Public Opinion Survey: Residents of Armenia

June 2025



Detailed Methodology

- The survey was conducted on behalf of the International Republican Institute's <u>Center for Insights</u> <u>in Survey Research</u> by <u>Breavis</u> (represented by IPSC LLC).
- Data was collected from June 16-26, 2025 through CATI administered telephone interviews.
- The sample consisted of n=1,505 resident citizens of Armenia and forcibly displaced former residents of Nagorno Karabakh who are now residing in Armenia (who may or may not be citizens). Residents who have lived in Armenia for fewer than six months were excluded from the sample. It is representative of the population with access to a mobile phone, which excludes approximately 1.7% of adults.
- Phone numbers were selected via random digit dialing (RDD). The sample frame includes all possible mobile phone numbers (all prefixes), and the status of non-working or invalid numbers were recorded if they were called during fieldwork. Mobile phones are assumed to be a personal device and the person who answered the phone was selected to be interviewed. Up to three total contact attempts were made for working phone numbers that were not deemed to be ineligible.
- The achieved sample was weighted for age, gender, regions, and urbanicity according to the 2023 Yearbook of the Statistical Committee of Armenia and education; the education weight target has been calculated to the midpoint between the 2022 census data (for those aged 18+) and the achieved sample's education level.
- The response rate was 25%.
- The margin of error does not exceed ±2.5% for the full sample.
- Charts and graphs may not add up to 100 percent due to rounding.

Frequently Cited Disaggregate Bases

Disaggregate	Category	Base*
Age Group	18-35	n = 487
	36-55	n = 539
	56+	n = 479
Gender	Men	n = 692
	Women	n = 813
Urbanicity	Yerevan	n = 546
	Urban	n = 407
	Rural	n = 552
Occupational Status**	Employed	n = 611
	Self-employed	n = 222
	Homemaker	n = 219
	Retired	n = 244
	Unemployed, looking for job	n = 109

^{**}Student/pupil, unemployed not looking for a job, other, and don't know/refused are not displayed. *Cited bases are weighted. Margin of error will vary with sample size n.

Most recent IRI Armenia polls

Poll	Fieldwork Dates	Total Sample Size
Public Opinion Survey: Residents of Armenia (CATI)	September 13-25, 2024	n = 1,503
Public Opinion Survey: Residents of Armenia (CATI)	December 12-22, 2023	n = 1,508
Public Opinion Survey: Residents of Armenia (CAPI)	January 23 - March 04, 2023	n = 1,513
Public Opinion Survey: Residents of Armenia (CATI)	July 15-27, 2022	n =1,502
Public Opinion Survey: Residents of Armenia (CATI)	June 10-21, 2022	n = 1,499
Public Opinion Survey: Residents of Armenia (CATI)	February 21-25, 2022	n = 1,524

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IRI's research approach integrates CISR's methodological polling best practices protocol and field partner in-depth knowledge of the local research environment. This close collaboration begins at project design, with carefully calibrated sampling and instrument development, and continues throughout the entire fieldwork cycle to ensure the collection of reliable qualitative and quantitative data.

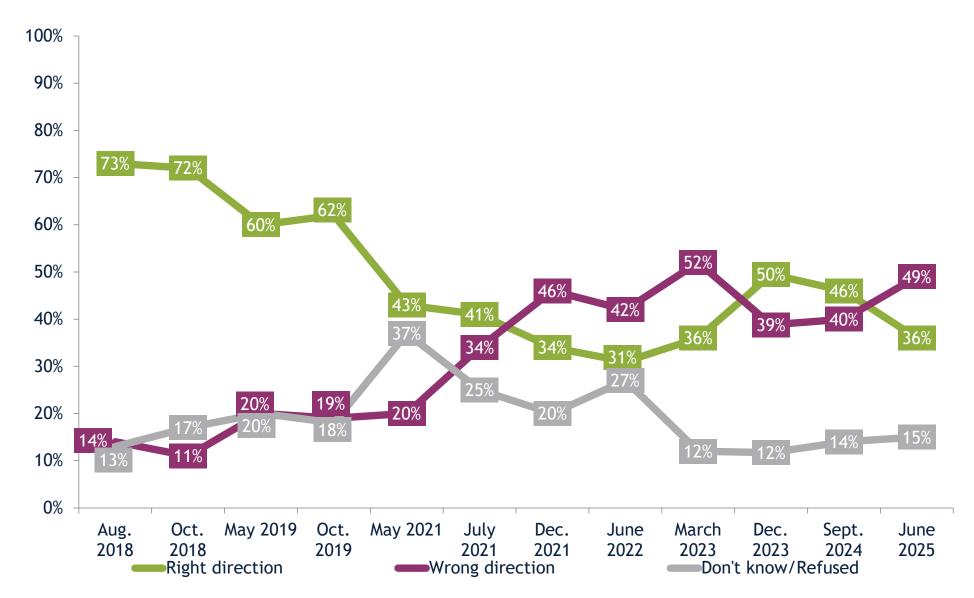
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General Outlook



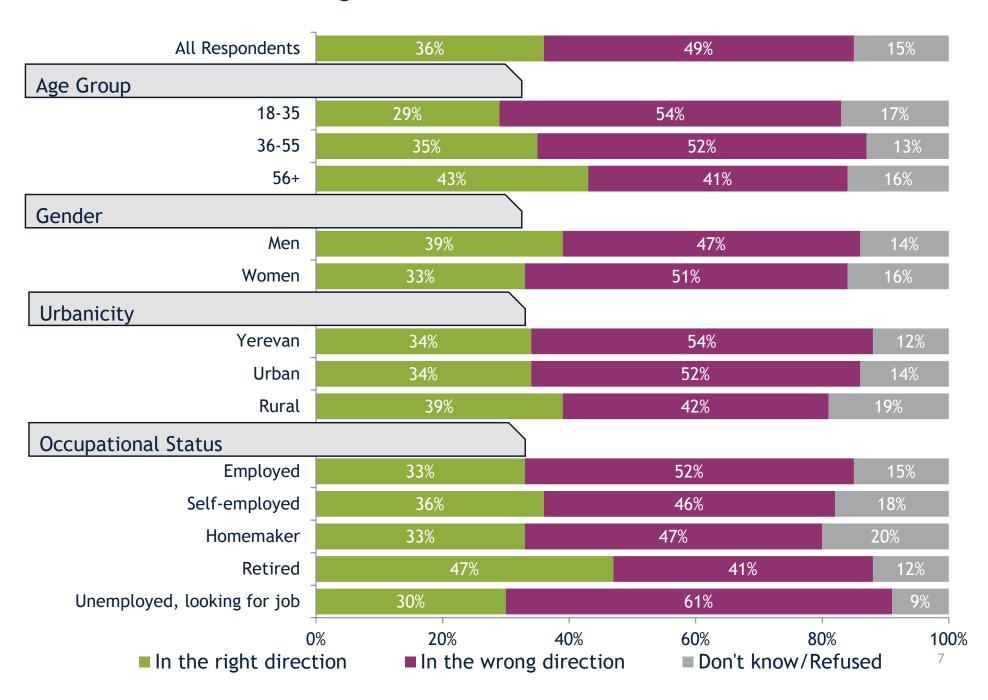


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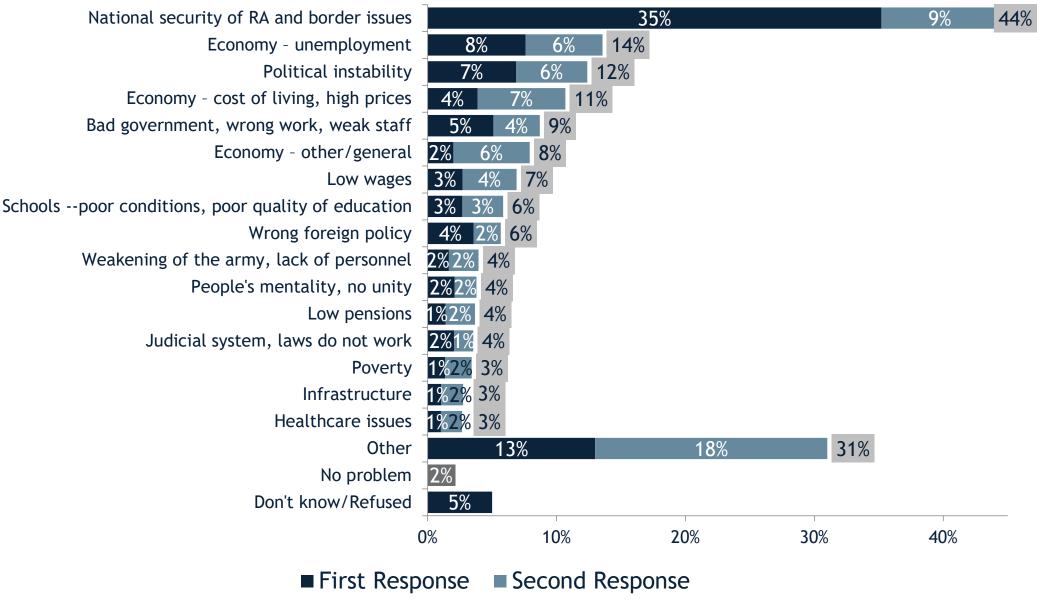
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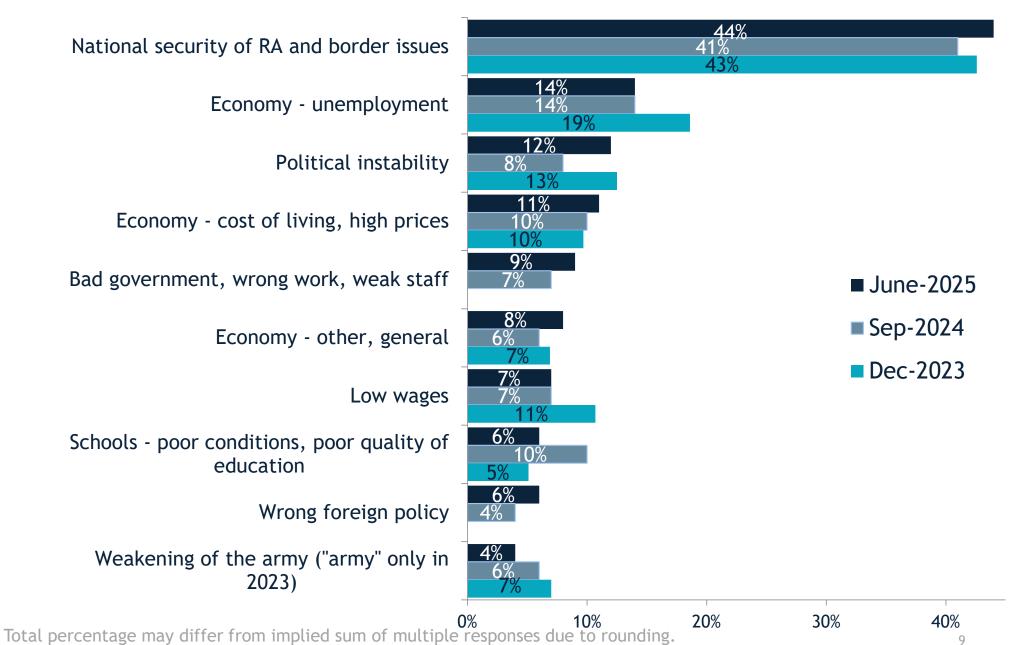
(Spontaneous response; up to two responses permitted)



