



Public Opinion Survey Residents of Moldova

June 7-27, 2014

Detailed Methodology

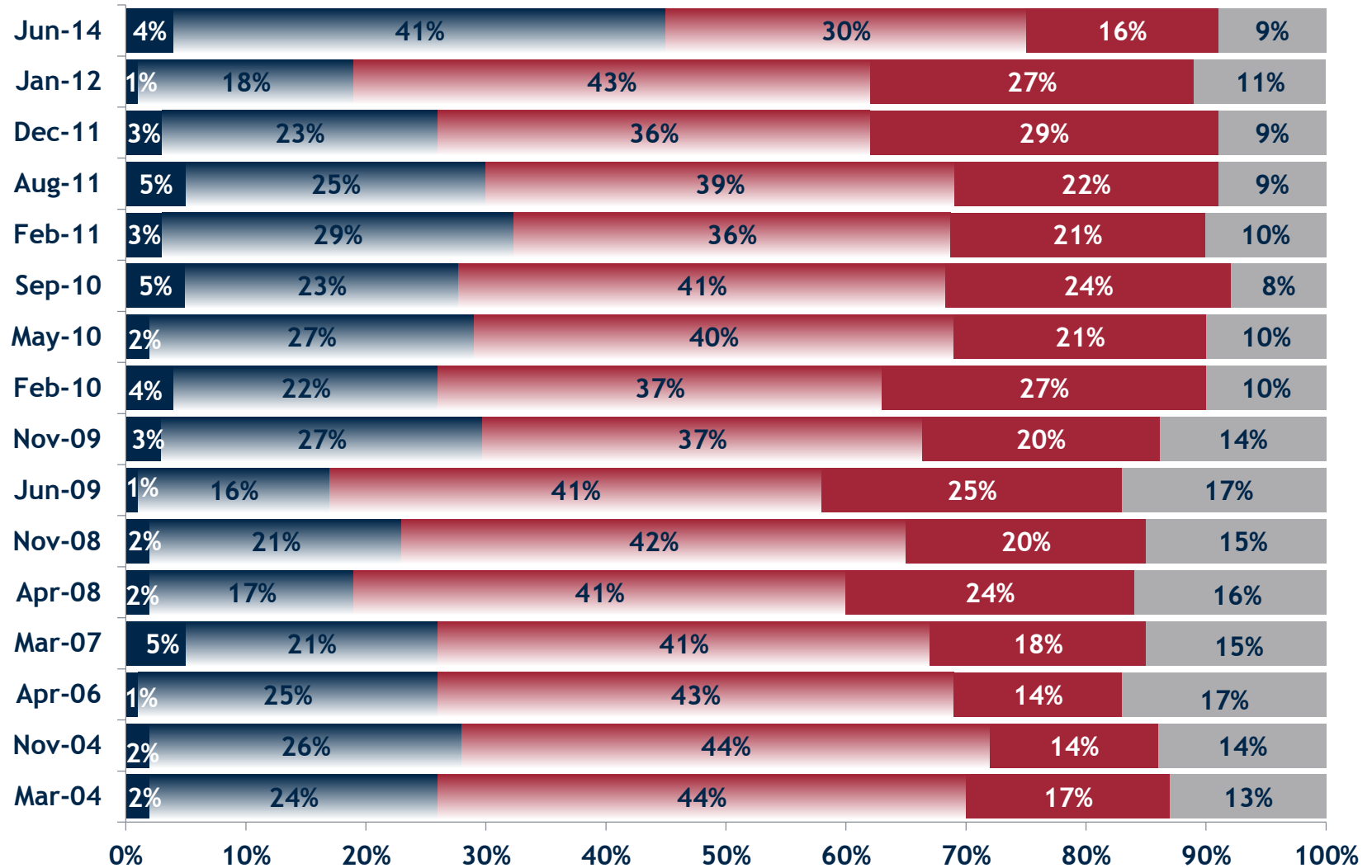
- The survey was conducted by the public opinion and market research company [Baltic Surveys/The Gallup Organization](#) on behalf of the [International Republican Institute](#). The field work was carried out by Magenta Consulting.
- Data was collected throughout Moldova June 7-27, 2014, through face-to-face interviews at respondents' home.
- The sample consisted of 1,200 permanent residents of Moldova older than the age of 18 and eligible to vote. It is representative of the general population by age, gender, education, region and size of the settlement.
- All regions of Moldova were surveyed (excluding Transnistria). Multistage probability sampling method was used with the random route and next birthday respondent's selection procedures:
 - Stage one: districts were grouped into 11 groups.
 - Stage two: selection of the settlements - cities and villages. Settlements were selected at random. The number of selected settlements in each region was proportional to the share of population living in a particular type of the settlement in each region.
 - Stage three: primary sampling units were described.
- The margin of error does not exceed plus or minus 2.8 percent.
- Response rate was 54 percent.
- Charts and graphs may not add up to 100 percent due to rounding.
- The survey was funded by the [National Endowment for Democracy](#).



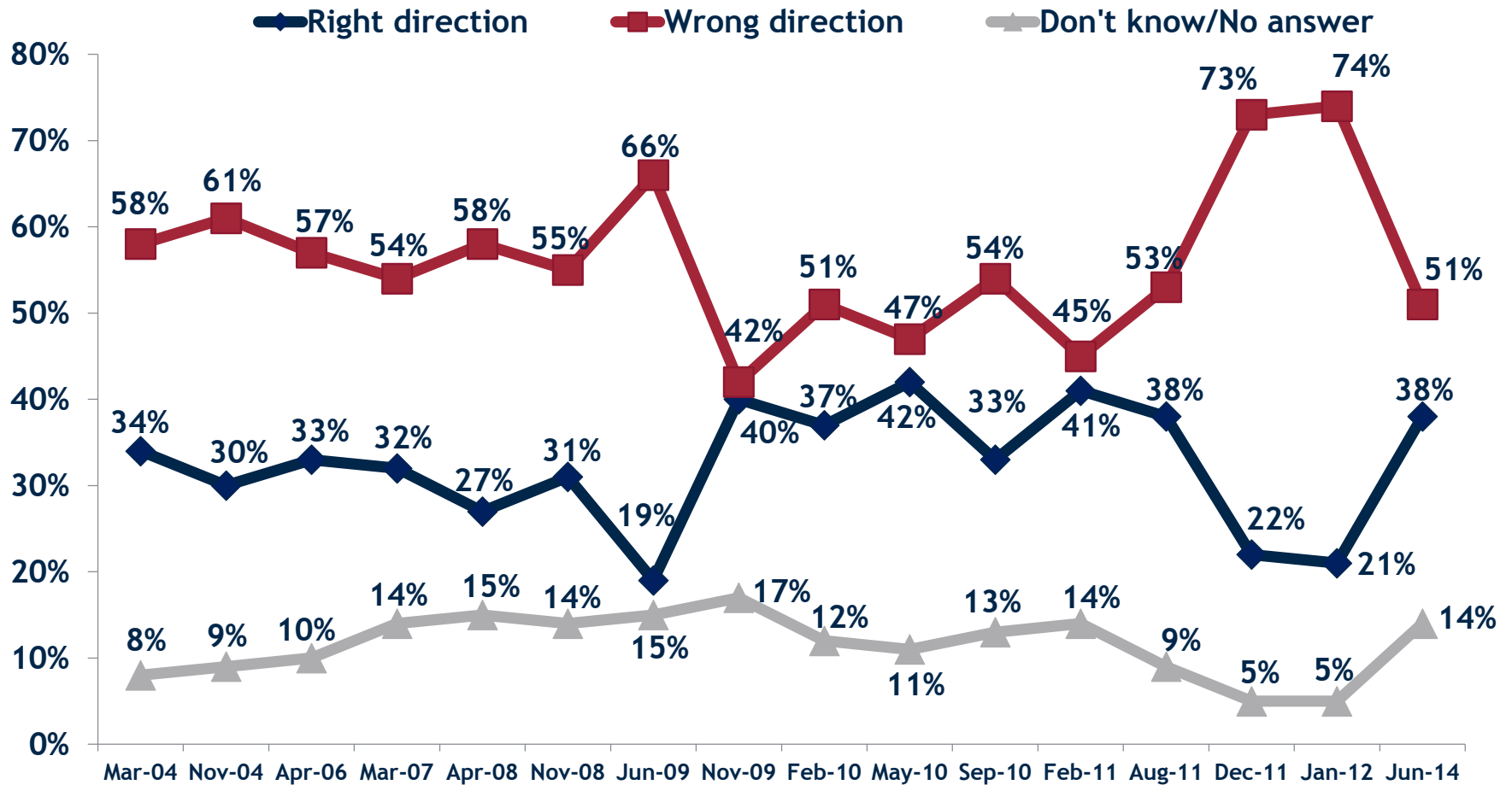
Growing Support for Democracy

How satisfied are you with the way democracy is developing in Moldova?

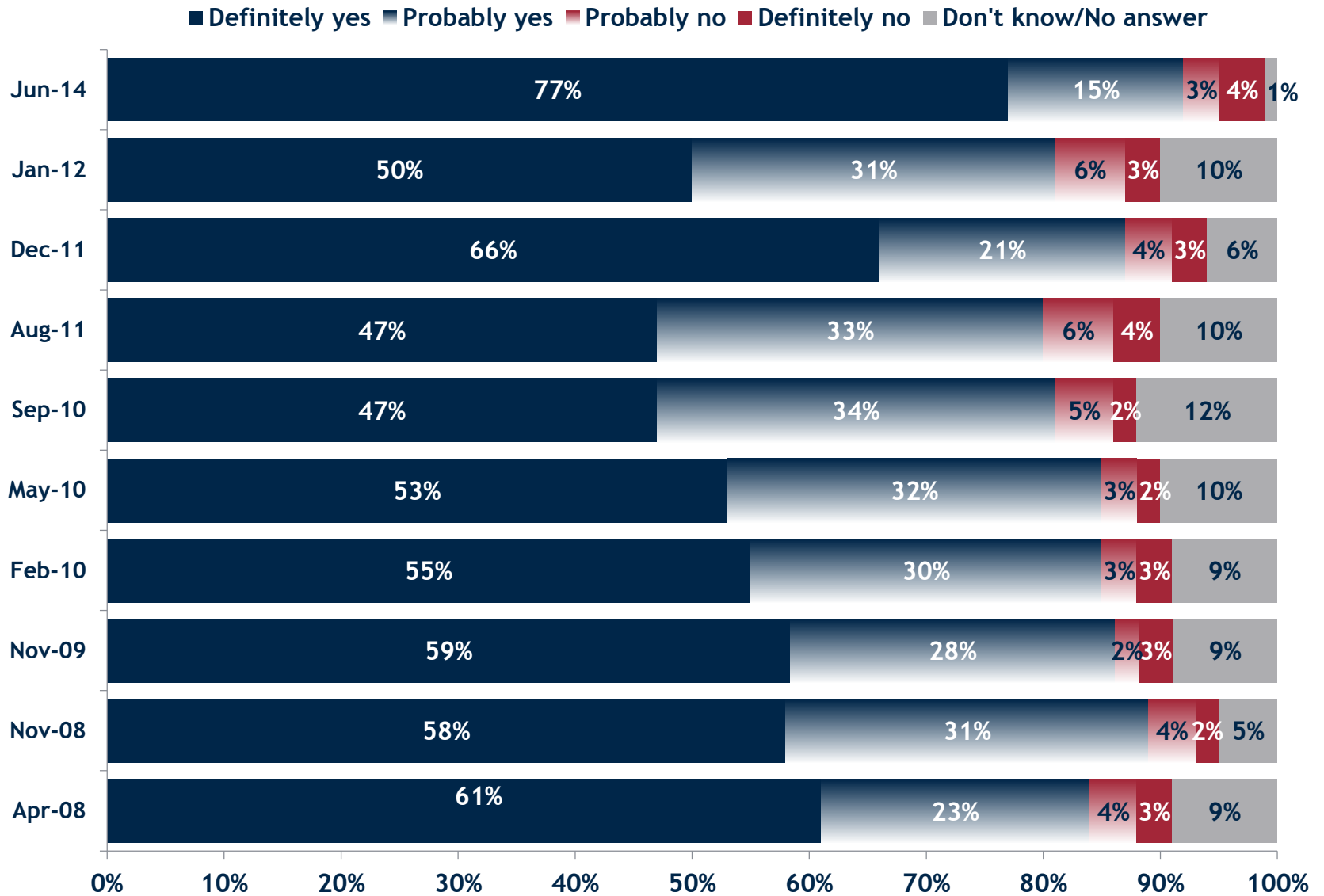
■ Very satisfied
 ■ Somewhat satisfied
 ■ Somewhat dissatisfied
 ■ Very dissatisfied
 ■ Don't know/No answer



Generally speaking, do you think that things in Moldova are going in the right direction or wrong direction?



Are you going to vote in the upcoming parliamentary elections?

