# WHAT WORRIES THE



July

2017

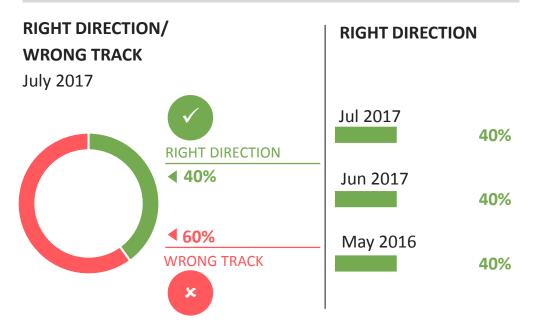


# **WORLD SUMMARY: JULY 2017**

The majority (60%) of people around the world think things in their country are on the wrong track.

Unemployment currently occupies the top spot for global concern with 36% saying this.

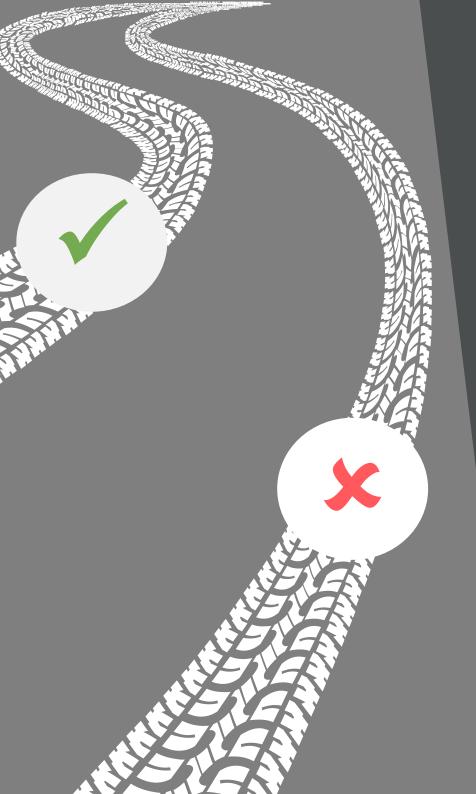
Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are heading in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?



Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?\* % change compared with previous month: Jun 2017 UNEMPLOYMENT 36% FINANCIAL/POLITICAL 34% CORRUPTION **POVERTY & SOCIAL** 33% INFOUALITY CRIME & VIOLENCE 30% **HEALTHCARE** 

Base: Representative sample of adults aged 16-64 in 26 participating countries. c.18,000 per month Source: Global Advisor

<sup>\*</sup>Please note that participants in China were not shown the full list of topics for this question. Financial/political corruption, poverty and social inequality, taxes, and rise of extremism were excluded from the list shown to Chinese participants.



**RIGHT** 

**DIRECTION** 

WRONG

TRACK

Country comparisons

Trends over time: Great Britain

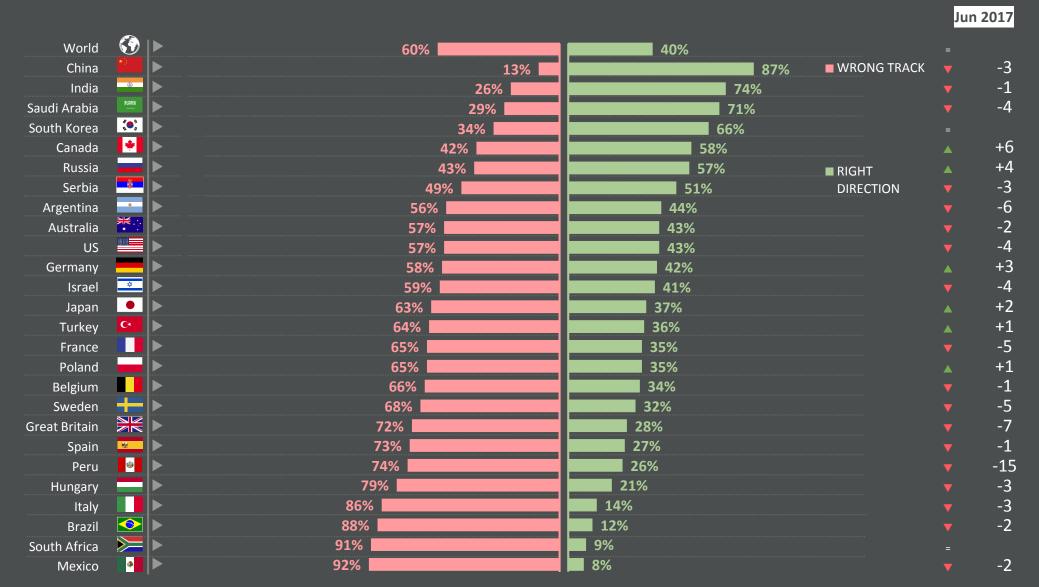
Trends over time: world

### **Ipsos Public Affairs**

### **COUNTRY COMPARISON**

## RIGHT DIRECTION/WRONG TRACK

Right direction % change compared with previous month:



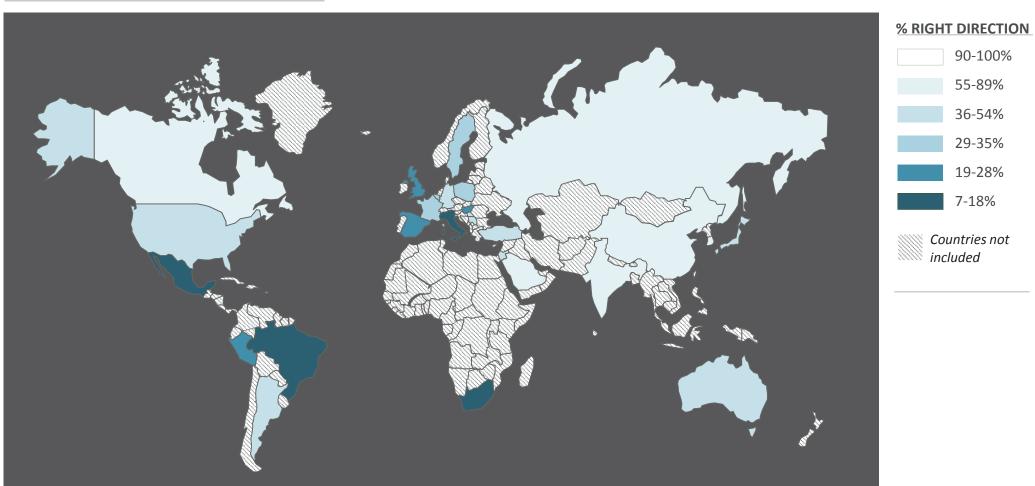
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# % WHO THINK THEIR COUNTRY IS GOING IN THE

# RIGHT DIRECTION: July 2017

Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are heading in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?