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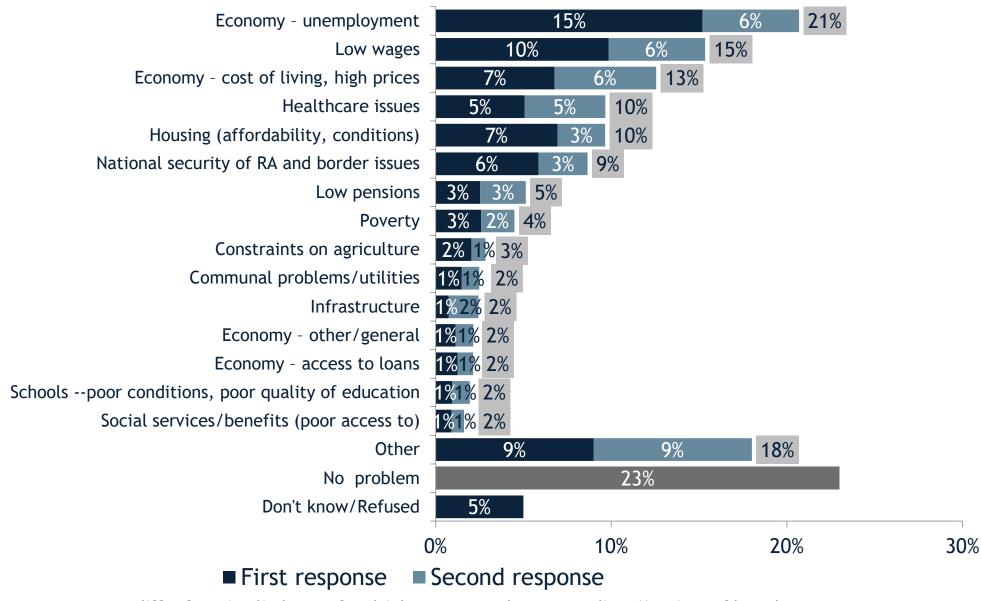
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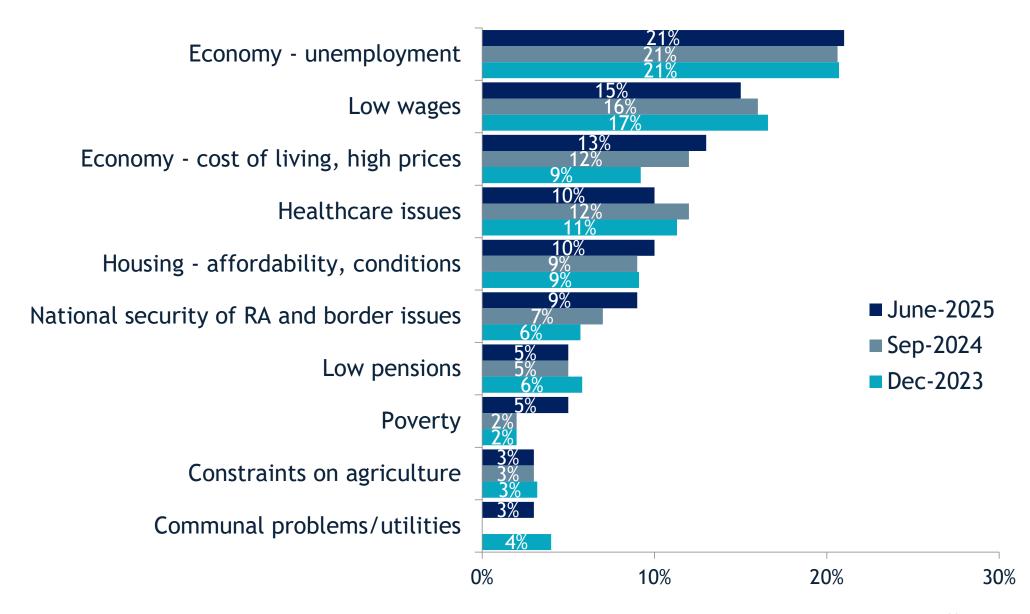
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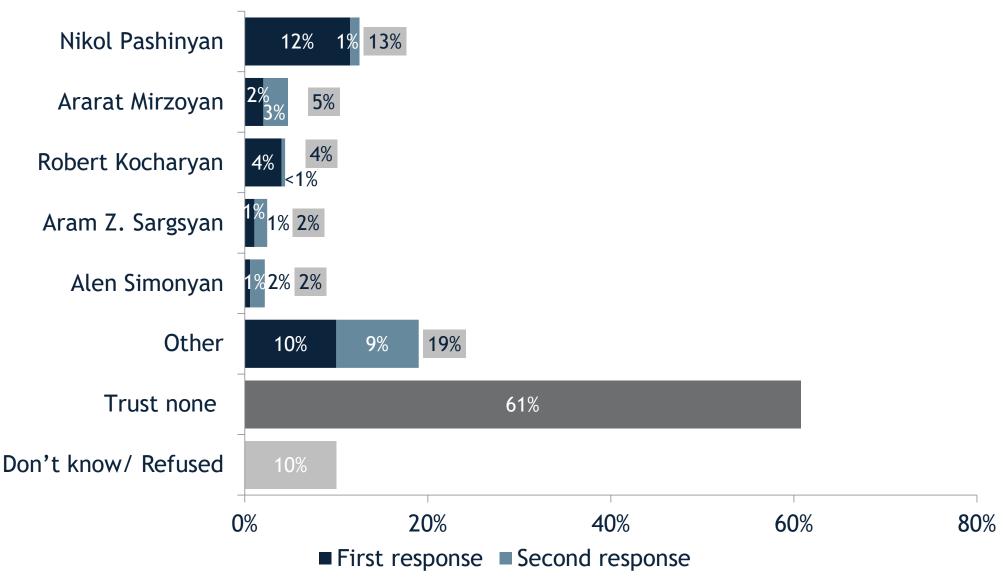


Attitude towards Politicians and Political Institutions



Which politician do you trust the most? And the second most?

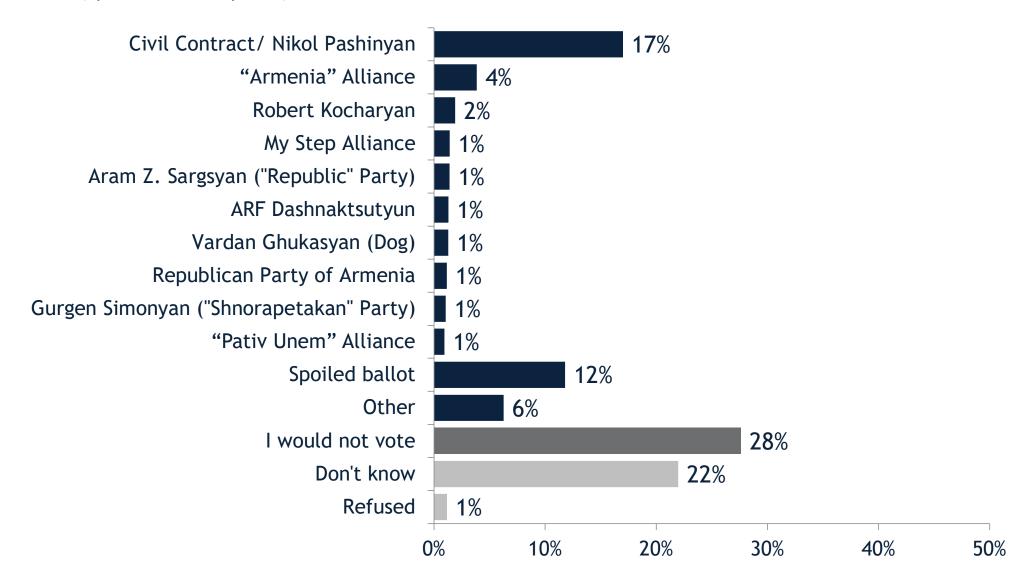
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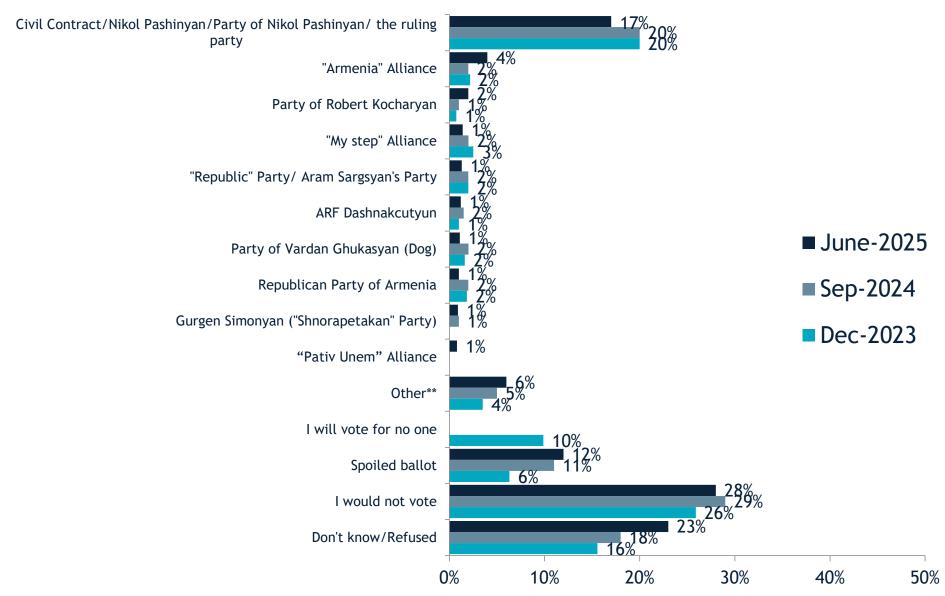
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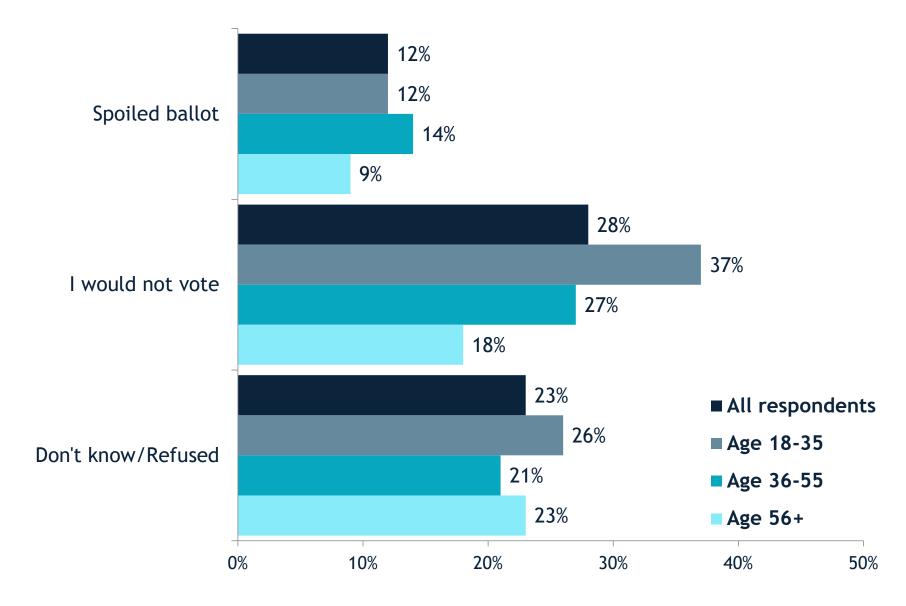


^{*} Responses receiving <1% are collapsed into Other.