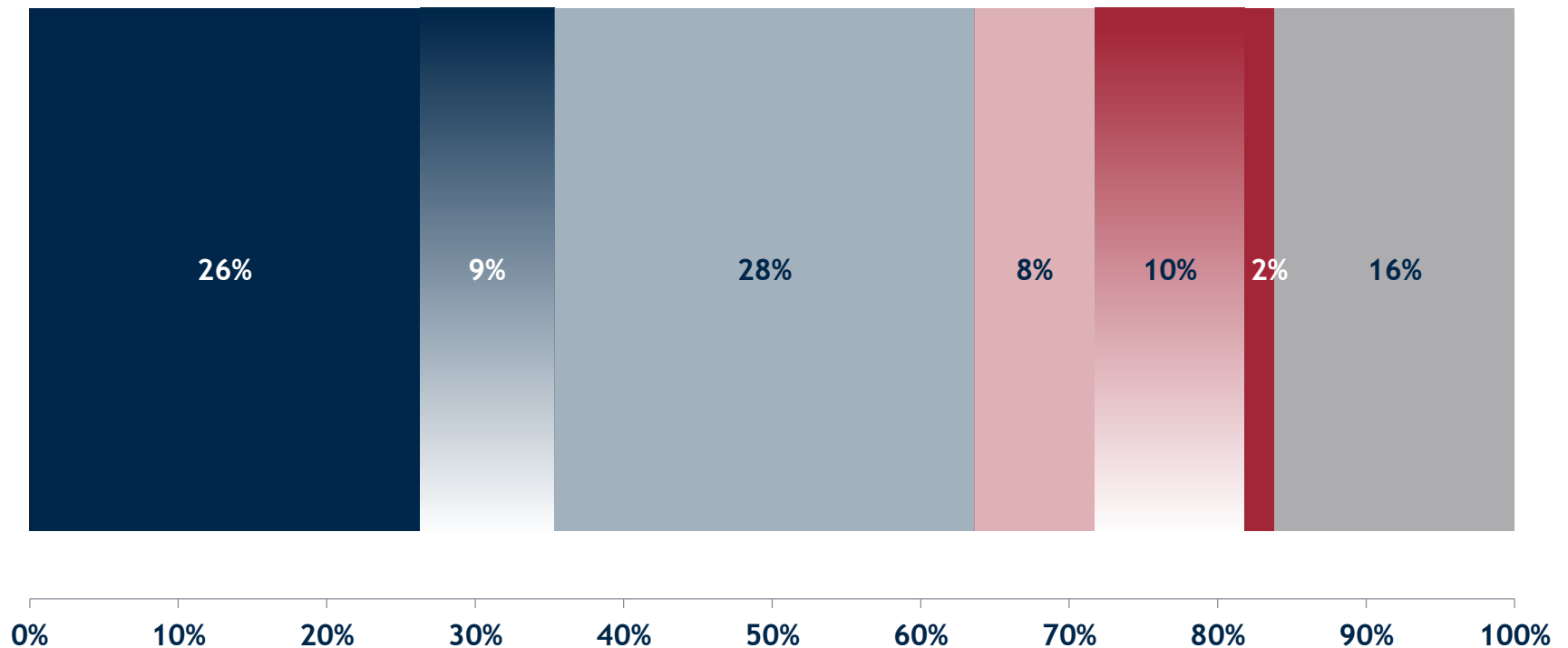




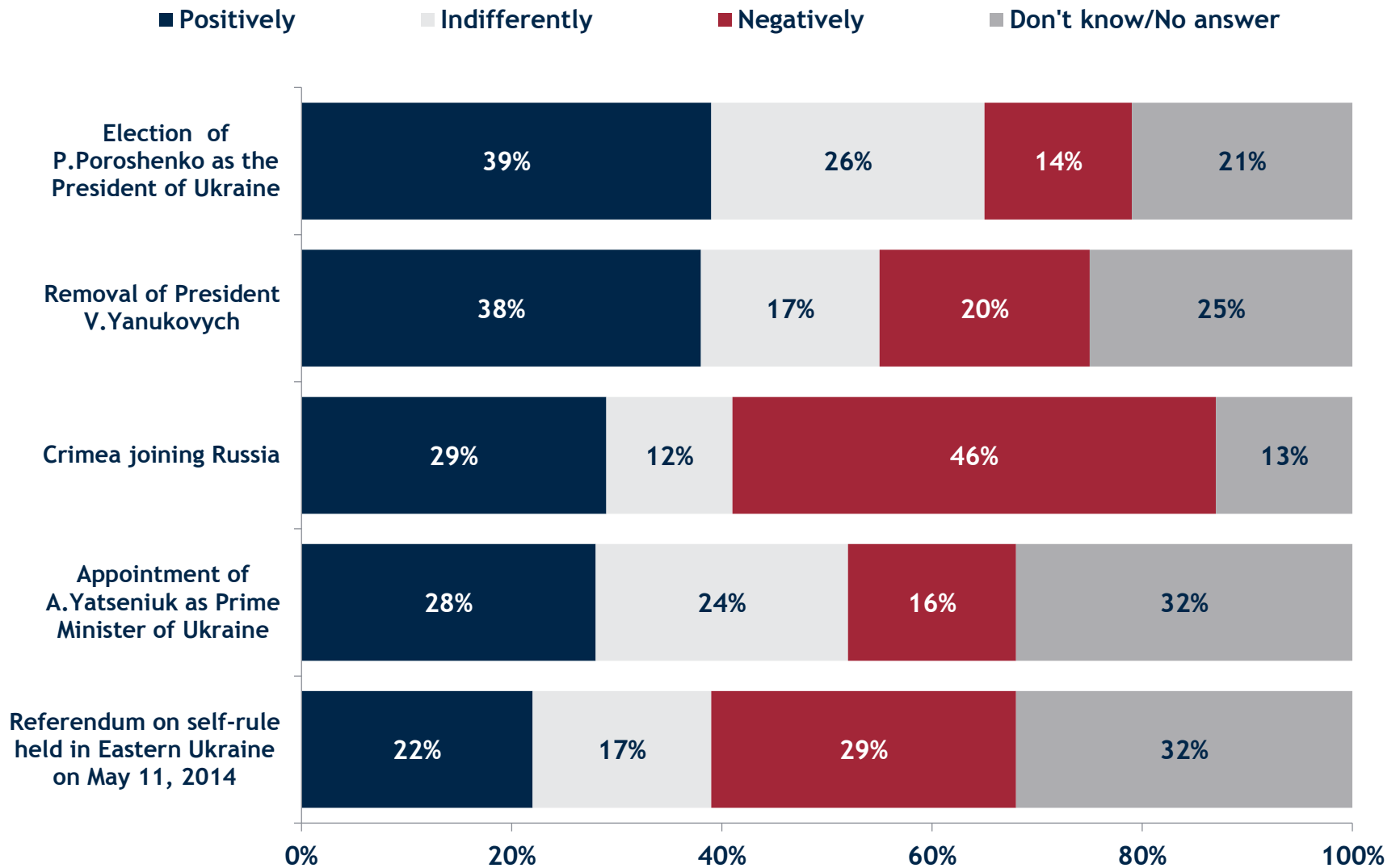
Moldovans Blame Russia, Yanukovych for Ukraine Crisis

Who do you believe is responsible for the current crisis in Ukraine?

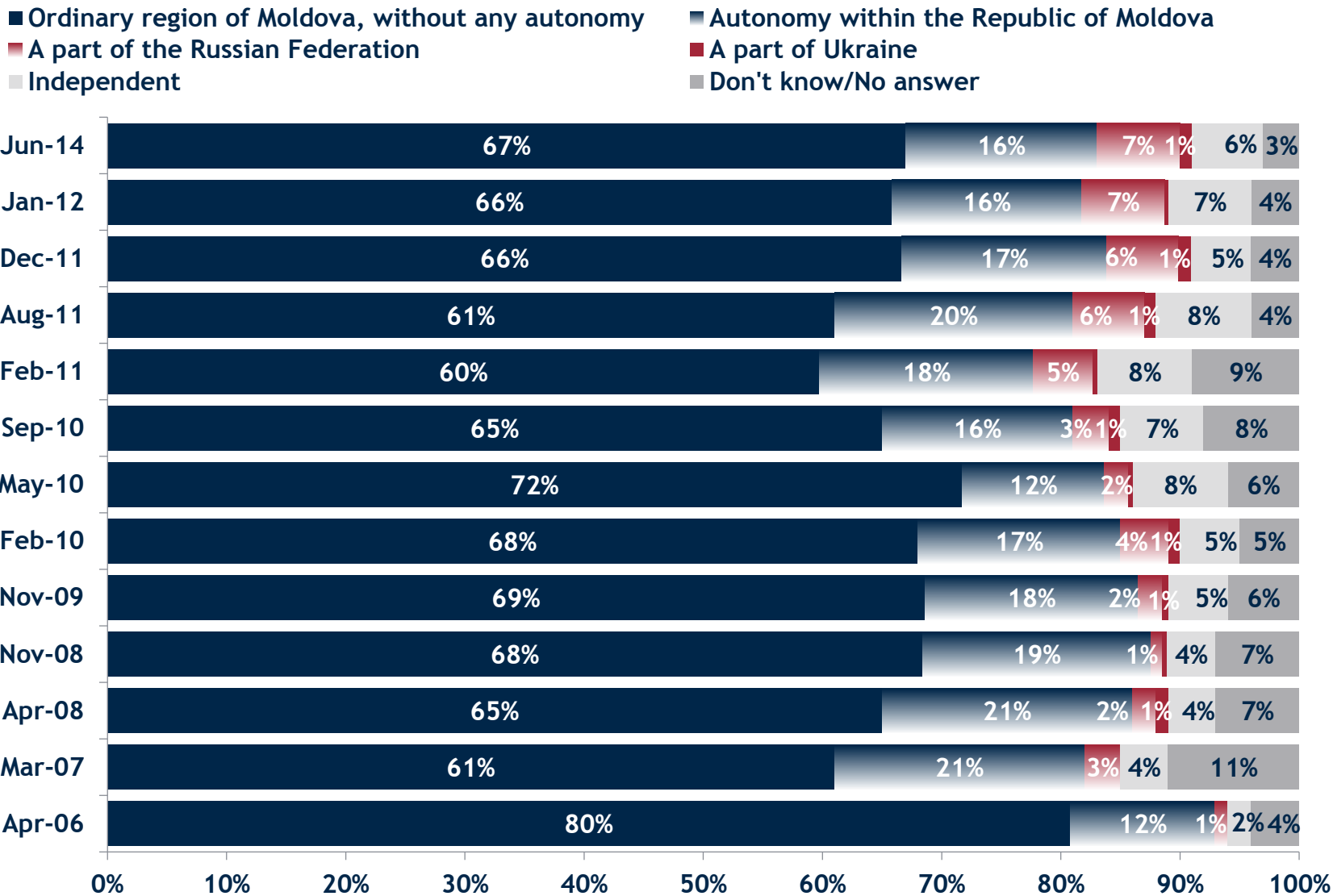
- Previous Ukrainian government
- New Ukrainian government
- Russia
- European Union
- Certain groups of Ukrainian people
- Other
- Don't know/No answer



How do you evaluate the following recent events in Ukraine?



What do you think the future of Transnistria should be?

