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Economics

Trans-Pacific Partnership Readings

Due 12/2

40 points

Directions: Using this Article <http://www.nytimes.com/2015/10/06/business/international/the-trans-pacific-partnership-trade-deal-explained.html?_r=0&mtrref=www.nytimes.com> answer the following questions:

What is the Significance of the Trans-Pacific Trade Accord?

Why is the pact divisive?

What are the issues addressed by the Pact? (There are four issues)

Why was China not included?

How does NAFTA loom over the debate?

**Directions:** There are seven different viewpoints about the Trans Pacific Partnership at: <http://www.nytimes.com/2015/10/06/business/international/the-trans-pacific-partnership-trade-deal-explained.html?_r=0&mtrref=www.nytimes.com>. Please explain in 4-5 sentences why each author supports or opposes the deal. You need to cite specific evidence from the author.

“It would Kill Jobs and Consumer Protection”

“The Best Way to Move Global Trade Forward”

“Approval is Vital for Continued US Power in Asia”

“TPP could either help China Reform or Dig in Deeper”

“An Unconstitutional Surrender of Power”

“Oppose TPP on Environmental Grounds”

“A One Sided Deal to Help the 1 Percent”