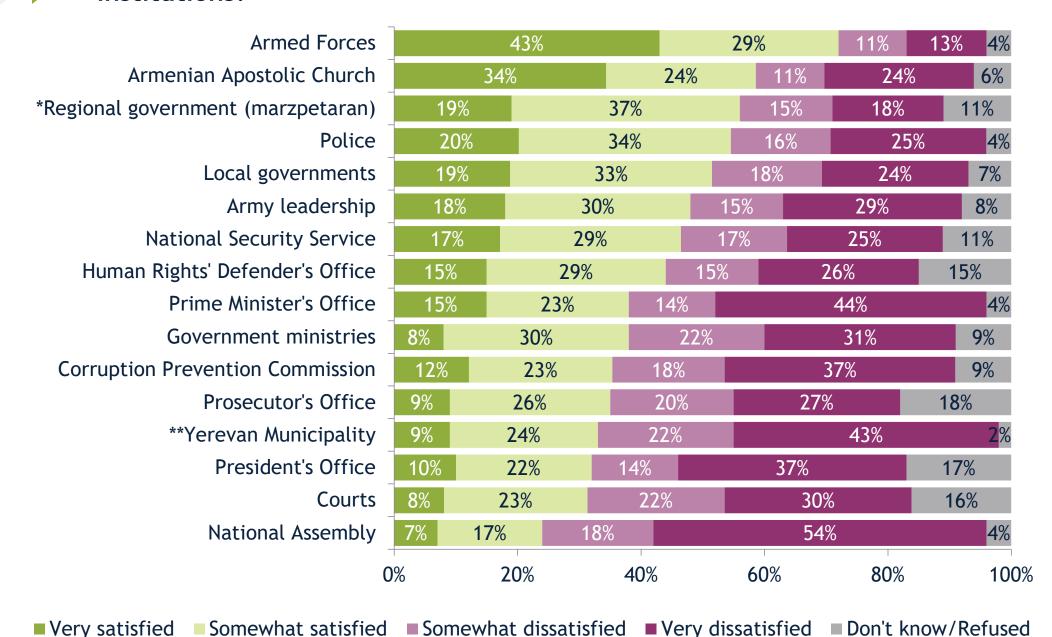
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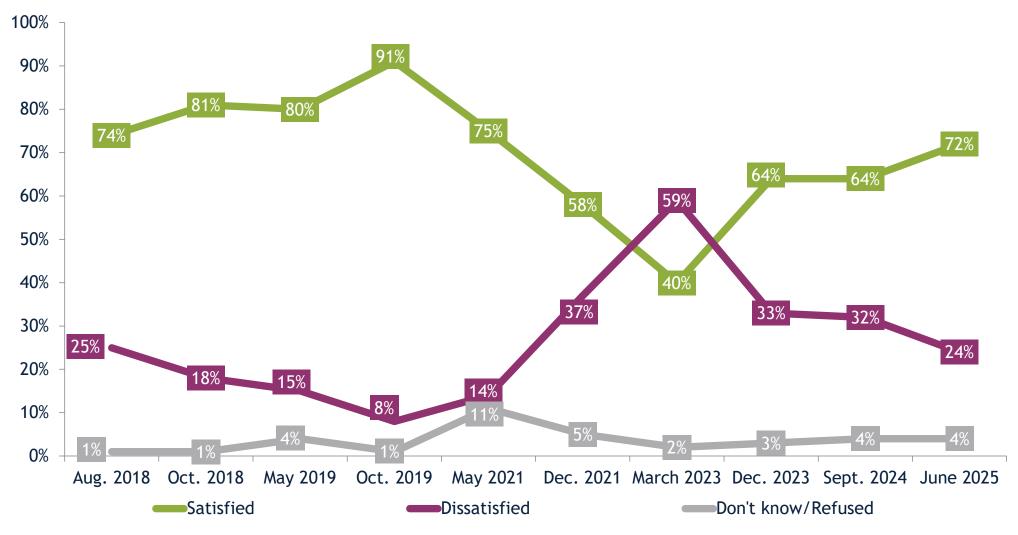
(Spontaneous response; select responses displayed)



How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the work of the following institutions?



How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the work of the Armed Forces?



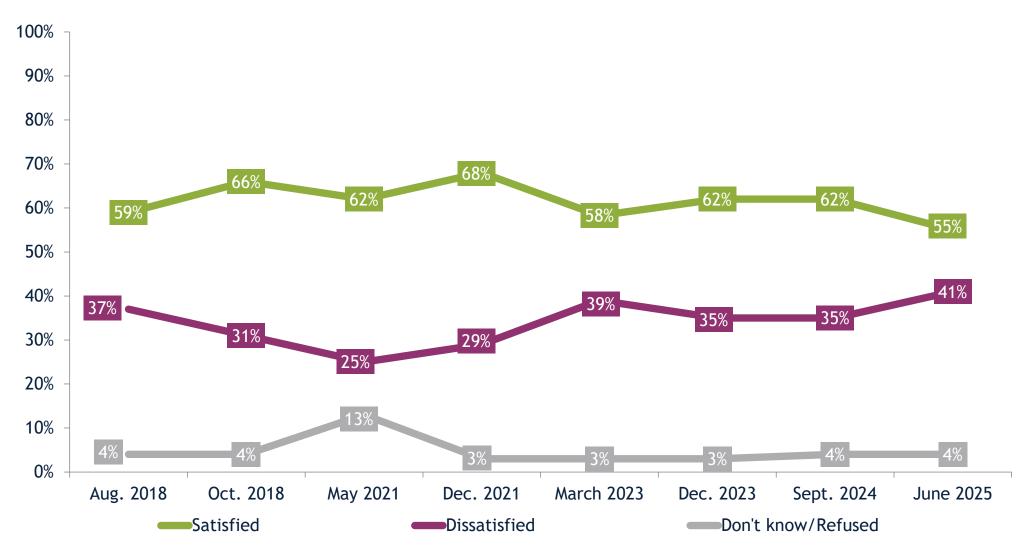
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How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the work of the *Police*?

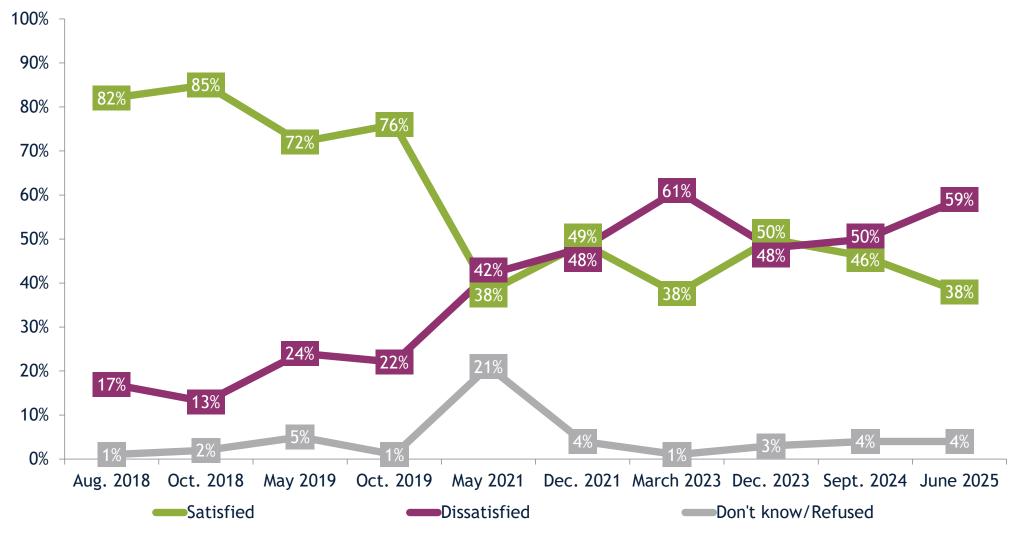


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How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the work of the *Prime Minister's Office*?



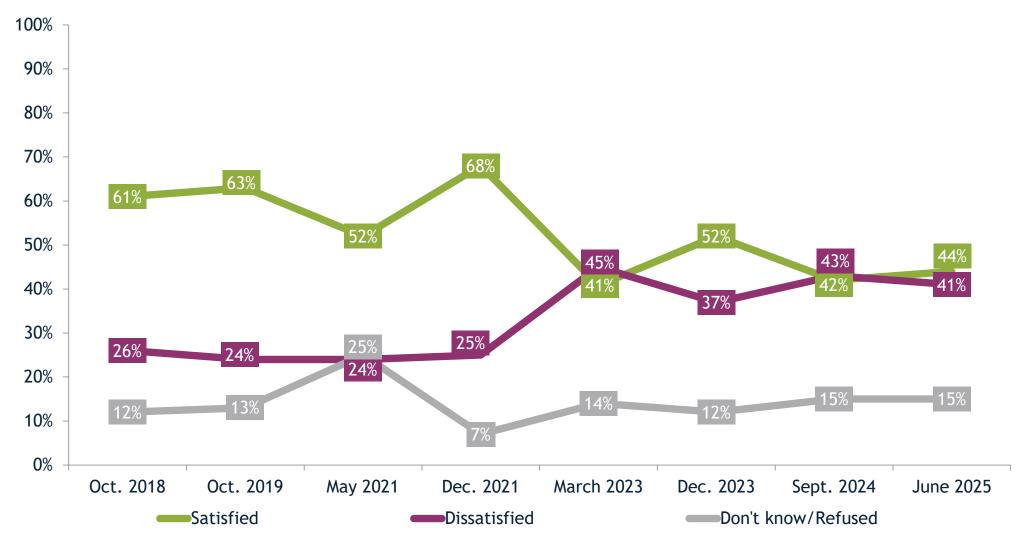
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How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the work of the Human Rights Defender's (Ombudsperson's) Office?

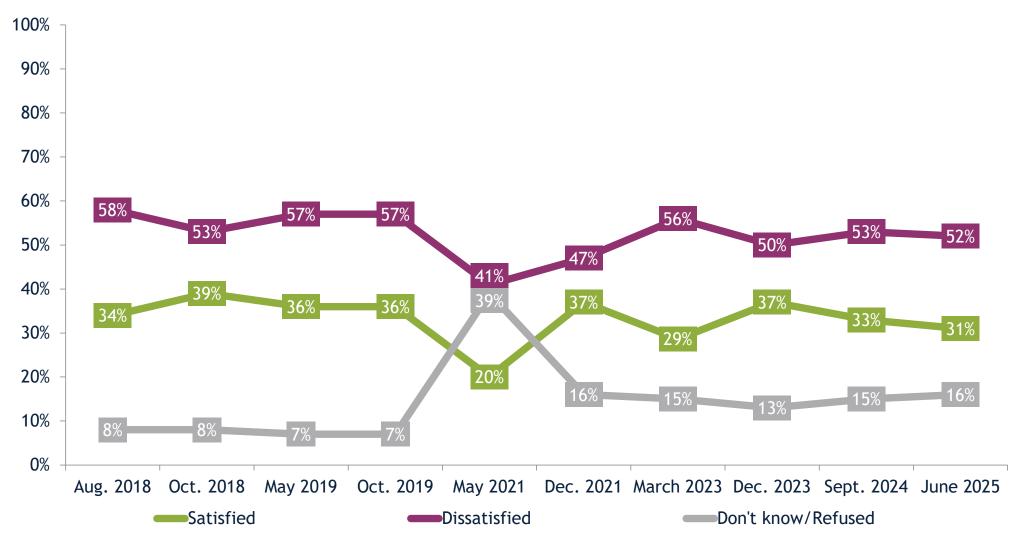


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How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the work of the Courts?