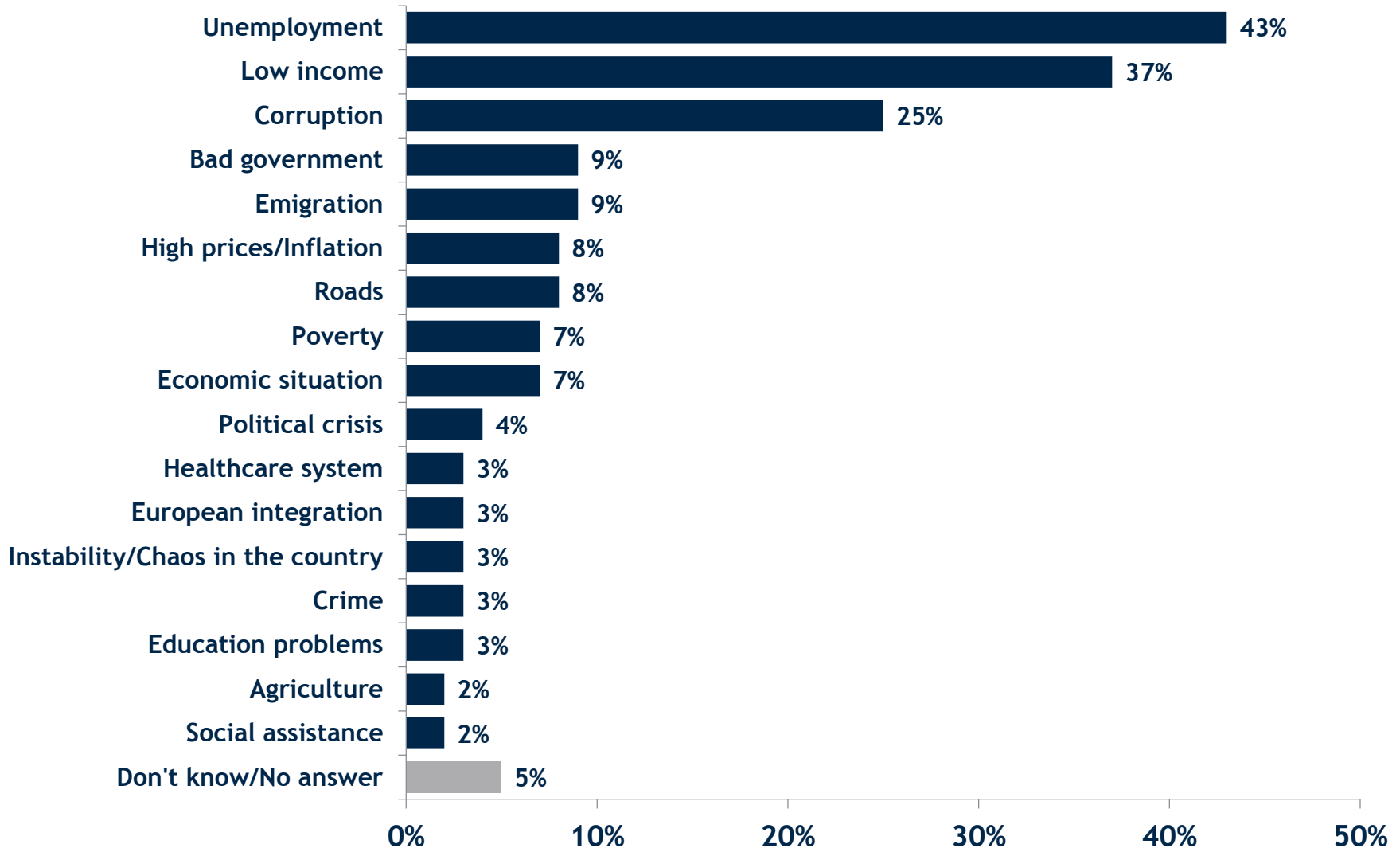




Moldovans are Concerned about the Economy & Corruption

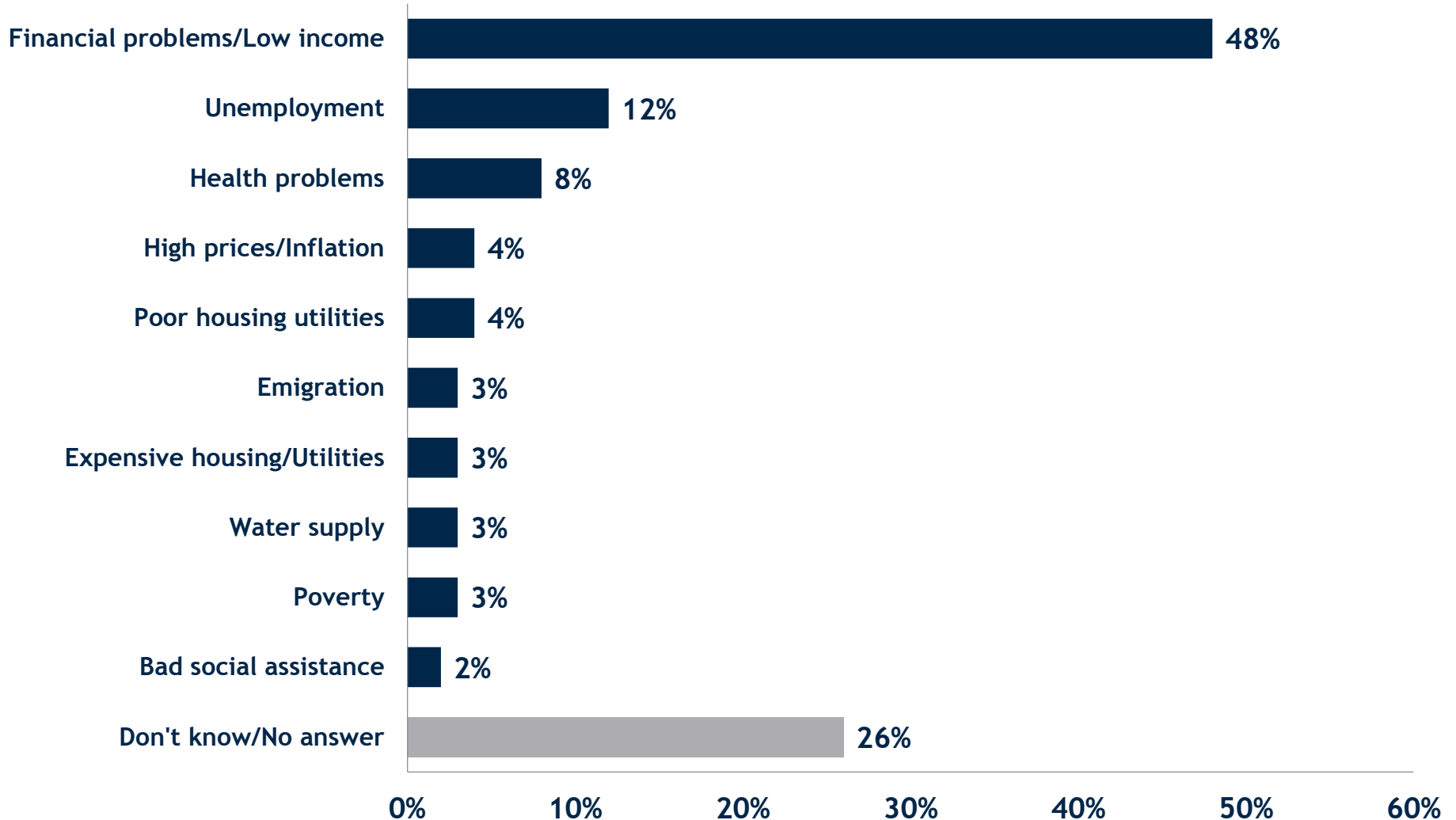
What are the most important problems that Moldova is facing at the moment?

(Spontaneous, up to three mentions, problems mentioned by at least two percent)



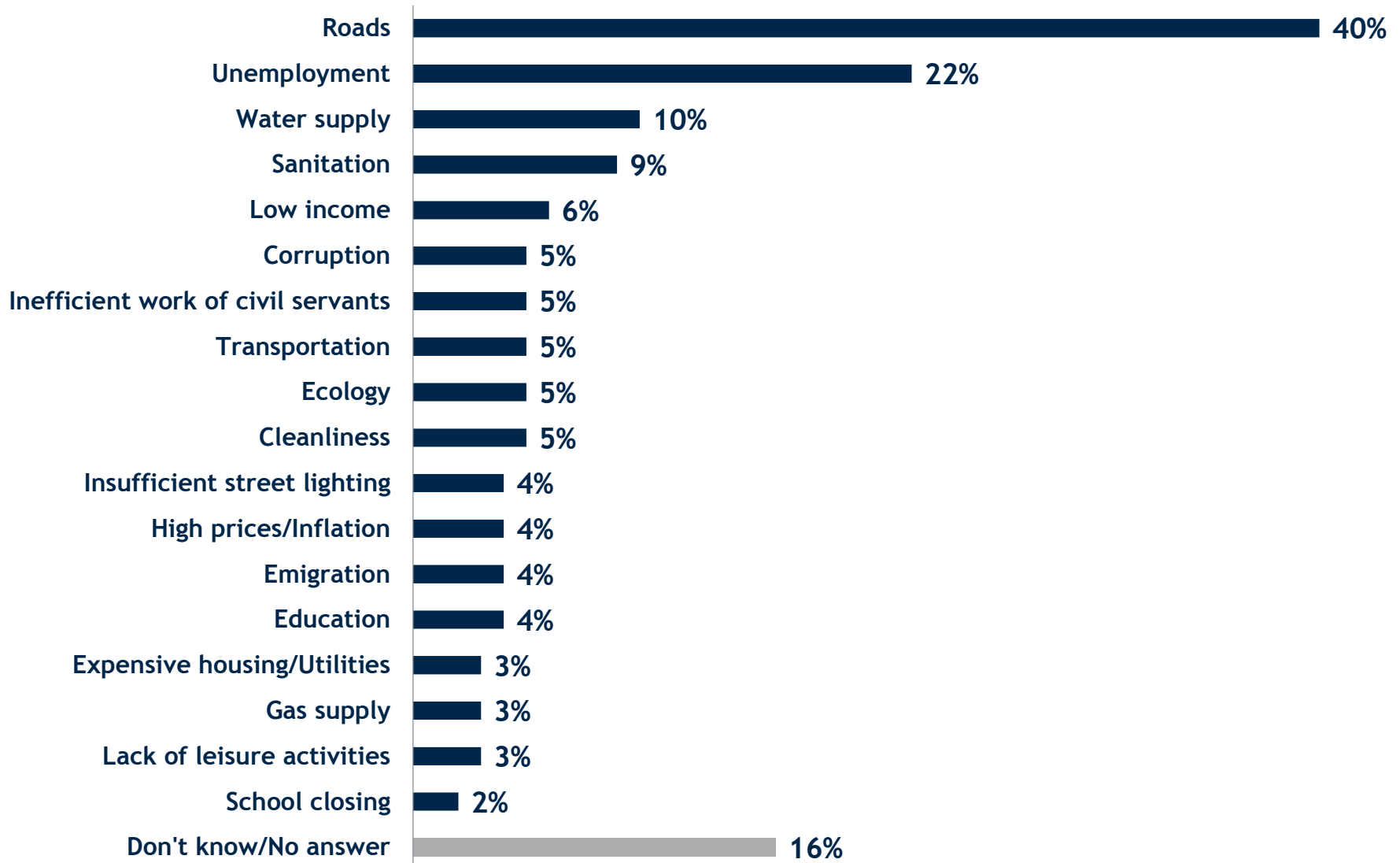
What are the most important problems facing you and your household?

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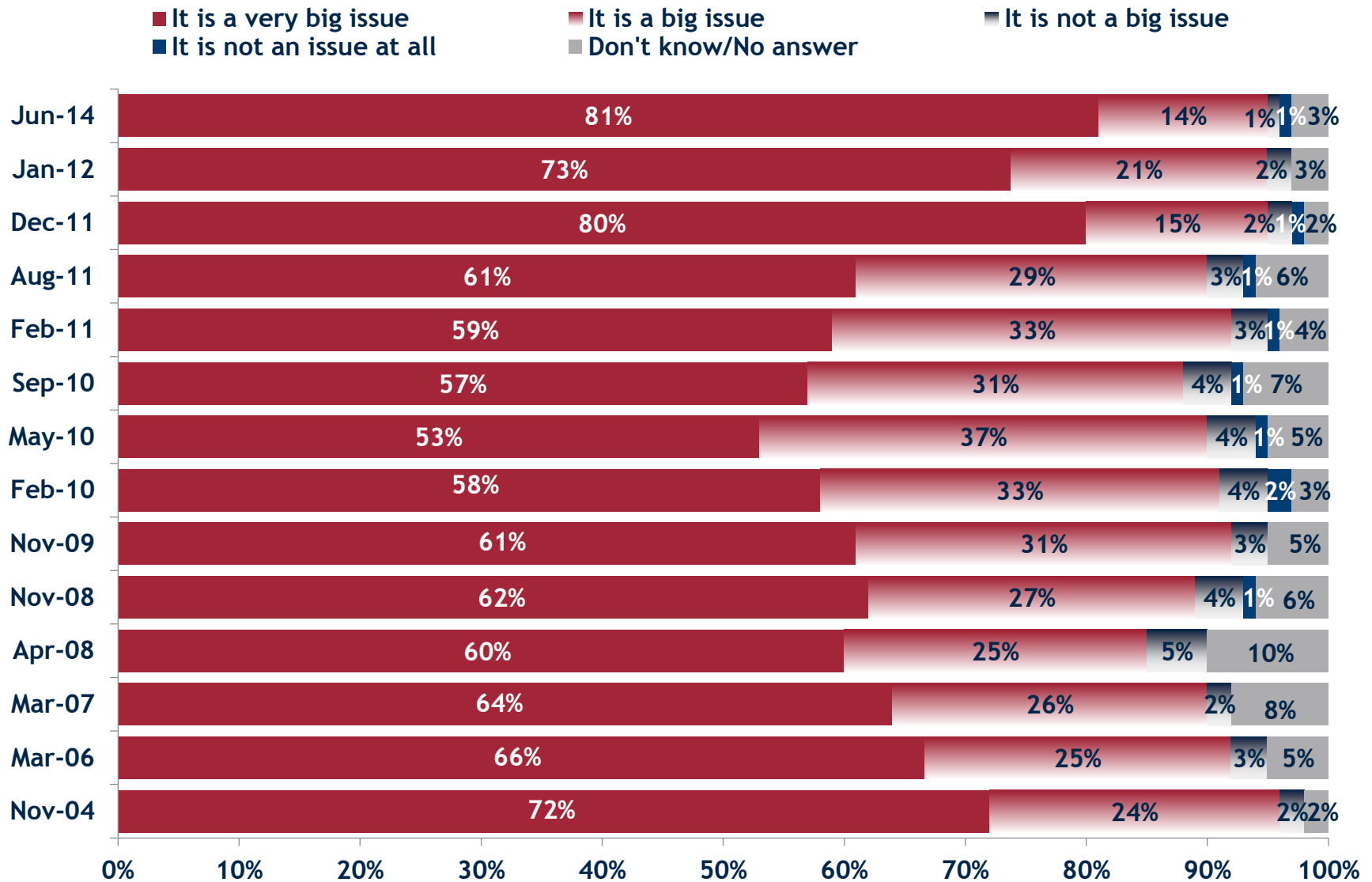


What are the most important problems your town/village is facing at the moment?