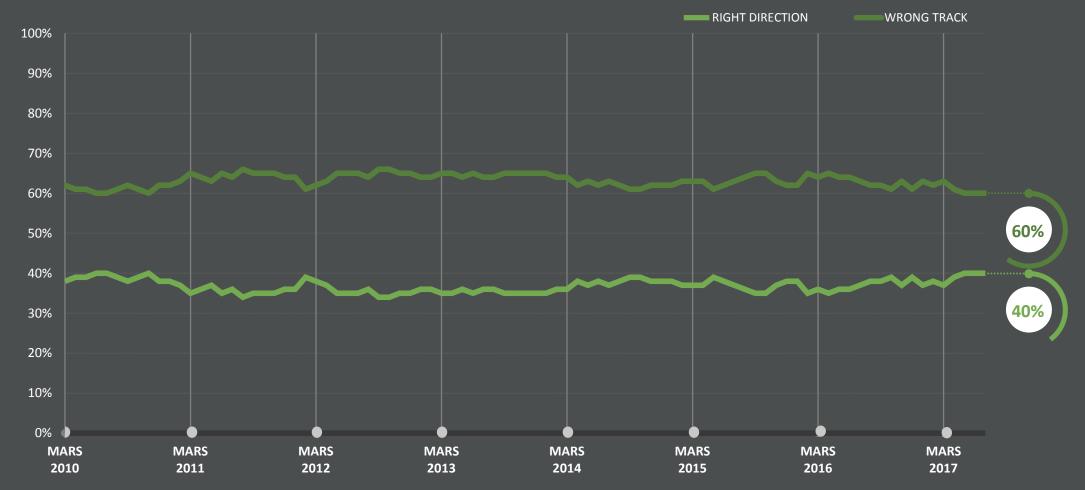
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Source: Global Advisor



# WORLD: RIGHT DIRECTION/ WRONG TRACK

Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are heading in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?



Base: Representative sample of adults aged 16-64, c.18,000 – 20,000 per month.

Source: Global Advisor





# WORLD

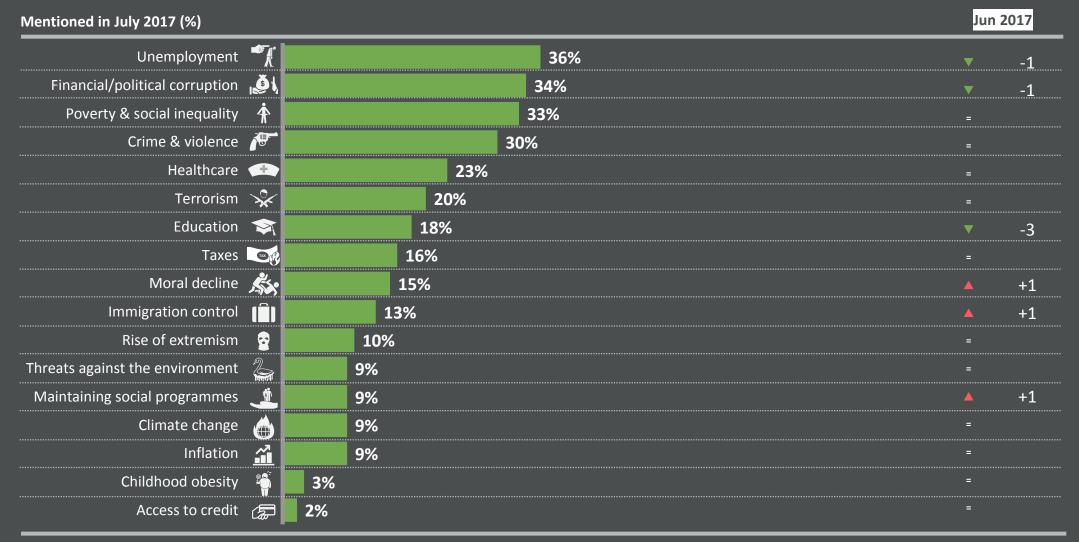
# WORRIES

- World's top worries
- Trends over time for worries

### WORLD WORRIES

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:



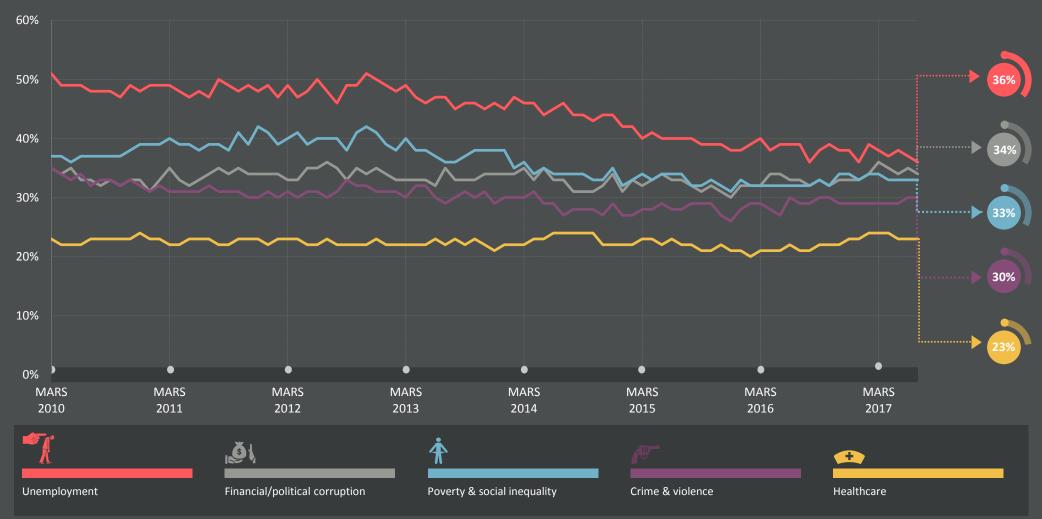
Base: Representative sample of adults aged 16-64. July 2017: 18,557; June 2017: 19,530. Source: Global Advisor



### THE WORLD'S CURRENT TOP 5 WORRIES:

### LONG-TERM TRENDS

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?