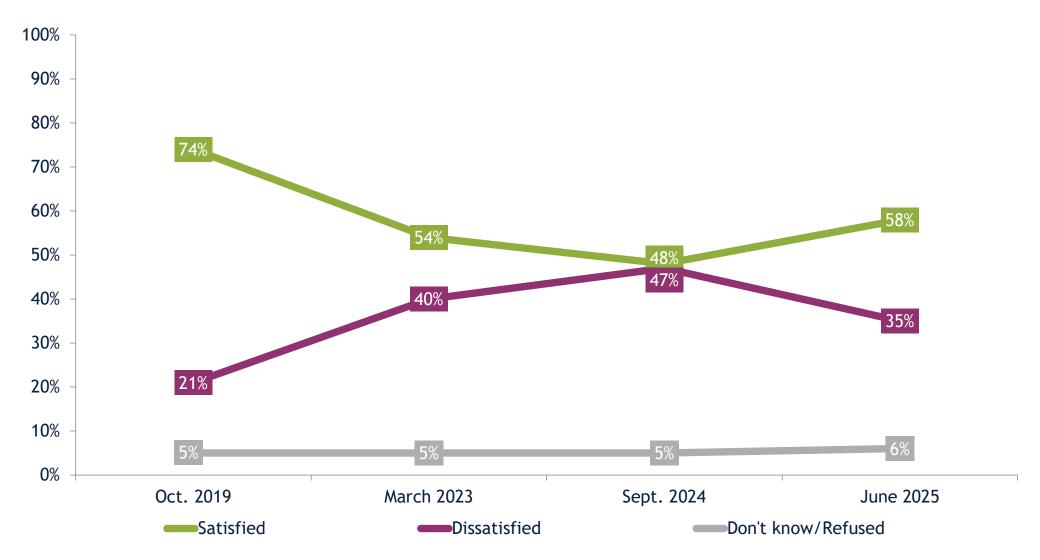
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How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the work of the *Armenian Apostolic Church*?

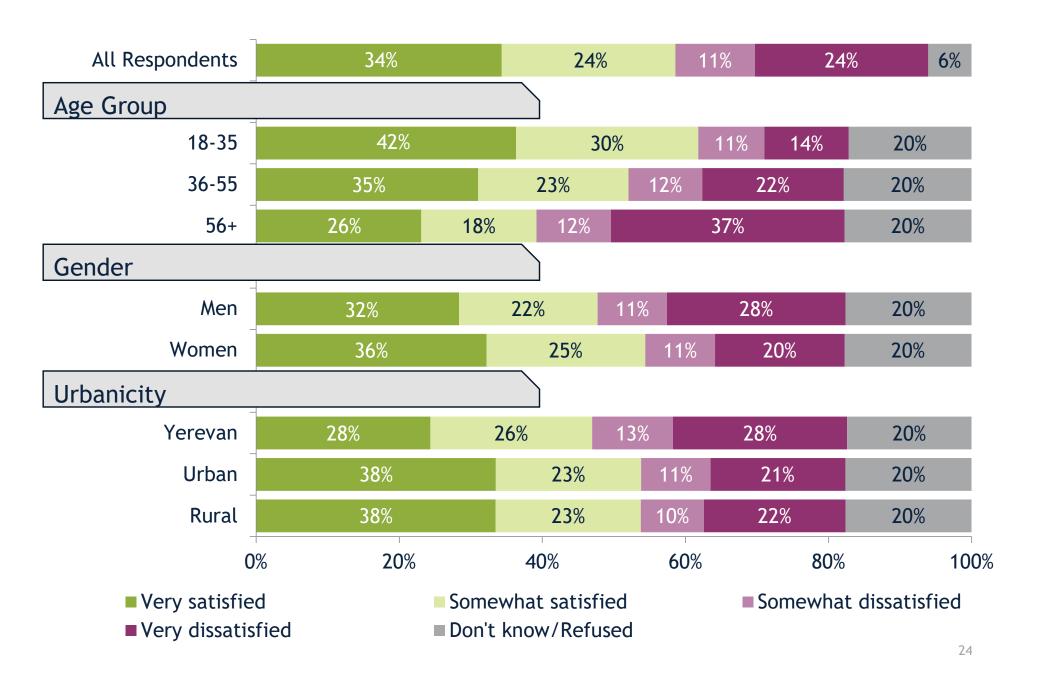


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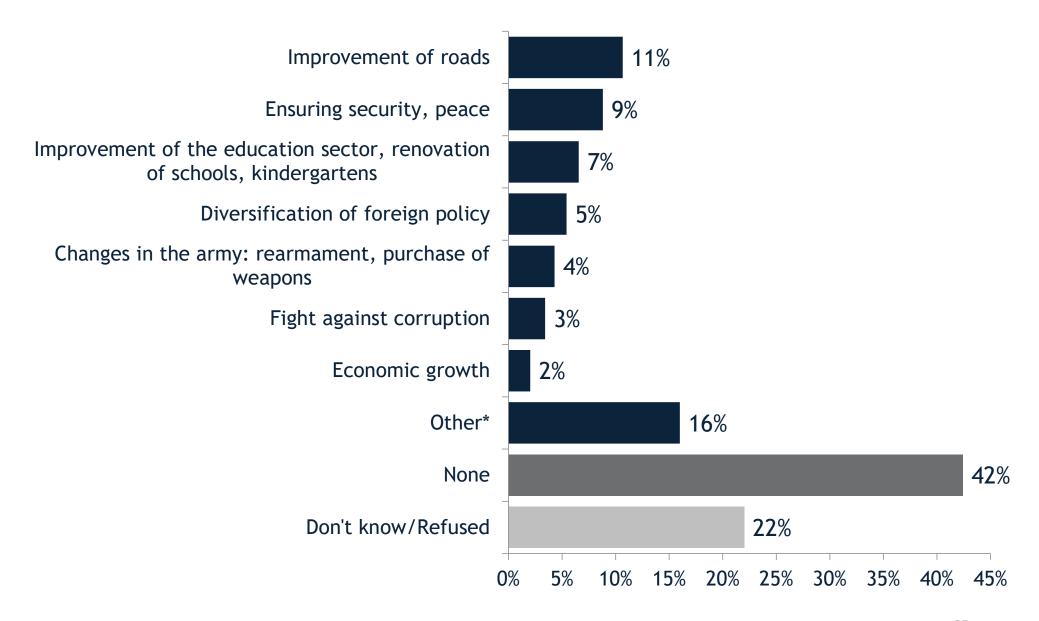
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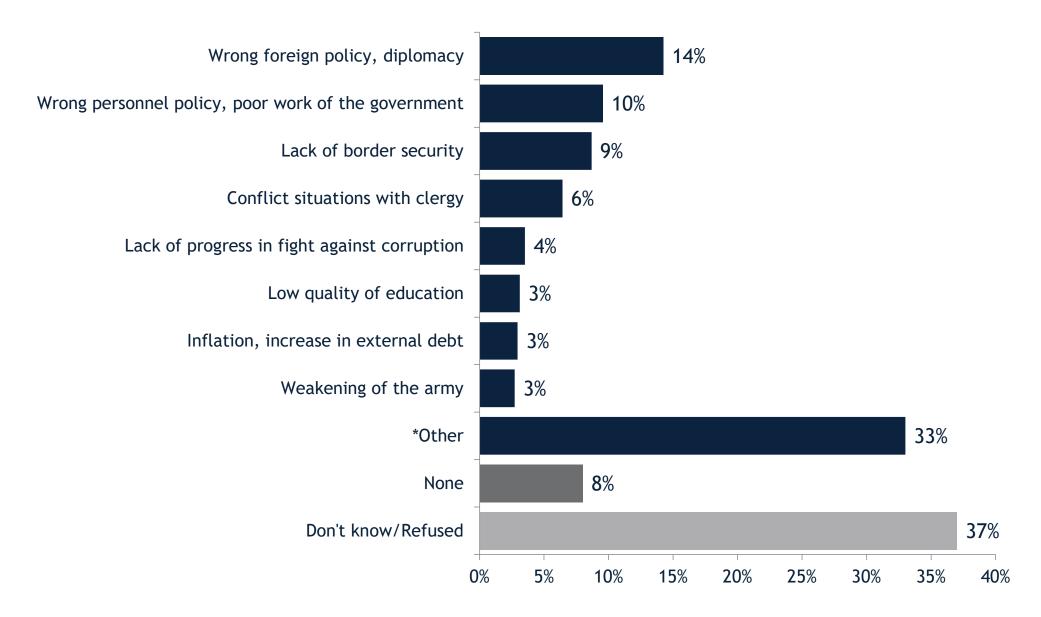
What do you think is the biggest success of the government during the last six months?

(Spontaneous response; up to two responses permitted; total responses displayed)



What do you think is the biggest failure of the government during the last six months?

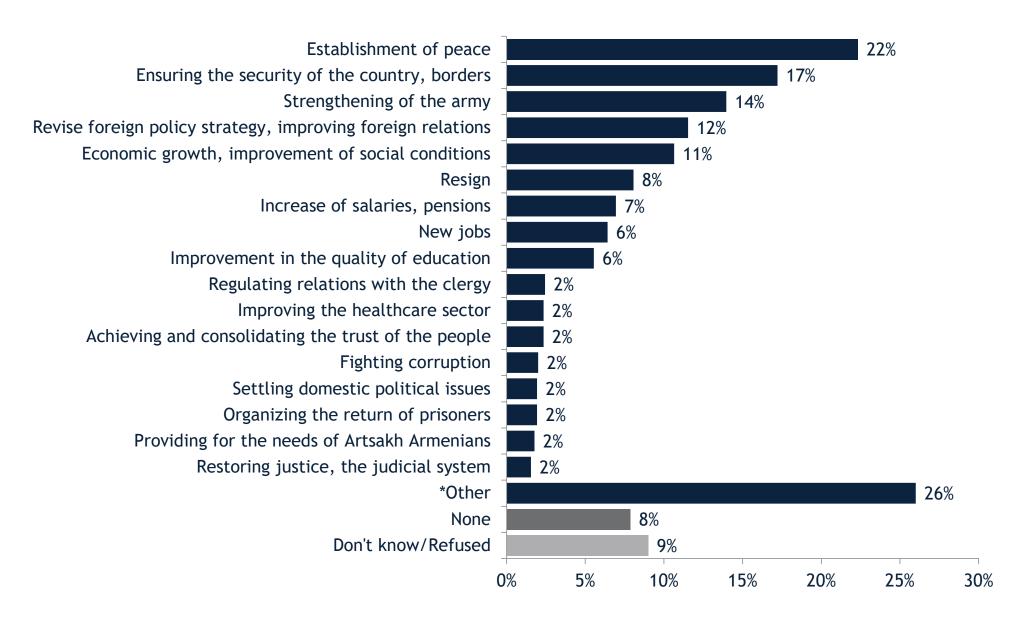
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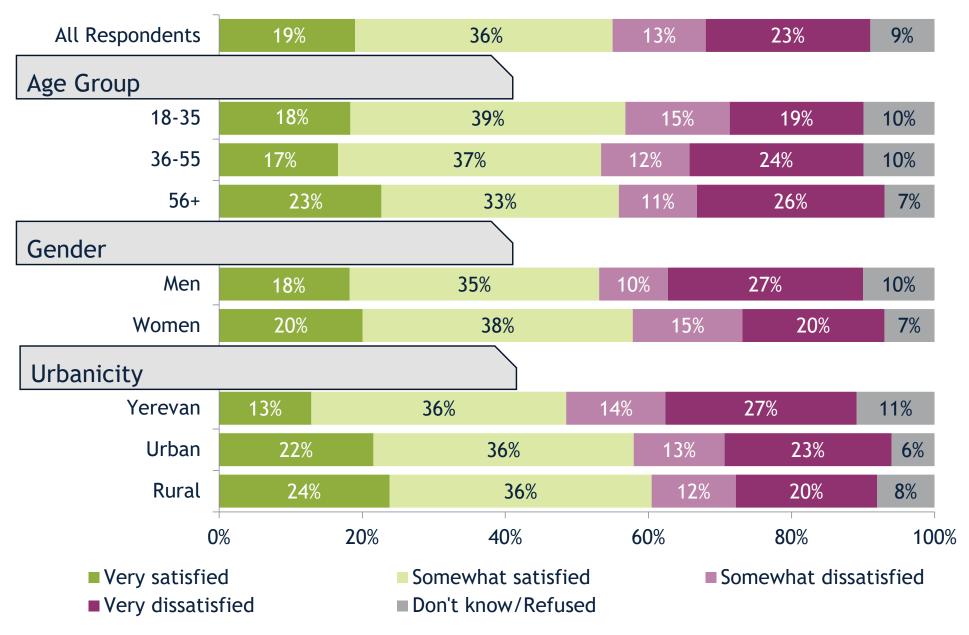