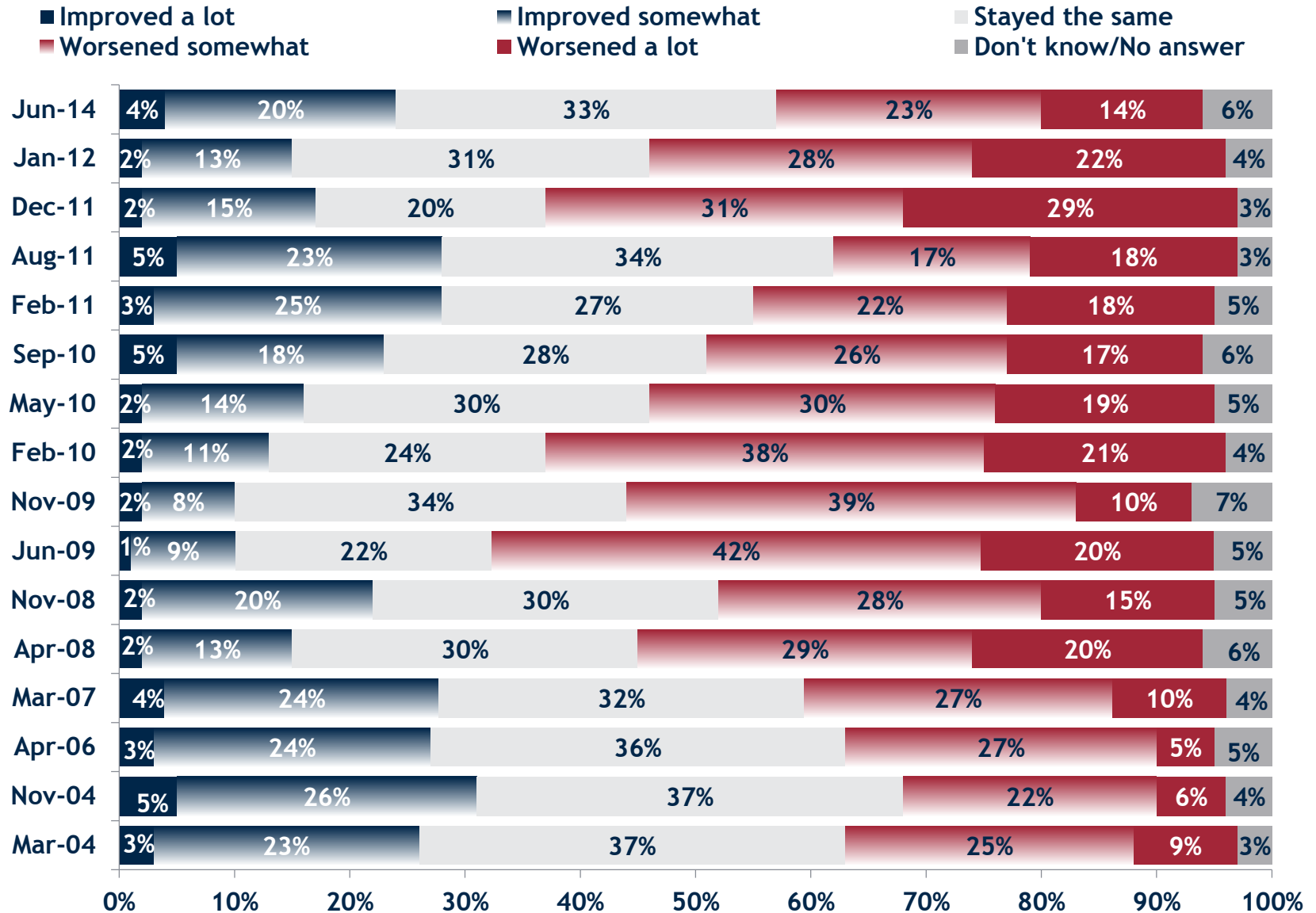
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Is corruption a big problem in Moldova today?

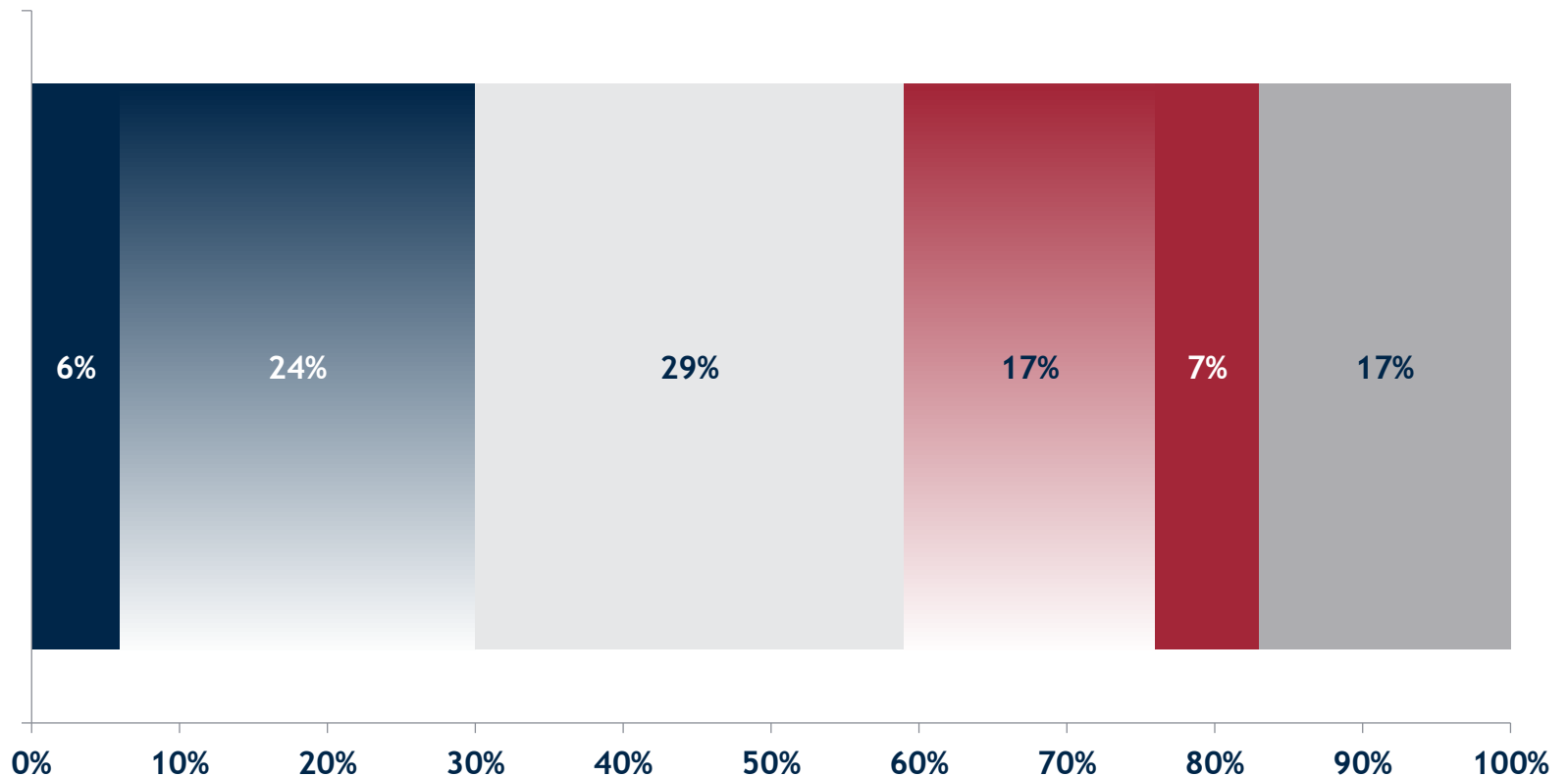


Over the last 12 months, how has the economic situation in Moldova changed?



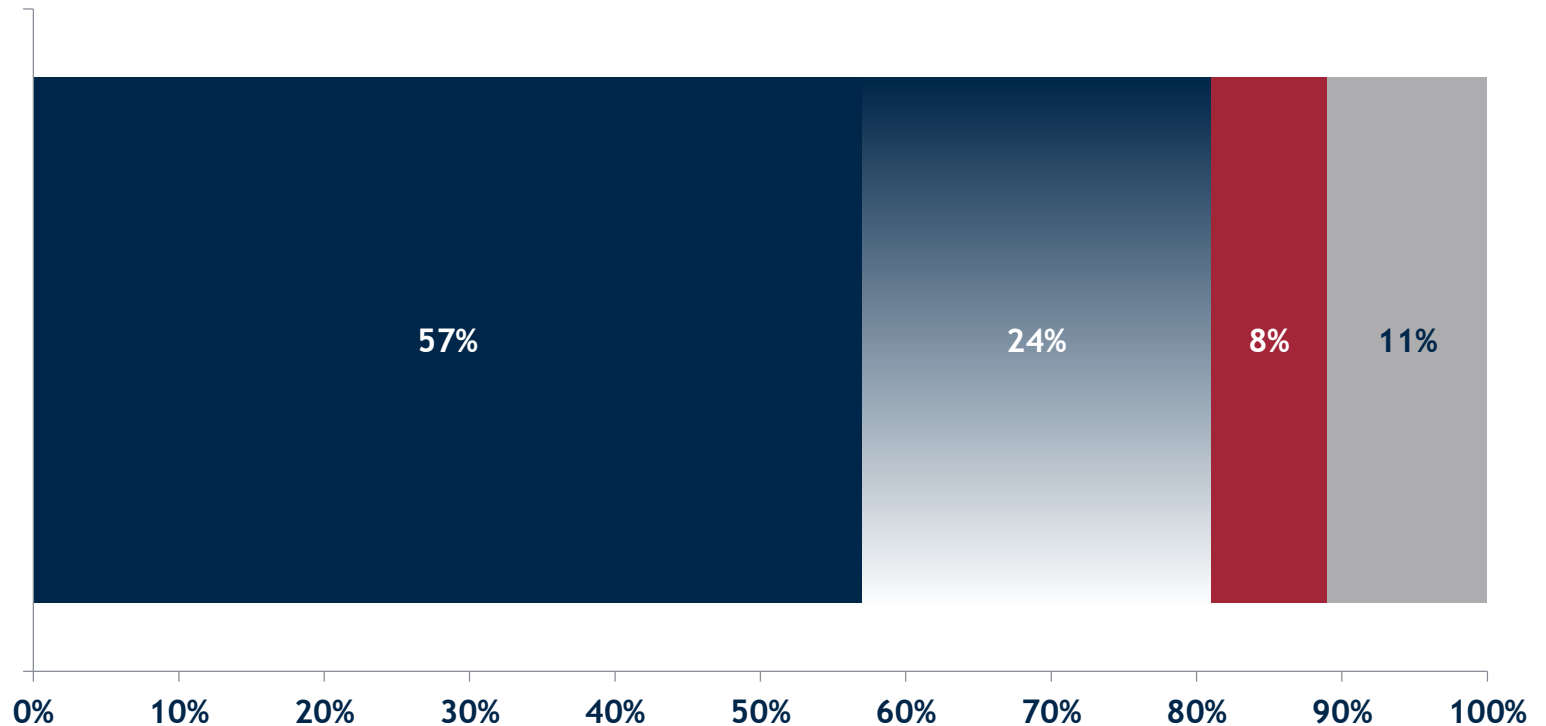
In your opinion, how will the economic situation of Moldova change in 2014?

- Improve a lot
- Improve somewhat
- Stay the same
- Worsen somewhat
- Worsen a lot
- Don't know/No answer



Which of these statements is closest to your own point of view?

- Our society needs serious reforms (structural and systemic change)
- Our society needs gradual reforms which preserve the existing system
- Our society has to be protected from the forces who want to change the current order
- Don't know/No answer





Moldovans on Government Performance

Moldovan Parliamentary Parties

Ruling Pro-European Coalition (holds 53 of 101 seats)

- Liberal Democratic Party - 31 seats
- Democratic Party - 15 seats
- Liberal Reformist Party - 7 seats

Independent Parties

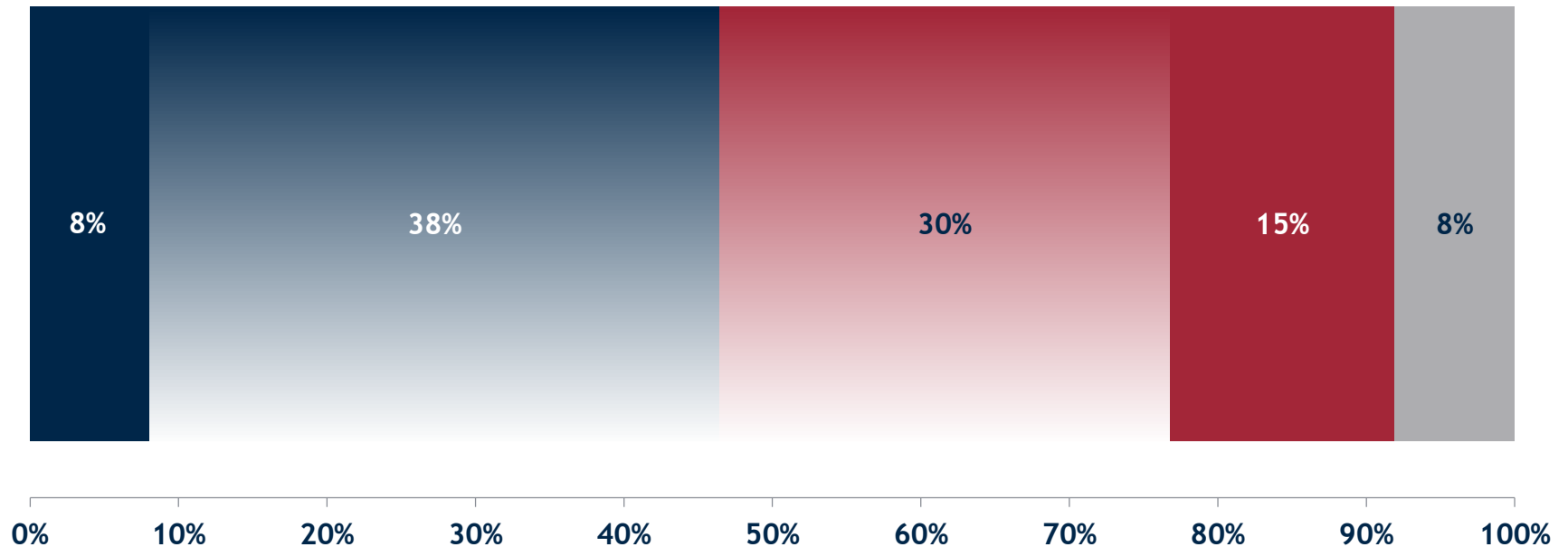
- Liberal Party - 5 seats, split from the ruling coalition in February 2013, supports European Union accession

Current Parliamentary Opposition (holds 43 of 101 seats)

- Communist Party - 34 seats
- Party of Socialists - 4 seats
- Smaller Parties/Independents - 5 seats