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# WORLD WORRIES

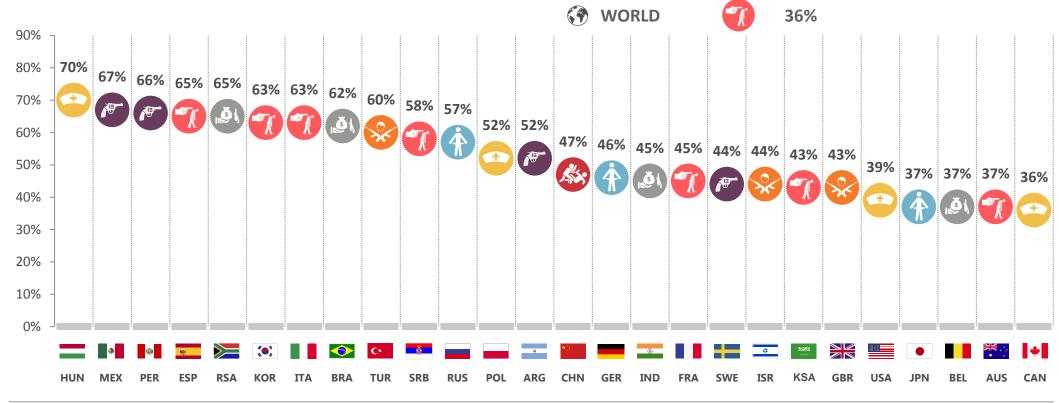
# COUNTRY COMPARISON

- Top concern by country
- Top 3 concerns by country
- Country comparison of Great Britain's top 5 concerns

# MOST WORRYING ISSUE BY COUNTRY

Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

#### Top worry in July 2017 in each country





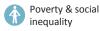














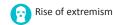


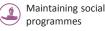














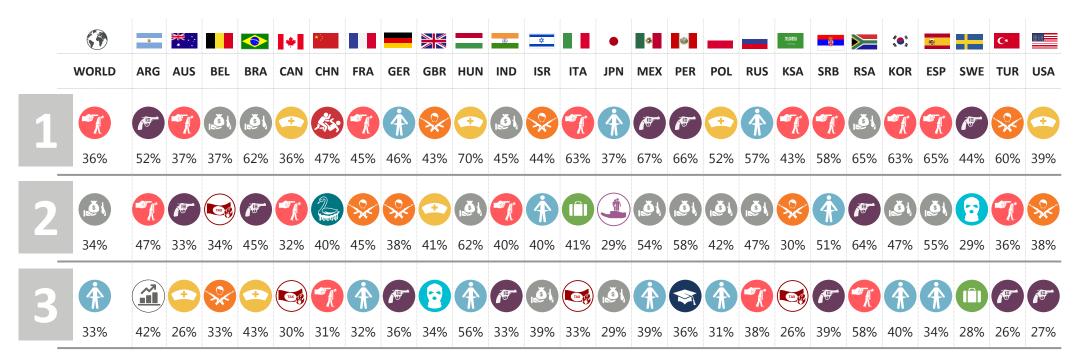


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### TOP 3 MOST WORRYING ISSUES BY COUNTRY

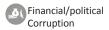
Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

Top 3 worries in July 2017 in each country





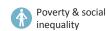














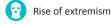


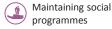
















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# WORLD WORRIES

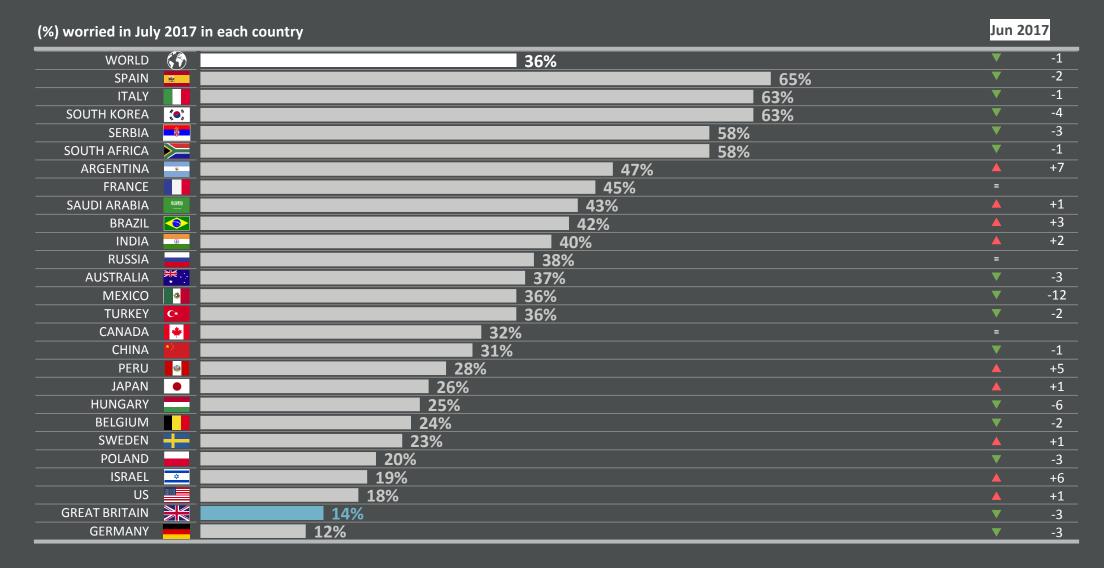
# COUNTRY COMPARISON

• Country comparison of all 17 concerns

### 1 | UNEMPLOYMENT AND JOBS

#### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:

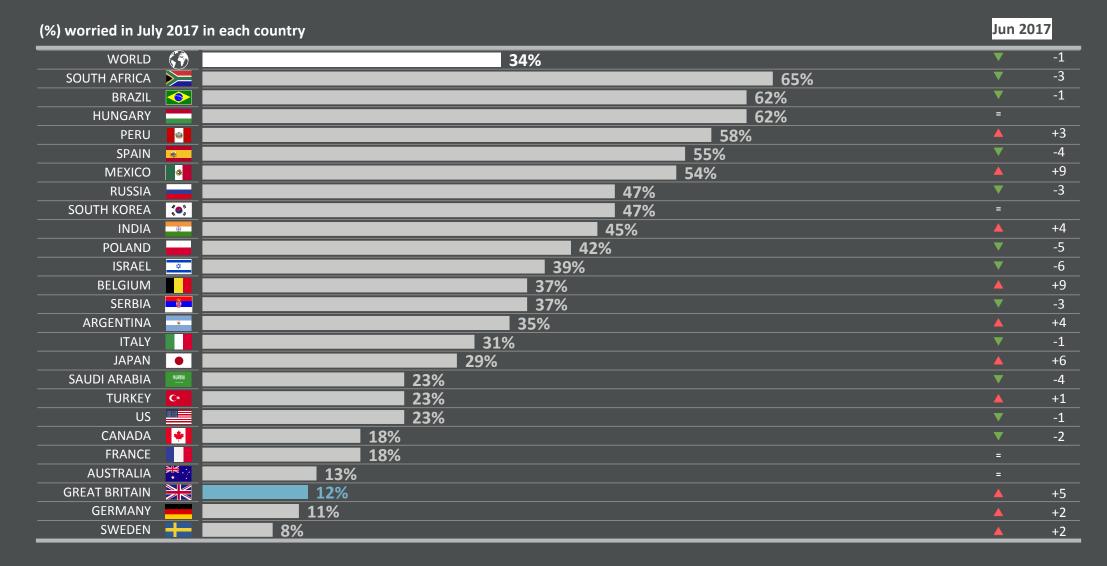




## 2 | FINANCIAL/POLITICAL CORRUPTION

#### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:

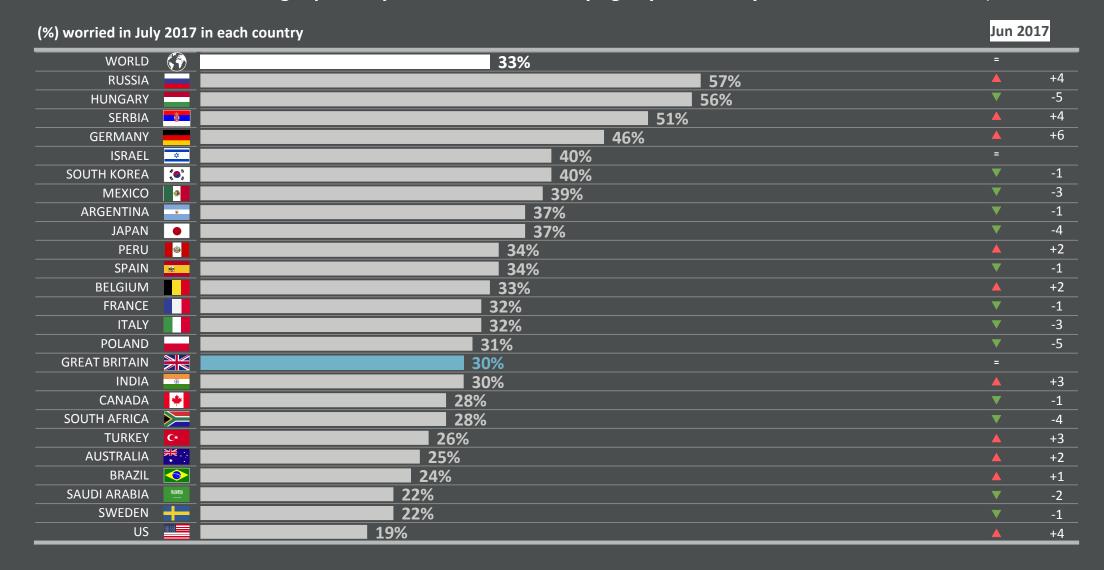




### 3 | POVERTY & SOCIAL INEQUALITY

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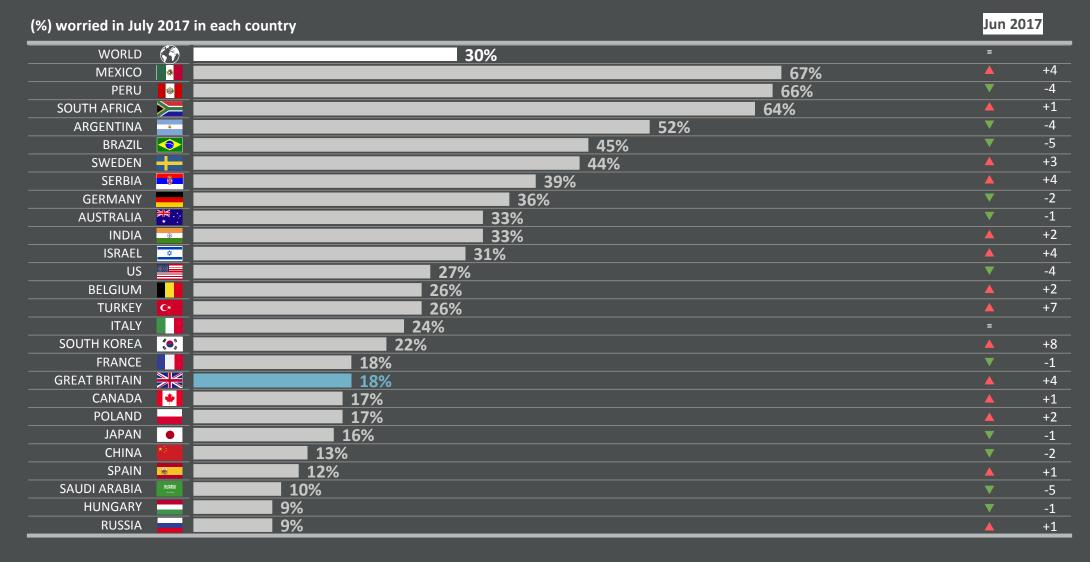




## 4 | CRIME & VIOLENCE

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

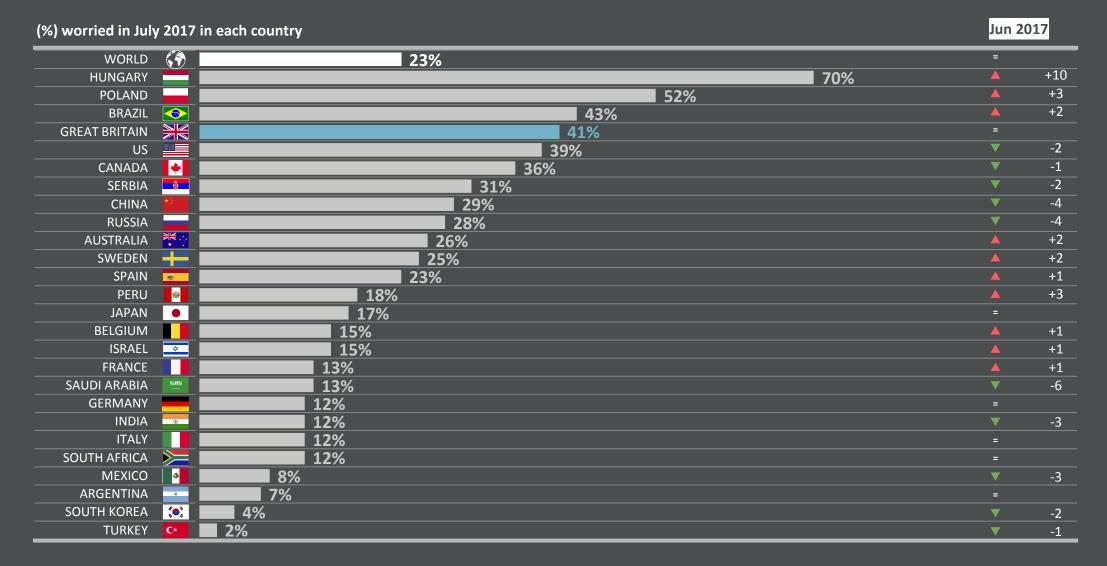
% change compared with previous month:



## 5 | HEALTHCARE

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:

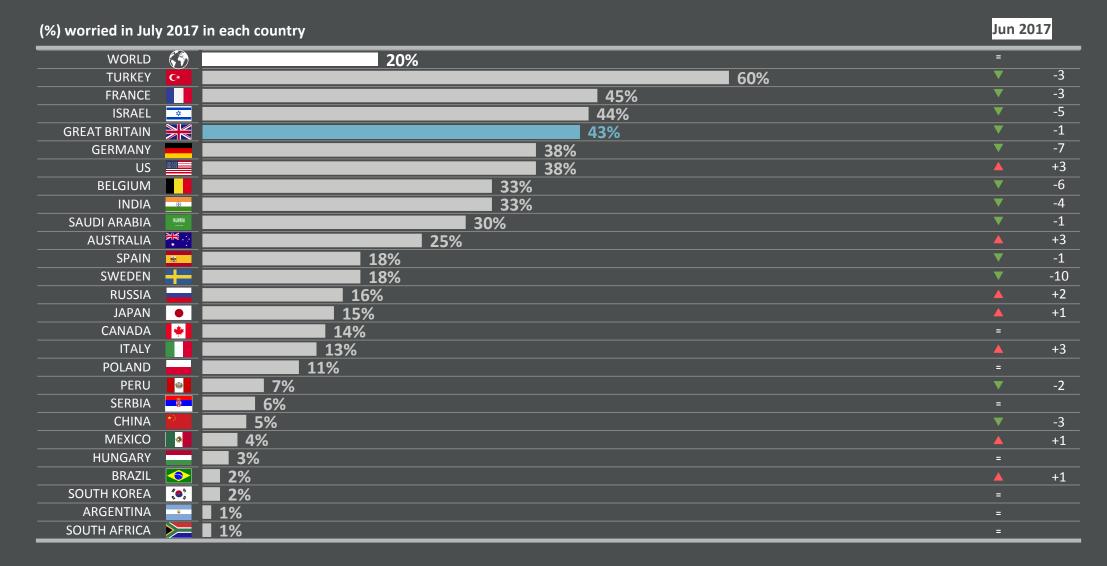




### 6 | TERRORISM

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:





# 7 | EDUCATION

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

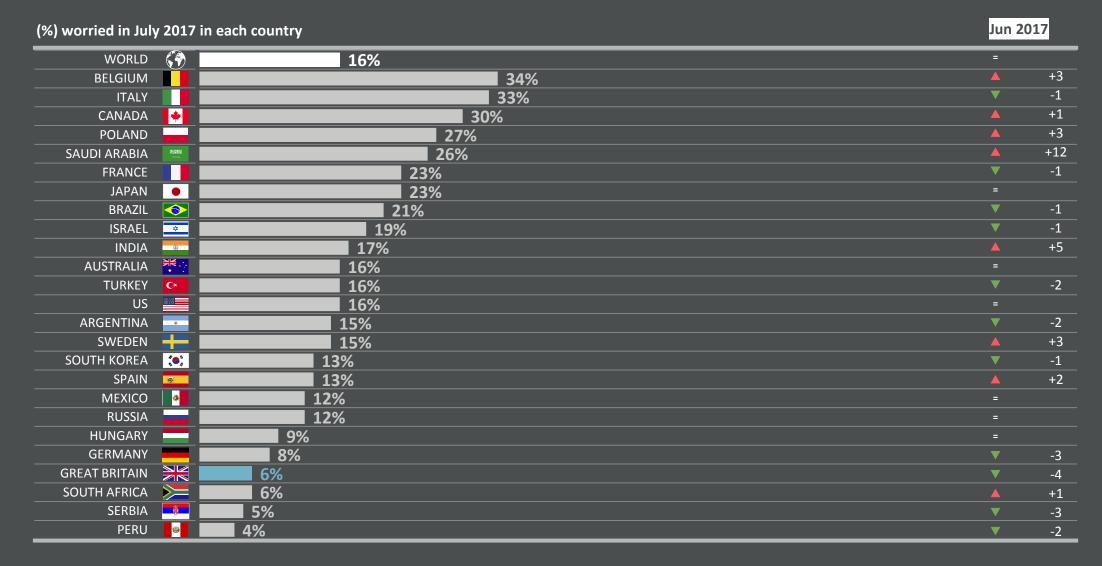
% change compared with previous month:

(%) worried in July	, 2017	in each country	Jun	2017
WORLD		18%	▼	-3
ARGENTINA	*	36%	▼	-2
PERU	<b>*</b>	36%	▼	-7
ISRAEL	*	33%	▼	-3
MEXICO	•	31%	▼	-2
BRAZIL		24%	▼	-3
CHINA	*)	24%	▼	-1
HUNGARY		22%	<b>A</b>	+4
TURKEY	C*	22%	▼	-4
INDIA	-	19%	<b>A</b>	+2
SOUTH AFRICA		18%	▼	-1
SPAIN	464	18%	▼	-4
AUSTRALIA	*	17%	<b>A</b>	+2
SAUDI ARABIA	5.910	17%	▼	-6
SERBIA		16%	▼	-1
CANADA	*	15%	<b>A</b>	+2
GREAT BRITAIN		15%	▼	-3
SOUTH KOREA	<b>(</b> **)	15%	<b>_</b>	+5
US		15%	▼	-1
JAPAN		14%	▼	-1
RUSSIA		14%	▼	-1
POLAND		13%	=	
FRANCE		12%	▼	-1
GERMANY		11%	=	
SWEDEN		9%	▼	-1
BELGIUM		7%	▼	-3
ITALY		<b>6</b> %	▼	-2

# 8 | TAXES

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:





# 9 | MORAL DECLINE

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

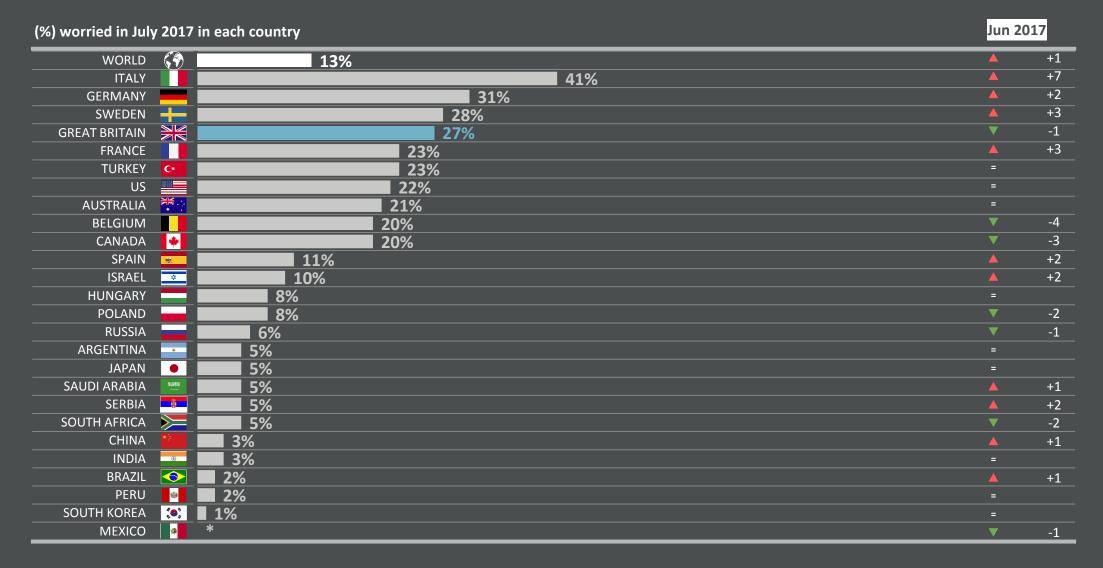
% change compared with previous month:

(%) worried in July	, 2017	in each country	Jur	2017
WORLD		15%	<b>A</b>	+1
CHINA	*)	47%	<b>A</b>	+10
JAPAN	•	27%	<b>A</b>	+4
SERBIA		21%	▼	-4
US		20%	<b>A</b>	+1
POLAND		19%	<b>A</b>	+4
SOUTH KOREA	<b>(*)</b>	19%	▼	-1
GERMANY		18%	▼	-1
ISRAEL	*	17%	=	
SAUDI ARABIA	5.910	17%	▼	-5
FRANCE		15%	<b>A</b>	+3
GREAT BRITAIN		14%	<b>A</b>	+2
RUSSIA		14%	▼	-1
SOUTH AFRICA		14%	<b>A</b>	+2
HUNGARY		13%	=	
AUSTRALIA	* :	12%	=	
CANADA	*	12%	<b>A</b>	+2
PERU	<b>*</b>	11%	<b>A</b>	+1
ARGENTINA	*	10%	<b>A</b>	+3
INDIA	-	10%	=	
ITALY		10%	▼	-1
SWEDEN	_	10%	▼	-1
BELGIUM		9%	=	
BRAZIL		9%	<b>A</b>	+2
TURKEY	C*	9%	▼	-4
SPAIN	癜	8%	<b>A</b>	+2
MEXICO	0	7%	<b>A</b>	+1

### 10 | IMMIGRATION CONTROL

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

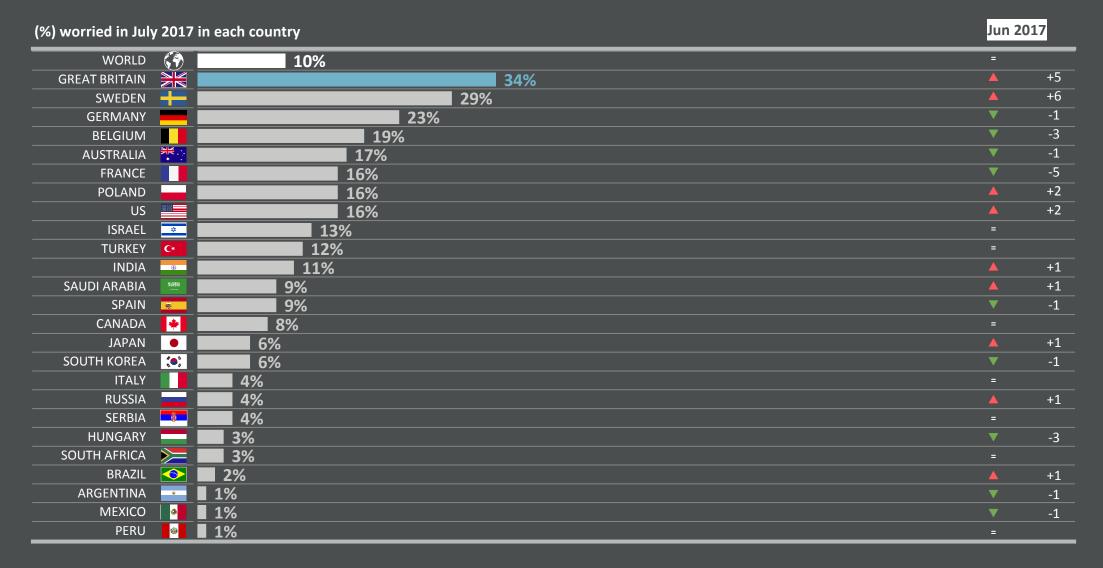
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## 11 | RISE OF EXTREMISM

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

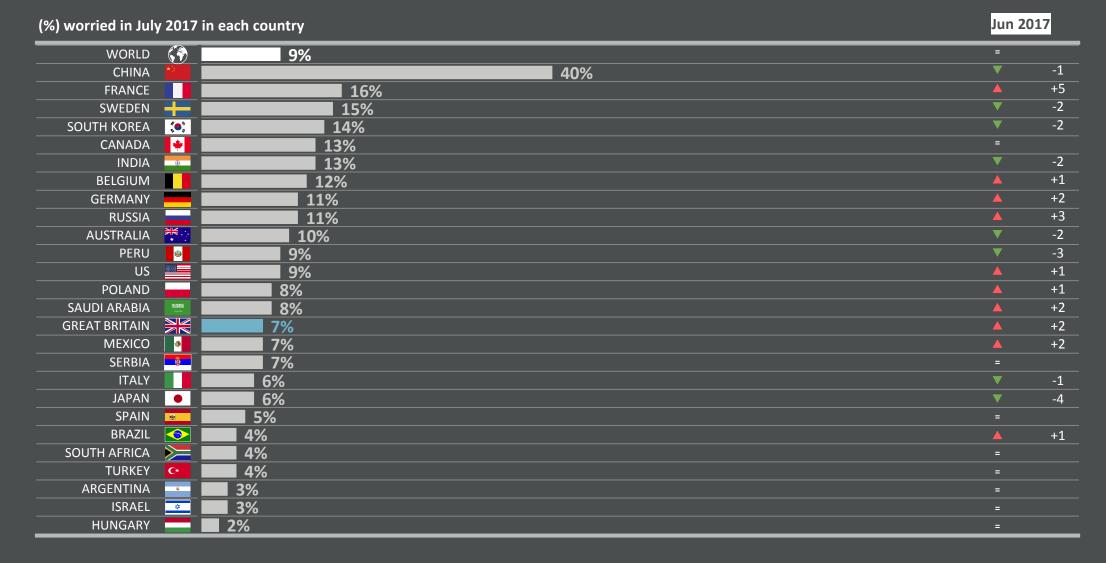
% change compared with previous month:



### 12 | THREATS AGAINST THE ENVIRONMENT

#### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:



## 13 | MAINTAINING SOCIAL PROGRAMMES

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:

(%) worried in July	y 2017	in each country	Jun 2	017
WORLD		9%	<b>A</b>	+1
CHINA	*)	29%	=	
JAPAN	•	29%	▼	-1
SWEDEN	$\overline{+}$	28%	<b>A</b>	+7
SOUTH KOREA	<b>**</b>	22%	<b>A</b>	+3
GREAT BRITAIN		15%	▼	-3
SPAIN	癥	11%	=	
POLAND		9%	▼	-3
AUSTRALIA	*	8%	▼	-3
BELGIUM		8%	<b>A</b>	+1
CANADA	*	8%	▼	-1
RUSSIA		8%	=	
ISRAEL	፨	7%		+2
ITALY		7%	<u> </u>	+1
US		7%	▼	-1
GERMANY	_	6%	<u> </u>	+2
HUNGARY		6%	<u> </u>	+2
SERBIA	*	5%		+1
FRANCE		4%		+1
INDIA	-	4%		+1
SAUDI ARABIA	#2000	4%	▼	-1
ARGENTINA	*	3%		+1
BRAZIL		3%		+1
MEXICO	4	3%		+1
PERU	0	3%		+1
TURKEY	O*	3%		+1
SOUTH AFRICA	$\geq$	<b>■</b> 1%	=	

# 14 | CLIMATE CHANGE

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

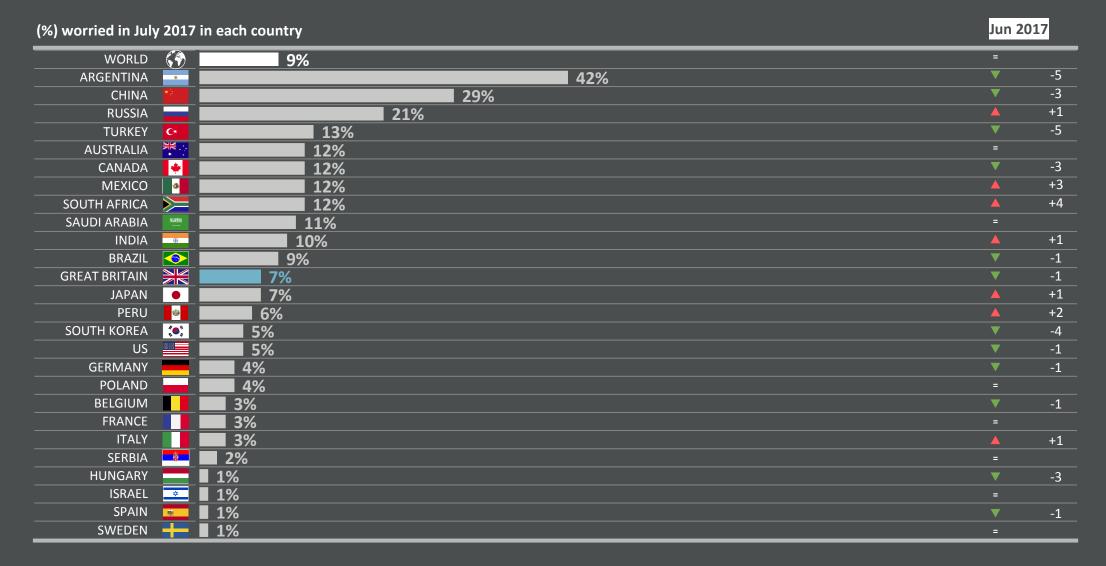
% change compared with previous month:

(%) worried in July	y 2017	in each country	Ju	n 2017
WORLD		9%	=	
CHINA	*)	25%	▼	-1
CANADA	*	21%	=	
AUSTRALIA	>  *	16%	<b>A</b>	
GERMANY		15%	<b>A</b>	+1
JAPAN	•	14%	=	
SWEDEN	-	14%	▼	_
SAUDI ARABIA	#29T09	13%	<b>A</b>	
BELGIUM		12%	<b>A</b>	
US		12%	▼	-1
INDIA	3	11%	▼	-5
SOUTH KOREA	<b>(0</b> )	11%	<u> </u>	
FRANCE		10%	▼	
PERU	<b>*</b>	9%	<u> </u>	
SPAIN	級	8%	<u> </u>	
ITALY		<b>7%</b>	<u> </u>	+2
MEXICO	0	7%	=	
GREAT BRITAIN		6%	▼	-1
POLAND		5%	<u> </u>	+2
RUSSIA		5%	=	
HUNGARY		4%	<u> </u>	
SERBIA		3%	<u> </u>	
TURKEY	C*	3%	<u> </u>	+1
ARGENTINA	*	2%	=	
BRAZIL		<b>2</b> %	=	
SOUTH AFRICA		2%	▼	
ISRAEL	❖	<b>■</b> 1%	▼	-2

## 15 | INFLATION

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:





# 16 | CHILDHOOD OBESITY

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:

(%) worried in July	, 2017	in each country	Jun 20	17
WORLD		3%	=	
SAUDI ARABIA	#:2000 	12%	<b>A</b>	+3
POLAND		9%	=	
CANADA	*	<b>6%</b>	<b>A</b>	+1
AUSTRALIA	*	<b>5</b> %	▼	-1
CHINA	*)	<b>5</b> %	=	
MEXICO		<b>5</b> %	=	
GERMANY		4%	=	
INDIA	8	4%	▼	-1
BELGIUM		3%	<b>A</b>	+1
GREAT BRITAIN		3%	<b>A</b>	+1
ISRAEL	*	3%	=	
US		3%	=	
HUNGARY		<b>2</b> %	=	
RUSSIA		<b>2</b> %	<b>A</b>	+1
SERBIA		<b>2</b> %	=	
BRAZIL		<b>■ 1</b> %	=	
FRANCE		<b>■ 1</b> %	=	
ITALY		<b>■ 1</b> %	=	
JAPAN	•	<b>■ 1</b> %	▼	-1
SOUTH KOREA	<b>**</b>	<b>■ 1</b> %	=	
SPAIN		<b>■ 1</b> %	=	
SWEDEN		<b>■ 1</b> %	▼	-4
TURKEY		<b>■ 1</b> %	▼	-1
PERU	0	*	▼	-2
SOUTH AFRICA		*	▼	-1
ARGENTINA	*	*	=	

# 17 | ACCESS TO CREDIT

### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?