In your opinion, what are two things you believe that the Nikol Pashinyan's government must achieve in the next six months, if any?

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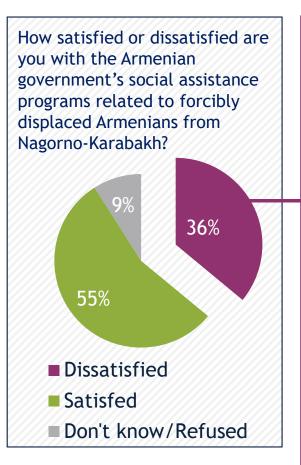
How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the Armenian government's social assistance programs related to forcibly displaced Armenians from Nagorno-Karabakh?

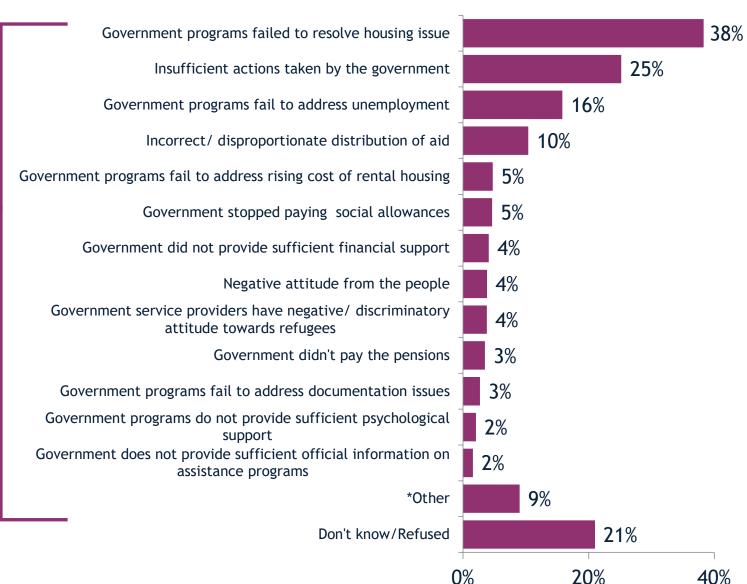




Can you please tell me why you are dissatisfied?

(Among those who are dissatisfied, n=539; spontaneous response; up to two responses permitted)



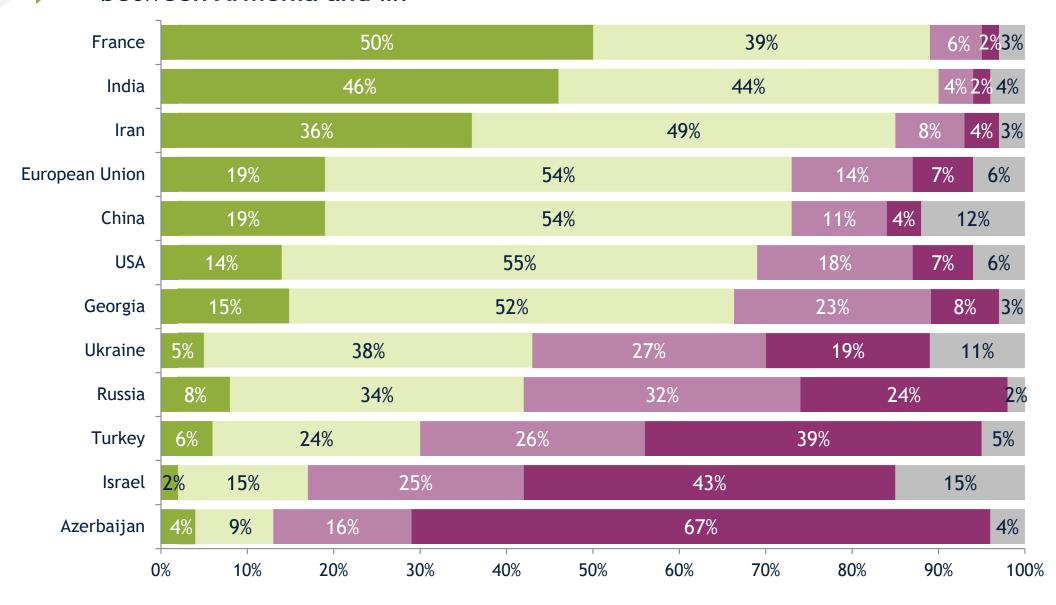


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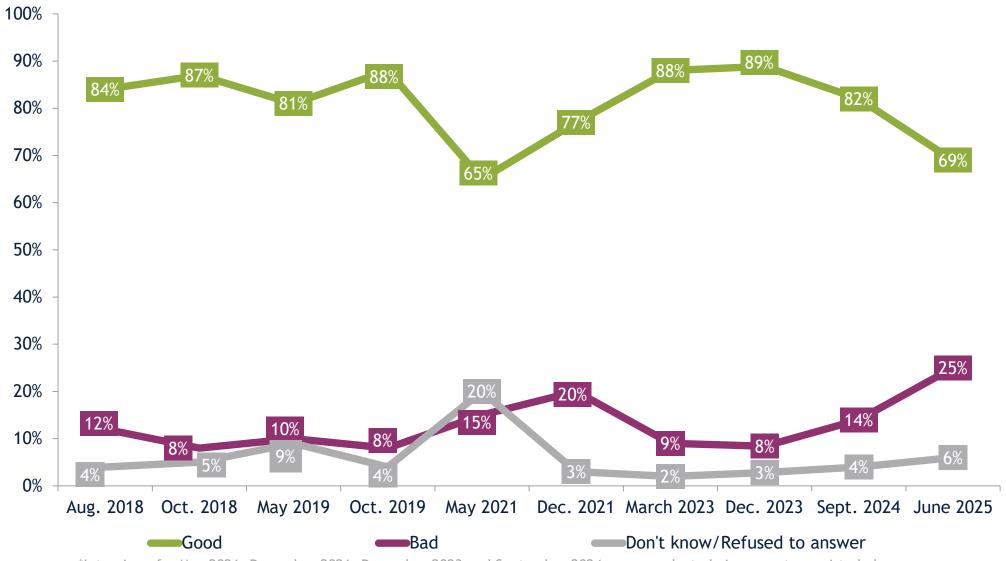


How would you evaluate the current state of the relationship between Armenia and ...?



■ Very good = Somewhat good = Somewhat bad = Very bad = Don't know/Refused to answer

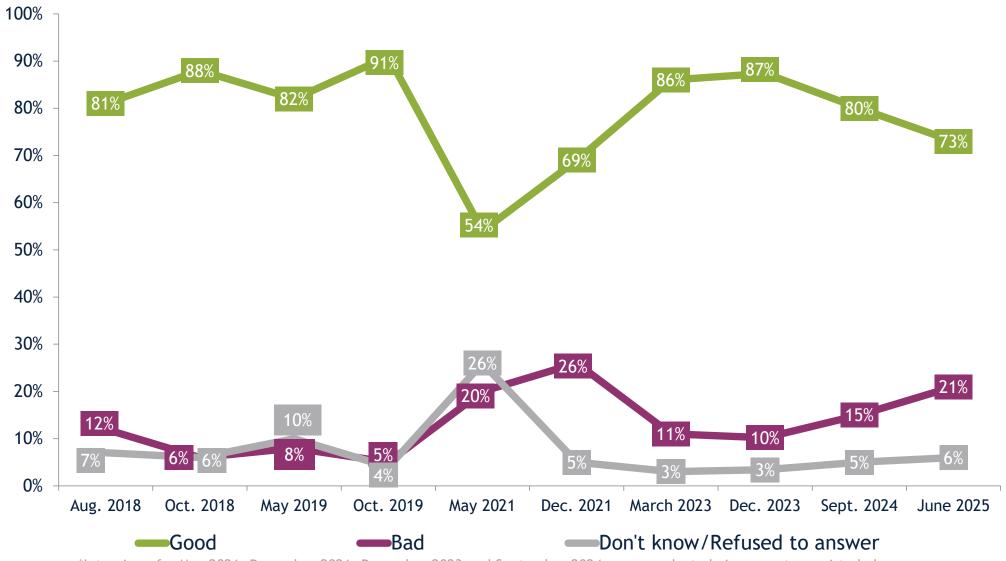
How would you evaluate the current state of the relationship between Armenia and *USA*?



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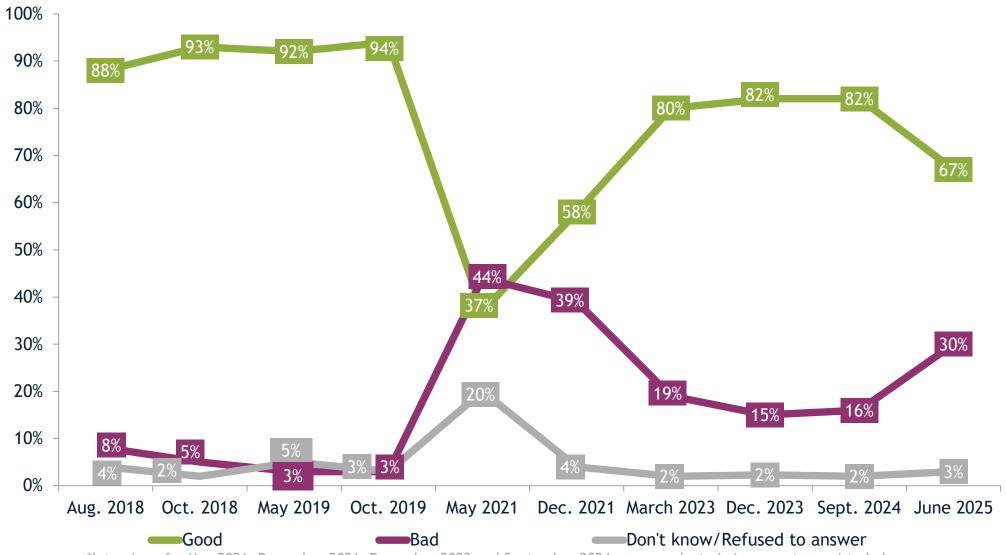
How would you evaluate the current state of the relationship between Armenia and *European Union*?