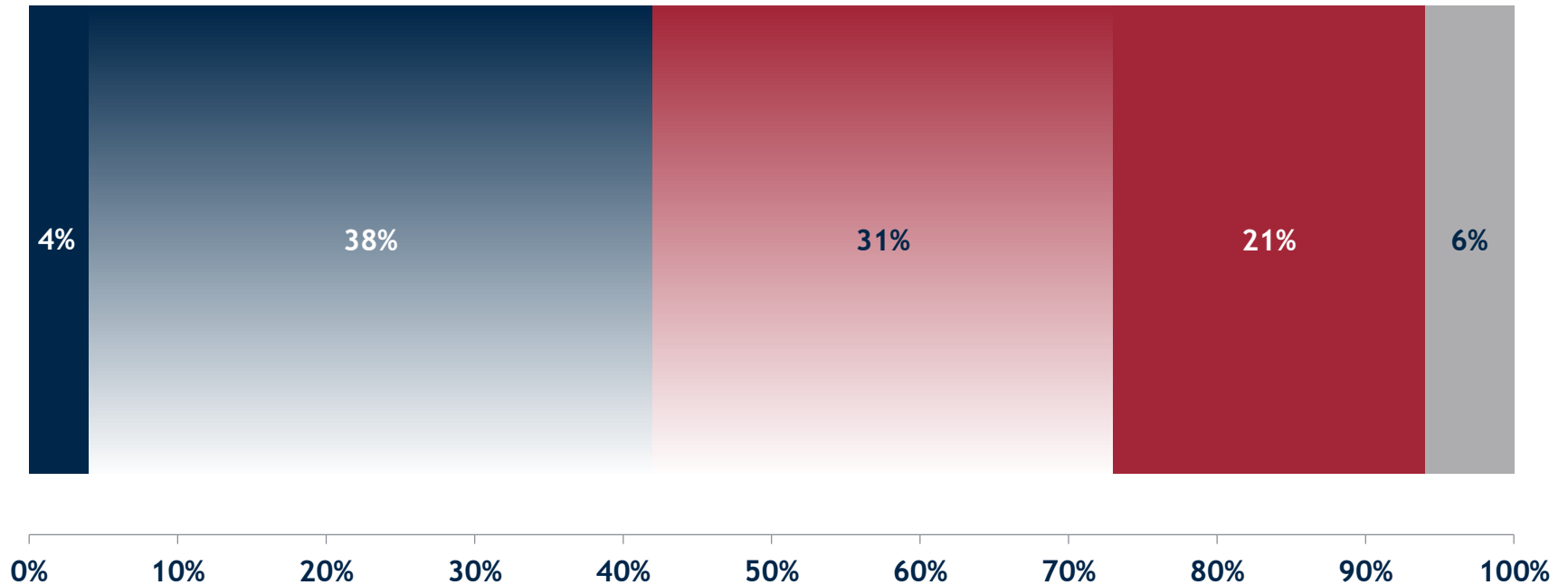
What is your opinion about the job the Pro-European Coalition is doing?

■ Very good job ■ Rather good job ■ Rather bad job ■ Very bad job ■ Don't know/No answer



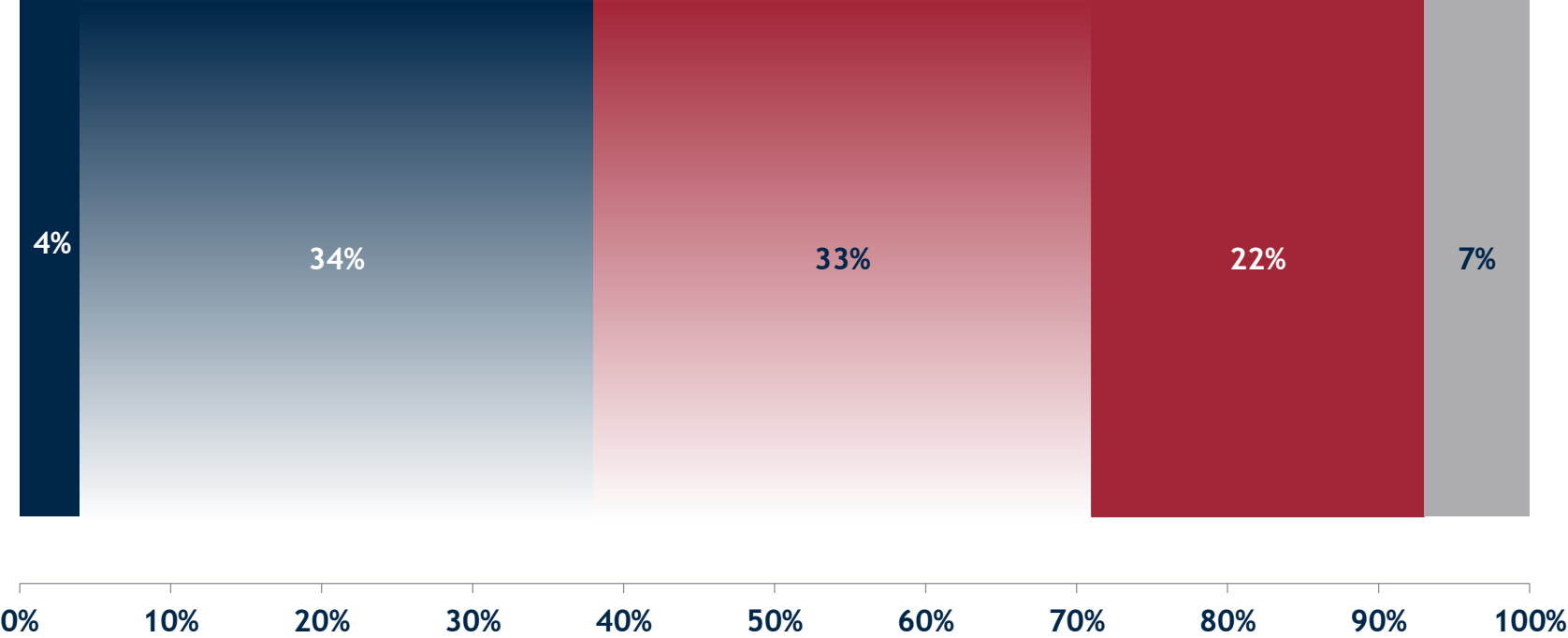
Do you approve or disapprove of the way the government is doing its job?

■ Strongly approve ■ Somewhat approve ■ Somewhat disapprove ■ Strongly disapprove ■ Don't know/No answer

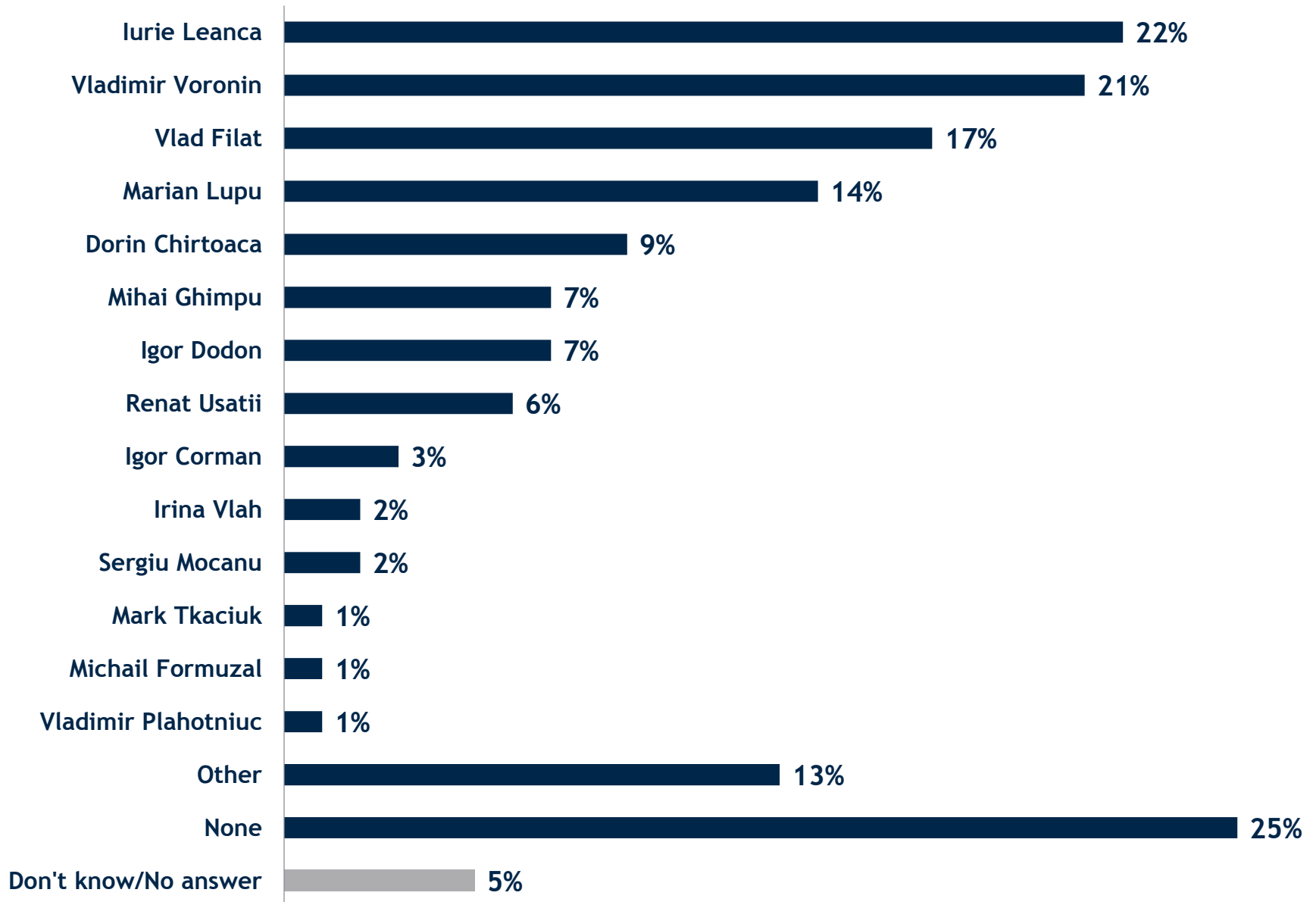


Overall, how much do you feel you can trust the government to do what's right - a great deal, somewhat, not so much or not at all?

■ A great deal ■ Somewhat ■ Not so much ■ Not at all ■ Don't know/No answer



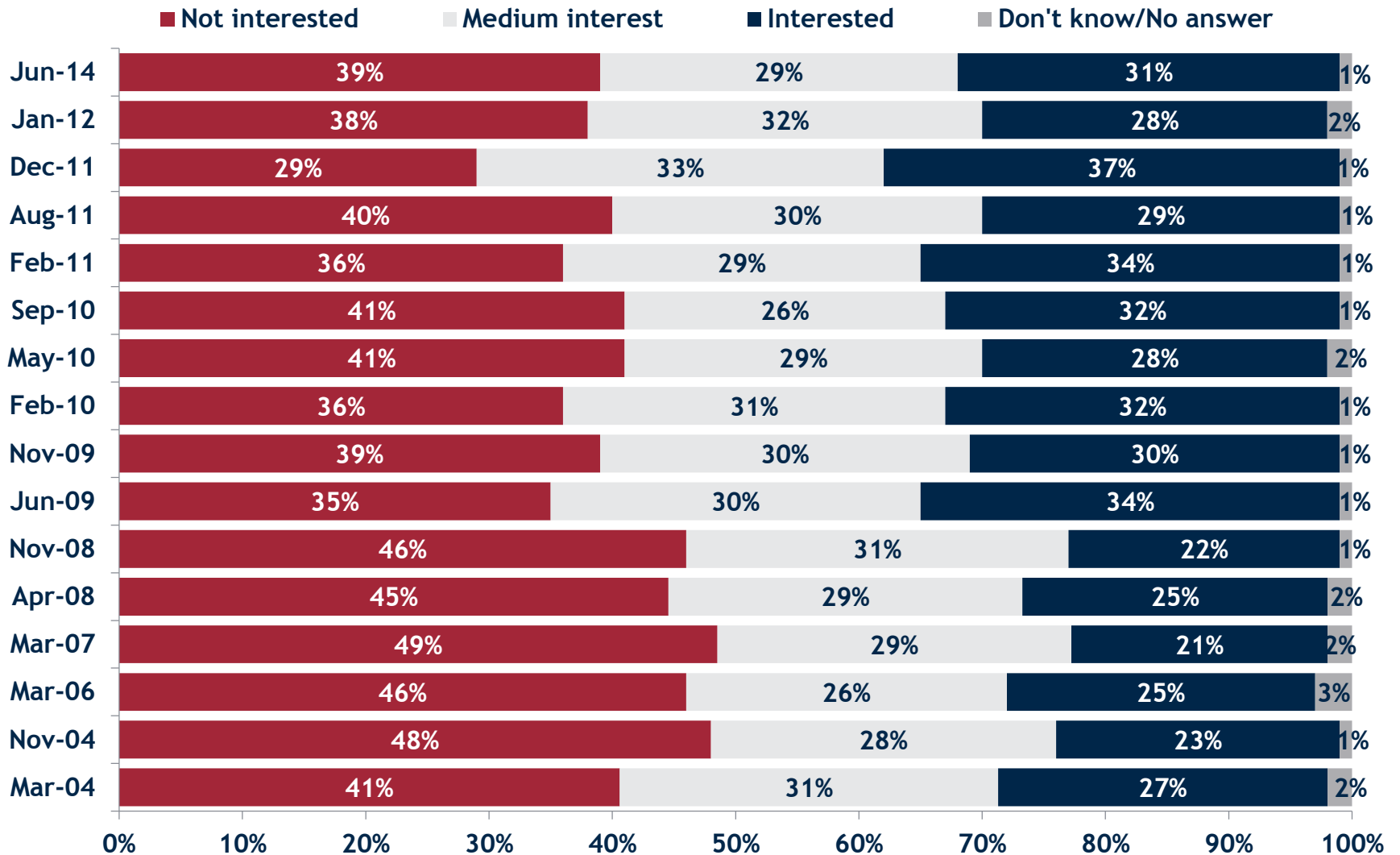
Which politicians or public persons do you trust the most? (Spontaneous)





