailand	59	23	18
Ukraine	53	10	37

Q5. Overall, do you think that countries that are part of international trade agreements should or should not be required to maintain minimum standards for working conditions?

	Should be required (%)	Should not be required (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)	Total (%)
U.S.	93	5	2	100
Argentina	89	1	10	100
Armenia	79	9	11	100
China	84	8	7	100
India	56	25	19	100
Israel	91	5	3	99
Mexico	67	22	11	100
Philippines	55	30	15	100
Poland	88	2	10	100
Ukraine	85	2	12	100

Q6. Overall, do you think that countries that are part of international trade agreements should or should not be required to maintain minimum standards for protection of the environment?

	Should be required (%)	Should not be required (%)	Not sure/ Decline (%)	Total (%)
U.S.	91	5	4	100
Argentina	90	1	9	100
Armenia	82	9	9	100
China	85	8	7	100
India	60	28	12	100
Israel	93	4	2	99
Mexico	76	13	11	100
Poland	90	2	8	100
Thailand	69	10	21	100
Ukraine	88	2	10	100