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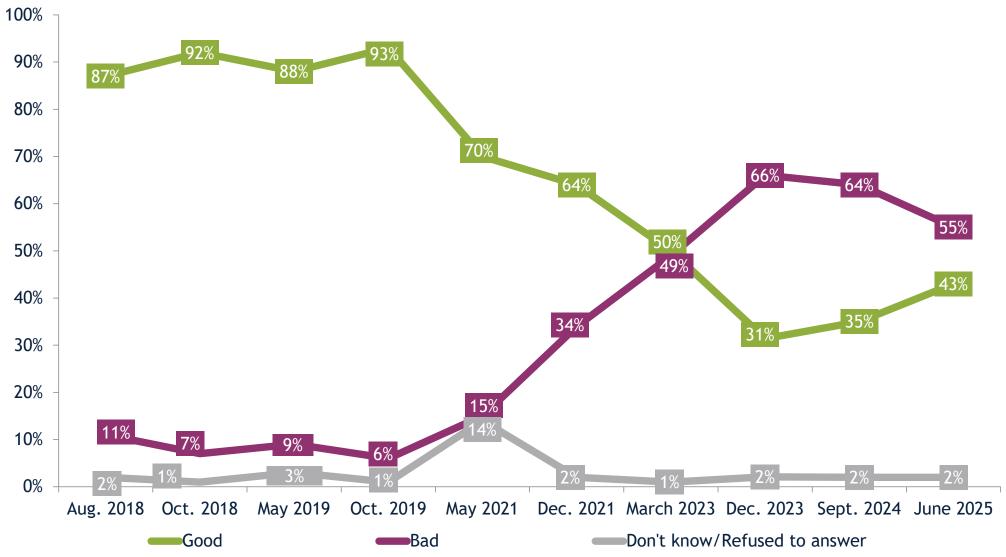
How would you evaluate the current state of the relationship between Armenia and *Georgia*?



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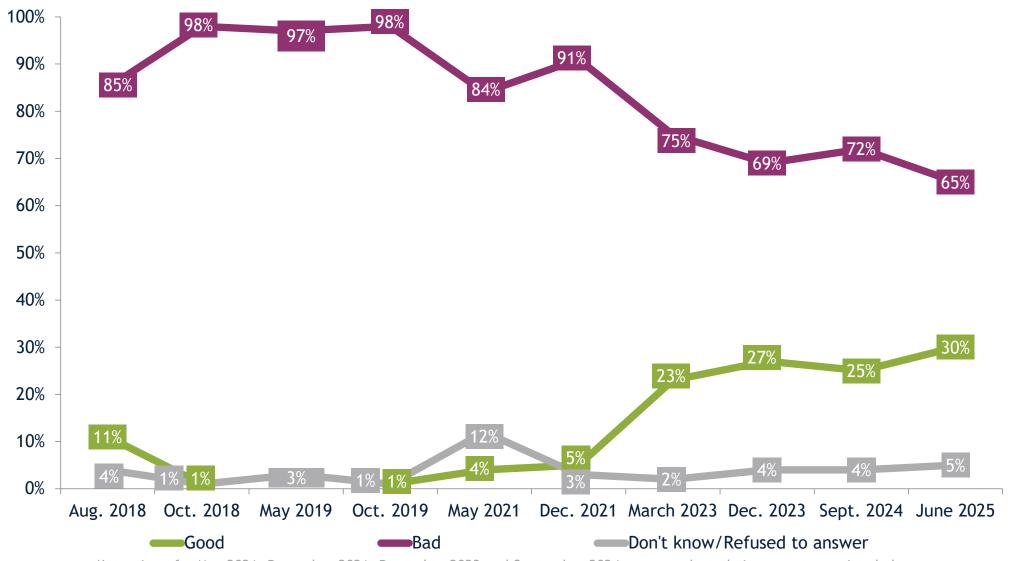
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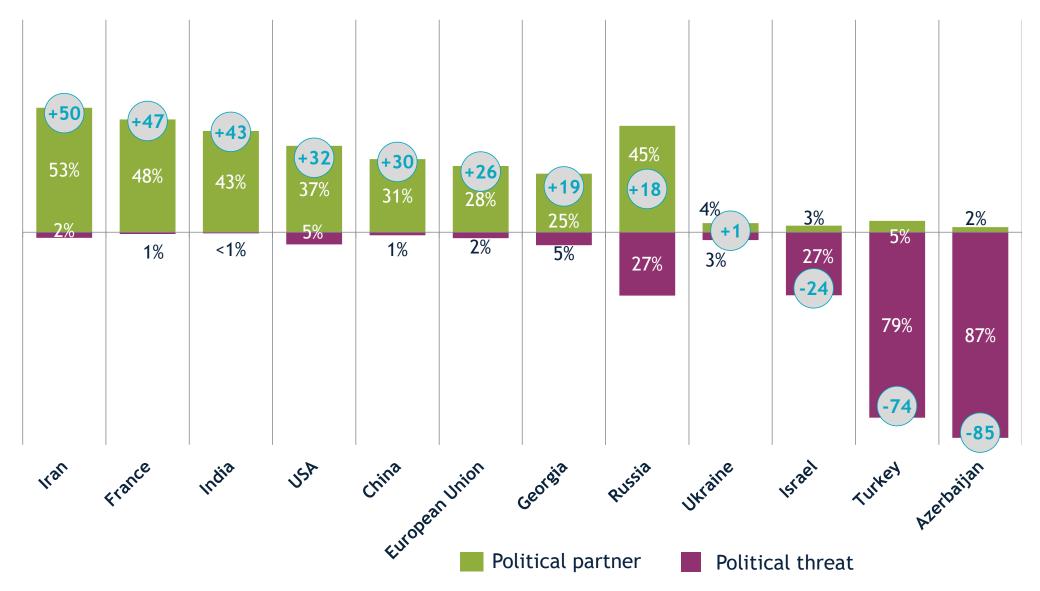
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Which of these countries do you consider to be the most important political partners for Armenia?

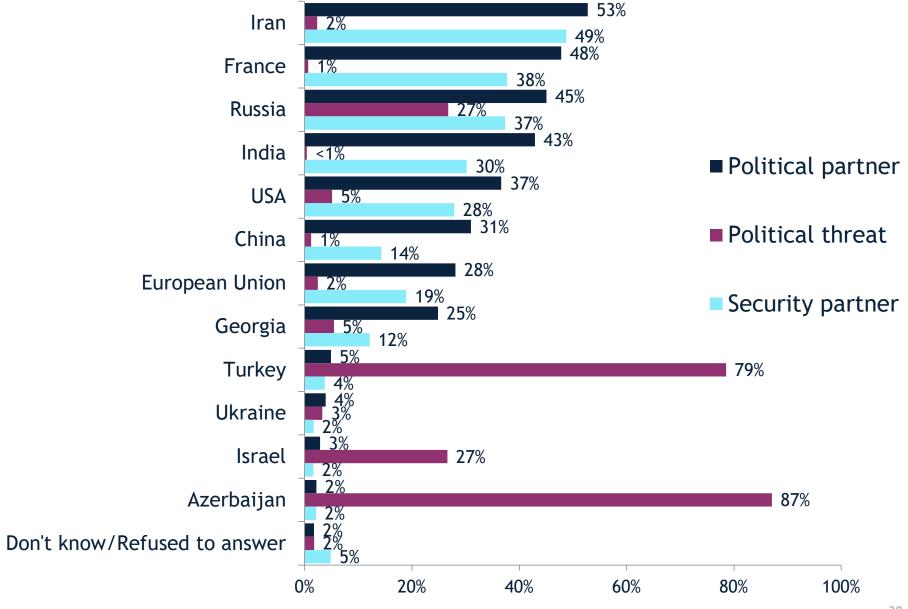
Which of these countries poses the greatest political threat to Armenia?

(Net partner/threat shown in percentage points, multiple responses permitted)

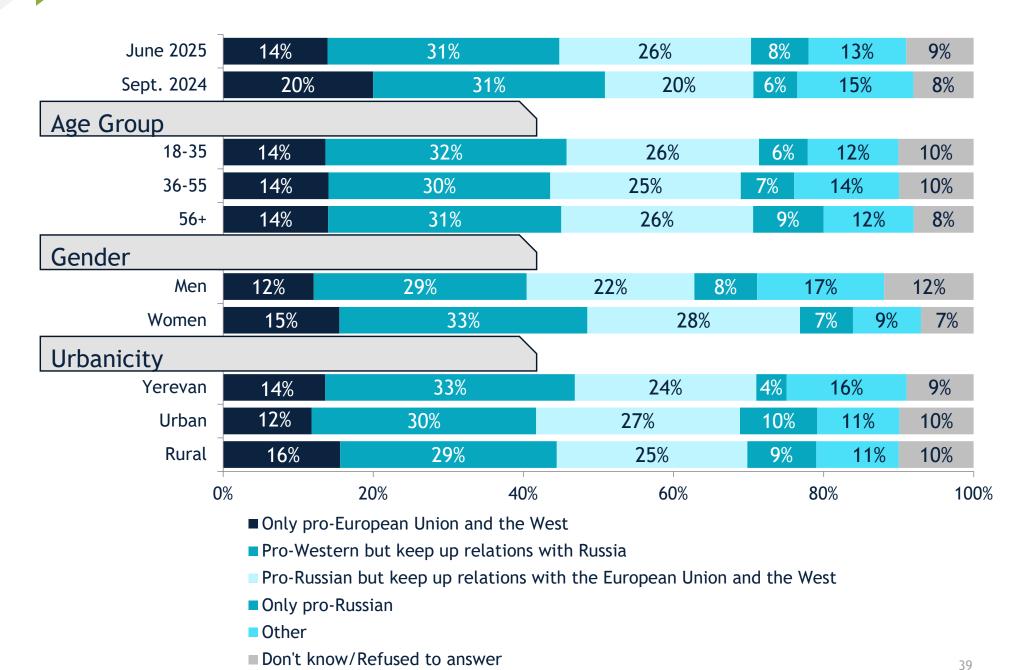


Which of these countries do you consider the most important [type] for Armenia?