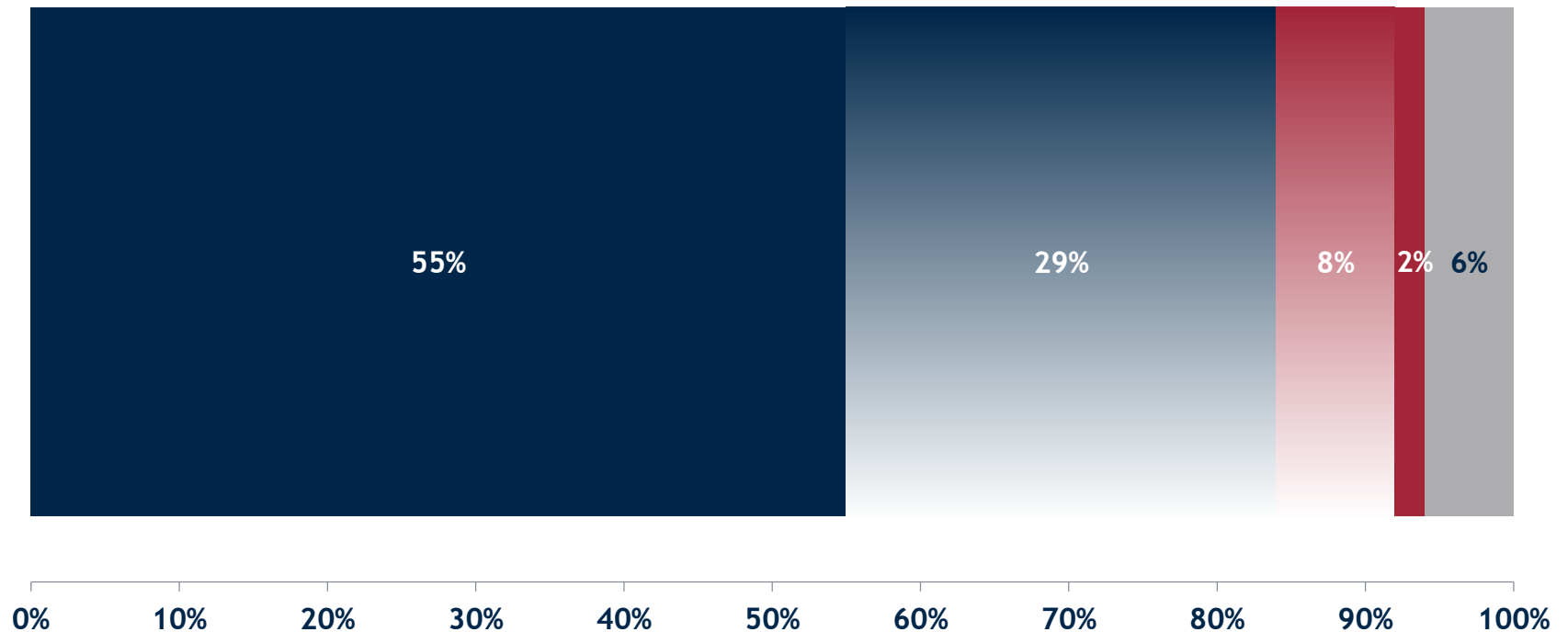
2014 Parliamentary Elections

How much interest do you have in politics?



In your opinion, does your financial situation depend on the results of elections in general?

- Yes, it depends
- No, it does not depend
- I don't believe in the election results
- I don't care about elections
- Don't know/No answer

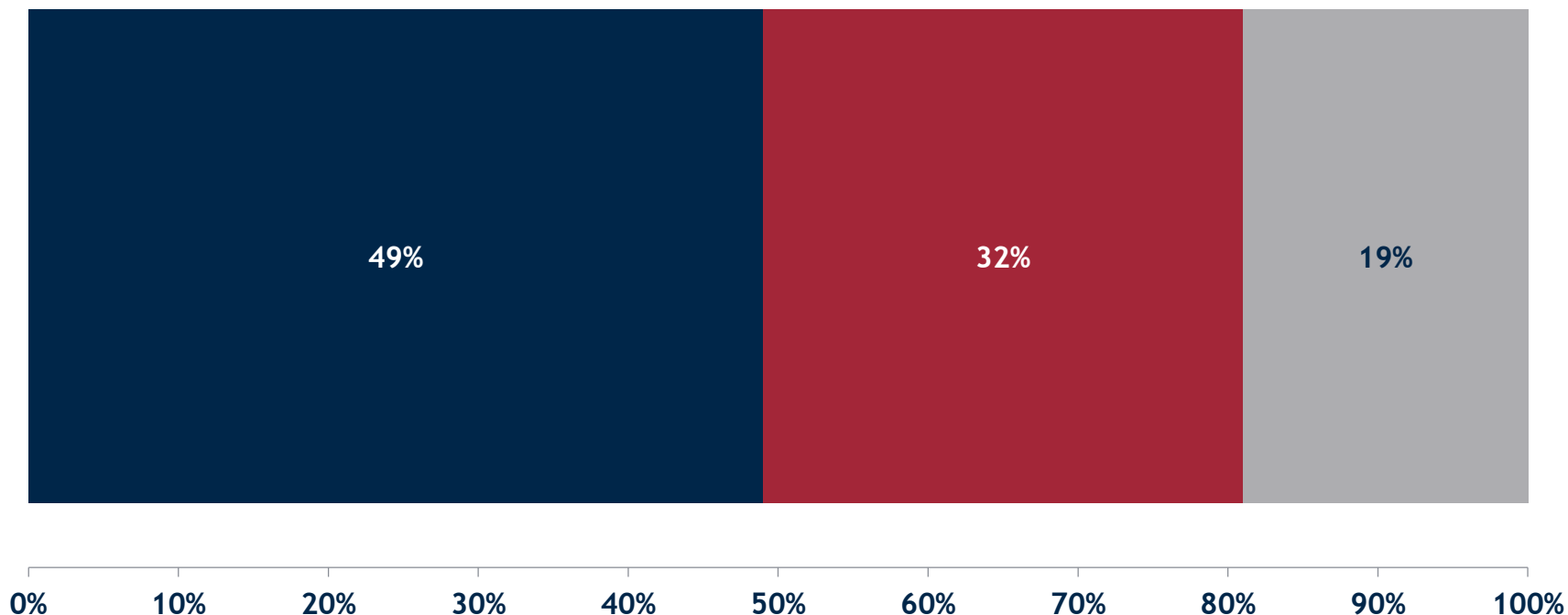


Thinking about the last parliamentary elections in Moldova in November 2010, do you believe those were free and fair elections?

■ Yes, free and fair

■ No, not free and fair

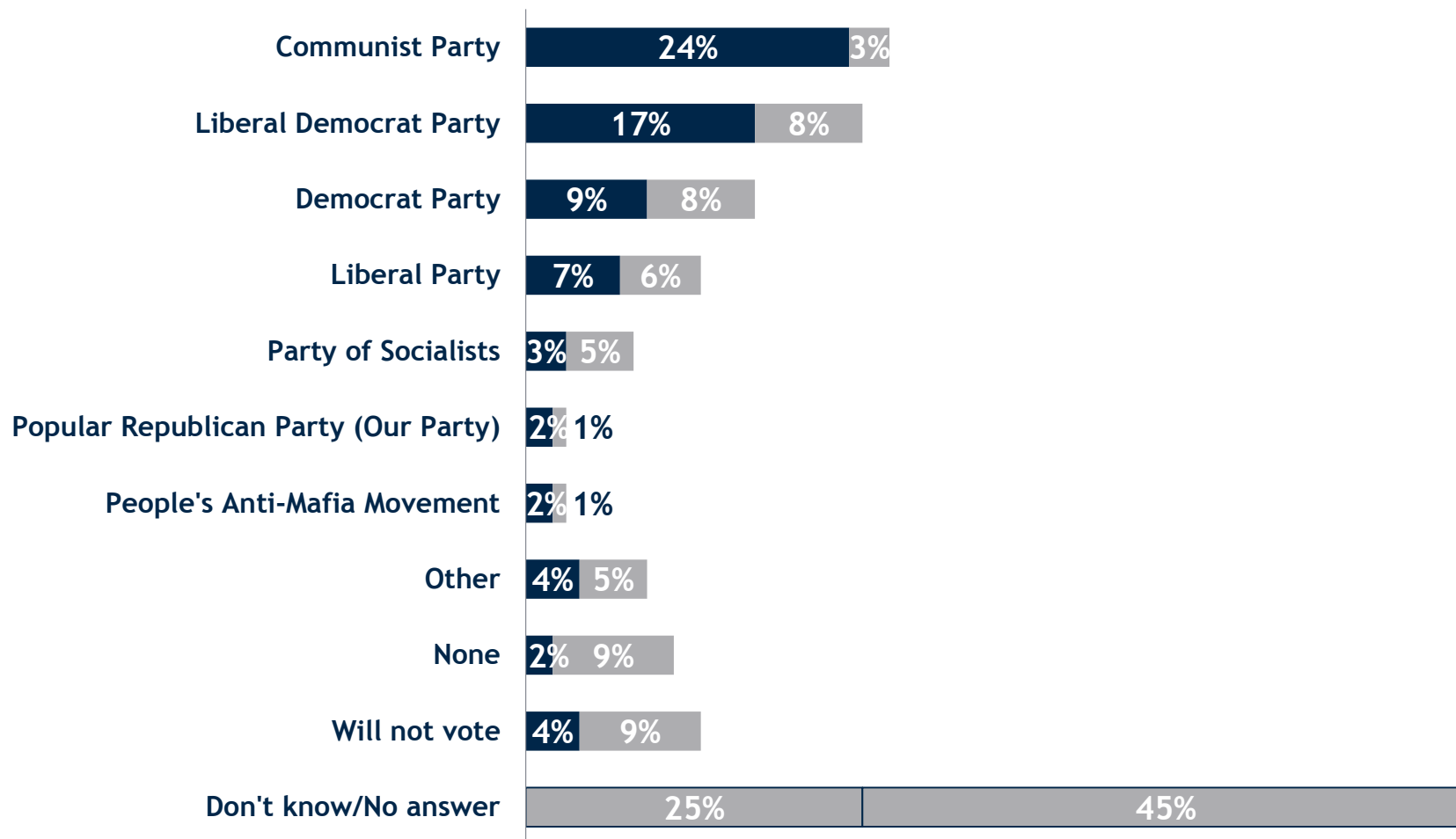
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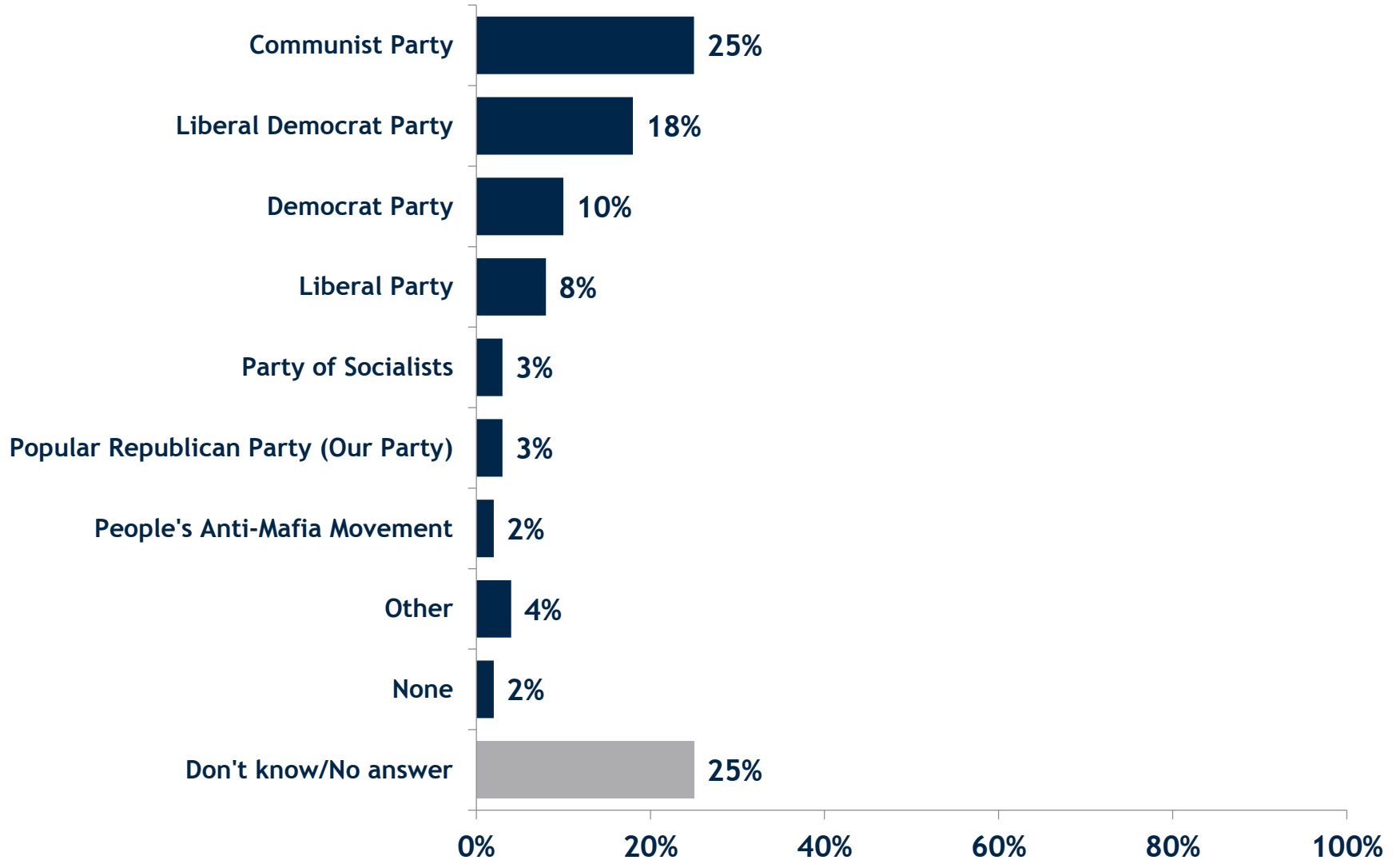
And which other party might you vote for in the parliamentary elections if, for some reason, the party you have previously mentioned as your first voting choice does not participate in the elections?