% change compared with previous month:

(%) worried in July	/ 2017	in each country	Jun 201	17
WORLD	(7)	<b>2</b> %	=	
RUSSIA		6%	<b>A</b>	+1
CHINA		4%	<b>A</b>	+1
POLAND		4%	<b>A</b>	+1
CANADA	*	3%	<b>A</b>	+2
SAUDI ARABIA	5.5TH 	<b>3</b> %	=	
SOUTH KOREA	<b>10</b> %	<b>3</b> %	<b>A</b>	+1
AUSTRALIA	* :	<b>2</b> %	=	
HUNGARY		<b>2</b> %	=	
ITALY		<b>2</b> %	=	
JAPAN	•	<b>2</b> %	=	
MEXICO		<b>2</b> %	=	
PERU		<b>2</b> %	▼	-1
SERBIA	*	<b>■</b> 2%	<b>A</b>	+1
SPAIN	樂	<b>2</b> %	<b>A</b>	+1
TURKEY	C*	<b>2</b> %	<b>V</b>	-1
US		<b>2</b> %	=	
ARGENTINA	*	<b>■ 1%</b>	<b>V</b>	-1
BELGIUM	Щ	<u>1</u> %	<b>V</b>	-1
BRAZIL		<b>1</b> %	=	
FRANCE	ш	<b>■</b> 1%	=	
GERMANY		<b>1</b> %	<u> </u>	+1
GREAT BRITAIN		<b>1</b> %		-1
INDIA	-	<b>1</b> %	<b>V</b>	1
ISRAEL	≎	<b>1</b> %	<b>A</b>	+1
SOUTH AFRICA		<b>1</b> %	▼	1
SWEDEN	<u>+-</u>	<b>■</b> 1%	▼	-1



# METHODOLOGY

#### **Ipsos Public Affairs**

## METHODOLOGY

The survey is conducted monthly in 26 countries around the world via the Ipsos Online Panel system. The countries included are Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, China, France, Great Britain, Germany, Hungary, India, Israel, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Peru, Poland, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Turkey and the United States of America.

A survey with an unweighted probability sample of this size would have an estimated margin of error of +/-3.1 percentage points for a sample of 1,000 and an estimated margin of error of +/-4.5 percentage points for a 500 sample 19 times out of 20.

An international sample of 18,557 adults aged 18-64 in Canada, Israel and the US, and aged 16-64 in all other countries, were interviewed between June 23rd and July 7th 2017.

In 17 of the 26 countries surveyed internet penetration is sufficiently high to think of the samples as representative of the wider population within the age ranges covered: Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Canada, France, Germany, Hungary, Israel, Italy, Japan, Poland, Serbia, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Great Britain and United States.

Approximately 1000+ individuals participated on a country by country basis via the Ipsos Online Panel with the exception of Argentina, Belgium, Hungary, India, Israel, Mexico, Peru, Poland, Russia, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, South Korea, Sweden and Turkey, where each have a sample of approximately 500+.

Brazil, China, India, Mexico, Russia, Saudi Arabia, South Africa and Turkey have lower levels of internet penetration and so these samples should not be considered nationally representative, and instead be considered to represent a more affluent, connected population. These are still a vital social group to understand in these countries, representing an important and emerging middle class.

Weighting has been employed to balance demographics and ensure that the sample's composition reflects that of the adult population according to the most recent country census data.



# **APPENDIX**

### MOST WORRYING ISSUE BY COUNTRY

#### Which three of the following topics do you find the most worrying in your country?



Base: Representative sample of 18,557 adults aged 16-64 in 26 participating countries, June 23rd - July 7th 2017. Source: Global Advisor



## **ISSUES OVERVIEW**

### **Ipsos Public Affairs**

Top three issues:

#1 worry in country

#2 worry in country

#3 worry in country

	WORLD	ARG	₩.: AUS	BEL	BRA	<b>I</b>	*; CHN	FRA	GER	GBR	HUN	IND	₽	ITA	JPN	<b>■</b> MEX	₽ER	POL	RUS	KSA	SRB	RSA	<b>(⊕</b> );	₩ ESP	SWE	<b>C</b> ∗ TUR	USA
Unemployment	36%	47%	37%	24%	42%	32%	31%	45%	12%	14%	25%	40%	19%	63%	26%	36%	28%	20%	38%	43%	58%	58%	63%	65%	23%	36%	18%
Financial/political corruption	34%	35%	13%	37%	62%	18%	.%	18%	11%	12%	62%	45%	39%	31%	29%	54%	58%	42%	47%	23%	37%	65%	47%	55%	8%	23%	23%
Poverty and social inequality	33%	37%	25%	33%	24%	28%	.%	32%	46%	30%	56%	30%	40%	32%	37%	39%	34%	31%	57%	22%	51%	28%	40%	34%	22%	26%	19%
Crime and violence	30%	52%	33%	26%	45%	17%	13%	18%	36%	18%	9%	33%	31%	24%	16%	67%	66%	17%	9%	10%	39%	64%	22%	12%	44%	26%	27%
Healthcare	23%	7%	26%	15%	43%	36%	29%	13%	12%	41%	70%	12%	15%	12%	17%	8%	18%	52%	28%	13%	31%	12%	4%	23%	25%	2%	39%
Terrorism	20%	1%	25%	33%	2%	14%	5%	45%	38%	43%	3%	33%	44%	13%	15%	4%	7%	11%	16%	30%	6%	1%	2%	18%	18%	60%	38%
Education	18%	36%	17%	7%	24%	15%	24%	12%	11%	15%	22%	19%	33%	6%	14%	31%	36%	13%	14%	17%	16%	18%	15%	18%	9%	22%	15%
Taxes	16%	15%	16%	34%	21%	30%	.%	23%	8%	6%	9%	17%	19%	33%	23%	12%	4%	27%	12%	26%	5%	6%	13%	13%	15%	16%	16%
Moral decline	15%	10%	12%	9%	9%	12%	47%	15%	18%	14%	13%	10%	17%	10%	27%	7%	11%	19%	14%	17%	21%	14%	19%	8%	10%	9%	20%
Immigration control	13%	5%	21%	20%	2%	20%	3%	23%	31%	27%	8%	3%	10%	41%	5%	*%	2%	8%	6%	5%	5%	5%	1%	11%	28%	23%	22%
Rise of extremism	10%	1%	17%	19%	2%	8%	.%	16%	23%	34%	3%	11%	13%	4%	6%	1%	1%	16%	4%	9%	4%	3%	6%	9%	29%	12%	16%
Threats against the environment	9%	3%	10%	12%	4%	13%	40%	16%	11%	7%	2%	13%	3%	6%	6%	7%	9%	8%	11%	8%	7%	4%	14%	5%	15%	4%	9%
Maintaining social programmes	9%	3%	8%	8%	3%	8%	29%	4%	6%	15%	6%	4%	7%	7%	29%	3%	3%	9%	8%	4%	5%	1%	22%	11%	28%	3%	7%
Climate change	9%	2%	16%	12%	2%	21%	25%	10%	15%	6%	4%	11%	1%	7%	14%	7%	9%	5%	5%	13%	3%	2%	11%	8%	14%	3%	12%
Inflation	9%	42%	12%	3%	9%	12%	29%	3%	4%	7%	1%	10%	1%	3%	7%	12%	6%	4%	21%	11%	2%	12%	5%	1%	1%	13%	5%
Childhood obesity	3%	%	5%	3%	1%	6%	5%	1%	4%	3%	2%	4%	3%	1%	1%	5%	*%	9%	2%	12%	2%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%
Access to credit	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	4%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	6%	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%

Base: Representative sample of 18,557 adults aged 16-64 in 26 participating countries, June 23rd - July 7th 2017.

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