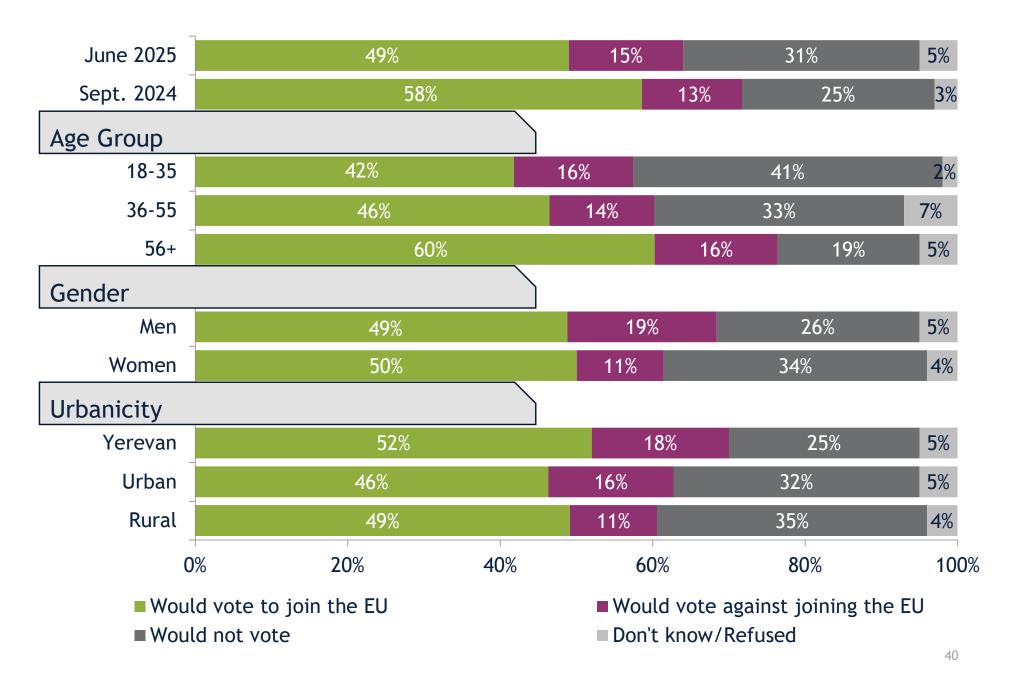
(Multiple responses permitted)



What should our country's foreign policy course be?



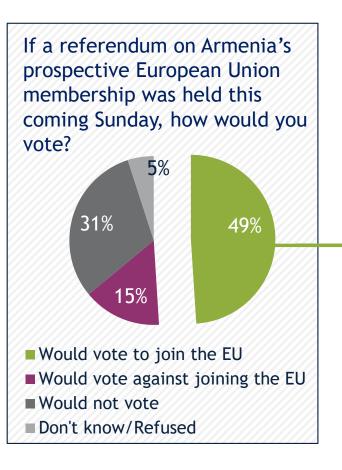
If a referendum on Armenia's prospective European Union membership was held this coming Sunday, how would you vote?

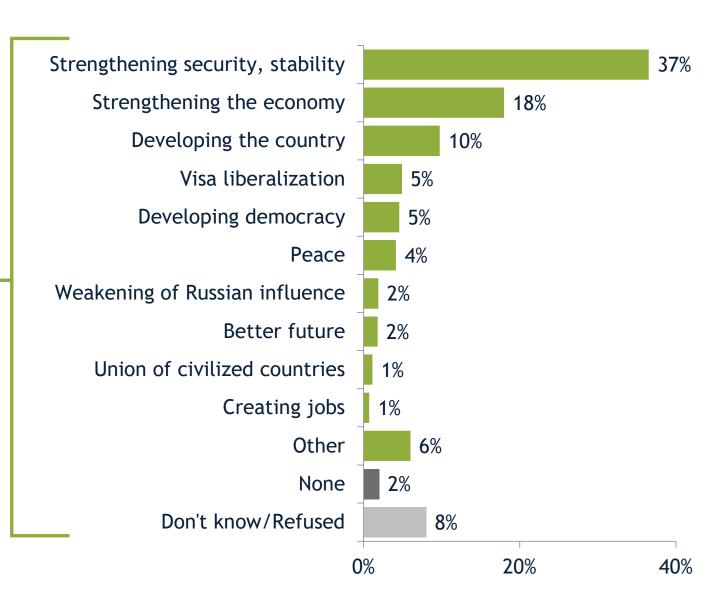




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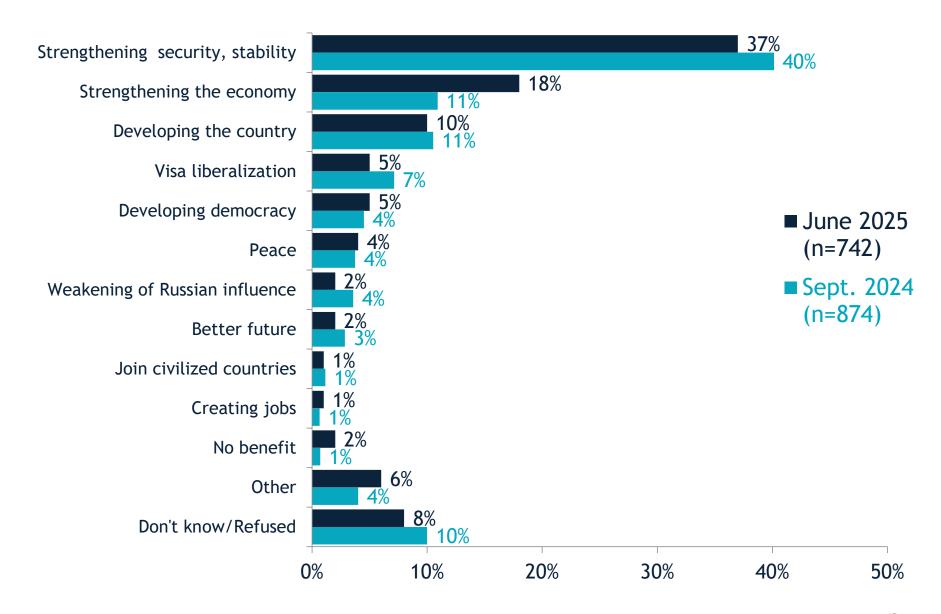
(Among those who would vote to join the EU, n=742; spontaneous response)





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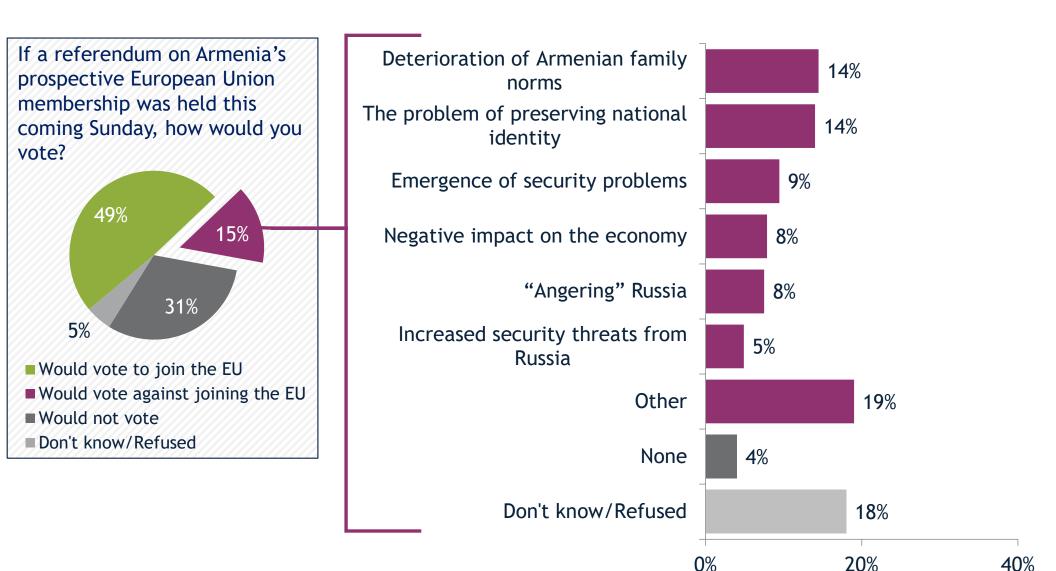
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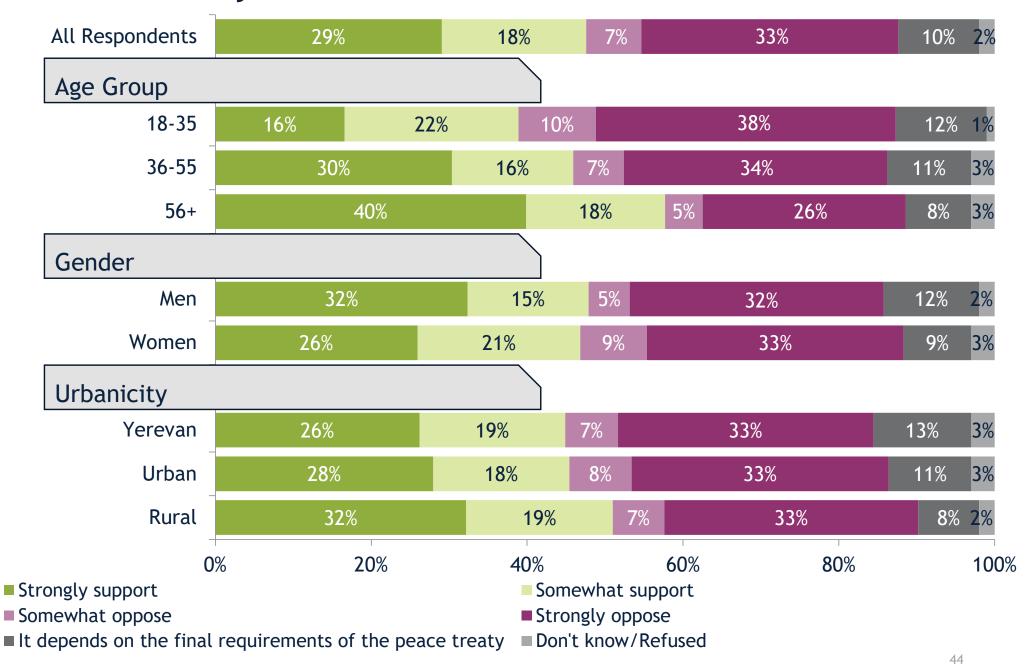


What do you think is the main disadvantage of joining the EU?

(Among those who would vote against joining the EU, n=227; spontaneous response)



Do you support or oppose the signing of a peace treaty between Armenia and Azerbaijan?

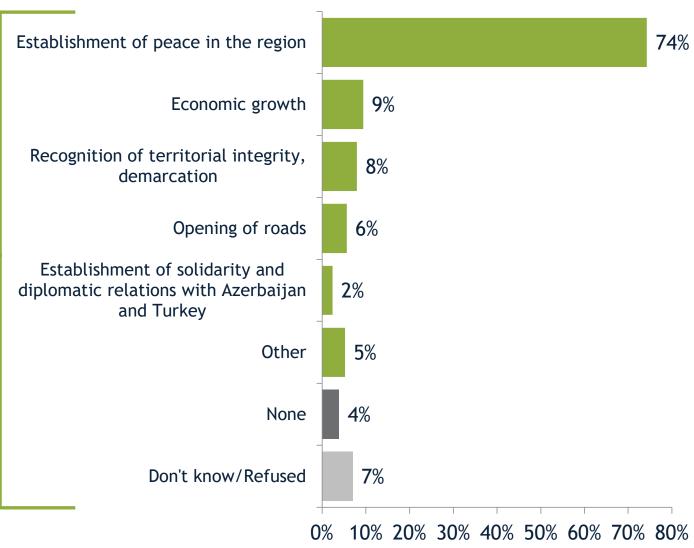




What do you think are the main benefits of the signing of a peace treaty between Armenia and Azerbaijan?