■ First choice ■ Second choice

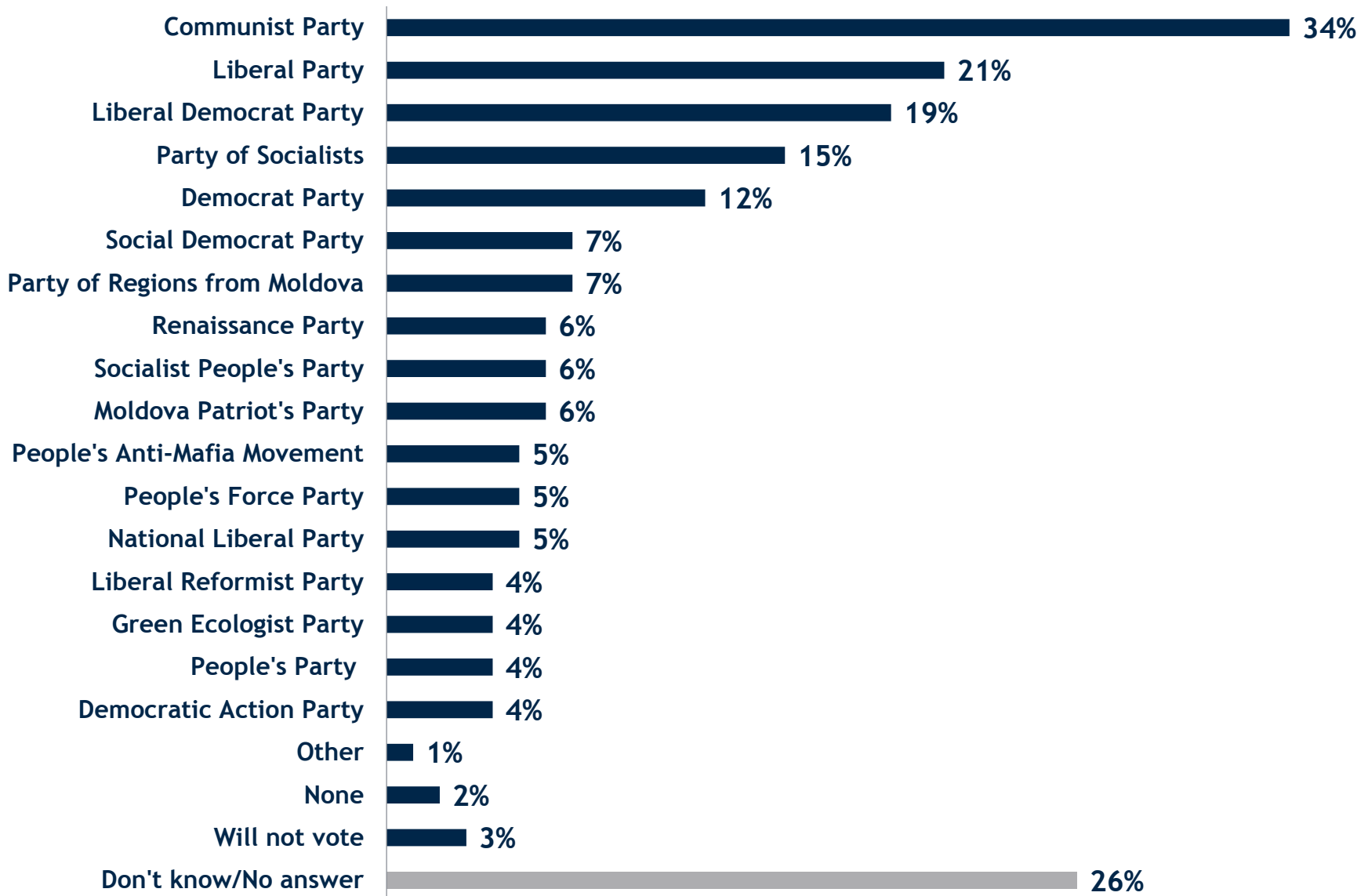


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Likely voters, n=1,101



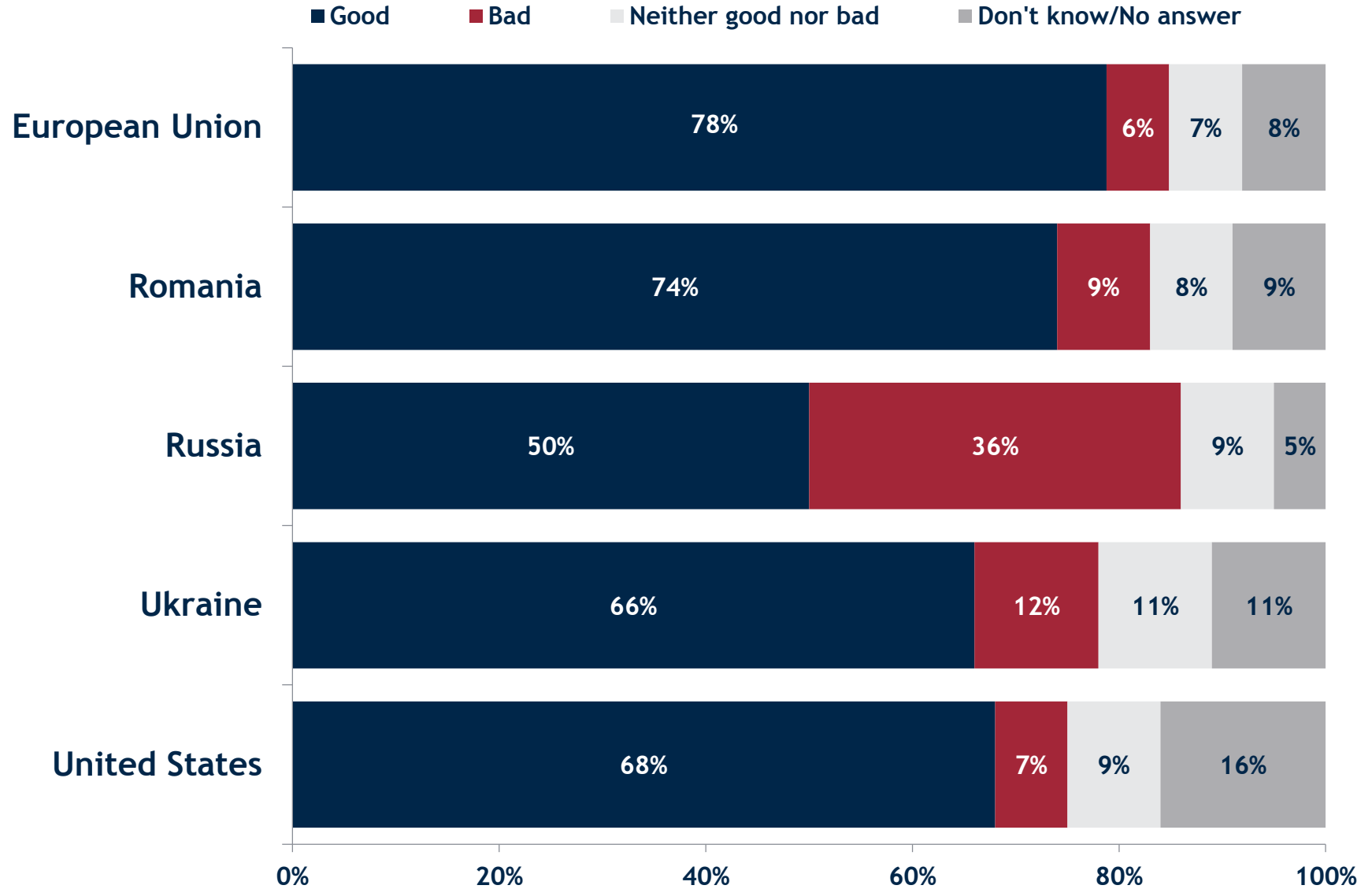
Which political parties would you never vote for?





International Relations

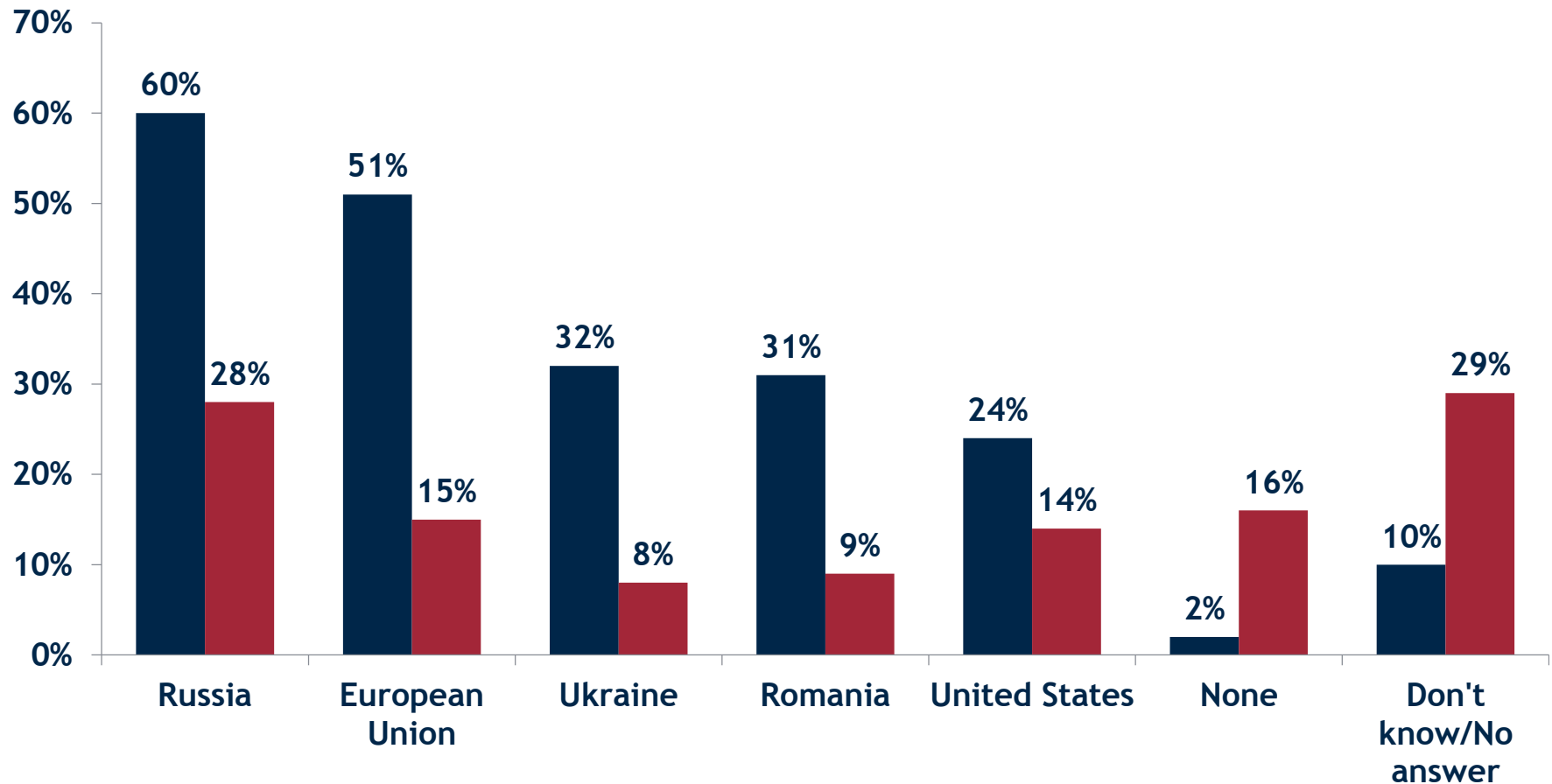
How would you assess the current relations between Moldova and the following?



Which of these countries do you consider to be the most important economic partners for Moldova?

Which of these countries do you consider to be the greatest economic threat to Moldova?

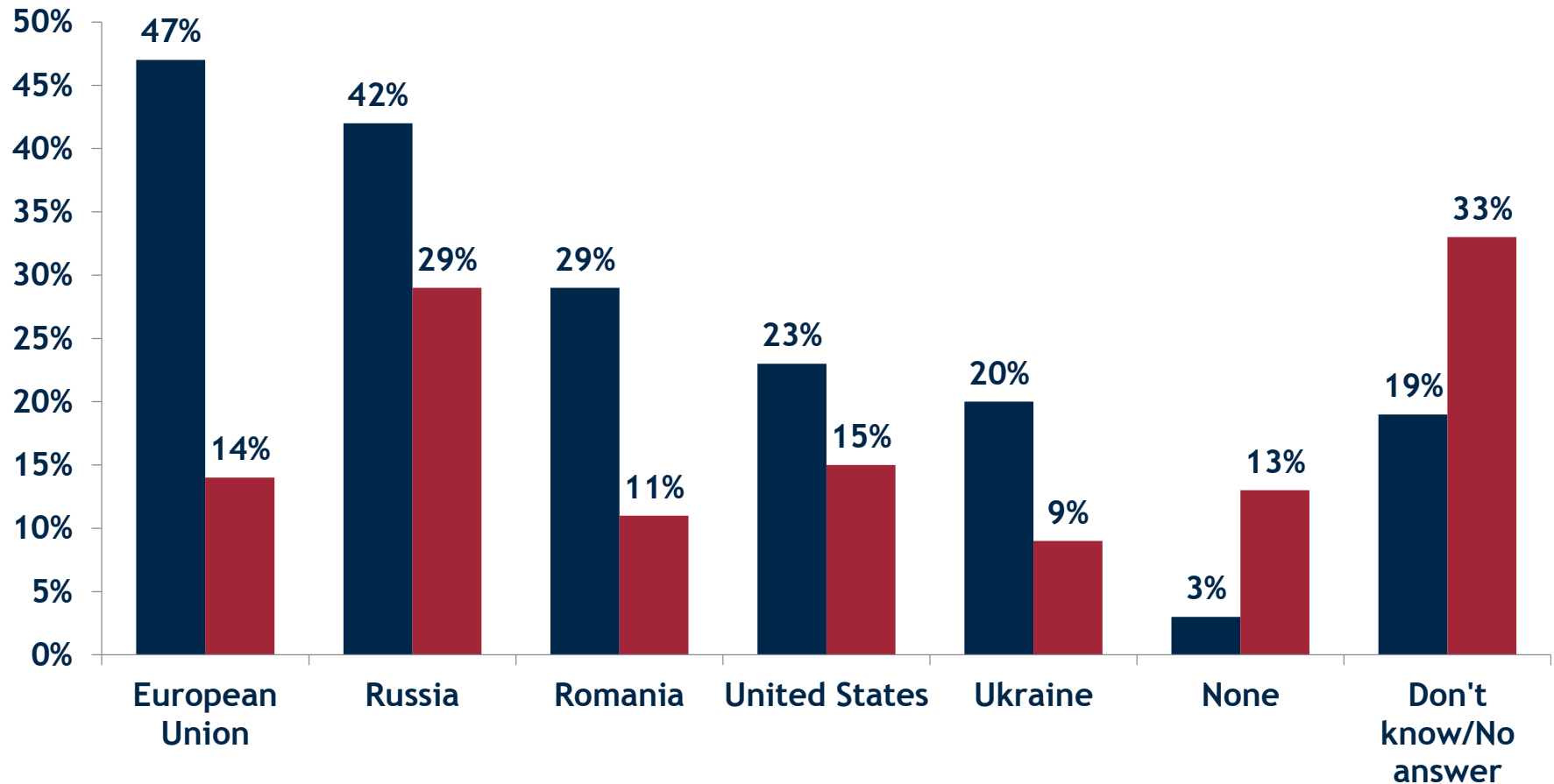
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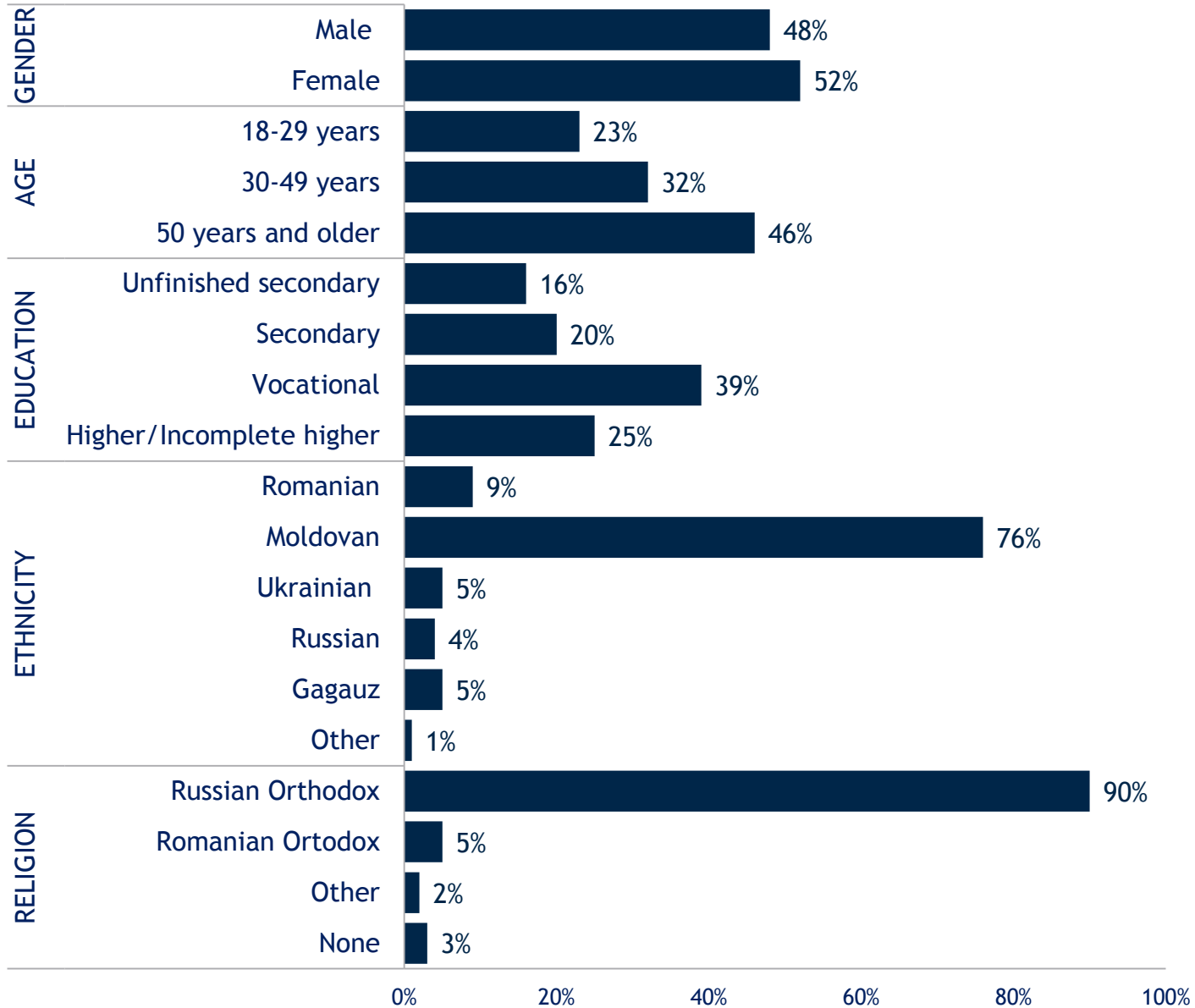
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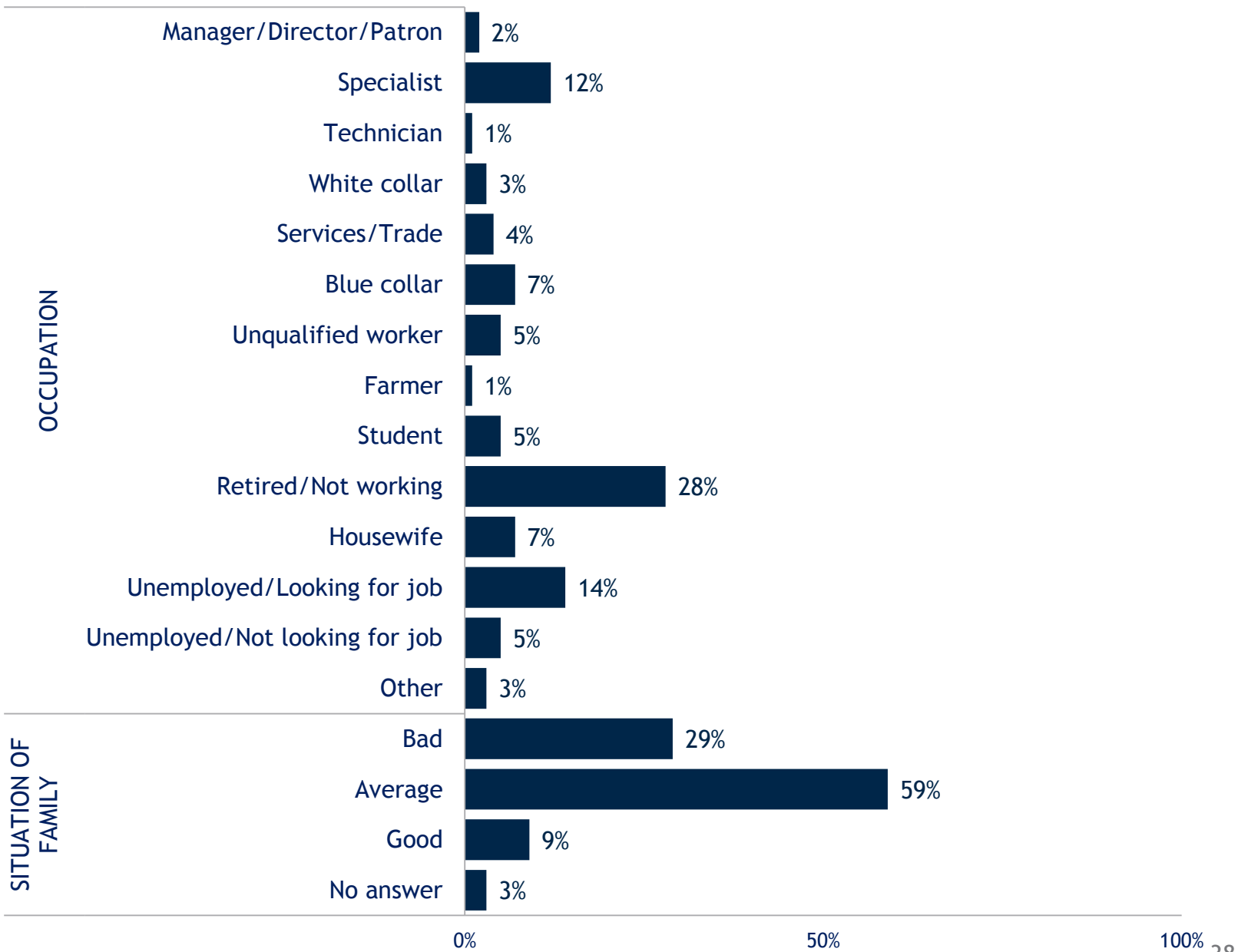
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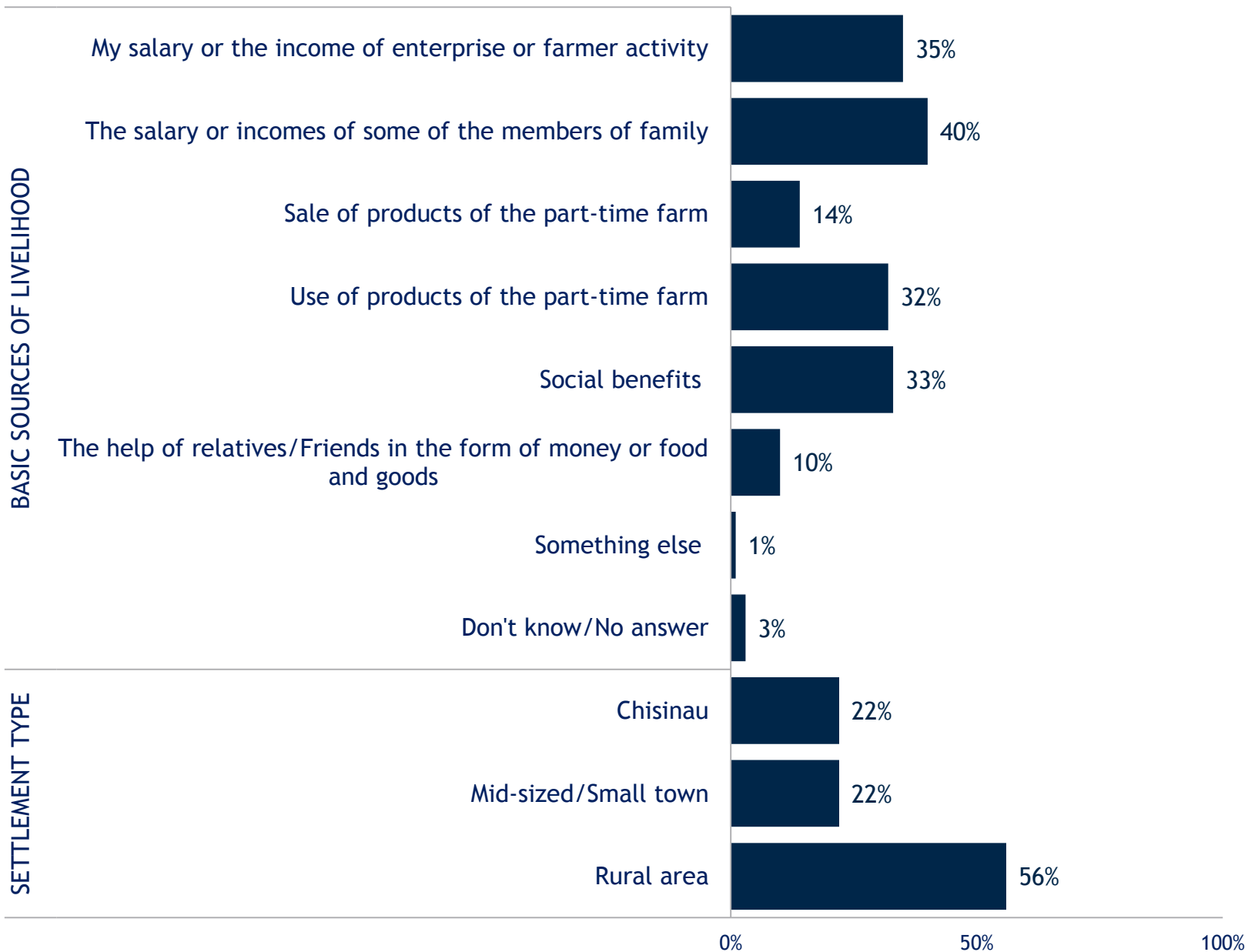
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