(Among those who support a peace treaty, n=713; spontaneous response; multiple responses permitted)

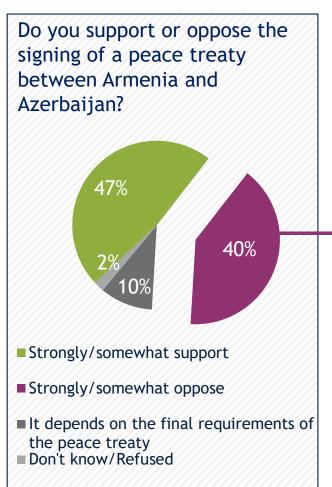


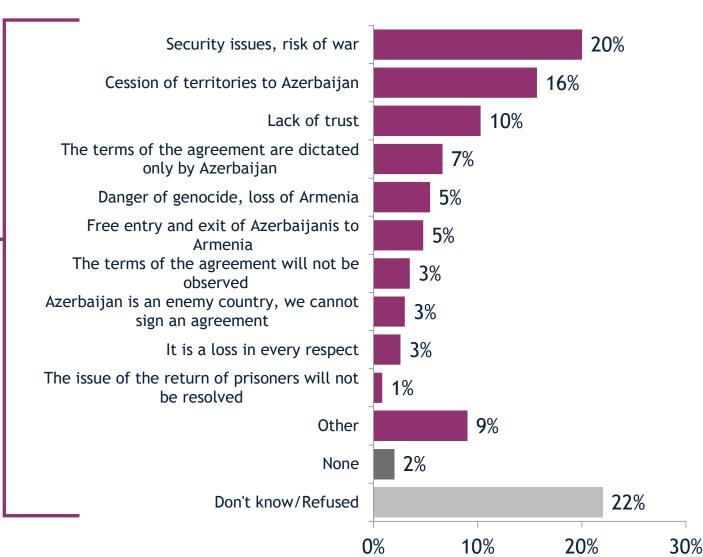




What do you think are the main disadvantages of the signing of a peace treaty between Armenia and Azerbaijan?

(Among those who oppose a peace treaty, n=600; spontaneous response; multiple responses permitted)





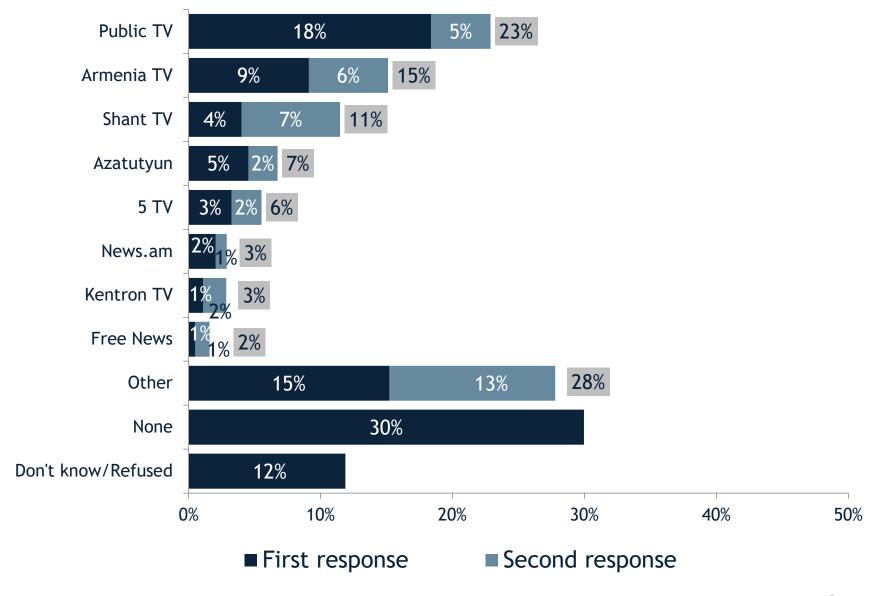
Media and Sources of Information





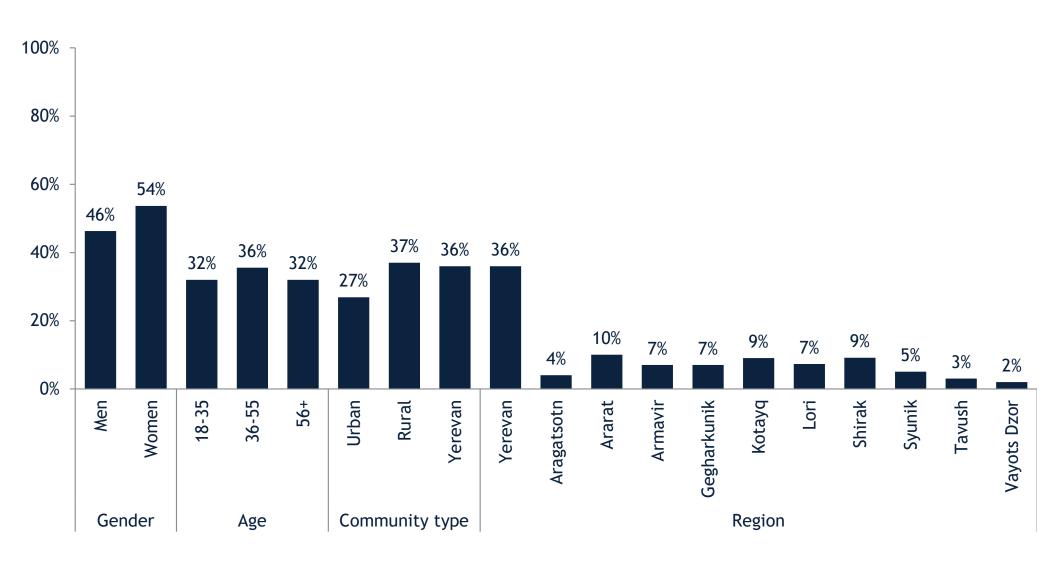
Which specific media outlets do you consider most trustworthy for political information?

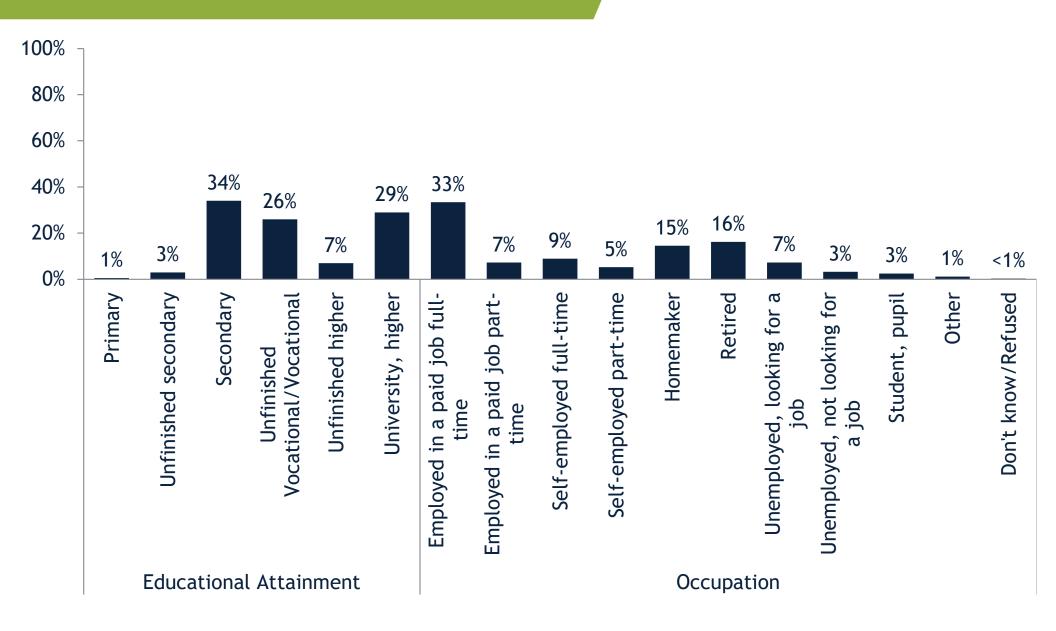
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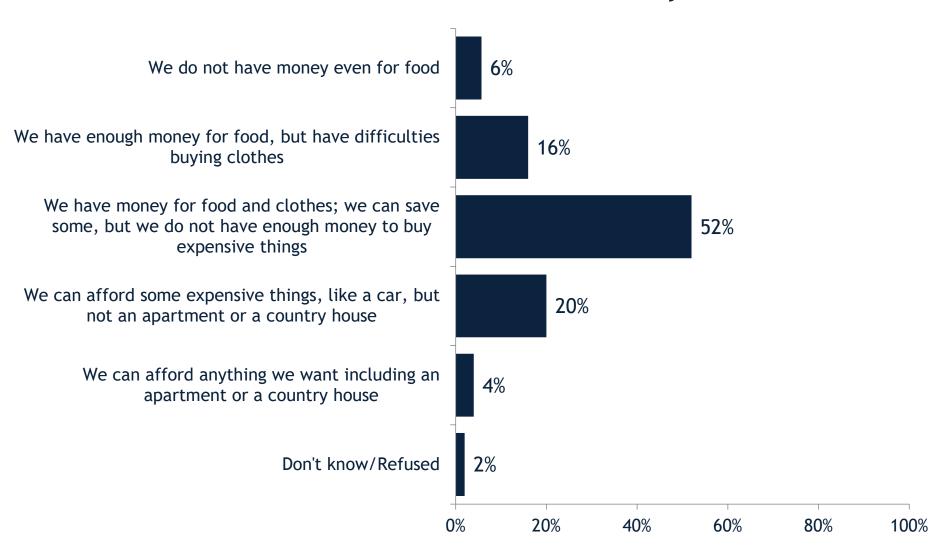




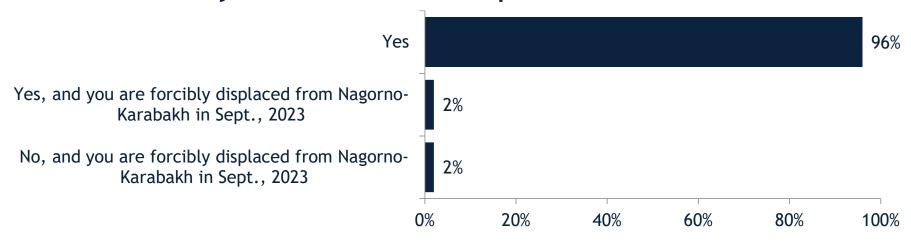




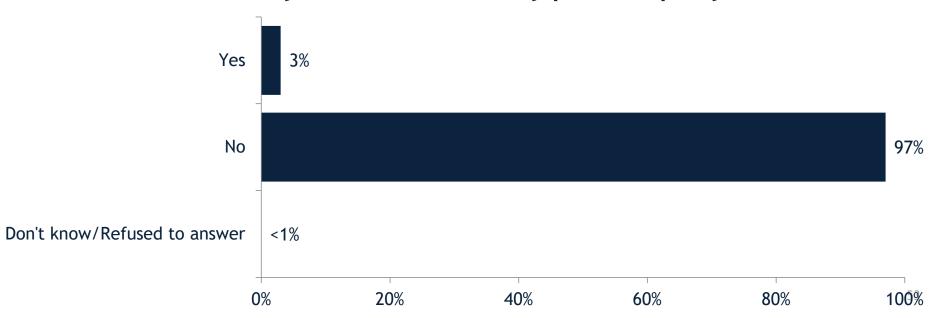
Which best describes the combined income of your household?



Are you a citizen of the Republic of Armenia?



Are you a member of any political party?



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